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Corrections to Permanent Journal of the House of Representatives

- Page 4 Line 19 after the name "Mr. McGauvran" insert the name "Mr. Sagen".
- Page 6 Preceding second roll call strike out the figures "76" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "75." Strike out the figures "17" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "19." Strike out the figures "16" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "19."
- Page 7 Preceding the second roll call strike out the figure "21" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "22."
- Page 9 Preceding third roll call after the word "proof-reader" strike out all of the words up to and including the figures "26".
- Page 11 Preceding second roll call after the word "moved" strike out all words up to and including "Mr. Carr".
- Page 13 Line 34 strike out the second figure "2" in "1922" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".
- Page 14 Line 46 correct the spelling of the name "Christtianson" to "Christianson".
- Page 33 After line 9 insert the following words "which motion prevailed".
- Page 105 After line 30 insert the following "Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.
- Page 109 Line 11 correct the name "Sheafer" to "Shearer." After line 33 insert the words "Which motion prevailed".
- Page 133 After line 9 insert the heading "General Orders".
- Page 135 Line 31 following the last word insert "Third reading of Senate Bills".
- Page 137 Line 15 insert after the word "call" the following "ayes 92, nays 0, absent and not voting 21."
- Page 144 After line 12 insert the following "which motion prevailed".
- Page 149 After line 3 insert the following "which motion prevailed".
Line 6 change "16th" to read "18th".
- Page 150 After line 18 insert the following "which motion prevailed."
- Page 162 Preceding line 1 insert the following "Third reading of House Bills".
- Page 168 After line 10 insert the following "Mr. Kelly moved that all absentees be excused. Which motion prevailed".
- Page 172 Strike out all of line 2.
After line 11 insert the following "which motion prevailed".
- Page 178 After line 21 insert the following "Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass."

- Page 181 At the end of the last line add the word "adopted".
- Page 187 Line 29 insert the following "Ayes 102, Nays 0, Absent and not voting, 11".
- Page 194 Line 26 following the name "Mr. Miller" strike out the words "ask the House to" and insert in lieu thereof the words "request that the House".
- Page 196 After line 18 insert the following "which motion prevailed".
- Page 201 After line 18 insert the words "Third Reading of House Bills".
- Page 215 Line 13 strike out the word "me" and insert in lieu thereof the word "be".
Line 15 substitute the word "substance" for "substitute".
- Page 219 In 4th. line change the word "Senate" to "House".
- Page 221 Following line 42 insert the following "recommend that the same be amended as follows".
- Page 232 Roll call on H. B. 8, Hardy should be recorded as voting "aye" instead of "nay".
- Page 234 After line 5 insert the following "Mr. Sagen requested that the House do now revert to the 7th. order of business".
- Page 240 After line 11 insert the following "and when so amended recommend the same do pass".
- Page 241 In line 11 change the number "27" to "37".
- Page 243 Preceding the 5th. line from the bottom of the page insert "was read first and second time and referred to".
- Page 243 Line 47 after the name "Johnson" insert the words "of Pembina".
- Page 244 After the first line insert the following "was read the first and second time and referred to".
At the bottom of the page insert "Senate Bill No. 49 was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs".
- Page 244 Line 3 after the name "Johnson" insert the words "of Pembina".
Line 11 after the name "Johnson" insert the words "of Pembina".
- Page 247 Line 14 correct the spelling of the word "there-to".
- Page 259 Strike out all of line 51 (and when so amended recommend that the same do pass).
- Page 271 Line 32 strike out all of this line (Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair).
- Page 272 After line 6 insert the following "Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair".
- Page 273 Line 8 and 9 strike out the name "Bratsberg" and insert in lieu thereof the name "Brown".
- Page 278 Line 24 strike out all of line.
- Page 283 Strike out 4th. line from bottom of page and insert after the word "which" in the last line the following "motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 287 After line 6 insert the following "Mr. McGauvran requested that the House do now revert to the 7th. order of business. Which request was granted".

- Page 290 After line 27 before the word "Burleigh" insert the name "Anderson".
- Page 295 Strike out last two lines at bottom of page.
- Page 296 In the second line from the bottom of the page after the name "Johnson" insert "of Pembina".
- Page 296 Strike out lines 1, 2, 3 and 4.
After line 20 insert the following "and recommend that the word "manufactory" in line 6 of section 1 be changed to "manufacturer" and when the committee arises it recommend the bill for passage as originally printed with above amendment,
John K. Olafson, Chairman".
- Page 321 Preceding line 1 insert the following "31st. Day".
- Page 321 In line 16 strike out the figures "36" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "66."
- Page 325 Line 26 strike out the figure "5" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "14".
Strike out all of lines 28 and 29.
- Page 326 4th. line from the bottom of page in the word "mads" strike out the letter "s" and insert the letter "e".
- Page 330 Line 14 change the number "172" to "174".
- Page 331 Preceding the 11th. line from the bottom of the page insert "so the bill passed and the title was agreed to".
- Page 333 After line 36 insert "Third reading of Senate bills".
- Page 348 Following line 19 insert the following "so the motion was lost".
- Page 350 Line 15 after the word "Tax" strike out the word "Title" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Laws".
- Page 352 Oberg recorded as voting "nay" instead of "aye".
- Page 356 After "Senate Bill No. 115" insert "was read the first and second time and referred to Committee on State Affairs".
- Page 358 After line 6 insert the following "So the bill passed and the title was agreed to".
- Page 361 Line 27 after the word "Section" change figure "2" to "3".
- Page 362 Line 3 following the name "Currie" insert the name "Norden".
- Page 367 After line 27 insert the following "Mr. Miller moved that the report be adopted".
- Page 370 Line 34 preceding the word "the" insert the words "majority of".
- Page 372 Line 35 strike out the word "concel" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Cancel".
- Page 374 Preceding "House Bill No. 186" in line 28 after the name "Johnson" insert "of Pembina".
- Page 376 Following the name "Mr. Twichell" insert the word "moved".
- Page 379 Line 13 strike out the word "Judiciary" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Cities and Municipal Corporations".
After line 16 insert the following "was read first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary".

- Page 384 Line 36 add "ment" to the word "amend".
- Page 392 In line 43 after the word "Adopted" insert the following "the motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 396 In line 28 change the word "Senate" to "House".
- Page 397 In line 8 after the name "Anderson" insert "of Burleigh".
- Page 400 Preceding "House Bill No. 95" insert "Mr. Watt moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 95 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on Third reading and final passage". Which motion prevailed".
- Page 401 In line 13 preceding the last word insert "re".
- Page 401 In line 16 preceding the word "engrossed" insert the following "re".
- Page 403 After line 31 insert the following "Mr. Trubshaw moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 43 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on its Third reading and final passage". Which motion prevailed".
- Page 404 Preceding the 6th. line from the bottom of the page insert "Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 55 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on its Third reading and final passage," which motion prevailed".
- Page 405 At bottom of page insert "Mr. Ellingson moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 42 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on its Third reading and final passage, which motion prevailed".
- Page 405 After line 38 insert the following "Message from the Senate. Senate Chambers, Bismarck, N. D., Feb. 5, 1923".
- Page 411 After line 36 insert the following "House Bill No. 53".
- Page 419 After line 30 insert the following "Was read first and second time and referred to Committee on Appropriations. Committee on Appropriations introduced".
- Page 433 Line 25 strike out the word "House" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Senate".
- Page 433 Line 32 strike out the word "January" and insert in lieu thereof the word "February".
- Page 436 Line 13 correct the spelling of the second word in the line "would".
- Page 448 Strike out all of lines 23 and 24.
- Page 453 Strike out all of lines 35, 36, 37.
- Page 455 After line 26 insert the words "Referred to State Affairs".
After line 48 insert the words "Referred to Drainage and Irrigation Committee".
- Page 460 After line insert the following "Referred to Banks and Banking".
- Page 466 Following this page correct the page number in upper right hand corner to read "467" instead of "167".
- Page 473 After line 13 insert the following "Third reading of Senate Bills".
- Page 490 Strike out lines 45 to 55, (inclusive) (11 lines).

- Page 495 Line 45 after the word "and" insert the figures "43".
- Page 519 After the word "closed" in line 45 insert the following "In line 5 of the original bill capitalize the words, POLLS OPEN. WHEN. CANVASS".
- Page 531 After the word "properly" in line 48 and preceding the word "engrossed" in line 49 insert the following "re".
- Page 535 Line 9 change the figure "96" to "97".
- Page 540 After line 10 insert the name "Bryans".
- Page 542 After line 24 insert the name "Swett".
Line 31 strike out the name "Swett".
- Page 545 Line 11 after the figure "305" insert the word "and". After the figure "306" strike out the word and figure "and 307".
- Page 548 After line 31 insert the following "Mr. Ehr moved that all absentees be excused. Which motion prevailed".
- Page 548 In line 17 change the word "Senate" to "House".
- Page 563 Line 13 after the name "Anderson" insert the words "of Burleigh".
Line 34 in the name "Christenson" strike out the letter "e" and substitute the letters "ia".
- Page 568 Line 51 preceding the word "Engrossed" insert "re".
- Page 573 Strike out all of lines 39, 41, 42, and 43.
- Page 573 In line 40 change "Senate Bill No. 228" to read "Senate Bill No. 224".
- Page 574 Strike out all of lines 16 and 17 and insert in lieu thereof "was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations".
- Page 579 Line 26 strike out the figure "95" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "92".
- Page 583 Line 16 change the word "of" to "or".
- Page 584 In 10th. line from bottom of page change the word "president" to "Speaker".
- Page 593 Line 19 after the word "adopted" strike out the rest of the line and all of line 20.
- Page 593 Line 39 after the word "adopted" strike out all of the balance of the line and all of line 40.
- Page 596 In third line from bottom of page after the word "line" insert "3 of Section 2".
- Page 600 In line 6 change the figures 267 to 287.
- Page 602 In last line at bottom of page strike out the words "such certified dental hygienists" and in lieu thereof insert the words "of licensed dentist or dentists".
- Page 609 Line 7 preceding the word "the" insert the following "A majority of".
- Page 616 In line 24 change House Bill No. 161 to Senate Bill No. 161.
- Page 619 Line 12 and 13 strike out the name "Anderson of Sargent".
Preceding line 42 insert the name "Anderson of Sargent".
- Page 620 Line 27 strike out the word "resudem" and insert in lieu thereof the word "resume".

- Page 625 Second line from bottom of page change the figure "64" to "63".
On last line of page change the figure "39" to "40".
- Page 626 Line 53 following the word "properly" strike out the words "enrolled and" and preceding the word "engross" insert "re".
- Page 641 Line 18 strike out "1919" and insert in lieu thereof "1917".
- Page 650 Third line from bottom of page strike out the figure "81" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "82".
- Page 653 Tenth line from bottom of page strike out the initial "L" and insert the initial "I".
- Page 654 Line 5 in the title of the bill following the word "Section" change the number "2324" to "3234".
- Page 663 In line 17 change "H. B." to "S. B.".
- Page 665 In line 8 from the bottom of the page strike out "President" and insert "Speaker".
- Page 665 In line 22 strike out the initial "J" and insert in lieu thereof the initial "I".
- Page 673 In line 7 from the bottom of the page preceding the word "engross" insert "re".
- Page 675 Line 9 change the figure "252" to read "352".
- Page 676 After line 20 insert the following "Referred to the Ways and Means Committee."
- Page 677 Strike out all of lines 25 and 26.
Line 34 after the word "properly" insert "re".
- Page 679 Line 13 after the word "properly" insert "re".
- Page 680 In line 19 after the word "lost" insert "as amended by the Senate".
- Page 681 Line 16 after the word "properly" insert "re".
- Page 684 In lines 33 correct the figures "\$85,000.00" to read "\$85,500.00".
- Page 686 In line 37 after the word "line" change the figure "23" to read "28".
- Page 687 Line 25 add "Absent and not voting 1".
- Page 688 After line 25 insert "Nays 53, Ayes 58, Absent and not voting 2".
- Page 691 Beginning with line 35 strike out the remainder of page.
- Page 692 Strike out lines 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7.
- Page 704 Line 39 correct the spelling of the word "indefinitely".
- Page 705 In line 5 preceding the roll call strike out the word "also" and insert in lieu thereof "was read the third time".
- Page 711 After the 4th. line insert "was read the third time".
- Page 715 In line 26 preceding the word "engross" insert "re".
- Page 722 Preceding 3rd. line from bottom of page insert "Section 11".
- Page 723 After line 14 insert "And when so amended recommend the same do pass. P. R. Trubshaw, Chairman. Mr. Trubshaw moved the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 724 Line 3 after the initial "A" change the initial "J" to "I".

- Page 727 After the word "line" in line 33 strike out the letter "W" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "1".
- Page 729 Line 38 following the word "figures" change "300.00" to "3000.00".
After the figure "3000.00" insert the following "In line 7 strike out the figures "600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "500.00".
In line 8 strike out the figures "400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "300.00".
Following line 42 insert the following "In line 15 strike out the figures 11,400.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures 9,100.00.
- Page 734 Lines 44 and 45 strike out the following "The House re-assembled at 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken" and insert in lieu thereof the following "The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment".
- Page 736 In third line strike out the word "President" and insert "Speaker".
- Page 738 After line 15 insert the following "Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 739 Line 18 after the word "words" strike out the balance of the line up to and including the word "words" in line 19.
- Page 743 In line 11 strike out "204" and insert in lieu "282".
After line 13 insert the following "Mr. Jackson moved the report of the majority be adopted. Which motion prevailed".
- Page 746 At top of page preceding first line insert the following "The majority of the Committee on elec".
In line 39 strike out the word "Tuesday" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Wednesday".
- Page 748 Preceding line 9 from the bottom of the page insert the following "Mr. Jackson now moved that the report of the majority be adopted. Which motion prevailed".
- Page 749 Line 15 after the word "be" strike out the word "innued" and insert in lieu thereof the word "issued".
Following line 38 insert "And when so amended recommend the same do pass".
- Page 750 After line 10 insert the following "Mr. Carr moved the adoption of the majority report. Which motion prevailed".
- Page 756 After line 36 insert the following "Mr. Watt moved the adoption of the report, which motion prevailed".
- Page 758 After line 16 insert the following "And when so amended recommend the same do pass".
- Page 759 After line 31 insert the following "And when so amended recommend the same do pass".
Strike out all of lines 40, 41 and 42 and insert the following "Senate Bill No. 259".
- Page 759 In line 6 change "House" to "Senate".
- Page 760 Strike out all of lines "21, 22, 23, and 24 and insert "Senate Bill No. 241".

- Page 762 Following line 11 insert the following "Mr. Larkin moved the adoption of the minority report. Which motion prevailed".
At bottom of page insert "Mr. Twichell moved the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 766 Line 11 after the word "eleven" insert the word "of".
- Page 768 Preceding 8th. line from bottom of page insert "The question now being on Mr. Twichells' motion the motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 768 Strike out last four lines on page and insert the following "Senate Bill No. 224".
- Page 773 Bottom of page insert "Mr. Watt moved the adoption of the report, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 774 After line 22 insert the following "Mr. Watt moved the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 774 At the bottom of the page insert "Mr. Watt moved the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 778 Line 2 correct the figures "2,790,710.00" to read "290,710.00".
After line 5 insert "Mr. Watt moved the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 781 After line 26 insert "Was read first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary".
- Page 787 Correct the initial "T" to read "L".
- Page 789 Line 20 strike out all of line and insert "so the bill lost".
Line 22 strike out the word "passed" and insert in lieu thereof the word "lost".
- Page 800 Line 41 change the word "passed" to "lost".
- Page 806 Line 6 last word in line correct word "bonded".
After line 16 insert "and when so amended recommend same do be indefinitely postponed".
- Page 807 Line 44 correct the word "section".
- Page 808 Strike out in third line from the bottom of the page the word "election" and insert in lieu thereof "10 and insert 5".
- Page 809 Line 8 and 9 correct the word "violative".
After line 10 insert "part so declared unconstitutional and any operative part".
Strike out all of line 11.
Line 30 after the word "and" change the figures "23" to "22".
- Page 816 In line 5 strike out the word "re-assembled" and insert in lieu thereof the word "convened".
Strike out "10 o'clock a.m." and insert "2 o'clock P. M.".
- Page 821 9th. line from bottom of page strike out all of the line and insert "Senate Bill No. 207, A Joint Resolution".
- Page 822 Line 17 after the word "as" strike out balance of line and up to and including the second "and" in line eighteen.

- Page 824 After line 21 insert "Mr. Plath moved the report be adopted, which motion prevailed".
Strike out all of lines 30, 31, and 32.
- Page 825 Line 17 change the name "John G. Plath" to "J. K. Olafson".
Line 19 change the name "Mr. Brown" to "Mr. Olafson".
- Page 828 After line 12 insert "which motion prevailed".
- Page 831 Preceding 9th. line from bottom of page insert "Third reading of House Bills".
Line 36 strike out the word "sixth" and insert the word "fifth".
- Page 832 Strike out lines 40 to 55. (Both inclusive.)
- Page 832 In 5th. line from the bottom of the page strike out the word "President" and insert "Speaker".
- Page 838 Strike out all of lines 5, 6, and 7 from the bottom of the page.
- Page 840 Preceding the 2nd line from the bottom of the page insert "which motion prevailed".
- Page 841 Insert after last line of page "and the Speaker declared the call of the House dissolved".
- Page 842 Strike out line 48.
- Page 844 Strike out lines 8, 9, and 10.
- Page 851 Strike out the 4th. line from the bottom of the page and after last line insert "which motion prevailed".
- Page 875 9th. line from the bottom of the page strike out "President" and insert in lieu thereof "Speaker".
- Page 876 Line 5 strike out the word "President" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Speaker".
2nd. line from the bottom of the page change the word "Senate" to "House".
- Page 886 Strike out in line 5 the word "re-assembled" and insert "convened".
- Page 891 Strike out lines 29, 30 and 31.
After line 8 of the page insert "Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows".
After line 38 insert "yet deeded, the liens of all taxes shall be inferior to and subject to the rights of the State".
- Page 901 6th. line from bottom of page strike out the word "report" and insert "amendments".
- Page 901 Line 23 preceding the word "engrossed" insert "re".
- Page 905 4th. line from bottom of page strike out the word "President" and insert "Speaker".
- Page 906 Line 15 strike out "President" and insert "Speaker".
2nd. line from bottom of page strike out "President" and insert "Speaker".
- Page 907 Line 16 strike out "President" and insert "Speaker".
- Page 927 Preceding line 12 from bottom of page insert "Senate Bill No. 272".
- Page 929 Line 4 before the word "engross" insert "re".
- Page 932 Preceding 5th. line from bottom of page insert "which motion prevailed".

- Page 953 2nd. line from bottom of page following the word "House" strike out the words "re-assembled at 10 o'clock" and insert in lieu thereof the words "convened at 2 o'clock P. M."
- Page 954 Line 3 after the word "Burleigh" insert the name "Bratsberg".
- Page 955 Line 3 strike out "President" and insert "Speaker".
- Page 961 After line 13 insert "Mr. Speaker, your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following Bills. House Bill No. 8 and find the same correctly enrolled. L. E. Cole, Chairman. Mr. Cole moved the adoption of the report and the report was adopted".
- Page 966 Line 7 from the bottom of the page after the word "carried" insert "by the Speaker".
- Page 980 Line 11 following the word "whereas" correct the spelling of the word "it".
2nd. line from bottom of page strike out "re-assembled" and insert "convened".
- Page 989 Strike out lines 34 and 35.
In line 36 strike out the figure "35" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "135".
- Page 994 Following line 19 insert "Mr. Swett moved the minority report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted".
- Page 998 After line 23 insert "Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair".
- Page 1002 Following line 34 insert "Mr. Olafson moved the clincher motion, which motion prevailed".
- Page 1004 Preceding 4th. line from bottom of page insert "The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried".
- Page 1005 Line 5 strike out the word "re-assembled" and insert in lieu thereof the word "convened".
- Page 1008 Strike out all of lines 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20.
- Page 1024 Strike out last two lines at bottom of page.
- Page 1029 After line 23 insert the following "and when so corrected recommend the same be approved".
- Page 1034 After line 36 insert "was read a third time".
- Page 1031 Strike out all reference to Senate Bills 231 and 281.
- Page 1044 Line 36 change the word "prevailed" to "lost".
- Page 1047 Preceding 6th. line from bottom of page insert "the emergency clause was declared lost".
Preceding 2nd. line from bottom of page insert "which motion prevailed".
- Page 1063 After line 6 insert "strike out all of lines 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, 27, 29, 30, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 42, 43".
- Page 1076 Line 10 strike out "re-assembled" and insert "convened".
- Page 1080 Line 30 preceding the word "Chairman" insert the word "acting".
- Page 1081 Line 30 strike out the word "wrich" and insert "which".
- Page 1083. Strike out all of lines 6 and 7.
- Page 1088 After line 35 insert the following "The Speaker appointed as a conference committee on Senate Bill No. 166, Messrs. Trubshaw, Sathre and Harrington".

- Page 1103 14th. line from bottom of page strike out the figure "77" and insert "177".
- Page 1106 Strike out lines 14 and 15.
- Page 1109 In line 12 strike out the words "Concurrent Resolution".
- Page 1123 12th. line from bottom of page strike out "House" and insert "Senate".
- Page 1155 Line 25 and 26 correct the spelling of the word "Judiciary".
8th. line from bottom of page following the first word change the figure "4" to "3".
- Page 1156 Line 19 strike out the word "line" and insert the word "Section".
- Page 1165 Preceding 6th. line from bottom of page insert "A majority of".
- Page 1170 After the word "figures" in next to the last line at bottom of page insert "\$18,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures".
- Page 1184 Line 5 following the line "up" insert "on".
- Page 1192 Lines 29 to 46 (inclusive) should be placed after the roll call on page 1193.
- Page 1192 In line 5 from the bottom of the page strike out the word "House" and insert "Senate".
- Page 1199 In line 25 before the word "engross" insert the word "re".
- Page 1223 Strike out lines 13, 14, 15.
- Page 1223 Strike out lines 32 to 38 (inclusive).
- Page 1227 After line 1 insert "56th. day after recess and".
- Page 1239 Strike out line 3.
- Page 1239 Strike out in second line "which motion prevailed".
- Page 1244 In line 1 change the figures "136" to "138".
- Page 1250 After line 5 insert "Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed".
- Page 1252 In line 14 strike out the word "comma" and insert in lieu thereof " , ".
- Page 1253 Strike out lines 8 to 29 (inclusive).
- Page 1263 In line 24 change "Senate" to "House".
- Page 1280 In line 9 strike out "passed unamended" and insert in lieu thereof "indefinitely postponed".
- Page 1292 In line 5 change "Senate" to "House".
- Page 1293 In 6th. line from the bottom of the page change the word "House" to "Senate".
- Page 1307 In line 44 change "Senate" to "House".
In roll call line 27 change "Dougherty" to "Durkee".
- Page 1308 In line 15 change "Senate" to "House".
- Page 1309 In line 5 from bottom of page change "Senate" to "House".
- Page 1310 In lines 2, 7, 17, 21, 26, 33, 38, 42, and 47 change "Senate" to "House".
- Page 1319 In line 14 change "Senate" to "House".
- Page 1320 Strike out two last lines from bottom of page.
- Page 1322 Correct spelling of "resolve" in line 3.
Correct spelling of "Sathre" in line 7.
- Page 1324 In line 5 change the word "Agriculture" to "Immigration".
- Page 1343 In line 30 strike out the word "Senate" and insert "House".
- Page 1345 In line 9 change "Senate" to "House".
In line 11 strike out "as ac" and insert in lieu thereof "act as".

- Page 1364 Correct spelling of "committee" in line 46.
- Page 1365 Correct spelling of the word "line" in line 4.
Correct spelling of the word "page" in line 9.
- Page 1367 At bottom of page add "And when so amended recommend the same do pass".
- Page 1373 Strike out line 28.
- Page 1376 Insert after line 5 "March 1st. 1923".
- Page 1376 Strike out lines 9 to 30 (inclusive).
- Page 1381 In line 4 change "Mr" to "Mrs", before "Craig".
- Page 1382 After line 8 insert "Which motion prevailed".
After line 24 insert "and filed with the Secretary of State".
- Page 1385 In line 37 change "73" to "63".
- Page 1389 At the bottom of the page insert "so the bill passed and the title was agreed to".
- Page 1401 In line 7 change "Senate" to "House".
- Page 1403 Preceding 4th. line from bottom of page insert "Mr. Starke moved that the report of the conference committee be adopted, which motion prevailed".
- Page 1404 In 4th. line from bottom of page change "House" to "Senate".
- Page 1415 After line 17 insert "which motion prevailed".
- Page 1420 In line 49 change the figures "18" to the figures "185".
- Page 1422 In line 8 add "Chairman" after the name "Twichell".
- Page 1459 In line 24 strike out "Senate" and insert "House".
- Page 1470 In line 7 from the bottom of the page strike out "House" and insert "Senate".
- Page 1482 Strike out last five lines and insert in lieu thereof "Senate Bill No. 311".
- Page 1498 Preceding the 7th. line from the bottom of the page insert "For the Senate For the House
P. O. Thorstad J. A. Jardine
A. G. Storstad John Ehr
Ole Ettestad B. O. Larkin
- Page 1499 Strike out the two last lines at the bottom of the page.
- Page 1509 In line 12 change "Senate" to "House".
H. L. Holdren
J. P. Tucker

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OF THE

HOUSE OF NORTH DAKOTA

FOR THE

Eighteenth Legislative Assembly

1923

OFFICERS

Speaker	Roy Johnson
Chief Clerk	W. F. Cushing
First Assistant Chief Clerk	Logan Powell
Second Assistant Chief Clerk	Mose Rosenswig
Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk	J. P. Tucker
Assisting Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk	C. E. Movius
Sergeant-at-Arms	W. L. Plath
Bill Clerk	W. L. Holdren
Bill Room Clerk and Custodian	Jacob Mock
Clerk and Mailing Clerk	L. M. Hamery
Clerk and Assistant Mailing Clerk	N. T. Hadalen
Messenger and Post Master	T. H. Walde
Clerk of Appropriation Committee	C. R. Verry
Clerk of Judiciary Committee	W. H. Burnett
Doorkeeper and Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	J. B. Shaver
Bill Messenger and Clerk	Joe Fettig
Stenographer in Charge	Lenore Joos
Stenographer	Florence Wallace
Stenographer	Martha Burkey
Stenographer	Dorothy Register
Stenographer	Jeanette Shipley
Stenographer	Hazel Dawson
Desk Reporter	John Gammons
Page and Messenger	Earl Lebo
Page and Messenger	Russell Byerly
Page and Messenger	Clarence Register
Page and Messenger	Truman Root
Telephone Messenger	Emmet Griffin
Proof Reader	Hugh Black
Janitor	Peter Schantz
Doorkeeper	Jonas Hall
Clerk of State Affairs	Andrew Johnson
Chaplain	Thomas Homer
Chaplain	Rev. S. F. Halfyard
Chaplain	Rev. E. F. Alfson

MEMBERS

Dist.	County	Name	Address
1.	Pembina	John Halcrow.....	Bowesmont
		John K. Olafson.....	Gardar
		Paul Johnson.....	Mountain
2.	Pt. of Ward	J. H. Burkhart.....	Berthold
3.	Pt. of Walsh	George H. Hoople.....	Hoople
		Aaron Levin.....	Park River
4.	Pt. of Walsh	Frank D. Slominski.....	Warsaw
5.	Pt. of Grand Forks	P. G. Hanson.....	Northwood
6.	Pt. of Grand Forks	John T. Freeman.....	Grand Forks
7.	Pt. of Grand Forks	E. E. Veitch.....	Emerado
8.	Traill	E. O. Ellingson.....	Hillsboro
		Carl E. Johnson.....	Hatton
		C. A. Ulland.....	Mayville
		L. L. Twitchell.....	Fargo
9.	Pt. of Cass	J. A. Jardine.....	Fargo
		Robert J. Boyd.....	Fargo
		Roy Johnson.....	Casselton
10.	Pt. of Cass	John G. Plath.....	Davenport
11.	Pt. of Cass	William Watt.....	Leonard
		R. M. Sproul.....	Buffalo
		Thorwald Rustad.....	Dwight
12.	Pt. of Richland	H. B. Durkee.....	Wahpeton
13.	Sargent	L. E. Cole.....	Cogswell
		O. C. Anderson.....	Rutland
14.	Ransom	George Olson.....	Sheldon
		Lewis J. Haugland.....	DeLamere
15.	Pt. of Barnes	P. R. Trubshaw.....	Valley City
16.	Steele & Griggs	P. O. Sathre.....	Finley
		E. E. Iverson.....	Binford
		Andrew E. Erickson.....	Finley
17.	Nelson	Lars O. Fredrickson.....	Pekin
		John O. Johnson.....	Pekin
18.	Cavalier	A. N. Flom.....	Nekoma
		Hugh McDowell.....	Langdon
		Joseph McGauvren.....	Osnabrock
19.	Rolette	James McManus.....	St. John
		J. T. Tweten.....	Rolette
20.	Benson	Minnie D. Craig.....	Esmond
		C. H. Goranson.....	Oberon
21.	Ramsey	Edwin Traynor.....	Starkweather
		C. A. Sagen.....	Edmore
		A. B. Jackson, Jr.....	Devils Lake
22.	Towner	A. C. Currie.....	Perth
		M. C. Olson.....	Sarles
23.	Stutsman	John W. Carr.....	Jamestown
		Frank Norden.....	Woodworth
		A. J. Ouade.....	Pingree
		A. L. Orange.....	Spiritwood
24.	LaMoure	L. H. Steen.....	Kulm
		J. C. Arduser.....	Marion
25.	Dickey	J. D. Root.....	Guelph
		B. S. Hodges.....	Ellendale
		Roy Yeater.....	Hazelton
26.	Emmons & Kidder	P. M. Weisbeck.....	Hague
		O. F. Erickson.....	Tannen
		Herbert F. Swett.....	Tuttle
		Victor L. Anderson.....	Wilton
27.	Burleigh	L. E. Heaton.....	McKenzie
		P. G. Harrington.....	Bismarck

MEMBERS

28.	Bottineau	J. C. Miller.....	Souris
		Charles F. Streich.....	Maxbass
		Fred J. Shurr.....	Lansford
		Fred E. Sims.....	Willow City
29.	Pt. of Ward	J. H. Burns.....	Surrey
		Einar Muus.....	Minot
		Nellie Dougherty.....	Minot
		John Ehr.....	Minot
30.	Morton	Jacob Bollinger.....	Flasher
		J. F. Elmer.....	Hebron
		E. R. Helbling.....	St. Anthony
31.	Stark	Pius Kopp.....	Richardton
		Herman Rabe.....	Dickinson
		C. H. Starke.....	Dickinson
32.	Eddy & Foster	B. C. Larkin.....	Brantford
		John Burk.....	Grace City
33.	Wells	Roy B. Weld.....	Chaseley
		J. L. Hart.....	Chaseley
34.	Pt. of McHenry	F. E. Lazier.....	Barton
35.	Sheridan	J. W. Hempel.....	Denhoff
36.	McIntosh & Logan	Christ Geiszler.....	Gackle
		M. W. Kelly.....	Napoleon
		Michael Henne.....	Zealand
37.	Pt. of Richland	M. H. Lynch.....	Lidgerwood
		T. W. Radcliffe.....	Leonard
38.	Pt. of Barnes	Wm. R. Jones.....	Marion
39.	Billings, Bowman, Golden Valley & Slope	Frank J. Hardy.....	Marmarth
		John Quam.....	Rhame
		O. C. Martin.....	De Sart
40.	Burke & Divide	E. B. Kellogg.....	Alkabo
		O. F. Anderson.....	Ambrose
		Elmer W. Cart.....	Kenmare
41.	Williams & McKenzie	John O. Sethre.....	McGregor
		Fred Eckert.....	Williston
		Ben Fedge.....	Williston
		P. F. Doyle.....	Charlson
		George Lakie.....	Williston
42.	Pierce	L. A. Larson.....	Rugby
		D. I. Peters.....	Wolford
43.	Renville	G. Patterson.....	Donnybrook
44.	Mountrail	Walter Maddock.....	Plaza
		Soren Frandson.....	Ross
45.	Pt. of McHenry	E. E. Bryans.....	Voltaire
46.	McLean	A. J. Loudenbeck.....	Emmett
		Oscar S. Oberg.....	Washburn
		F. A. Vogel.....	Coleharbor
47.	Grant	Claude Lackey.....	Leith
		L. L. Brown.....	Shields
48.	Mercer, Oliver & Dunn	R. H. Walker.....	Yucca
		George W. Morton.....	Manning
		J. F. Link.....	Golden Valley
49.	Adams, Hettinger, & Sioux	H. O. Bratsberg.....	Reeder
		J. H. McCay.....	Selfridge
		O. H. Opland.....	Mott

Journal of the House



Eighteenth Legislative Assembly.

FIRST DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 2nd, 1923.

At the hour of twelve o'clock meridian, the second day of January, 1923, being the day and hour designated by law for the convening of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, the members-elect of the House of Representatives of the eighteenth session of the Legislative Assembly assembled in the House chamber at the capitol at Bismarck, North Dakota, and were called to order by C. L. Dawson, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota.

The session was opened with prayer by Rev. Strutz.

The roll being called, the following members as certified by the Secretary of State, responded to their names as shown by the following certificate of the said Secretary of State, with the exception of Andrew E. Erickson, of Steele & Griggs, James McManus of Rolette, M. W. Kelly of McIntosh and Logan, Frank J. Hardy of Billings, Bowman, Golden Valley and Slope, E. B. Kellogg of Burke and Divide, G. Patterson of Renville, J. F. Link of Mercer, Dunn and Oliver.

Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 2nd, 1923.

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives,
Eighteenth Legislative Assembly,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

Dear Sir:

I hereby certify that the following is, according to the records of my office, a true and correct list of the names and addresses of those duly qualified as members of the House of Representatives of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Dist.	County	Name	Address
1.	Pembina	John Halcrow.....	Bowesmont
		John K. Olafson.....	Gardar
		Paul Johnson.....	Mountain
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		George H. Hoople.....	Hoople
3.	Pt. of Walsh	Aaron Levin.....	Park River
		Frank D. Slominski.....	Warsaw
4.	Pt. of Walsh	P. G. Hanson.....	Northwood
5.	Pt. of Grand Forks	John T. Freeman.....	Grand Forks
6.	Pt. of Grand Forks	E. E. Veitch.....	Emerado
7.	Traill	E. O. Ellignson.....	Hillsboro
		Carl E. Johnson.....	Hatton
		C. A. Ulland.....	Mayville
		L. L. Twitchell.....	Fargo
		J. A. Jardine.....	Fargo
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		Minnie D. Craig.....	Esmond
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		John W. Carr.....	Jamestown
		Frank Norden.....	Woodworth
24.	LaMoure	A. I. Quade.....	Pingree
		A. L. Orange.....	Spiritwood
		L. H. Steen.....	Kulm
25.	Dickey	J. C. Arduser.....	Marion
		J. D. Root.....	Guelph
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		Roy Yeater.....	Hazleton
		P. M. Weisbeck.....	Hague
		O. E. Erickson.....	Tappen
		Herbert F. Swett.....	Tuttle
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		P. G. Harrington.....	Bismarck

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	John Ehr.....	Minot
30. Morton	Jacob Bollinger.....	Flasher
	J. F. Elmer.....	Hebron
	E. R. Helbling.....	St. Anthony
31. Stark	Pius Kopp.....	Richardton
	Herman Rabe.....	Dickinson
	C. H. Starke.....	Dickinson
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	John Burk.....	Grace City
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	J. L. Hart.....	Chaseley
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	John Ouam.....	Rhame
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	Elmer W. Cart.....	Kenmare
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	Fred Eckert.....	Williston
	Ben Fedge.....	Williston
	P. F. Doyle.....	Charlson
	George Lakie.....	Williston
42. Pierce	L. A. Larson.....	Rugby
	D. I. Peters.....	Wolford
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	Soren Frandson.....	Ross
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46. McLean	A. J. Loudenbeck.....	Emmett
	Oscar S. Oberg.....	Washburn
	F. A. Vogel.....	Coleharbor
47. Grant	Claude Lackey.....	Leith
	L. L. Brown.....	Shields
48. Mercer, Oliver & Dunn	R. H. Walker.....	Yucca
	George W. Morton.....	Manning
	J. F. Link.....	Golden Valley
49. Adams, Hettinger, & Sioux	H. O. Bratsberg.....	Reeder
	J. H. McCay.....	Selfridge
	O. H. Opland.....	Mott

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Dakota, this 2nd day of January, 1923.

(SEAL)

THOMAS HALL,
Secretary of State.

Mr. Twichell moved that the Chief Clerk appoint a committee of three to escort the Chief Justice to the Chair which motion prevailed.

The Chief Clerk appointed as such committee Mr. Maddock, Mr. Freeman and Mr. Twichell.

The oath of office was administered to the members by the Hon. H. A. Bronson, chief justice of the supreme court, who subscribed the same in his presence.

The House then proceeded to organization.

Mr. Maddock of Mountrail nominated Mr. J. C. Miller of Bottineau for speaker.

The following members seconded the nomination of Mr. Miller: Mr. Sims, Mr. Lakie, Mr. Burkhardt, Mr. Larkin and Mr. Hempel.

Mr. Watt of Cass nominated Mr. Roy Johnson of Cass for speaker.

The following persons seconded the nomination of Mr. Johnson.

Mr. Freeman, Mr. Trubshaw, Mr. McGauvran, Mr. Johnson of Pembina, Mr. Larson of Pierce, Mr. Anderson of Burleigh, Mr. Root, Mr. Quade, Mr. Burns and Mr. Rustad.

Mr. Sagen moved the nominations be closed, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House proceed to the election of a speaker by roll call, which motion prevailed.

The roll being called resulted in 57 votes for Mr. Johnson, 46 for Mr. Miller, eight absent and not voting.

Johnson and Miller not voting.

Those voting for Mr. Johnson were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Flom	Johnson, Trail.	Rabe
Burleigh	Freeman	Kopp	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lackey	Root
Boyd	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Halcrow	Lynch	Sagen
Burk	Hanson	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Hart	Muus	Starke
Cole	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Henne	O'afson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	

Those voting for Mr. Miller were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Sathre, Steele	Levin	Streich
Bryans	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Anderson,	Frandsen	Maddock	Sweet
Sargent	Frederickson	Martin	Tweten
Bratsberg	Haugland	McCay	Vogel
Burkhart	Helbling	Morton	Walker
Cart	Hempel	Oberg	Weisbeck
Craig	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Doyle	Iverson	Opland	Yeater
Eckert	Jones	Quam	
Elmer	Lakie	Sethre, Williams	
Erickson,	Larkin	Sims	
26th Dist.	Lazier	Steen	

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Hardy	Link
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Kellogg	McManus
		Kelly	Patterson

Mr. Miller moved that the election of Mr. Johnson be made unanimous, which motion prevailed and Mr. Johnson of Cass was declared elected speaker.

The Chief Clerk appointed Representatives Dougherty and Craig to escort the speaker-elect to the chair.

The oath of office was administered to the speaker-elect by the chief justice, Hon. H. A. Bronson.

The House then proceeded to the election of a chief clerk.

Mr. Jackson of Ramsey nominated Mr. W. F. Cushing of Beach for chief clerk. Mr. Twichell of Cass seconded the nomination. There being no further nominations, the roll was called, and those in favor of Mr. Cushing voted aye, and opposed nay.

There were 62 ayes, 44 nays, 7 absent and not voting.

Those voting aye were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Gelszler	Kopp	Root
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Hardy	McDowell	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Burns	Hart	Muus	Starke
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Dougherty	Iverson	Orange	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Peters	vetch
Ehr	Jardine	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	Weld
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
Freeman	Johnson, Trail	Radeliffe	

Those voting nay were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Lakie	Opland
Sargent	Erickson,	Larkin	Quam
Arduser	26th Dist.	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Fedge	Levin	Sims

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Fredrickson	Maddock	Streich
Burkhart	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Doyte	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Eckert	Jones	Oberg	Walker
		Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
			Yeater

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Kellogg	Link
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Kelly	McManus
			Patterson

Mr. Cushing was declared elected.

The oath of office was administered to Mr. Cushing by the speaker.

W. L. Durkee nominated W. L. Plath of Cass county for sergeant-at-arms, which nomination was seconded and carried by a vote of 76 ayes, 17 nays, 16 absent and not voting.

Those voting for Mr. Plath being:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Root
Burleigh	Freeman	Lazler	Rustad
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin	Sagen
Boyd	Goranson	McDowell	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McGauvran	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	Miller	Sproul
Bryans	Harrington	Morton	Starke
Burk	Hart	Muus	Steen
Burkhart	Heaton	Norden	Shurr
Carr	Hempel	Oberg	Swett
Cole	Jackson	Olafson	Traynor
Currie	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Trubshaw
Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Tweten
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Twichell
Durkee	Johnson, Trail.	Peters	Ulland
Eckert	Kopp	Plath	Veitch
Ehr	Lackey	Quade	Watt
Ellingson	Lakie	Quam	Weld
	Larkin	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
		Radcliffe	

Those voting against Mr. Plath being:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck
Sargent	Erickson,	Haugland	Maddock
Arduser	26th Dist.	Helbling	Martin
Cart	Fedge	Hoople	Olson, Ransom
Craig	Frandsen	Jones	Vogel
			Weisbeck

Those absent and not voting being:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Henne	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Hodges	McManus	Streich
Burns	Iverson	McCay	Walker
Erickson,	Kellogg	Patterson	Yeater
16th Dist.	Kelly	Sathre, Steele	
Hardy	Link		

Mr. Heaton of Burleigh nominated John Gammons of Fargo for desk reporter and moved that his compensation

be placed at eight dollars per day.

The roll being called disclosed that Mr. Gammons was elected by the following vote: ayes 55; nays 46; absent and not voting 12.

Those voting aye were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Flom	Kopp	Rabe
Bollinger	Freeman	Lackey	Radcliffe
Boyd	Geiszler	Larson	Root
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Rustad
Burk	Halcrow	McDowell	Sagen
Burns	Hanson	McGauvran	Slominski
Carr	Harrington	Norden	Sproul
Cole	Heaton	Muus	Starke
Currie	Henne	Olafson	Traynor
Durkee	Jackson	O'son, Townner	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jardine	Orange	Twichell
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Veitch
	Johnson, Trail.	Quade	Watt
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting nay were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Franson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	Maddock	Steen
Bratsberg	Haugland	Martin	Streich
Bryans	He'bling	McCay	Shurr
Burkhart	Hempel	Miller	Swett
Cart	Hodges	Morton	Vogel
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Walker
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Welsbeck
Eckert	Jones	Onland	Weld
Elmer	Lakte	Quam	Yeater
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Larkin	Sathre, Steele	
	Lazier	Sethre, Williams	
	Levin		

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Kelly	Patterson
Erickson, 16th Dist.	Rardy	Link	Tweten
	Hart	McManus	
	Kellogg		

Mr. Twichell moved to temporarily adopt the House rules of the 17th legislative session, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burns of Ward moved the election of Logan Powell as first assistant chief clerk, Moses Rosensweig as second assistant chief clerk, J. P. Tucker as enrolling and engrossing clerk, C. E. Movijs as assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk. These were elected by the following vote: Ayes 91, nays none, absent and not voting 21.

Those voting aye were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters
Anderson, Sargent	Elmer	Johnson, Trail.	Quam
Arduser	Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jones	Rabe
Bollinger	Fedge	Kopp	Radcliffe
Boyd	Flom	Lackey	Root
Bratsberg	Flom	Lakie	Rustad
Brown	Franson	Larkin	Sagen
	Fredrickson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
	Freeman	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
	Geiszler	Levin	Sims

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Carr	Harrington	McDowell	Swett
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Cole	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Craig	Henne	Muus	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Norden	U'land
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	Veitch
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Eckert	Jardine	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Helbling	McGauvran	Shurr
Burke-Divide	Kellogg	Oberg	Tweten
Erickson,	Kelly	Patterson	Vogel
16th Dist.	Link	Plath	Walker
Hart	McManus	Quade	Weisbeck
Heaton	Maddock	Reich	Weld

Mr. McGauvran moved the election of the following:

J. B. Shearer, to be doorkeeper; Jonas Hall, to be gallery doorkeeper; Earl Lebo, Russel Byerly and Truman Root to be pages, the compensation of the doorkeepers to be four dollars per day.

The above were elected by the following vote: Ayes, 64; nays, 35; absent and not voting, 14.

Those voting aye were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Halcrow	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	Franson	Lackey	Radcliffe
Brown	Harrington	Lakie	Root
Bollinger	Hart	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Haugland	Levin	Sagen
Burk	Heaton	Lynch	Sims
Burkhart	Helbling	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Hempel	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Henne	Miller	Shurr
Cole	Hodges	Muus	Traynor
Durkee	Hoople	Norden	Trubshaw
Ehr	Iverson	Olafson	Twichell
Ellingson	Jackson	Olson, Towner	U'land
Flom	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Freeman	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Geiszler	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Goranson	Johnson, Trail	Quade	

Those voting nay were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Loudenbeck	Steen
Sargent	Erickson,	Martin	Streich
Arduser	26th Dist.	McCay	Swett
Bratsberg	Fedge	Morton	Tweten
Bryans	Franson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Cart	Fredrickson	Opland	Vogel
Craig	Jones	Quam	Weisbeck
Doyle	Larkin	Sathre, Steele	Yeater
Eckert	Lazier	Sethre, Williams	

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Kelly	Oberg
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Link	Patterson
Currie	Hardy	Maddock	Starke
Dougherty	Kellogg	McManus	Weld

Mr. Johnson of Traill, moved the election of the following: H. L. Holdren, of Billings county, to be bill clerk; Jacob Mack, of Stark county, to be bill room clerk; L. M. Hamery, of Grant county, to be mailing clerk; N. F. Hedalen of Walsh county, to be assistant mailing clerk; T. H. Walde, of Ramsey county to be postmaster; Jacob Fettig, of Pierce county, to be bill messenger, were elected by the following vote: ayes, 83; nays none; absent and not voting, 30.

Those voting aye were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Johnson, Traill.	Plath
Burleigh	Flom	Jones	Quam
Anderson,	Frandsen	Kopp	Rabo
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lackey	Radcliffe
Arduser	Freeman	Lakie	Root
Bollinger	Geiszler	Larkin	Sagen
Boyd	Goranson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lazler	Sethre, Williams
Burkhart	Transon	Levin	Sims
Burk	Harrington	Lynch	Siominski
Bryans	Hart	McDowell	Starke
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	Morton	Traynor
Craig	Hempel	Muus	Trubshaw
Currie	Tenne	Norden	Twichell
Doyle	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jardine	Opland	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	McManus	Sproul
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Maddock	Steen
Brown	Hardy	Martin	Streich
Burns	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Cole	Kellogg	Miller	Tweten
Elmer	Kelly	Patterson	Vogel
Erickson,	Link	Quade	Walker
26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Rustad	Weld

Mr. Sagen moved the election of the following: Leonora Joos and Martha Burkey of Fargo; Florence Wallace and Dorothy Register of Bismarck, and Janette Shipley of Dickinson to be stenographers. Leo Schaefer of Bismarck to be janitor, and R. N. Lee of Wahpeton to be proofreader. The motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes 57; nays none; absent and not voting 26.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: ayes, 83 nays none, absent and not voting, 30.

Those voting aye were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Jones	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Radcliffe
Sargent	Flom	Lackey	Root

Arduser	Frandsen	Lakie	Rustad
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Freeman	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Sims
Burk	Halerow	McDowell	Sproul
Carr	Hanson	McGauvran	Starke
Cart	Harrington	Miller	Steen
Cole	Hart	Morton	Streich
Craig	Heaton	Muus	Shurr
Currie	Helbling	Norden	Traynor
Doyle	Hempel	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Tweten
Durkee	Hoopel	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Eckert	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Ehr	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Ellingson	Jardine	Peters	Vogel
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
	Johnson, Trail.		Mr. Speaker

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Haugland	McManus	Slominski
Bryans	Hodges	Maddock	Swett
Burkhart	Kellogg	Martin	Waiker
Burns	Kelly	McCay	Weisbeck
Erickson	Larkin	Oberg	Weld
16th Dist.	Link	Patterson	Zeyer

Mr. Larson of Pierce moved that a temporary committee on Revision of the Journal be appointed, which motion prevailed and the speaker appointed, Mr. Larson, Mr. Larkin and Mr. Orange as such committee.

Mr. Trubshaw moved the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the House of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly be allowed the sum of six dollars per day for three days' service and railroad fare from Fargo to Bismarck, North Dakota, and return for calling the House to order as provided by law.

The motion was adopted, ayes, 88; nays none; absent and not voting, 25.

Those voting aye were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Johnson, Trail.	Quade
Burleigh	Fedge	Jones	Rabe
Anderson,	Flom	Kopp	Radcliffe
Sargent	Frandsen	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lakie	Rustad
Boyd	Freeman	Larkin	Sagen
Bratsberg	Goranson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Halerow	Lazier	Sims
Bryans	Hanson	Levin	Slominski
Burk	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Burkhart	Harrington	Lynch	Starke
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Streich
Carr	Haugland	Miller	Shurr
Cart	Heaton	Morton	Traynor
Cole	Helbling	Muus	Trubshaw
Craig	Hempel	Norden	Tweten
Currie	Henne	Oberg	Twichell
Doyle	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Hoopel	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Eckert	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ehr	Jackson	Orange	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Jardine	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Gefszler	Nelson	Martin
Burke-Divide	Johnson,	McCay	Steen
Arduser	Kellogg	McGauvran	Swett
Dougherty	Kelly	Opiland	Walker
Erickson,	Link	Patterson	Watt
26th Dist.	McManus	Quam	Weld
Erickson,	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	Yeater
16th Dist.			

Mr. Sagen moved that the speaker appoint a committee of three on mileage and per diem, which motion prevailed. The speaker appointed on such committee, Mr. Sagen, Mr. Burkhart and Mr. Halcrow.

Mr. Jackson moved that the speaker appoint committees of three each to inform the governor and the senate that the House is organized and ready to do business.

The speaker appointed as senate the committee, Mr. Root, Mr. Miller and Mr. Flom, and on the committee to notify the governor, Mr. Anderson of Burleigh, Mr. Maddock and Mr. Muus.

Mr. Watt moved that the House recess for fifteen minutes, which motion prevailed after the following had been sworn in by the speaker: T. H. Wolody, postmaster; R. W. Byerly, page; Florence Wallace, stenographer; Dorothy Register, stenographer; L. M. Hamery, mailing clerk; H. L. Holdren, bill clerk; Logan Powell, first assistant chief clerk; Moses Rosensweig, second assistant chief clerk; N. T. Hedalen, assistant mailing clerk; John Gammons, desk reporter; John Tucker, enrolling and engrossing clerk.

House reconvened pursuant to recess with Speaker Johnson presiding.

On motion of Mr. Jardine the speaker appointed Mr. Jardine, Mr. Eckert and Mr. Harrington as a committee to arrange with a like committee from the senate on arrangements for a joint session Wednesday at 2 p. m. January 3, to receive the governor's message.

Mr. Maddock moved to amend the motion of Mr. Carr that the members of the seventeenth legislative session retain their old seats after the former speaker had made first choice. Motion lost. Ayes, 47; nays 52; absent and not voting, 14.

Those voting aye were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Fedgo	Lynch	Sims
Bryans	Flom	Maddock	Slominski
Burkhart	Frandsen	Martin	Steen
Burns	Fredrickson	McDowell	Streich
Cole	Goranson	McGauvran	Shurr
Doyle	Halcrow	Miller	Swett
Dougherty	Hoople	Morton	Traynor
Eckert	Jones	Oberg	Upland
Ehr	Lakie	O'afson	Vogel
Elmer	Larson	Quam	Walker
Erickson,	Levin	Radcliffe	Watt
26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Sagen	Weisbeck
Hart		Sathre, Williams	Yeater

Those voting nay were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Trail.	Rabe
Anderson,	Freeman	Kopp	Root
Sargent	Geizler	Lackey	Rustad
Bollinger	Hardy	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Harrington	Lazier	Sproul
Eratsberg	Hreaton	McCay	Starke
Brown	Helbling	Muus	Trubshaw
Burk	Hempel	Norden	Tweten
Carr	Henne	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Cart	Iverson	Opland	Veitch
Craig	Jardine	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Haugland	Kelly	Patterson
Burke-Divide	Helbling	Link	Plath
Erickson,	Hodges	McManus	Weld
16th Dist.	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	
Hanson	Kellogg		

Mr. Carr moved that members draw seats by lot, by counties, regardless of number of districts therein, after ex-Speaker Twichell and ninth district delegation had first selected seats, and motion prevailed.

Message from the senate announcing that body was ready for business.

L. Schaefer was sworn in by the speaker as janitor, and also Mr. Andrew E. Erickson of the sixteenth district was sworn in as a member of the House by the speaker.

Mr. Jardine moved the chair appoint a committee of three to confer with the Board of Administration in relation to committee rooms. Carried.

The speaker appointed Mr. Anderson of Burleigh, Mr. Walker and Mr. Olafson.

P. G. Hanson moved that a recess be taken until 1 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, January 3, which motion prevailed.

FIRST DAY AFTER RECESS AND SECOND DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January, 3, 1923.

The House convened at one o'clock, P. M., pursuant to recess, the Speaker presiding.

Moved by Mr. Watt that the Board of Administration be directed to furnish all the supplies and postage necessary for the Speaker, Chief Clerk and all the members of the House during the Eighteenth Legislative session.

Which motion prevailed.

Moved by Mr. Sproul that the Speaker be authorized to appoint a committee of five, to act with a like committee from the Senate, to regulate the number of Journals and Bills to be printed during the session and to arrange for the distribution.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed the following committee: Messrs. Sproul, Arduser, Peters, Hanson and Sims.

At this time the Speaker administered the oath of office to the following Representatives who were not present at the opening session: Messrs. J. F. Link, O. F. Anderson and James McManus.

The Speaker then administered the Oath of Office to the following House employees: Lenore Joos and Martha Burkey, stenographers; J. B. Shearer, Doorkeeper; Jacob Mack, Bill Room Clerk; Truman Root and T. E. Lebo, Pages and Messengers.

Mr. Watt moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

SECOND DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 3, 1923.

The House assembled at two o'clock, p. m., pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker presiding.

Prayer by Chaplain, Rev. Strutz.

Roll call. All members present except Messrs. Currie, Hardy, Kellogg, Kelly and Patterson.

Moved and carried that all absentees be excused.

Mr. Twichell moved that a committee of three be appointed to escort ex-Speaker Stair to the rostrum as a courtesy to him during the joint session.

Which motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed Messrs. Twichell, Maddock and Frederickson.

Mr. Root reported that the committee appointed to advise the Senate that the House had organized and was ready for business had performed its duty.

Moved that the report be accepted and the committee discharged.

Which motion prevailed.

Moved by Mr. Watt that the chair appoint a committee of three to notify the Senate that the House is ready to go into joint session.

The chair appointed Messrs. Watt, Elmer and Lazier.

The committee reported that the Senate had been duly informed.

The Sergeant-At-Arms announced the members of the Senate.

JOINT SESSION

Roll call of the Senate.

Roll call of the House.

Senator Bond moved that a committee of five be appointed, consisting of two from the Senate and three from the House, to wait upon the Governor and notify him that the joint session is now ready to receive him.

Which motion prevailed and the President appointed as such committee Senators Bond and Byrne, and Representatives Dougherty, Frederickson and Watt.

Representative Carr moved that a committee of five be appointed, two from the Senate and three from the House, to wait upon the Supreme Court and escort them to the joint session.

Which motion prevailed and the President appointed Representatives Carr, Miller and Boyd, and Senators Ingerson and Ployhar.

Senator Miklethun moved that a committee of five be appointed, consisting of two from the Senate and three from the House, to wait upon the State Officials and escort them to the joint session.

Which motion prevailed and the President appointed Senators Miklethun and Tofsrud, and Representatives Jackson, Bryans and Heaton.

The Sergeant-At-Arms announced the arrival of the Governor, State Officials and Supreme Court.

Justice Christianson administered the oath of office to Governor Nestos, the newly elected members of the Supreme Court and to the State Officials.

Governor Nestos delivered his message.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly:

Section 75 of the Constitution provides that the Governor shall at the commencement of each session communicate to the legislative assembly by message, information as to the condition of the state, and shall recommend such measures as he may deem expedient.

It is therefore my duty to bring to your attention such facts concerning the condition of our state industries, debt, finances and taxation, as bear most directly upon your duty and responsibility as legislators and to lay before you such information in regard to these matters as may be of value, and to make such recommendations as may be helpful in formulating your legislative program.

STATE INDUSTRIES

During the period in which the former administration was in charge of the Farm Loan Department, it made a total of 758 loans, amounting to \$2,797,931.83, in which total is included all of the old loans that had been completed by December 15, 1922.

Since January first, 1922, up to and including December 15, 1922, the present administration had made farm loans in the following numbers and amounts:

Already assigned to the state treasurer, 943 loans, amounting to	\$3,042,434.00
Additional loans in which the papers are recorded, 411 loans, amounting to.....	1,341,750.00
Or a total of 1354 loans, amounting to.....	\$4,384,194.00

The mill and elevator project at Grand Forks is now rapidly nearing completion. The remaining pieces of machinery, for which they have been waiting all fall, have now been shipped. One unit of the mill has been operating during the day time since October 30th, another unit is now also completed and ready to be tested and the third unit will be completed this month. The flour produced since October 30th has been sold in 137 towns in North Dakota and in several towns in Minnesota, and is proving a very satisfactory and popular brand, and additional orders have been received from many who commenced to use it in the month of November.

Odds and ends still remain to be finished and it is anticipated that there will still be work for a small force of men into the month of February, although the contract accounts are to be closed as of January 31, 1923.

In payment of the construction of the mill and elevator and the purchase of equipment, bonds have been issued and sold up to December 15, 1922, in the amount of \$2,200,000, and an additional amount of about \$225,000, used in construction and payment of equipment before

that time, with approximately another hundred and fifty thousand dollars to be required before the plant is fully completed and the construction work upon it ceases, making the total cost of the mill and elevator, with equipment, approximately \$2,600,000.

PUBLIC DEBT

In connection with these industries, the state has already issued several millions of dollars' worth of bonds, in addition to the old revenue and refunding bonds in the sum of \$202,000 still unpaid, drawing four per cent interest, of which \$30,000 will be due July 1 of this year, and the balance in 1925 and 1927.

Of the new indebtedness, there is the capital stock of the Bank of North Dakota amounting to two million dollars, of which \$466,650.00 being bonds of small denominations, and therefore unsalable in the bond markets of the country, still remain in the possession of the bank. These draw five per cent interest and are due in 1929 and 1934.

Of the bonds of the state of North Dakota, Mill and Elevator series, there has been issued and sold up to December 15th, \$2,200,000.00 of which \$1,000,000.00 draw 5½ per cent interest, and \$1,200,000.00, 6 per cent interest, and due in 1942 and 1947. Between three and four hundred thousand dollars more of this series will be issued before the legislative session closes, in payment of the balance of the construction cost of the mill and elevator.

Of the bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate series, there is outstanding series "A" amounting to \$2,500,000, drawing 5½ per cent interest, and issued by the former administration on assignment to the state treasurer of farm mortgages made by them. These bonds mature between 1931 and 1948.

Series "B" in the total amount of three million dollars was also sold by the former administration at 6 per cent interest, and maturing from 1932 to 1949, all of which bonds have now been issued by the state treasurer upon the deposit of farm mortgages assigned to the treasurer since January 1, 1922, and nearly an additional million dollars' worth of mortgages are now ready for assignment.

The annual interest on all of these bonds aggregates about \$535,497.50, for the payment of which, semi-annually, such provision must be made by the legislature that in event the earnings from the bank and from the mill and elevator, together with interest payments on our farm mortgages should prove insufficient, the Industrial Commission would be in a position to protect the state's interests and keep the state's credit good.

APPROPRIATIONS

The cost of goods which the farmers must buy is still too great as compared with the prices received for the products they have to sell, with the result that the economic and financial difficulties confronting the citizenship of our country are pressing especially and unduly hard

upon the farmer. This condition should and must be dealt with without delay and in accordance with the principles of sound economics.

While the farmer has become less able to pay, the cost of administering the state and local government has been continually and greatly increasing. We find, for instance, that in the legislative session of 1915 there was appropriated \$3,265,538.76. In the session of 1917, \$4,123,856.99. In the regular session of 1919, \$7,211,622.10, of which \$196,285.00 was eliminated at a special session held later in the year, while in the session of 1921 the amount appropriated was \$7,981,331.83.

GOVERNMENTAL EXPENDITURES

The amounts appropriated may not always be an accurate measure of the growth in cost of government, and the amount of governmental expenditures may be a more accurate criterion, and if we gauge it by these, we discover a similar startling growth. Giving the statistics by fiscal years ending June 30th of each year, we discover that the growth has been as follows:

1916	\$2,743,456
1917	2,997,798
1918	3,347,195
1919	3,048,248
1920	5,150,751
1921	6,448,599
1922	6,882,811

indicating an increase during these seven years of 151 per cent in the expenditures for the various functions of our state government.

These increases in the cost of both state and local administration are necessarily reflected in the tax burden resting upon our people, and we discover that the amount of taxes per capita in this state for all purposes, except special assessments, has increased from \$24.10 in 1915 to \$48.43 in 1921, and that during the twenty-seven years of all state and local taxes was \$6,409,558 per year, while during the five years from 1917 to 1921, inclusive, the average was \$25,594,297 per year, or an increase of 299 per cent.

That this rapid increase in appropriations and expenditures for state purposes has been accompanied by a similar increase of levies and expenditures in the various political subdivisions of our state is indicated by the following table:

	1915	1921	% Increase
1. State	\$ 1,633,583	\$ 3,283,558	101. %
2. Soldiers' Bonus		1,244,349	
3. County	4,661,744	7,488,974	60.6%
4. City, Town, Village..	1,343,211	2,237,275	70.3%
5. Township	1,950.693	2,990,107	53.3%
6. School	5,763,254	13,995,812	142.8%

or comparing the average percentage of the state levy with the total property tax, excluding the Soldiers' Bonus, during this seven-year period, we find that it is but 9.1 per cent.

ECONOMY NEEDED

It is therefore apparent that even the most rigid economy in state affairs will result in but a slight reduction of the tax on each quarter section of land. The economies that count and the reductions that will really give appreciable relief to the taxpayer, must be made in the county, city, township, school and road administration.

The Board of Equalization checked over with care the probable revenues of the state government for the current fiscal year, whether returns on the assessed valuation of \$1,308,491,094 or such revenue as may be anticipated from other sources, save and except the business enterprises run by the state, and it was estimated that it will amount to approximately \$4,867,000.

It might be interesting, in this connection to note that on December 1, 1922, the records in the office of the state treasurer show that of the taxes of the past three years only the following percentages remained uncollected:

1918	2.8%
1920	10.2%
1921	35.2%

The above information gathered from the records of the office of the state treasurer and the tax commissioner, together with such information as each one of you possesses conclusively shows that there is need of rigid economy, wisely applied in state, county and local affairs. I bespeak your earnest consideration of this matter, and a sincere effort to curtail appropriations wherever it can be done without sacrificing institutions and governmental functions essential to the public welfare; that you will eliminate what is needless, even though desirable; that you will insist upon rigid economy all along the line, but that you will wisely provide for all essential activities, through which the highest interest of the state and the welfare and happiness of our people are served.

ASSESSMENT AND TAXATION

I am sure that all of you have been impressed, by the many criticisms leveled against our system of assessment and taxation during recent years, and especially against the great increase in the tax burden resting upon our farm lands, with the fact that there is much need of a careful investigation and a wise revision of our assessment and tax laws. I hope and believe that you will give to these criticisms and to the recommendations made by the Treasurer, Auditor, and Tax Commissioner of our state, and the tax officials of our various counties and local subdivisions, your most earnest consideration, and that you will make such changes in our law as will tend to reduce the tax burden, and to make it fall more equitably upon the different classes of property.

The limitation of levies, provided for at the recent biennial sessions of the legislature should be thoroughly revised, as it works a great hardship upon a large number of the political subdivisions of our state and is of necessity shifting, undependable and unsatisfactory. I trust that it

will be possible for you to work out some general plan that will not need to be revised each legislative session. The impression gathered from those who deal with the practical administration of this problem would seem to indicate that one of the methods by which this evil might be remedied would be by reducing the percentage basis of assessment from 100% to 50%.

You are familiar with the fact that during recent years there has been no tax imposed by valid law upon the stock of our state banks, and that no tax has been imposed upon moneys and credits, and I would recommend to you that during this session you impose a just and fair tax upon these banking institutions and also that you impose a reasonable tax upon moneys and credits.

It is also important to seek out new sources of revenue if in doing so you can bring relief to some of those upon whom the burden is resting too heavily today, and I would suggest that you impose a tax upon luxuries, believing that those who feel that they can afford these luxuries will be very glad to pay a reasonable tax for the support of our state government and state institutions, and I believe that this is a proper tax, as a good share of it will be paid by those who otherwise are contributing but little to the support of the state and its institutions.

BONDS FOR DORMITORIES

One of the difficult problems with which the state has to deal is that of providing the funds for erecting the necessary buildings at our various state institutions. If you were to provide for all of the buildings really needed at this time in the educational institutions of our state, the tax burden would become unbearable, and I believe that we ought to devise means for meeting a part, at least, of these requirements by methods that would not involve additional taxation. At most of these institutions there is a great need of dormitories, both because of the lack of housing facilities in the cities where the institutions are located, and for the additional reason that it is discovered that those students who room at the dormitories or at the fraternities and clubs, on the average do better class-work than those who room at private dwellings. Since there is regular and steady income from room rent paid at these dormitories, I believe that we should pass a constitutional amendment making it possible to issue state bonds for the erection of the needed dormitories at our educational institutions, with proper limitations, and then provide that after the payment of the expenses of maintaining these dormitories the balance of the income be applied in payment of the interest on these bonds and in the creation of a sinking fund that will gradually retire them.

FOUR-YEAR TERMS

The experience of other states has shown that both efficiency and economy may be attained by a reasonable lengthening of the term of public officials. I believe that the state of North Dakota ought to make the terms of its state, county, and district officials four years, those of the

members of the House of Representatives four years, and of Senators eight years, with legislative sessions but once in four years unless a special session is called by the Governor. About half of the states of the Union are now electing their state officials for a term of four years, and in those states the change has met with general satisfaction and approval. I do also believe that at this session you ought to adopt a legislative reapportionment act since none was adopted at the last session, and in doing so, the membership of the senate ought to be reduced to not more than 30 and the membership of the house to not more than 75. I believe that both efficiency and economy would be attained by this change. I would also suggest that the laws of our state be changed so that not more than two railroad commissioners and two judges of the Supreme Court be elected at a single election, and I believe it would be still more advantageous to have the laws so changed as to provide that but one of these should be selected at each election with terms of six years for the railroad commissioners and terms of ten years for members of the Supreme Court.

These and other essential constitutional changes advocated herein might be adopted in the form of separate amendments or by providing for the holding of a constitutional convention for that purpose.

In view of the number of states which have adopted provisions for four-year terms for state officials, I believe that very soon the necessary federal changes should be made to provide for the election of members of the national House of Representatives for terms of four years, and members of the Senate for terms of eight years, and thereby enable the states of the Union that have four-year terms for state officials, to provide for an election but once every four years and thus save the expense incident to so large a number of elections.

Until such time, however, as national elections need be held but once in four years, you should, if you adopt the provisions for a four-year term for all but federal offices, hold these state elections in the years in which there is no presidential election, thus making it possible to settle state matters without reference to the solution of national problems.

MILL AND ELEVATOR

There are no problems to come before you at this session that are of greater importance than those which deal with the management of the public business of this state. The legislation you adopt should be such as to promote the efficient management of that business.

I would urge upon you that you adopt a law providing for a non-political board composed of men, versed in the grain and milling business, to assume the management of the mill and elevator enterprise at Grand Forks, making possible the appointment of men who are willing and able to give to the consideration of the problems of this business the required time and attention.

It will also be necessary at this time to make arrangements to finance the operation of the mill. I am sure that you realize that during certain seasons of the year the management needs to purchase and store a large amount of wheat for the use of the mill during the season when wheat shipments are few, and also that the flour produced at the mill must remain in the warehouse for a few weeks in order to age before it is really suitable for the market, and that to finance these operations will require a working capital estimated by those who are familiar with the operations of plants of the same size at from \$750,000 to \$1,000,000; for which provision must be made by this legislative session.

BANK OF NORTH DAKOTA

While not quite so important because of the fact that the principal business is transacted at the State Capitol, I feel that it would be better also to provide a similar non-political board of management for the Bank of North Dakota, composed of men that understand banking, and especially such as are experienced and well informed in regard to the sound development of a farm loan business and who would give to this branch of the public service the efficient management required in order to insure its largest possible success.

Here also must be provided a revolving fund for the handling of the farm loan business. During the past six months, there has been used of the funds of the Bank of North Dakota a sum varying from \$600,000 to \$1,100,000, and averaging about \$800,000, and it is estimated by the management that approximately the same amount of money will be needed for the prompt and efficient handling of this business during the years to come. I bespeak your careful consideration of this whole problem, and the thorough revision of the laws with reference to the Bank of North Dakota and the Farm Loan Department to the end that this branch of the public business may be managed in the most efficient and economical manner. In connection therewith I trust that you will authorize and empower the state treasurer to set aside from the accumulating funds of the Farm Loan Department that portion of the amortized interest payment which has been added for the purpose of defraying the expenses of running the business, and also that you will increase the amount and the term of the farm loan bonds that may be issued by the state; provide that the interest and the bonds may be paid at some bank or trust company in the City of New York and also clothe some official or board with the power to pay taxes, insurance premiums, foreclosure costs and other items of expense that will necessarily be incurred in connection with the management of this business during the years to come. Until sufficient funds shall have accumulated in the Farm Loan Department so that there may be returned to the Bank of North Dakota the portion of the interest added to pay the expense of operation, an appropriation ought to be made for the purpose of taking care of this expense.

When the present managers took charge of the Bank of North Dakota the amount of private or individual deposits

amounted to only \$26,397.55 and at the time of the last monthly statement issued by the bank, it was but \$13,960.40, and I believe today as I have stated before, that it would be policy to abolish the private or individual deposit feature so as to relieve the bank management of the duty of maintaining this department and thus save them the extra labor, trouble and expense connected therewith.

THE HOME BUILDERS

You are all familiar with the unfortunate condition resulting from the mismanagement and extravagance in the Home Builders Department, causing the taxpayers a loss, the estimated amount of which depending upon the decision of the court in pending litigation, will vary from about \$250,000 to \$315,000. I would suggest that you enact a law providing for the liquidation of the Home Builders Association, and that you place the authority to make collections and complete the business in one of the other departments, and that you amend the law so as to authorize the issuance of bonds upon the security of these contracts just as soon as legal and binding agreements have been entered into with each of the purchasers of these state houses.

AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS

Not only is agriculture the basic industry of our country, but it is particularly true of North Dakota that the welfare of the whole state, and of all its citizens, no matter what their trade, profession or business may be, depends upon the prosperity of the farmer. So far, we have been largely a one-crop state, but an increasing number of our farmers have discovered that as long as we continue to be such, we cannot hope to achieve a stable economic condition and lasting prosperity. For this reason, there has been during recent years a rather decided interest in diversified farming, and I would urge upon you that you do everything possible to promote a well-balanced program of production, and that you encourage, not only by legislation, but by your personal influence, every community in this state to raise within such community enough of diversified products to take care of all the needs of such community and thus save on freight rates, and by so doing promote the welfare of such community.

But while it is essential that we should develop this balanced program of production, it is also essential that we should continue our labors to secure a more just and satisfactory system of grain grading and better marketing conditions for our wheat and other products.

A measure was adopted by the people last fall dealing with this problem, but a recent decision of the U. S. Supreme Court held that a similar law was in conflict with the Federal law and the Constitution of the United States and when you read the law recently adopted, in the light of that decision you will be convinced that the outcome of the case now pending is doubtful. It is difficult to understand why, in view of the fact that they had the decision of the Federal Supreme Court for their guidance, the

authors should have drafted the new law on the same principle as the former one. They must have known that its constitutionality would be in grave doubt, and that its validity would at once be attacked on the same grounds as were successfully asserted against the other law. I believe that in fairness to the grain growers of the state, and especially if the decision in the case to be heard this month should be unfavorable, you should draft a law, in conformity with the Federal law and the decisions of the Supreme Court interpreting the same, and such as would protect the essential interests of the farmers of this state.

It is becoming more and more apparent that the problems of the farmers must be solved through co-operative enterprises rather than by state ownership, and this co-operative development should be encouraged and fostered by the state wheresoever possible. The federal agricultural commission in its report says: "The solution of the farmers' distributive problem does not lie directly in legislation, but rather in the creating of economic agencies controlled by him for the sorting, handling, and distributing of his crop. There should, however, be greater uniformity of state laws authorizing the organization of cooperative associations and establishing their powers, duties and obligations as well as the powers, duties, obligations and liabilities of their members. The federal government has by legislation removed the obstacles to co-operative organization which heretofore existed. Both state and federal governments should enact the necessary legislation to assure cooperative associations against unfair discriminations and to insure such associations against unfair practices." This cooperative development may be applied to various lines of agricultural activity, but I am confident that in order to insure more satisfactory prices for our grain, the machinery for its orderly marketing must be provided in order to meet the needs of the purchasers in our own country, and of the importing nations of the world, and for that purpose no better plan has been devised than the pooling plan advocated by the Farm Bureau Federation and the Wheat Growers of America. Concerning this, however, the Federal Agricultural Commission says: "There is no inherent virtue in cooperation which will make a cooperative organization successful without the application of the sound principles necessary to the success of private agencies. To succeed, a cooperative organization must have competent management, experienced and skilled in the technique of the business in which the cooperative association engages. In addition, the management must be thoroughly in sympathy with the idea of industrial democracy of cooperative organization and must at all times keep in mind the character of the constituency which it represents."

To provide for a cooperative association is not in itself sufficient. That is no "Open Sesame" to success. Good sound business judgment and an honest, efficient and economical administration of the enterprise must be had or it is just as certain to fail as though it had not been co-operative in character. To insure the success of the pool, however, we shall need adequate facilities for storage at the terminals, the primary markets, and upon the home

farm. It is conceded that the most advantageous place of storage of grain is upon the farm, but the realization of the largest profits from the pooling system would require that the grain supply should be fairly well distributed between the terminal and primary markets and the farm granary. Says the Federal Agricultural Commission: "Much can be accomplished in the direction of economic distribution by a more systematic utilization of warehouses to absorb temporary surplus and distribute more evenly in response to consuming demand. There is a tendency toward better distribution as warehouses come to function as reservoirs to facilitate economic distribution and adopt methods which diminish opportunity for speculation in stored commodities."

In order to enable the farmer, however, to keep his grain in storage until it is needed to supply the consumers' demands, arrangements must be made to finance the farming operations, and for this purpose I would recommend to you a thorough investigation of the possibilities of so amending the bonded warehouse law of our state as to cover well located and securely built granaries upon the farms of our state; permitting the different localities to organize cooperative public warehouse associations and to so secure the wheat against loss and theft as to make the warehouse receipts issued thereon acceptable as collateral in the business life of the state and nation.

That this can be done when storage facilities are safe and the warehouse bonded is illustrated by the experience of the state elevator at Grand Forks. The Industrial Commission has arranged with financial houses of the Twin Cities that now since the federal license has been granted, they will loan us money upon storage receipts of our elevator at such rates that we will be able to lend farmers storing their grain there seventy per cent of its value at but six per cent interest. This, I am sure, is no exception to the general rule of business, and can be done by anyone else when the grain is held in a properly constructed and supervised warehouse.

In connection therewith, there needs to be developed a new form of credits for the use and convenience of the farmer. A provision for longer terms on loans secured by the products of the farm than are now provided for.

STATE DEVELOPMENT

Not only does the state need increased diversification, a better balanced program of production and better grain grading and marketing conditions, but we need more people in our state to consume our products, and by more dense settlements make better community life possible. This development is bound to come and I believe that we should do everything possible to speed its coming. This can best be done by promoting and encouraging every legitimate enterprise that gives promise of greater prosperity and a larger population for our state. It is scarcely necessary to tell you of the wonderful clay and lignite coal deposits found in close proximity in the western half of the state, and what it would mean to the state not only from a fuel and power standpoint, but from the standpoint

of the development of manufacturing and other industries to have these deposits utilized and developed to the utmost. The School of Mines is doing a wonderful work in experimenting with these clays, and in conjunction with the federal government also experimenting with the lignite coals, both in making briquettes, in utilizing the by-products, and in ascertaining how lignite coal should be treated so as to secure the greatest possible fuel and power value from it. These experiments are of great value and should preferably be conducted at the mouth of the mine and at the heating plants of our larger institutions. The state should encourage and foster this development.

In connection with this, I want to call your attention to the present mine inspection law, the aim and purpose of which is undoubtedly right, but which was apparently drawn with the working conditions in the deep underground mines of Illinois and other central states in mind rather than North Dakota lignite mine conditions. It contains numerous provisions with which no mine operator in the state of North Dakota can comply, and which make every mine operator, no matter how good his intention or how small his mine, a violator of the law. I believe that these mines should be operated safely and scientifically and with due regard to the life and welfare of those who work therein. But to hamper those who open up these mines in the various communities with the many requirements with which they cannot comply, can have but one result and that is to handicap and retard the development of our lignite industry and make honest and respectable men violators of these laws. I would, therefore, recommend such reasonable modifications of this law as shall protect the essential interests of the workers, and at the same time make it possible for the people of our state to develop the lignite industry and thus increase the prosperity of the state and the welfare of our people.

We also need to have the Missouri River developed for navigation, and this river and its tributaries for irrigation and power so as to aid in this development of industry as well as in the trade life of the northwest. In this development, we ought to cooperate with the states of Montana and South Dakota for the mutual interests of all and to do what we can to avail ourselves of the service that this river may render to the people of the state.

When we do this, we will have an almost unlimited supply of power and we will be in a position to encourage the development of manufacturing and other industries in our state. Especially ought we to encourage the building of manufacturing establishments that will use the raw materials found and grown within our own state, and operate the factories with this abundant electric power. This will help to increase the population of our state and the home use of our splendid farm products.

As a part of this development, we should also encourage immigration. A great deal of money has been spent in this field during the last six years, and it would seem a pity if now, when conditions are improving within our state and every evidence indicates that there are thou-

sands of farmer boys and renters in Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, and Minnesota who desire to come, either to purchase or to rent our fertile agricultural lands, we should discontinue our immigration work. I would therefore urge upon you that you make a reasonable appropriation so that the state, in conjunction with the development associations of the various sections of North Dakota may conduct an active and aggressive campaign to bring people into our state both to settle upon our farms and to cooperate with us in developing the manufacturing and industrial life of North Dakota.

EDUCATION

In insuring the welfare and continuance of a democracy, there is nothing more essential than universal education and the implanting in the minds of all of our people those ideals of personal virtue and civic righteousness which lie at the foundation of the development not only of personal but of national character. In this program of education, we should especially encourage the rural schools to the end that not only should illiteracy be wholly eliminated from North Dakota, but that every boy and girl of mental capacity should be required to complete the eighth grade, at least, before leaving school. With the work of the eighth grade completed, and with the mind of the youth of the state awakened to a desire for further knowledge, the additional training of high school and college or university will unquestionably be attained by a large proportion of those who graduate from the eighth grade.

The problem of providing the funds required to make our schools what we wish them to be, and at the same time not to overburden the taxpayers, is becoming increasingly difficult to solve, and I would suggest that you provide for a committee or commission to study this whole problem and to report to the next legislative session.

It is recognized that the foundation of our education is the implanting of these ideals and the development of our mental powers and of the ability to find the information desired on any given subject. Dr. Hadley says that too much of our educational work has been devoted to the task of giving the student information on a great variety of subjects, tremendously increasing the cost of maintaining our educational establishments and really contributing disproportionately little to the development of his mental powers, and that it would be wiser and more economical to limit the number of subjects taught and to teach those with the idea of training our people to think and to develop their mental powers, rather than to supply them with cyclopaedic information. I believe that it is conceded today that no single agency is doing more for the general education of our people than the public library, and laws should be enacted to extend the service of these libraries to the largest possible group of people, and to make it possible for any county that desires to do so, when economic conditions are better, to establish a county library system similar to that now operating in other states of the Union.

In connection with our educational system, we should ever seek to implant in the minds of the young a respect

for constitutions, law, order, and constituted authority and devote ourselves assiduously to the task of counteracting and removing that easy contempt for these, which is altogether too frequent today, when it seems as though it is considered smart to violate certain laws of our state and nation, and when people, who consider themselves law-abiding and respectable, tolerate and wink at the violation of these laws. We need to renew the respect and love for the ideals that were taught in the early years of our national existence and which were revered by our fathers before us. The builders of this commonwealth desired these ideals to be perpetuated and to be implanted in the mind of the youth of this state, and they therefore provided in the constitution as amplified by subsequent legislative enactment, that: "Moral instruction tending to impress upon the minds of pupils the importance of truthfulness, temperance, purity, public spirit, patriotism, international peace, respect for honest labor, obedience to parents and due deference for old age, shall be given by each teacher in the public schools."

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While the value of inculcating these ideals and virtues is certain that in order to secure the development of what is best in personal character and in state and national life, we must also secure a more adequate religious training of our youth than is the case today. The teaching of morality alone and the emphasis on civic virtues and ideals, while helpful, have proven decidedly insufficient to furnish those guarantees of character and the highest type of citizenship which have generally followed a reasonably adequate religious training. I would therefore suggest that both by legislation and in the school administration of our state, we encourage the various denominations or denominational groups to arrange for religious instruction for their children wherever possible, and that the public schools may close one-half hour or an hour earlier for this purpose.

In March, 1920, the voters of the state adopted article thirty-five of the Amendments to the Constitution, but no legislation has yet been enacted to make this amendment effective, and I would suggest that such a law be adopted at this session, and also a law changing the maximum interest rate on school bonds.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

We need and desire a strict and impartial enforcement of all our laws; impartial as between individual offenders and impartial as among the laws violated. As long as certain acts are made criminal under the laws of our state or country, the violators should be prosecuted for the crime committed and punished in accordance with law, whether the criminal be a burglar, a thief or a bootlegger. Our people have been too prone to wink at violations of the prohibition law, and to regard such violations as less criminal than the breach of other laws on our statute books, and as long as that spirit continues, it is bound to result in a weakening of character and a lowering of state and national ideals. If we are to permit a minority even

though a large, well-organized and aggressive one successfully to refuse obedience to any law except such as meets with their personal approval, democracy is a failure, self-government impossible, and our boasted liberty but a mockery.

There should be thorough cooperation between the state and federal government for a rigid and continuous enforcement of the laws against intoxicating liquors and habit-forming drugs, and I would urge upon you that you enact whatever legislation that may be required to insure full cooperation and thorough-going enforcement of these laws, as well as all other laws on our statute books.

The Attorney General has already suggested a revision of the laws needed to safeguard the public funds, to define the violations of the banking laws and to provide for adequate punishment for these crimes, and I would suggest that you amend the laws so as to place in the Attorney General the power and authority to appoint all of his assistants and to have complete supervision over the same.

DELINQUENT CONTRACTS

One of the unpleasant discoveries of the past year is the difference in the attitude of so many of our citizens toward the state business, from their attitude toward private business. We discover that those who purchased lands on contract from the Board of University and School Lands, or those who have been permitted to borrow money upon their farm lands at only 5% interest are sadly in arrears, not only on interest, but in their payment of installments of the principal, extending in about four hundred instances from six to thirteen years. I realize that conditions during the last six years have been difficult in many parts of the state; I realize also that under such conditions it would be too much to expect that all the interest and the installments due should have been paid, but I do believe that it is altogether fair to assume that when, as in so many of these cases, they have failed to pay interest and installments for periods running from six to thirteen years, and especially when we discover that many of these delinquents are state and national banks, professional and business men, office holders and in some cases men of considerable wealth and also that these delinquencies have occurred in sections where during this period they have raised many good crops, even during the period of high prices for grain, it becomes an appalling condition and one which should be corrected without fail. If we do not, the result will be that the schools of our state to whom this money belongs will be the sufferers for lack of buildings and educational facilities, and for the benefit of these men who have shown themselves unworthy of the favor extended to them.

I would therefore suggest that you make an appropriation for the necessary assistants to investigate thoroughly these delinquencies and to enforce collections wherever it has been shown that the debtors have not been acting in good faith. Needless to say, where they have acted in good faith and where the failure to pay is caused by the lack of ability and not by the lack of disposition, the

greatest leniency should be shown, but in all other cases I believe that they should either be made to pay up or else that the contracts should be canceled or the mortgages foreclosed. In connection herewith and for the protection of public officials and to safeguard your own school funds, I would suggest that you determine by legislative enactment as has been done in the case of loans made by the farm loan department of the Bank of North Dakota just how long a debtor may be delinquent on principal and interest before a foreclosure of the contract or mortgage should be had.

THE CLOSED BANK

One of the difficult problems of this period is the handling, safeguarding and salvaging of the assets of the many closed banks. In a great many cases these assets are pledged as collateral security for loans made from banking institutions within and without the state, and if sold upon foreclosure proceedings frequently fail to bring what they are reasonably worth as is usually the case with foreclosure sales of personal property. If funds reasonably adequate for the purpose were on hand, the banking department would often feel inclined either to take an assignment of the claims from the creditor threatening foreclosure, or to bid in these assets at the sale, but at the present time the banking board has no such funds at its disposal, and it is therefore unable to render this service.

The guaranty Fund Commission does have some funds at its disposal which should be used for a time, at least, for this purpose, but under the present law it is somewhat doubtful as to whether they have the full legal right and authority to use such funds. I would therefore suggest to you that you investigate this matter with care, and that you either provide a fund for the banking board to use for this purpose or preferably that you grant the Guaranty Fund Commission the full right and power to use the accumulating funds for at least another year or more in purchasing these assets wherever the value of the assets sold exceed the claim of the foreclosing bank, in any substantial amount.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

The Workmen's Compensation Law of our state is based upon the correct principle that the various lines of industry or business should pay a reasonable compensation to those who are injured in their service. The assumption is that both the premiums charged and the compensation paid to the workers should be just, fair and reasonable. The recent decisions of the Supreme Court indicate that various provisions of this law are so ambiguous and difficult to understand that even the members of the Supreme Court have been unable to agree as to the meaning thereof, and the result has been protracted litigation in many cases. I feel that the law should be so amended as to make these provisions clear, definite and easily understandable, and such other changes made as will help to increase the efficiency and the value of this law.

SOLDIERS' BONUS

The present arrangements with reference to the Soldiers' Bonus in this state seem unfair and unsatisfactory. The result of the operation of our bonus law is that those who served in France, and especially those who were detained in the service either in France or on the Rhine the longest, generally speaking will be the last to receive their bonus, which in the meantime is drawing no interest. Realizing the injustice of this, the administration tried last spring to remedy this defect by entering into a contract similar to the one entered into for the financing of the hail warrants, providing for the execution of the notes of the State of North Dakota payable at a definite time, and to be secured by these duly approved bonus claims. If this arrangement had gone through, it would have enabled us by a discount of only 18% or about 6% per annum to have taken care of this whole matter and to have secured the immediate payment of all of the approved bonus claims. This arrangement had the approval of the American Legion Convention at Devils Lake. It has also been discovered that many have taken advantage of the needs or distress of the service men and have taken assignments of their bonus claims in many cases for fifty or sixty cents on the dollar. This is unfair and should not be. I believe that the legislature should enact a law which would give either to the Industrial Commission or some other body full power and authority to enter into a contract similar to that entered into for the sale of the hail warrants so that all of these duly approved bonus claims may be paid immediately. The legislature should provide for the payment of a tax for a definite period of time, and at the same time make provision for some body of officials to pass upon all the assignments to the end that after the assignee had received his money with a reasonable rate of interest, that the balance of the claim should forthwith be paid over to the service men for whom the bonus was issued.

GOOD ROADS

I am sure that there is not a member of this legislative assembly but realizes the value and need of a system of good roads. It is conceded, also, that the main arteries of travel that cross our state and that connect county seat with county seat, and tie up the main cities of our state with a system of highways, should be paid for by those who use motor transportation, and I therefore urge upon you the adoption of laws and needed constitutional amendments which will devote to this trunk line system of good roads in our state the license money from motor vehicles of every kind and the money realized by a tax on motor fuel. It is to be hoped that in this road development work we may be able to effect such improvements in engineering, supervision, construction and maintenance as will give to the State of North Dakota the best possible roads at the least possible expense so that in each county of the state we may feel that we have received and are maintaining a hundred cents worth of efficient highway for each dollar invested therein.

REGULATORY LEGISLATION

There have been adopted in our state a number of regulatory measures concerning the health of animals, purity of seed, pure food, pure paint and other matters, and it has become evident that many of these measures have been drawn without any thought of their relationship to each other, or of the possibility of securing a more efficient and economical administration, if similar duties were taken care of by the same officials. During the summer, therefore, I asked a committee of people interested in, and well informed on these matters to formulate a measure that would combine under the same supervision those that were so closely related that they could profitably be administered through the same agency with greater efficiency and less expense to the people of the state. This committee has made its report, and in connection with that report has transmitted a bill for the regrouping of these regulatory measures and I sincerely hope that the recommendations for such regrouping may meet with your approval and a law of this character adopted.

CHILDREN'S CODE COMMISSION

It is universally conceded that the future welfare of our state is largely determined by the conditions under which our children are born and grown to mature manhood and womanhood. It is evident that to promote the welfare of these children we need the best possible legislation with reference to maternity, the care of boys and girls, the cure of crippled children, the training of dependents and delinquents and a general supervision over the growing boyhood and girlhood so as to insure the best results in the future citizenship of the state. During the past year an excellent commission has been at work preparing legislation on these subjects, and I would urge upon you a friendly and helpful interest in the legislation so proposed to the end that as a result of your legislative labors North Dakota may stand at the forefront of the states of the union in promoting the welfare of the growing manhood and womanhood.

Closely related to this report and to the proposed rearrangement of the regulatory measures of our state is the question of the conservation and promotion of the health of our people, and I sincerely hope that you will give to this problem your most serious consideration in order that our state may take its place among the best in the union in legislation and administration designed to promote the conservation of the peoples' health, the control and elimination of communicable diseases, and the spreading of the gospel of good health among all of the people of our state. An appropriation to enable the state to take advantage of the Sheppard-Towner Act should be made.

The present law requiring the polling places to be kept open until nine in the evening works a great hardship upon the people in the country precincts and is of no value, except in the cities, and should therefore be amended.

I also believe that better results would be obtained by providing a separate board of management for our educa-

tional institutions and one for the penal and charitable institutions and that this change ought to be made soon.

I trust that you will also ascertain what recommendations the different state officials may wish to offer of changes that need to be made in the laws affecting their department in order to promote efficiency and economy in the public service.

The Budget Board has during November and December held conferences with the heads of the different departments, institutions and commissions and has carefully reviewed with each the needs for the coming year, and is presenting the results of these conferences in a report which will be in your hands directly. This report represents the appropriations which appear to be needed in each case, or at least such as could be expended wisely and well by the department, institution or commission asking for the same.

It is the desire and expectation of the Budget Board that you consider these requests separately and as a whole in the light of the prospective revenues of our state, being mindful at all times of the excessive tax burden and the difficult situation of our people, and that in making your appropriations you exercise the wise and rigid economy already suggested.

With you as representatives of the people now lies the responsibility for the passing of such laws and the making of such appropriations as shall promote in the highest degree the welfare and prosperity of the state.

It is my hope that without delay you will organize and commence the consideration of the many weighty and difficult problems that now require solution, and that as soon as your labors are completed you will adjourn. I sincerely hope and believe that you will meet your duties and responsibilities with the sole purpose of serving the people of the state faithfully and well; that though you may differ in your views on economic questions, you will forget your former group affiliations and seek only the welfare of the state. There are, after all, but few matters of administration on which there should be any fundamental difference of opinion. I trust that factional controversies may be avoided and party considerations made secondary to the best interest of the state. By adopting an attitude of fairness, frankness, tolerance and patience toward each other, and by earnestly seeking to cooperate in the committees and on the floors of the legislative chambers you can and will, I am sure, render great service to our state in this session. Let your sole criterion in adopting or amending laws be, its effect upon the proper administration of the public business, and its value in promoting the welfare of our state, and great good will result from your efforts.

In the labors before us and in the work of serving the people of this state, may both you and I have the help and guidance of Almighty God.

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

State Capitol,
January 3, 1923.

Senator Sperry moved that the Joint Session do now dissolve.

Which motion prevailed and the joint session dissolved.
Mr. Kopp moved that the House recess for fifteen minutes.

Which motion prevailed and the House took a recess.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. Halcrow moved that the House do now recess until one o'clock p. m., January 4th.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

SECOND DAY AFTER RECESS AND THIRD DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 4, 1923.

The House convened at 1 o'clock P. M., pursuant to recess.

The Speaker presiding.

Mr. Anderson moved that the House return to the third order of business.

Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the First day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

Strike out line 27 on page 4, line 28 the number 56 to 57, and 47 to 46.

On line 29 after the word voting strike out "period" and add the words "Johnson and Miller not voting."

Arduser reported as voting for Johnson for speaker, should be voting for Miller and Mr. Rabe reported as voting for Miller should be voting for Johnson. Mr. Norden reported on page 6 and 7 as absent and not voting, should be voting aye.

The name of "Hempel" should be spelled "pel" instead of "ple" and the name of "Hoople" should be "ple" instead of "pel."

The initials "J. E." after the name "Burk" should be stricken out on page 9 roll call.

The name Sproul should be inserted after the name Slominski, on page 11 line 27, the initials should be "H. L. Holdren" instead of "H. S."

On line 30 strike out the word "assistant"

On page 11 line 39 after the word "moved" insert to "amend the motion of Mr. Carr," then strike out line 42-43-44-45 and 46 to the word "ayes."

On page 12 after line 30 insert the following:

"Mr. Carr moved that members draw seats by lot, by counties, regardless of number of districts therein, after ex-Speaker Twichell and ninth district delegation had first selected seats, and motion prevailed."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the committee on revision and correction of the Journal be amended so as to disclose the original roll call of the House. Motion prevailed.

Mr. Kopp moved that the report of the committee on revision and correction of the Journal be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Olafson moved that the report be corrected on Page 12 of the Journal for the first day to show him voting aye on the Carr motion instead of being listed as absent and not voting.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sagen moved a correction of the Journal on Page 9, in the spelling of the name Wolody for postmaster.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that at Page 8 of the Journal the name of the doorkeeper should be changed to Shearer.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Lackey moved that at Page 9 of the Journal the name of the mailing clerk should be changed to Hamery.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Johnson, of Traill, moved that at Page 10 of the Journal he should be recorded as present and voting aye, instead of absent and not voting.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Larson moved that at Page 8 of the Journal the name Carl Lebo be changed to Earl Lebo.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kopp moved that at Page 9 of the Journal, beginning at the seventh line, the paragraph should read as follows: Mr. Johnson of Traill, moved the election of the following: H. L. Holdren, of Billings county, to be bill clerk; Jacob Mack, of Stark county, to be bill room clerk; L. M. Hamery, of Grant county, to be mailing clerk; N. F. Hedalen, of Walsh county, to be assistant mailing clerk; T. H. Walde, of Ramsey county, to be postmaster; Joseph Fettig, of Pierce county, to be bill messenger, were elected by the following vote: ayes, 83; nays none; absent and not voting, 30.

Which motion prevailed.

At this time the Speaker administered the oath of office to Representative E. B. Kellogg.

The Speaker then administered the oath of office to the following House employees.

C. E. Movius, W. L. Plath, Richard N. Lee, Janette Shipley and Jonas Hall.

Mr. Kopp moved that the House return to the third order of business.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kopp moved that a correction be made on Page 9 of the Journal in the spelling of the name of the janitor, to read Schaefer.

Mr. Hanson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

THIRD DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
January 4, 1923.

The House assembled at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker presiding.

Prayer by Chaplain Rev. Strutz.

Roll Call.

All members present except Cole, Currie, Hardy and Patterson.

Mr. Peters moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL.

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the first day after recess and second day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

Correct spelling of name Fredrickson at lines 13 and 37.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Root moved the adoption of the report of the committee on revision and correction of the Journal.

Which motion prevailed.

**PRESENTATION OF COMMUNICATIONS AND
PETITIONS.**

The following communication was received from the State Budget Board:

The State Budget Board, in its visits to the various state institutions, has been forcibly impressed with the need of immediate and drastic relief at the State Training School at Mandan. The Board finds that, whereas the population of the school has trebled within the last two years, there has been no building appropriation or program to meet this situation. The sanitary conditions are also extremely bad and will be further aggravated by the damming of the Heart River, which project is now under way by the City of Mandan. The Board also finds that small dependent children are not segregated, and under present conditions cannot be segregated, from the larger children who have been committed for delinquency. As a whole, the situation is appalling and relief must be afforded at once. The Board does not care to usurp the powers of the legislature in determining the future policy and development of this institution, so it asks that a joint committee of both houses be immediately appointed, four from the House of Representatives and three from the Senate to make a careful survey of the whole situation and submit its findings and recommendations to the legislative assembly at the earliest possible date.

Dated at Bismarck, North Dakota this 4th day of January, A. D. 1923.

R. A. NESTOS,
Chairman,
WM. WATT,
W. J. CHURCH,
D. C. POINDEXTER,
Secretary.

Mr. Watt moved that the House proceed to the seventh order of business.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Watt moved the adoption of the following Concurrent Resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

By Mr. Watt.

WHEREAS, the report of the State Budget Board upon the situation existing at the State Training School at Mandan seems to be of vital importance and of an emergency nature;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring therein, that the committee asked for be appointed, with full powers to make a thorough investigation of existing conditions and to make recommendations as to the future policy and development of this institution; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the report of such findings and recommendations be submitted to the Legislative Assembly at the earliest possible date.

Resolution adopted.

The Speaker appointed the following committee as requested by the resolution: Dougherty, Miller, Rustad and Johnson of Traill.

Mr. Miller introduced the following Concurrent Resolution and moved its adoption by roll call:

On roll call there were 102 ayes, 7 nays, 4 absent and not voting.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

By J. C. Miller

BE IT RESOLVED, By the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota, the Senate concurring:

WHEREAS, We believe that the Volstead Act as it is now written upon the statute books should remain unchanged, and

WHEREAS, We believe that the same should be rigidly enforced, now

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, assembled in regular session, that the National Congress be urged to permit the same to remain unchanged and that the said Congress do all in its power to the end that the purposes of said Act may be attained.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Secretary of State of the State of North Dakota be requested to forward copies of this Concurrent Resolution immediately upon its passage and approval to the President of the Senate of the United States and the Speaker of the National House of Representatives at Washington, D. C., and to the members of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the National Congress from the State of North Dakota.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Larson	Sagen
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Flom	Loudenbeck	Sims
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lynch	Slominski
Sargent	Fredrickson	McManus	Sproul
Arduser	Freeman	Maddock	Starke
Bollinger	Goranson	Martin	Steen
Boyd	Halcrow	McCay	Streich
Bratsberg	Hanson	McDowell	Shurr
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Swett
	Hart	Miller	Traynor
	Haugland		

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Heaton	Morton	Trubshaw
Burk	Heibling	Muus	Tweten
Burkhart	Hempel	Norden	Twichell
Burns	Hoopel	Oberg	Ulland
Carr	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Cart	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Cole	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
Craig	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Doyle	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Weld
Durkee	Jones	Plath	Yeater
Eckert	Kellogg	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kelly	Quam	
Erickson	Lackey	Radcliffe	
26th Dist.	Lakre	Root	
	Larkin	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Elmer	Henne	Kopp	Rabe
Geiszler	Hodges	Link	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Ehr	Hardy	Patterson

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication was received and read:

Inkster, North Dakota,
December 28th, 1922.

Camp resolution opposing the so-called amended Richmond bill or any similar measure.

WHEREAS, it has come to the notice of Camp No. 2821 of the Modern Woodmen of America, located at Inkster, State of North Dakota, That there is a movement on foot throughout the insurance field in America to have introduced in the legislature of our state during its approaching session legislation affecting fraternal societies and particularly a bill commonly known as the "Richmond Bill" or some modification of that measure, as proposed two years ago, involving the principle of forcing within a specified time the Modern Woodmen and all other fraternal societies, to segregate their mortuary funds, wholly or in part, contributed by members written and new business obtained after a prescribed date, thus destroying the mutuality and violating vested rights of present members, enjoyed by them under their present certificates of membership; and

WHEREAS, there is at the present time provisions in the laws of most, if not all, of the states permitting fraternal societies which desire to do so, to thus voluntarily segregate their funds or classify their members; and

WHEREAS, it is against the interests of the Modern Woodmen of America in this state to segregate its members into classes or to divide its mortuary fund by segrega-

tion, and thus weaken, if indeed not destroy, the stability and value of present certificates in our society; therefore

RESOLVED, by Camp No. 2821 of the Modern Woodmen of America, located at Inkster in the State of North Dakota, that this camp is unalterably opposed to this or any other legislation in this state which FORCES OR COMPELS the Modern Woodmen of America, or any fraternal society to segregate or divide any part of its mortuary contributions made by its members at any time, or to classify its members in any way, shape or form, or will destroy the present mutuality of interest and benefits by our certificates, or that will impair or violate the vested right or interest which the present members have in the society and its assets, as unfair, unjust and in violation of that great principle upon which fraternal societies are based—the right of self determination and the privilege of solving its own problems, whatever they may be without this proposed interference, direction or compulsion of these outside influences.

Signed by M. G. Stokesbury, Consul, and 34 others.

Mr. Kelly moved that the communication be printed in the Journal.

Mr. Twichell moved as an amendment that the communication be printed in the Journal and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Which motion as amended prevailed.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Cole:

The Rembrandt Photograph Studio of Bismarck, North Dakota undertakes and agrees to make one large group picture to include each member of the House and one large group picture to include each member of the Senate and undertakes to hang these two pictures in their respective Chambers, said pictures to hang as permanent fixtures and become the property of the State of North Dakota.

For the above consideration and for the further consideration that the photographs be of first class workmanship, each member of the House and Senate agrees to pay to the Rembrandt Studio the sum of One Dollar and hereby appoint the Rembrandt Photograph Studio as the sole and exclusive photographer of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced the following resolution:

WHEREAS, It has been the custom during past legislative assemblies that all members of the House of Representatives of this state have had photographs taken of themselves for the purpose of making group pictures, and

WHEREAS, The Slorby Studio, (formerly the Holmboe Studio of Bismarck) receives from time to time requests for photographs of the different members from newspapers for the purpose of making cuts, be it

RESOLVED, That each member of this House make it a point to go to the Slorby Studio for the purpose of

having their pictures taken as soon as it is convenient for each member to do so.

Mr. Miller moved both resolutions be printed in the Journal and action deferred until Friday.

Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF
HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Hempel introduced:

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913.

Was read the first and second time and will be referred to the proper committee when appointed.

Courtesies of the floor were extended to G. A. Fraser of Fargo and L. R. Nostdal of Rugby.

Special committee on Committee Rooms reported progress and was granted additional time.

Mr. Watt moved to recess until 1:30 o'clock p. m. January 5, 1923.

Which motion prevailed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD DAY AFTER RECESS AND FOURTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. Dak.
January 5, 1923.

The House convened at 1:30 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess, the Speaker presiding.

The speaker announced the appointment of the following committee on rules: Heaton, chairman; Starke, Miller, McDowell, Eckert, Watt, Sathre, of Steele; Henne, Lynch.

The report of the select committee on printing and distribution of the Journal was read and Mr. Sproul moved the adoption of the report.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be re-referred to the committee and that they meet again with the Senate committee to reconsider the report which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kopp moved the House do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

FOURTH DAY

The House assembled at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, the speaker presiding.

Prayer by Chaplain.

Roll call showed all members present except Currie, Hardy, Hempel and Patterson.

Moved by Kelly that all absent members be excused which motion prevailed.

Mr. Anderson offered the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Committee Rooms begs leave to submit the following report:

We have been able to make a selection of nine rooms which the committee believes will be necessary in order to take care of the committee work. These rooms are nicely located and very serviceable. We secured a room which we think would be very appropriate for the Committee on Appropriations which is a very large storeroom, and this room we secured at the rate of \$120 for the session; light, heat and janitor service to be included. In another building we secured eight rooms; one large room 18x18, five rooms 12x18, three rooms 14x18. These rooms to cost \$50 apiece for the session, which would be \$25 a month; light, heat and janitor service to be included for the above stated price, or a total price of \$520 for the session.

We believe that nine rooms are necessary, and in order to make it possible for what appears to the committee to be the largest and most important committees to have a room whenever they want to meet, we have taken the liberty of suggesting the following assignments for nine of the most important committees:

Committee on Appropriations, Store building.

State Affairs, Room No. 17 Eltinge Building.

Education, Room No. 20 Eltinge Building.

Judiciary, Room No. 6, Eltinge Building.

Taxes and Tax Laws Room No. 18, Eltinge Building.

Agriculture Room No. 7, Eltinge Building.

Highways and Bridges, Room No. 10, Eltinge Building.

Railroads Room No. 15, Eltinge Building.

Election and Election Privileges, Room No. 16.

Your committee would further suggest that the balance of the committees make arrangements with the chairman of the above named committees so that they can use these rooms when the above assigned committees are not using them, and in that way we believe that there will be no trouble in the committees always having a place to meet whenever they need to.

Your committee has co-operated with the Board of Administration and made arrangements with them for the necessary furniture.

VICTOR L. ANDERSON,
Chairman.

JOHN K. OLAFSON,
R. H. WALKER.

Mr. Anderson moved the adoption of the report, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Watt moved that a select committee of nine members be appointed to which committee shall be referred all resolutions until such time as permanent House committees are appointed.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed the following committee: Mr. Trubshaw, Chairman; Mr. Carr, Mr. Yeater, Mr. Bollinger, Mr. Tweten, Mr. Root, Mrs. Craig, Mr. Plath and Mr. Hoople.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Traynor presented a communication opposing the "Richmond Bill."

Mr. Harrington offered the following resolution:

Whereas, It has been the custom of all legislative assemblies to have group pictures hung in the legislative chambers, and

Whereas, The Slorby Studio, offers to make such a group picture and hang same in the House chamber, framed and complete, and further agrees that there shall be no charge whatsoever therefor, therefore be it

Resolved, by the 18th assembly of the House of Representatives, of the State of North Dakota, that the Slorby Studio of Bismarck, North Dakota, be designated official photographer for the House of Representatives of the 18th session of the North Dakota Legislature.

Mr. Harrington moved the adoption of the resolution.

The resolution was referred to the select Committee on Resolutions.

Mr. Trubshaw offered the following Concurrent Resolution and moved its adoption:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Resolved, By the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota, The State Senate Concurring:

That inquiry be made to ascertain the extent to which the interests of the State of North Dakota and its citizens suffered during the last six months by reason of insufficient means of transportation; the causes and nature of the deficiency of transport and the losses consequent thereon.

That such inquiry be referred to a committee composed of five members of the House and three members of the Senate who shall proceed with due diligence to assemble all pertinent information and who shall report their conclusions and recommendations in the premises within 20 days, which report may include a statement of the conditions suitable to be presented to the president and congress of the United States on behalf of the State of North Dakota.

Resolved, further, that a clerk be provided for the use of this investigating committee to take care of the records and clerical work incident to such investigation.

Referred to select Committee on Resolutions.

Mr. Watt offered the following resolution:

Whereas, North Dakota has always been looked upon, primarily, as an agricultural state and the possibilities which exist in the development of other natural resources have not been given the consideration their merits warrant and

Whereas, this is especially true with regard to our great coal and clay deposits which are sure to become more extensively used with the better methods of utilization and

Whereas, experiments have been conducted along these lines for many years by Dean Babcock of the State School of Mines, by power plant engineers and others and

Whereas, there are many new members of the legislative assembly and others among our citizenry, who are

not familiar with either the extent of these resources or with the progress made in their development, therefore be it,

RESOLVED, that the Speaker of the House appoint a committee of three members who shall confer with the Governor and a like committee from the Senate as to arranging for a demonstration in the near future at which could be demonstrated to the members of the legislative assembly and to the general public, the natural resources of our state and the results of the experiments for better utilization of same.

Mr. Watt moved the adoption of the above resolution.

The resolution was referred to the Select Committee on Resolutions:

The Speaker administered the oath of office to Representative Kelly.

The Speaker administered the oath of office to Mr. Fetting.

Mr. Hempel introduced:

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913.

Which was read the first and second times and referred to the Committee on————

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 2. A Bill for an Act to Present to the United States Government a Stone, Suitably Inscribed to Represent the State of North Dakota, said Stone to be Placed in the Washington Monument at Washington, D. C.; Providing for the Presentation of said Stone and Making the Necessary Appropriation Therefor.

Which was read the first and second times.

Mr. Johnson of Pembina introduced:

House Bill No. 3. A Bill for an Act Relating to Proper Meaning of Chapters 130, 131 and 132, Session Laws of 1919.

Which was read the first and second times.

Mr. Heaton introduced:

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

Which was read the first and second times and referred to the Committee on———

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 4, 1923.

Mr. Speaker:

I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Mr. Mikelthun introduced a Concurrent Resolution:

Be it Resolved, By the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring:

Whereas, We believe that the Volstead Act as it is now written upon the statute books should remain unchanged, and

Whereas, We believe that the same should be rigidly enforced, now

Be it Resolved, By the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, assembled in regular session, that the National Congress be urged to permit the same to remain unchanged and that the said Congress do all in its power to the end that the purposes of said Act may be attained:

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved Further, That the Secretary of State of the State of North Dakota be requested to forward copies of this Concurrent Resolution immediately upon its passage and approval to the President of the Senate of the United States and the Speaker of the National House of Representatives at Washington, D. C., and to the members of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the National Congress from the State of North Dakota.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 4, 1923.

Mr. Speaker:

I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

GREAT LAKES-ST. LAWRENCE WATERWAY PROJECT

Senate Concurrent Resolution
Introduced by Mr. Kretschmar

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House or Representatives concurring therein:

WHEREAS, the great and natural resources of the State of North Dakota are yet undeveloped, and said State is dependent upon agriculture for its prosperity, and agriculture being the fundamental basis for prosperity in all northwest states; and

WHEREAS, in a large measure, if not entirely, the price of agricultural products is dependent upon foreign markets; and

WHEREAS, the present rates for transportation of such products are too high to be in just proportion to the price received therefor at terminal markets, and thus has a tendency to curtail the production of the staple articles of agriculture needed by all people in all lands; and

WHEREAS, the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Waterway Project, if completed and perfected, will furnish to the people of the State of North Dakota a cheaper method of transportation of their products to foreign markets, thus assuring them a higher revenue for the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that we do hereby memorialize the Congress of the United States, and respectfully urge that Congress take immediate action towards the passage of such law or laws, which will make possible the early completion and perfection of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Waterway Project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of the Senate send a copy of this Resolution to the President of the United States and the President of the Senate, and Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States, and of the Montana and Minnesota Legislatures respectively, also to our members in Congress.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Moved the House recess for 15 minutes, which motion prevailed.

The House assembled pursuant to recess, the Speaker presiding.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Second Day after Recess and Third Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 3, line 17, in the word "janitor" the letter "t" is omitted.

On page 4, line 21, strike out the word "as."

On page 8 change the number 2 to 1 and add title of bill.

On page 8, line 10, in the word "second," strike out the letter "a" and insert the letter "o."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Speaker and Members of the the House of Representatives:

Your select committee on resolutions to whom was referred the resolution introduced by Mr. Watt providing for the appointment of a committee of three members of the House who shall confer with the governor and a like committee from the Senate to arrange for a demonstration to the members of the legislative assembly and to the general public of the possibilities which exist in the matter of the development of our coal and clay deposits and other natural resources of the state do hereby beg to report as follows:

Your committee has had under consideration said resolution and recommend that the same be adopted.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Your select committee on resolutions to whom was referred the resolution introduced by Mr. Trubshaw providing for an inquiry as to the extent to which the interests of the State of North Dakota and its citizens suffered during the last six months by reason of insufficient means of transportation the causes and nature of the deficiency of transport and the losses consequent thereon, report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended by striking out the last paragraph providing for the employment of a clerk and that as so recommended that the resolution be adopted.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Your select committee on resolutions to whom was referred the resolution offered by Mr. Harrington and also the resolution offered by Mr. Cole, report that they have had under consideration both of said resolutions and beg to report as follows:

Your committee recommends that the resolution offered by Mr. Harrington be adopted appointing the Slorby Studio as official photographer for the House of Representatives of the 18th session of the State of North Dakota, and that further consideration of the resolution offered by Mr. Cole be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to Mr. Wesley White of Des Lacs, N. D., and Mr. A. L. Magnusson of Coleharbor, N. D.

Mr. Root moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 6, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to adjournment, the Speaker presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Roll call. All members present except: Messrs, Currie, Hardy, Maddock, Patterson and Yeater.

Mr. Kopp moved that all absentees be excused; which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL.

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the journal of the Fourth Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 2, line 22, change the number "18" to "17."

On page 2, lines 35 and 37 the word committee is incorrectly spelled.

On page 8 after the word "that" at the end of the 4th line, insert the following, "further consideration of."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Larson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Bollinger presented the following petition, signed by R. A. Mahrer, and 20 others, and moved that same be printed in the Journal:

To the Hon. Jacob Bollinger,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

We, the undersigned, respectfully ask you to use all honorable means at your command to pass such legislation as may raise the bounty on coyotes and also place a bounty of a few cents on magpies.

Those animals and birds have become a menace to the poultry raising business as well as to livestock, wild game of all kinds, as well as song birds and other desirable birds.

We therefore ask you to do what you can toward passing such legislation as may exterminate them.

Mr. Fredrickson presented the following petition, signed by M. J. Borgen, and 16 others:

To the Hon. L. O. Fredrickson,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

We, the undersigned, Rural Letter Carriers of Nelson County, petition you to use your influence to re-enact Sec. 2976p R. C. 1913, relating to expenditure of Automobile License monies for repairs and maintenance of highways, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith,

Mr. Fredrickson moved that the petition be printed in the Journal.

Mr. Miller moved that all petitions and communications received by this legislative assembly, relating to legislation or in any way connected with the business of this assembly, be printed in the Journal without the necessity of a motion to that effect being made.

Mr. Jackson moved as an amendment that no two communications upon the same subject and drawn in identical terms be printed in the Journal.

Mr. Twichel moved that the House continue in effect the practice of the past several sessions in allowing members, with the consent of the House, to have printed in the Journal any petitions and communications desired, upon proper motion.

The question being on the motion to amend by Mr. Jackson, a vote was taken and the amendment lost.

The question then being on the motion by Mr. Miller, a vote was taken and the motion lost.

Mr. Fredrickson moved that the petition which he presented be printed in the Journal. Which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee appointed to confer with a like Committee from the Senate would report as follows:

We recommend the printing of 3,000 copies of the House and Senate Journals of each day's proceedings of each house and that there be assigned to the presiding officer of the House and Senate, also to each member of the respective houses, ten copies of this Journal, and that in addition thereto there be placed on the mailing list all state institutions, public libraries, State Historical Society, high schools, consolidated rural schools, all county judges, county auditors, the auditor of each incorporated city, the president of the village council of each incorporated village, that any newspaper published in the state, any farmers' club or commercial club within the state, may be

placed on the mailing list at the request of any member of either house; that all bills and journals authorized by this resolution to be printed shall be delivered by the printer direct to the Secretary of the Publication and Printing Commission who shall receipt therefor to the printer.

And we recommend that each member of the House hand to the Chairman of this Committee a list of names and addresses to whom he wishes copies mailed, such list to be handed by the Chairman to the mailing clerk.

And we would recommend that there be printed 500 copies of the permanent journals, the 500 copies of the permanent journals herein provided for to be distributed as follows : One copy to each member of the respective Houses and the balance to be delivered to the office of the Secretary of State and by him to be distributed as provided by law.

There is also to be printed 1,000 copies of each bill introduced in either House.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report of the Joint Committee be adopted. Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that the Speaker be authorized to appoint a committee of three members of the House to act as a permanent committee on employment.

Which motion prevailed.

The House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Thorwald Rustad of the House.

BE IT RESOLVED, By the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota, the Senate concurring:

WHEREAS, For two years last past the wheat farmers of the Northwest have been operating under such adverse conditions that it has been impossible to obtain from their crops sufficient returns to pay the cost of production, and

WHEREAS, Wheat prices during the past year have suffered new and serious deflation while the cost of all the necessities of the farming business have continued at or near the war level; and

WHEREAS, It seems eminent that the low level of wheat prices will continue unless some governmental influence is brought to bear, and there appears to be no reasonable prospect of a decline in the price of the necessities of the wheat farmer; and

WHEREAS, The very existence of the wheat farming of the Northwest is threatened, and the population of that region is in danger of utter ruination,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the House of Representatives, of the State of North Dakota, the Senate concurring, that we do hereby memorialize the Congress of the United States, and respectfully petition and urge that the Federal Government take immediate steps to stabilize the price of wheat by the fixing of a minimum price therefor that will be sufficient to compensate the farmer for having produced it and leave him a margin of profit for his toil and his investment, and that the government by appropriate laws put its credit back of the undertaking to whatever extent may be necessary to insure its success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the chief clerk of the house forward a copy of this resolution, duly attested, to the Senators and Members of Congress from this state.

Referred to select committee on resolutions.

At the time the Speaker appointed a committee, at the request of Mr. Watt, to arrange for a demonstration of North Dakota resources, consisting of Messrs. Watt, Elmer and Bryans.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS AND MEMORIALS

A Senate Concurrent Resolution(introduced by Mr. Miklethun, was placed on first and second reading.

Mr. Miller moved that the concurrent resolution be referred to the select committee on resolutions and that action on same be deferred until it is determined what action is taken by the Senate on the House concurrent resolution on the same subject. Which motion prevailed.

The Senate concurrent resolution introduced by Mr. Kretschmar was read and referred to the select committee on resolutions.

The House referred to the fifth order of business.

REPORT OF HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Rules respectfully reports that it has met and had under consideration the adoption of a set of rules for the government of the House during the present Session. Your Committee finds that the rules adopted by the Seventeenth Legislative Session are hard to be improved upon, and will be a proper set of rules for the government of the House during this Session. The only changes recommended are as follows: In Rule No. 40 of the rules adopted by the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly, we recommend that the Committee on Insurance consist of thirteen members instead of eleven, and that the Committee on Banking consist of thirteen members instead of eleven.

Your Committee hereby states that the Senate Rules Committee have been interviewed in regard to joint com-

mittees, and that the Senate Rules Committee contemplates the appointment of like joint committees. Your committee does hereby recommend the adoption of the House Rules as adopted by the Seventeenth Legislative Session, with the changes noted.

L. E. HEATON,
Chairman.

Mr. Heaton moved that the report of the Committee on Rules be adopted. Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Durkee and Mr. Rustad.

WHEREAS, the Hon. Chris Ness, a member of the Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Seventeenth Sessions of the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota, from the 12th Legislative District, has been called to his eternal home; and

WHEREAS, we, the members of this House who sat with him in former Sessions, and the members of this Session, view his departure from among us with sincere and profound sorrow, and desire to extend to his widow and family our sympathy and to convey to them a slight tribute of our love and esteem for him as a friend, a citizen, a legislator and a Christian gentleman;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be caused to be engrossed and forwarded by the Chief Clerk of the House to the widow of the late Chris Ness; and that this House immediately upon the adoption of this resolution recess until Monday, January 8th, at the hour of 1:30 p. m.

Mr. Durkee and Mr. Rustad moved the adoption of this resolution by a rising vote.

Which resolution and motion prevailed and the House took a recess until 1:30 p. m., Monday, January 8, 1923.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND SEVENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 8, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 1:30 p. m., pursuant to recess, the Speaker presiding.

The House referred to the Eighth Order of Business.

The Speaker: On motion made Saturday by Mr. Jackson, for the appointment of a permanent committee on employment to fill any vacancies which may occur, I will appoint on such committee Messrs. Jackson, Weld and Heaton.

Mr. Twichell asked the consent of the House to refer to the Seventh Order of Business for the purpose of making a motion.

House referred to the seventh order of business.

Mr. Twichell: I move you that the Rules of the House as adopted yesterday be printed in the Journal to precede the publication of the committees as announced today.

Which motion prevailed.

RULES OF THE HOUSE

1. The Speaker shall take the chair at the time to which the House stands adjourned, and the House shall then be called to order, and the roll of members called and the name of the absentees entered upon the Journal of the House.

2. Upon the appearance of a quorum the Journal of the preceding day shall be referred to the Committee on Revision and Correction. Any mistakes therein shall be corrected by the committee and reported to the House for action.

3. Thirty-six members of the House may order a call of the House and cause absent members to be sent for, but a call must not be made while a vote is being taken. The call being moved, the Speaker shall require those desiring the call to rise, and if thirty-six or more members shall rise the call shall be ordered. The call being ordered, the sergeant-at-arms shall close the door and allow no member to leave the room. The clerk shall then call the roll and furnish the sergeant-at-arms with a list of those members absent without leave, and that officer must proceed forthwith to find and bring in such absentees. While the House is under call no business can be transacted except to receive and act upon the report of the sergeant-at-arms and no motion is in order except a motion to suspend further proceedings under the call, and said motion shall not be adopted unless a majority of all members-elect vote in favor thereof. Upon a report of the sergeant-at-arms

showing that all members who were absent without leave, naming them, are present, the call shall be at an end, and the doors shall be opened, and the business pending at the time the call was made be proceeded with.

4. The Speaker shall preserve order and decorum and decide all questions of order subject to an appeal to the House.

5. The Speaker shall vote on all questions taken by ayes and nays (except on appeals from his own decisions) and in all elections or decisions called for by any member.

6. When the House adjourns the members shall keep their seats until the Speaker announces the adjournment.

7. Every member previous to his speaking shall rise from his seat and respectfully address "Mr. Speaker," and remain standing in his place before proceeding to speak until he is recognized by the chair.

8. When two or more members rise at the same time to speak, the Speaker must designate the member who is to speak, but in all cases the member who shall rise first and address the chair may speak first.

9. No member shall speak more than twice on the same subject without leave of the House, nor more than once until every member choosing to speak on the subject pending shall have spoken, nor shall any member occupy more than ten minutes at the first time, nor more than five minutes at the second time, without unanimous consent of the House.

10. No motion shall be debated or put unless the same be seconded. It must then be stated by the Speaker before the debate and any such motion must be reduced to writing if the Speaker or any member desires it.

11. After the motion shall be stated by the Speaker, it shall be deemed to be in possession of the House, but may be withdrawn at any time before amendment or decision, but all motions, resolutions or amendments must be entered on the Journal, whether rejected or adopted.

12. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but to adjourn (to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone to a day certain, to commit or amend, to postpone indefinitely)—which several motions shall have precedence in the order which they stand arranged.

13. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, except when a member is addressing the chair or a vote is being taken; that, and the motion to lay upon the table, shall be decided without debate.

14. The previous question shall be in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" It shall be admitted only when demanded by a majority of the members present, and its effect shall be to put an end to all debate, and bring the House to a direct vote upon the amendments reported by a committee, if any, upon the pending amendments

and then upon the main question. On a motion for the previous question, and prior to the seconding of the same, a call of the House shall be in order, but after a majority shall have seconded such motion, no call shall be in order prior to decision of the main question.

15. When the previous question is decided in the negative it shall leave the main question under debate for the remainder of the sitting unless sooner disposed of in some other manner.

16. All incidental questions of order arising after motion is made for the previous question, during the pendency of such motion, or after the House shall have determined that the main question shall be now put shall be decided, whether on appeal or otherwise without debate.

17. Petitions, memorials and other papers addressed to the House shall be presented by the Speaker or by a member in his place.

18. Every member who is present, before the vote is declared from the chair, must vote for or against the question before the House, unless the House excuse him or unless he is immediately interested in the question, in which case he must not vote.

19. When the Speaker is putting the question, no member shall walk out of, or across the House, nor when a member is speaking, shall any person entertain any private discourse, or pass between the person speaking and the chair.

20. If a question in debate contains several propositions, any member may have the same divided.

21. A member called to order must immediately sit down unless permitted to explain, and the House, if appealed to, must decide the case. If there be no appeal, the decision of the chair shall stand. On appeal no member shall speak more than once without leave of the House. When a member is called to order for offensive language there shall be no debate.

22. A bill can only be introduced on the report of a committee or on a call for bills, or by a motion for leave.

23. Every bill or resolution for amendment of the Constitution shall be in typewritten form and shall be introduced in triplicate and have endorsed thereon its title and the name of the member or the committee introducing the same. One of such triplicates shall be delivered to the chairman of the committee to which it is referred, one shall remain in the custody of the Chief Clerk until otherwise directed by the House, (and the third shall be for the use of the newspaper man reporting the proceedings of the Legislature.)

24. Every bill or resolution referred to a committee, except appropriation bills, must be returned to the House with the committee's report thereon not later than the 7th day after its reference, unless upon application by the committee an extension of time is granted within which to

consider it. And in case the same is not so reported on the 7th day after its reference and such time is not extended, it shall go automatically on to the Calendar of Bills for consideration by the Committee of the Whole.

25. No appropriation bill shall be introduced, except upon the unanimous request of the Committee on Introduction of Delayed Bills, after the 25th day of the session; and, no other bill or resolution for amendment of the Constitution shall be introduced without such request of such committee, after the 35th day of the session.

26. Every bill, memorial, order and resolution, requiring the approval of the Governor, or a change in the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, shall, after second reading, be referred to its appropriate committee, and if reported without amendment, shall pass to its third reading, unless otherwise ordered, and when amended it shall go to Committee of the Whole House.

27. All bills shall be properly engrossed before their final passage.

28. No amendment shall be received on the third reading, except to fill blanks, without unanimous consent of the House, but all bills and resolutions may be committed at any time previous to their passage. If any amendment be reported on such commitment by any other than a committee of the whole, it shall be read a second time, and the question of third reading and passage put.

29. No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted, under color of amendment; no bill or resolution shall at any time be amended by annexing thereto, or incorporating therewith, any other bill or resolution pending before the House.

30. In forming a committee of the whole House the Speaker shall appoint a chairman to preside.

31. Bills committed to the committee of the whole House shall be read, be open to amendment, and debated by sections, unless otherwise ordered, leaving the title to be last considered; all amendments shall be noted in writing and reported to the House by the chairman.

32. All questions, whether in committee, or in the House, shall be put in the order in which they are moved, except in the case of privileged questions, and in filling blanks the largest sum and the longest time shall be first put.

33. A similar mode of procedure shall be observed with bills which have originated in and passed the Senate as with bills which have originated in the House except that they shall not be printed nor engrossed or enrolled.

34. No motion for reconsideration shall be in order unless on the same day or the day following that on which the decision proposed to be reconsidered took place, nor unless one of the majority shall move a reconsideration.

35. When notice of intention to move the reconsideration of any bill or joint resolution shall be given by a member, the clerk of the House shall retain the said bill or joint resolution until after the time during which the said motion can be made unless the same can previously be disposed of.

36. Any member who votes on the majority side of a question may move a reconsideration of the same, which motion shall be decided by a majority vote.

37. The rules of the House shall be observed in committee of the whole House so far as may be applicable except that the ayes and nays shall not be called, the previous question enforced nor the time of speaking limited.

38. A motion that the committee rise shall always be in order and shall be decided without debate.

39. No bill reported from standing or select committees or from the committee of the whole shall come up for a third reading until the first day after such report unless the House by a two-thirds vote otherwise orders.

Section 40. Standing committees shall be appointed on the following subjects:

On agriculture to consist of nineteen members.

On appropriations to consist of nineteen members.

On Appointment to consist of a member from each senatorial district.

On Banking to consist of thirteen members.

On Counties to consist of nine members.

On Corporations other than municipal to consist of nine members.

On Mines and Mining to consist of nine members.

On Delayed Bills to consist of five members.

On Drainage and Irrigation to consist of fifteen members.

On Education to consist of seventeen members.

On Election and Election Privileges to consist of fifteen members.

On Engrossment and Enrollment to consist of nine members.

On Federal Relations to consist of nine members.

On Game and Fish to consist of nine members.

On Highways and Bridges to consist of seventeen members.

On Insurance to consist of thirteen members.

On Rules to consist of nine members.

On Judiciary to consist of nineteen members.

On Live Stock to consist of nine members.

On Cities and Municipal corporations to consist of nine members.

On Military Affairs to consist of nine members.

On Mileage and Per Diem to consist of three members.

On Public Health to consist of nine members.

On Public Debt to consist of eleven members.

On Public Printing to consist of nine members.

On Revision and Correction of the House Journal, to consist of seven members.

On Railroads to consist of seventeen members.

On School and Public Lands to consist of nine members.

On State Affairs to consist of nineteen members.

On Temperance to consist of fifteen members.

On Tax and Tax Laws to consist of seventeen members.

On Warehouse and Grain Grading to consist of fifteen members.

On Ways and Means to consist of fifteen members.

JOINT COMMITTEES

Also joint committees on the following subjects:

Charitable Institutions to consist of seven members.

Educational Institutions to consist of seven members.

Penal Institutions to consist of seven members.

Insurance to consist of seven members.

Labor to consist of seven members.

Public Buildings to consist of seven members.

Joint Rules to consist of seven members.

State Library to consist of seven members.

41. The chairman of the committee on introduction of delayed bills shall be selected by the members of the committee. On all other committees the first-named member shall be the chairman, and, in his absence or being excused by the House, the next member named, and so on as often as the case shall happen, shall act as chairman.

42. The committee on the introduction of delayed bills shall receive from the chief clerk all bills offered for introduction after the time for introduction as heretofore limited, and shall, on the same or the next day after receiving such bills, report to the House its conclusion whether the introduction thereof should be allowed, and if such report is unanimously in favor of the introduction thereof the bill shall be thereupon deemed duly introduced.

43. The committee on engrossment shall examine all bills after they are engrossed and report the same to the House correctly engrossed before their third reading; said committee may report at any time.

44. The committee on enrollment shall examine all House bills and memorials which have passed the two Houses, and when reported correctly enrolled, they shall be presented to the presiding officers of the House and Senate for their signatures, and when so signed, presented to the Governor for his approval; said committee may report at any time.

45. Select committees to whom reference shall have been made, must, in all cases, report a state of facts and their opinion to the House.

46. In all cases where a bill, order or resolution, or motion shall be entered upon the Journal of the House, the name of the member moving the same shall be entered on the Journal.

47. No person shall be admitted within the bar of the House except the executive, members of the Senate, state officers, judges of the supreme court and district courts, members of Congress, ex-members of the Legislative Assembly, delegates to the state constitutional convention, all federal officers of the state and reporters for newspapers, except by card of the Speaker. Any person lobbying on the floor of the House shall forfeit the privilege granted by this rule.

48. After calling the House to order the order of business for the day shall be as follows

1. Prayer by the chaplain.
2. Calling the roll.
3. Reference to the Journal.
4. Presentation of petitions and communications.
5. Reports of standing committees.
6. Reports of select committees.
7. Motions and resolutions.
8. Unfinished business.
9. Introduction of bills and memorials.
10. First and second readings of House bills and memorials.

11. Third reading of the same.
12. Consideration of messages from the Senate.
13. First and second readings of Senate bills and memorials.
14. Third reading of the same.
15. Consideration of general orders.

49. Whenever the report of any committee of conference contains several modifications or amendments, any member may have the same divided, and the question of concurrence taken separately upon each modification or amendment.

50. When the House has arrived at the "general orders of the day," it shall go into committee of the whole upon such orders or a particular order designated by a vote of the House, and no other business shall be in order until the whole are considered or passed, or the committee rise; and unless a particular bill is ordered up the committee of the whole shall consider, act upon, or pass the general order, according to the order of reference.

51. The Speaker may leave the chair, and appoint a member to preside, but not for a longer time than one day, except by leave of the House.

52. The rules of parliamentary practice adopted by the House of Representatives of the United States shall govern the House in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the standing rules of the House, and the joint rules and orders of the Senate and House of Representatives.

53. No rule of the House shall be suspended, altered or amended without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members of the whole House.

54. The hour of the daily meeting of the House shall be 2 o'clock in the afternoon, until the House directs otherwise.

55. The ayes and nays shall not be ordered unless demanded by one-sixth of the members present except on the final passage of bills, concurrent resolutions to amend the Constitution, and memorials, in which case ayes and nays shall be had without demand.

56. In case of all the members of any committee, required or entitled to report on any subject referred to them cannot agree upon any report the majority and minority may each make a special report, and any member dissenting in whole or in part, from the reasonings and conclusions of both majority and minority may also present to the House a statement of his reasonings and conclusions; and all reports, if decorous in language, and respectful to the House, shall be entered at length on the Journal.

57. No smoking shall be allowed in the House while in session.

58. No member or any other person shall remain by the clerk's desk when the ayes and nays are being called.

59. In case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the lobby or gallery, the Speaker or chairman of the committee of the whole shall have power to order the same to be cleared.

60. No member or officer of the House, unless he, from illness or other cause shall be unable to attend, shall absent himself from a session of the House during an entire day without first having obtained leave of absence, and no one shall be entitled to draw pay while absent more than one day without leave.

61. Neither the chief clerk nor his assistant shall permit any records or papers belonging to the House to be taken out of their custody otherwise than in the regular course of business. The chief clerk shall report all missing bills, resolutions and papers to the Speaker; shall have general supervision of all clerical duties appertaining to the business of the House, shall perform under the direction of the Speaker, all duties pertaining to the office, and shall also keep a book showing the situation and progress of all the bills, memorials and joint resolutions.

62. At least one day's notice shall be given of the introduction of any motion or resolution calling for or involving the expenditure or any money.

63. The chairmen of the different standing committees shall send to the chief clerk's desk, to be read previous to adjournment, notice of the time and place of meeting of such committee.

64. All bills and resolutions for amendments of the Constitution shall be printed unless otherwise ordered.

JOINT RULES

1. Each House shall transmit to the other all papers on which any bill or resolution shall be founded.

2. When a bill or resolution which shall have passed in one House is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be given to the House in which the same may have passed.

3. Messages from one House to the other shall be communicated by the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House of Representatives, unless the House transmitting the message shall especially direct otherwise.

4. It shall be in the power of either House to amend any amendment made by the other to any bill or resolution.

5. In every case of a difference between the Two Houses upon any subject of legislation, if either House shall request a conference and appoint a committee for that purpose, and the other House shall also appoint a committee, such committee shall meet at such hour and

place as shall be agreed on by the Chairman; and state to each other, verbally, or in writing, as either may choose, the reasons of their respective Houses, and confer freely thereon; and they shall be authorized to report to their respective Houses such modifications as they think advisable.

6. It shall be in order for either House to recede from any subject matter of difference existing between the two Houses at any time previous to a conference, whether the papers on which difference has arisen are before the House receding formally or informally, and a majority shall govern, except in cases where two-thirds are required by the Constitution, and the question having been put and lost, shall not be again put the same day, and the consideration thereof in other respects shall be regulated by the rules of the respective Houses.

7. After each house has adhered to its disagreement and the bill which is the subject of difference shall be deemed lost, it shall not be again revived during the same session in either House, unless by consent of three-fourths of the members present of the House reviving it.

8. The same bill shall not create, renew or continue more than one incorporation, nor contain any provision in relation to the altering of more than one act of incorporation, or shall the same bill appropriate public money or property for more than one purpose. Any bill appropriating moneys for the payment of the officers of the government shall be confined to that purpose exclusively.

9. No duplicate of any bill, which may have been introduced and printed by one House shall, upon introduction into the other House, be printed by said other House, except by a two-thirds vote of all the members present.

10. Whenever a time shall have been previously fixed for an adjournment of the Legislature before the constitutional limitation thereof, no bill that shall have passed one House shall be sent for concurrence to the other on either of the last four days of the session, and in case no such time for adjournment is fixed, other than the constitutional limitation, no bill that shall have passed one House shall be sent to the other for concurrence after the 50th day of the session.

11. The Committee on Enrolled Bills in each of the two Houses shall act jointly in the examination of all bills and resolutions before their presentation to the Governor, either as a body or by such respective sub-committees as such committees may appoint for that purpose.

12. Whenever both Houses by the constitutional vote, direct that any act or resolution shall take effect immediately or at any time before July 1, following the session of the Legislature, a proviso shall be added at the enrollment of the same in words to this effect: "This act shall take effect immediately (or indays)."

13. Every resolution by which any money or other property of the state shall be donated or appropriated, or

by which any expense to the state shall be incurred, or which shall have an operation or effect outside of the two Houses of the Legislature, except such appropriation and expenses as shall be for the exclusive use, necessity or convenience of the Legislature, shall be either a joint or concurrent resolution, and shall take the same course as a bill, and shall be enrolled and presented to the Governor for his signature before the same shall take effect.

14. Either House shall return any bill or resolution called for by resolution of the other House, if the bill or resolution is yet in possession of the House called upon, and no action thereon has been had. In case action has been had, then it shall require a two-thirds vote of the House asked to return a bill or resolution called for.

The Speaker then announced the appointment of the following permanent committees:

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE: Anderson of Burleigh, Chairman; Johnson of Traill, Franson, McDowell, Doyle, Slominski, Erickson of Griggs and Steele, Olafson, Kopp, Shurr, Orange, Traynor, Anderson of Burke and Divide, Burk, Martin, Geiszler, Quam, Loudenbeck, Radcliffe.

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS: Watt of Cass, Chairman; McGauvran, Root, Fredrickson, Sims, Bollinger, Peters, Arduser, Halcrow, Opland, Veitch, Maddock, Kelly, Lackey, Elmer, Rustad, Olson of Ransom, Ellingson, Lakie.

APPORTIONMENT COMMITTEE: Johnson of Traill, Eighth District, Chairman; Halcrow, First District; Burkhardt, Second District; Levin, Third District; Slominski, Fourth District; Hanson, Fifth District; Freeman, Sixth District; Veitch, Seventh District; Twichell, Ninth District; Plath, Tenth District; Watt, Eleventh District; Durkee, Twelfth District; Cole, Thirteenth District; Olson of Ransom, Fourteenth District; Trubshaw, Fifteenth District; Erickson of Griggs and Steele, Sixteenth District; Johnson of Nelson, Seventeenth District; McGauvran, Eighteenth District; McManus, Nineteenth District; Goranson, Twentieth District; Sagen, Twenty-First District; Olson of Towner, Twenty-Second District; Quade, Twenty-Third District; Arduser, Twenty-Fourth District; Root, Twenty-Fifth District; Yeater, Twenty-Sixth District; Heaton, Twenty-Seventh District; Miller, Twenty-Eighth District; Burns, Twenty-Ninth District; Elmer, Thirtieth District; Starke, Thirty-First District; Burk, Thirty-Second District; Hart, Thirty-Third District; Lazier, Thirty-Fourth District; Hempel, Thirty-Fifth District; Kelly, Thirty-Sixth District; Radcliffe, Thirty-Seventh District; Jones, Thirty-Eighth District; Martin, Thirty-Ninth District; Kellogg, Fortieth District; Eckert, Forty-First District; Larson, Forty-Second District; Patterson, Forty-Third District; Maddock, Forty-Fourth District; Bryans, Forty-Fifth District; Oberg, Forty-Sixth District; Lackey, Forty-Seventh District; Morton, Forty-Eighth District, Bratsberg, Forty-Ninth District.

COMMITTEE ON BANKING: Carr of Stutsman, Chairman; Plath, Vogel, Heaton, Ellingson, Weld, Currie, Ehr, Erickson of Emmons and Kidder, Hart, Steen, Rustad, Weisbeck.

COMMITTEE ON CITIES AND MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS: Freeman of Grand Forks, Chairman; Johnson of Traill, Weisbeck, Jardine, Olson of Ransom, Flom, Walker, Carr, Ehr.

COMMITTEE ON COUNTIES: Quade of Stutsman, Chairman; McGauvran, Cart, Veitch, Johnson of Nelson, Tweten, Radcliffe, Patterson, Bollinger.

COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS OTHER THAN MUNICIPAL: Lackey of Grant, Chairman; Anderson of Burleigh, Opland, Sproul, Rabe, Bratsberg, Geiszler, Sethre, John; Goranson.

COMMITTEE ON DELAYED BILLS: Plath of Cass, Chairman; Johnson of Traill, Kopp, Larson, Lynch.

COMMITTEE ON DRAINAGE AND IRRIGATION: Olafson of Pembina Chairman; Ulland, Patterson, Durkee, Anderson of Sargent, Slominski, Sims, Rustad, Jardine, Bratsberg, McGauvran, Link, Norden, Tweten, Brown.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION: Trubshaw of Barnes, Chairman; Sproul, Halcrow, Burkhart, Freeman; Miller, Cole, Hempel, Sagen, Hoople, Dougherty, Sathre, P. O., Olson of Towner, Craig, Henne, Brown, Swett, Burkhart.

COMMITTEE ON ELECTION AND ELECTION PRIVILEGES: Jackson of Ramsey, Chairman; Heaton, Frandson, Johnson of Nelson; Streich, Hanson, Weld, Ulland; Haugland, Kopp, Weisbeck, Olson of Towner, Rabe, Iverson, Johnson of Traill.

COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT: Cole of Sargent, Chairman; Boyd, Kellogg, Sagen, Bryans, Norden, Sims, Currie, McCay.

COMMITTEE ON FEDERAL RELATIONS: Johnson of Pembina, Chairman; Weld, Johnson of Traill, Hempel, Burk, Muus, Hardy, Orange, Rustad.

COMMITTEE ON GAME AND FISH: Durkee of Richland, Chairman; Harrington, Lazier, Bollinger, Slominski, Yeater, Hart, Oberg, Hodges.

COMMITTEE ON HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES. McGauvran of Cavalier, Chairman; Olafson, Eckert, Burk, Oberg, Jardine, Lynch, Cart, Norden, Streich, Goranson, Steen, Traynor, Vogel, Freeman, Twichell, Helbling.

COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE: Peters of Pierce, Chairman; Kopp, Lazier, Jardine, Arduser, McDowell, Helbling, Johnson of Pembina; Fredrickson, Muus, Traynor, Lakie, Ulland.

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY: Starke of Stark, Chairman; Carr, Sathre, P. O., Twichell, Larkin, Johnson of

Pembina, McManus, Ellingson, Morton, Sagen, Larson, Weld, Hanson, Walker, Link, Trubshaw, Anderson of Divide, Goranson, Plath.

COMMITTEE ON LIVESTOCK: McDowell of Cavalier, Chairman; Olafson, McManus, Root, Arduser, Hodges, Geiszler, Shurr, Henne.

COMMITTEE ON MILEAGE AND PER DIEM: Sagen of Ramsey, Chairman; Burkhart, Halcrow.

COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AFFAIRS: Lynch of Richland, Chairman; Boyd, Cart, Starke, Harrington, Sethre, John; Johnson of Nelson, Loudenbeck, Currie.

COMMITTEE ON MINES AND MINING: Burns of Ward, Chairman; Anderson of Burleigh, Morton, Bollinger, Kopp, Lakie, Brown, Fedge, Henne.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC DEBT: Ulland of Traill, Chairman; Cole, Patterson, Quade, Watt, Tweten, Ehr, Steen, Geiszler, Hoople, Harrington.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH: Sagen of Ramsey, Chairman; Sproul, Bryans, Anderson of Burleigh, Erickson of Emmons and Kidder, Rabe, Radcliffe, Fedge, Hodges.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC PRINTING: Miller of Bottineau, Chairman; Boyd, Trubshaw, McCay, Cole, Burns, Anderson of Divide, Quade, Flom.

COMMITTEE ON RAILROADS: Root of Dickey, Chairman; Plath, McManus, Peters, Norden, Sims, Carr, Levin, Muus, Olson of Ransom, Radcliffe, Vogel, Hanson, Helbling, Veitch, Hardy, Johnson of Nelson.

COMMITTEE ON REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL: Orange of Stutsman, Chairman; Traynor, Cart, Burk, Craig, Harrington, Haugland.

COMMITTEE ON RULES: Heaton of Burleigh, Chairman; Watt, Miller, McDowell, Eckert, Starke, Henne, Sathre, P. O; Lynch.

COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL AND PUBLIC LANDS: Hanson of Grand Forks, Chairman; Ulland, Opland, Quade, Fredrickson, Dougherty, McCay, Geiszler, Rabe.

COMMITTEE ON STATE AFFAIRS: Twichell of Cass, Chairman; Olafson, Burkhart, Sproul, Maddock, Burns, Harrington, Bryans, Eckert, Durkee, Iverson, Cole, Flom, Streich, Jackson, Sethre, John; Orange, Quam, Muus.

COMMITTEE ON TAX AND TAX LAWS: Jardine of Cass, Chairman; Freeman, Patterson, Olafson, Kellogg, McDowell, Quade, Elmer, Jackson, Larkin, Brown, Hempel, Larson, Jones, Ehr, Swett, Anderson of Burleigh.

COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE: Halcrow of Pembina, Chairman; Hanson, Miller, Johnson of Traill, Hoople, Opland, Ellingson, Doyle, Dougherty, Rabe, Craig, Anderson of Burleigh, Anderson of Sargent, Hart, Hodges.

COMMITTEE ON WAREHOUSE AND GRAIN GRADING: Larson of Pierce, Chairman; Cole, Doyle, Slominski, Yeater, Freeman, Hoople, Geiszler, Frandson, Heaton, Levin, Sagen, Flom, Cart, Burk.

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS: Kelly of Logan, Chairman; Sproul, Oberg, Starke, Martin, Boyd, Craig, Ulland, Walker, Goranson, Loudenbeck, Lynch, Muus, Sethre, John; Olson of Towner.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS:

Boyd of Cass, Chairman; Orange, Erickson of Emmons and Kidder, Slominski, Shurr, McDowell, Hardy.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS: Weld of Wells, Chairman; Bollinger, Olafson, Martin, Brown, Jones, Sagen.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE: Flom of Cavalier, Chairman; Arduser, Johnson of Pembina; Elmer, Peters, Steen, Jackson.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON JOINT RULES: Eckert of Williams, Chairman; Traynor, Twichell, Miller, Lackey, Swett, Starke.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON LABOR: Larkin of Eddy and Foster, Chairman; Boyd, Plath, Hardy, Burns, Lakie, Currie.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON PENAL INSTITUTIONS: Vogel of McLean, Chairman; Goranson, Dougherty, Link, Rustad, Frandson, Veitch.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS: Kopp of Stark, Chairman; Sathre, P. O.; Jackson, Fedge, Hart, Yeater, Johnson of Nelson.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON STATE LIBRARY: Ellingson of Traill, Chairman; Quam, Dougherty, Levin, Rustad, Johnson of Nelson, Morton.

Mr. Jackson: On behalf of the permanent committee on employment I desire to make the following nominations: Mr. C. R. Verry, as clerk of the committee on appropriations; and Miss Joos as head stenographer of the House.

The roll being called disclosed that Mr. Verry was elected by the following vote: Ayes, 103; nays, 0; absent and not voting, 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lakie	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Frandson	Larkin	Root
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Rustad
	Freeman	Lazler	Sagea

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Geizler	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Goranson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sims
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Starke
Burkhart	Hart	McCay	Steen
Burns	Haugland	McDowell	Streich
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Swett
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Traynor
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Tweten
Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Olafson	Ulland
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Vogel
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Walker
Erickson	Jones	Peters	Weld
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Plath	Weisbeck

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	
Ehr	Maddock	Watt	

The Speaker announced the election of Mr. Verry and the assignment of Miss Joos to the position of head stenographer of the House.

The Speaker at this time administered the Oath of Office to Representative Hardy, of the 39th district, and to Mr. C. R. Verry.

Mr. Peters moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

SEVENTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 8, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Roll Call. All members present except: Messrs. Bratsberg, Currie, Ehr, Henne, Maddock, Patterson, Quam, Watt, and Yeater.

Mr. Peters moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Fifth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 2, line 22, change the name of "Nelson" to "Fredrickson."

On page 2, line 28, the word motion is incorrectly spelled.

On page 4, after line 37, add the words: "Which motion prevailed."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trubshaw: As chairman of the select committee on resolutions, I move that all resolutions now in the hands of such select committee be re-referred to the proper permanent committees as announced by the Speaker, and that the select committee be discharged.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller: I move that action on the concurrent resolution, originating in the Senate and having reference to the Volstad Act, be indefinitely postponed, for the reason that an identical concurrent resolution, introduced in the House, has been passed by the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved that all resolutions relating to the same subject be referred to the same standing committee by the Speaker.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson introduced the following concurrent resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by A. B. Jackson, Jr.,

21st District.

BE IT RESOLVED, By the House of Representatives of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, the Senate Concurring therein:

WHEREAS, Since the cessation of the war with Germany and the removal of the minimum wheat price guaranty of the Federal Government in effect during a part of the period of said war, the price of wheat to the wheat producer of the Northwest has depreciated to a point far below the cost of production; and

WHEREAS, The general level of prices on articles which the wheat producer is obliged to buy and consume gives no promise of a proportionate reduction, but on the contrary appears to be increasing at this time; and

WHEREAS, These circumstances have caused an unprecedented condition of distress to the wheat producer of the Northwest, and to all legitimate enterprises more or less directly dependent upon his prosperity and solvency, which condition of distress is so acute as to threaten a great loss of population in the farming communities of the Northwest, accompanied by consequent insolvency, bankruptcy and other results so dire and serious as to directly and indirectly affect a large proportion of the population of the nation; and

WHEREAS, We are fully aware of the fallacy of the policy of government price fixing in times of peace except to correct a serious injustice done to a large and important element of the population by an emergency war measure; and

WHEREAS, The Federal Guaranty of a minimum price on wheat during a part of the war period was, in fact, a serious injustice to the wheat producer of the Northwest, resulting as it did in greatly reducing his price far below the level of the price which supply and demand conditions would have otherwise created, and which therefore operated as an actual and artificial reduction and limitation of his price and not as a subsidy; and

WHEREAS, The Northwest wheat producer, alone among all the producers in the United States, suffered such arbitrary reduction in the price of his product during the war period from which the entire consuming public directly benefited, he being obliged during the said period to pay the highest market prices for all articles which he used and consumed, there being no governmental limitation on the price of any such articles during said period; and

WHEREAS, His present condition resulting from the foregoing is such as to threaten a calamity;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the House of Representatives of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, The Senate Concurring therein, that we do hereby respectfully urge the Congress of the United States to take cognizance of the present situation in which the Northwest wheat farmer is placed, and the circumstances which have resulted in his present condition of distress.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That inasmuch as the policy of government aid has been recognized under similar circumstances as being proper and constitutional and was so recognized in the six months guaranty provision contained in the Esch-Cummings law and is now being urged in connection with the so-called Ship Subsidy Bill, the Congress of the United States is hereby respectfully urged and earnestly petitioned to labor to the end that it may find a proper and constitutional means of bringing immediate relief to the Northwest wheat producer, without establishing an unwise general precedent, and without

increasing the present distress by artificially stimulating production, to the end that the present emergency may be relieved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution shall not be construed as an endorsement of any specific legislation now pending before the Congress of the United States as to the details and merits of which we are not sufficiently informed to make any recommendation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the President of the United States, the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the National House of Representatives, and to all members of both Houses of the National Congress from North Dakota immediately upon its passage and approval.

Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The Speaker made the following reference of House Bills:

House Bill No. 1, referred to Committee on Judiciary; House Bill No. 2, referred to Committee on Federal Relations; House Bill No. 3, referred to Committee on Judiciary; House Bill No. 4, referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The Speaker: The Rustad resolution, relating to the same subject as the resolution introduced by Mr. Jackson, will be referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Johnson of Pembina introduced:

House Bill No. 5. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption of Real Estate from Tax Sales.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Johnson of Pembina introduced:

House Bill No. 6. A Bill for an Act Relating to Actions on Negotiable Paper.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Johnson of Pembina introduced:

House Bill No. 7. A Bill for an Act to Regulate Commission Contracts, and Option Contracts, for the Sale, or Exchange of Lands.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Jardine introduced:

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower such Cities by Ordinance, to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Johnson of Pembina introduced:

House Bill No. 9. A Bill for An Act in Regard to Penal Contracts to the Effect that one Party May Declare a Sum of Money Due When it is Not Due.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Johnson of Pembina introduced:

House Bill No. 10. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Legal Rate of Interest on Debts, Judgments and Redemptions.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Encourage the Destruction of Wolves and Coyotes and Providing a Bounty for Same.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. A. B. Jackson, Jr., introduced:

House Bill No. 12. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7643 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 133 of the Laws Passed at the Seventeenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota Relating to Directing Verdicts and Judgments in District Court and Appeals Therefrom.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hempel introduced:

House Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Mr. Boyd introduced:

House Bill No. 14. A Bill for an Act Relating to Cities, Providing for Connection to Water and Sewer Mains and Installation of Toilets.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

The courtesies of the floor were extended to the following visitors: R. C. Fuller, Beach, N. D.; H. L. Halliday, Beach, N. D.; J. P. Smith, Beach, N. D.; Carl Christianson, Fargo, N. D.; Dr. Law, Halliday, N. D.; Wm. Hall, Jamestown, N. D.; Marion Nashold, Jamestown, N. D.

Mr. Hanson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

EIGHTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 9, 1923.

The House assembled at 2 o'clock, P. M., pursuant to adjournment, the Speaker presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Roll Call. All members present except: Messrs. Bratsberg, Burkhart, Currie, Daugherty, Ehr, Henne, Johnson of Traill, Maddock, Miller, Patterson, Rustad, and Veitch.

Mr. Freeman moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL.

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Seventh day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 5, line 41, change the word "Congress" to "counties."

The letter "s" is omitted in the name "Geiszler" wherever his name appears in committee appointments.

On page 2, line 14, change the word "unless" to "upon."

On page 2, line 18, change the word "roll" to "call."

And recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peters moved that the remarks made yesterday by Mr. Vogel and Mr. Trubshaw, and printed in the temporary Journal of the House, be omitted from the permanent Journal.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATION OF COMMUNICATIONS AND
PETITIONS

Honorable M. W. Kelly and Members of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly:

Adopted by the Fortnightly Club of Napoleon, State of North Dakota, December 27, 1922.

WHEREAS, The North Dakota State Board of Health receives annual appropriation of only \$3,450.00, which is

the lowest per capita amount, as well as the lowest total appropriation, for any state Board of Health in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Additional funds and personnel are urgently needed if adequate health protection is to be assured the people of North Dakota; and

WHEREAS, It is now definitely known that unnecessary sickness and premature death may be prevented to a measurable extent by an adequate public health organization:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Fortnightly Club commends the efforts to provide an adequate State Department of Health and recommends that the next Legislature make a reasonable appropriation for the legitimate public health work in North Dakota; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Fortnightly Club place in the hands of the State Legislators copies of this resolution and request them to favor an adequate appropriation for a State Department of Health, thereby insuring health protection to the people of North Dakota.

E. JANE WASHBURN, and Nine Others.

Mr. Kelly moved that the communication just read be printed in the Journal and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Paul Johnson introduced:

House Bill No. 15. A Bill for an Act Relating to Double Appeals.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Paul Johnson introduced:

House Bill No. 16. A Bill for an Act to Bar Technical Court Practice and to Promote Justice.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Paul Johnson introduced:

House Bill No. 17. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption from Foreclosure Sales Under Chattel Mortgages.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Paul Johnson introduced:

House Bill No. 18. A Bill for An Act Declaring the Purpose and Spirit of the Law.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 19. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the State Pool Hall Statutes.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 20. A Bill for an Act to Repeal and Re-enact Chapter 182 of the Session Laws of 1917, Amending Section 6877 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for a Lien for Repairs Upon Personalty.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Messrs Cart and Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 205 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 116 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year of 1921.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Jardine, by request, introduced:

House Bill No. 22. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment, Government and Maintenance of the City Planning Commission in Such City; to Prescribe the Powers and Duties of Such Planning Commission and to Vest in Such Commission Jurisdiction over all New Subdivisions or Resubdivisions of Land Within the Corporate Limits of such City.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 8, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return the following concurrent resolution:

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 4, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Mr. J. C. Miller introduced a Concurrent Resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota, the Senate concurring:

WHEAEAS, We believe that the Volstead Act as it is now written upon the statute books should remain unchanged; and

WHEREAS, We believe that the same should be rigidly enforced; now

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, assembled in regular session, that the National Congress be urged to permit the same to remain unchanged and that the said Congress do all in its power to the end that the purposes of said Act may be attained:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Secretary of State of the State of North Dakota be requested to forward copies of this Concurrent Resolution immediately upon its passage and approval to the President of the Senate of the United States and the Speaker of the National House of Representatives at Washington, D. C., and to the members of the Senate and House of Representatives of the National Congress from the State of North Dakota.

Which the House adopted and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

Which the Senate adopted.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 9, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has voted to recall Resolution of Senator Miklethun regarding the Volstead Act.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Hempel asked the unanimous consent of the House to refer to the Seventh Order of Business for the purpose of making a motion.

The House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Hempel moved that at the opening of each session hereafter the Speaker request one of the pages to notify the House stenographers that the Chaplain is ready to open the session with prayer, so that the stenographers may know of the proceedings and cease their work on the typewriters, which causes a disturbance, and also that they may have the opportunity to partake of the Chaplain's prayer.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATION OF COMMUNICATIONS AND
PETITIONS

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
Office of the State Auditor
Bismarck

D. C. Poindexter, State Auditor
Ralph Madland, Deputy

January 9, 1923.

To the Honorable Members of the Eighteenth Legislative
Assembly:

Gentlemen:

Chapter 61, Session Laws of 1915, creating the State Budget Board, provides that the report of this board must be submitted to the Legislative Assembly not later than the tenth day of the session. Due to the date set by law, for the convening of the Budget Board, falling five days later than two years ago and the legislature convening three days earlier, we have not had sufficient time to complete our work. For this reason we ask the Legislative Assembly to extend the time of submission sufficiently to allow us to complete our work in a proper manner.

R. A. NESTOS,
Chairman.

D. C. POINDEXTER,
Secretary.

The House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Watt moved that the State Budget Board be granted an extension of time of ten days in which to complete their work and submit their report to the legislature.

Which motion prevailed.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: E. A. Watt, Woodworth, N. D.; Eugene Clark, Jamestown, N. D.; Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Miller, Washburn, N. D.; H. C. Borchardt, Skogmo, N. D., and M. R. Porter, Minot, N. D.

Mr. Sagen moved that the House do now recess until 1:30 P. M., January 10, 1923.

Which motion prevailed and the House took a recess.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

EIGHTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND NINTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 10, 1923.

The House re-convened at 1:30 o'clock p. m., pursuant to recess, the Speaker presiding.

The Speaker announced certain corrections in the membership of committeemen to designate which Mr. Olson and which Mr. Erickson was intended to be a member of said several committees.

Mr. Twichell moved the corrections as made be corrected in the permanent journal.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Steen presented the following petitions

Resolution, Adopted by the Southern District Medical Society of N. Dak., Edgeley, Nov. 7, 1922.

WHEREAS, The North Dakota State Board of Health receives an annual appropriation of only \$3,450.00, which is the lowest per capita amount as well as the lowest total appropriation, for any State Board of Health in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Additional funds and personnel are urgently needed if adequate health protection is to be assured the people of North Dakota; and

WHEREAS, It is now definitely known that unnecessary sickness and premature death may be prevented to a measurable extent by an adequate public health organization:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Southern District Medical Society of North Dakota, commends the efforts to provide an adequate State Department of Health and recommends that the next Legislature makes a reasonable appropriation for legitimate public health work in North Dakota.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Southern District Medical Society of North Dakota place in the hands of the State Legislators residing in this district cop-

ies of this resolution and request them to favor an adequate appropriation for a State Department of Health,

thereby insuring health protection to the people of North Dakota.

J. F. PLANE,
President.

J. H. BRENCKLE,
Secretary-Treasurer.
January 8, 1923.

To the Honorable State Senator and Representatives of
LaMoure County, Bismarck, N. D.

Gentlemen:

At a meeting of your representative physicians at Edgeley the subject of a better Board of Health and better control of infectious diseases was brought up and all present were of the opinion that much good can be accomplished for the general health of the public by a well organized State Board of Health, that has the power and means to do its duties. May we ask your support when the measure comes up before the Legislature, to reorganize and finance the new Board of Health? The doctors represented in the District Medical Society are those in McIntosh, Dickey, Sargent and LaMoure Counties. The resolution enclosed should be presented to all members of the Legislature from these counties.

Respectfully yours,

J. F. BRENCKLE,
Secretary Southern District Medical
Society of North Dakota.

Referred to committee on Public Health.

The following report was presented by the joint select committee to arrange for an exhibit of the natural resources of the state:

Mr. Speaker: Your joint select committee consisting of two members of the Senate and three members of the House, appointed for the purpose of arranging for an exhibit of our natural resources, beg leave to report, that they have arranged for such exhibit and exercises. The exercises to be held in the House Chamber on Saturday, January 13th at 2:30 p. m.

The committee respectfully requests that the use of the House Chamber be granted for such purpose on that date. It further suggests that the House recess or adjourn at 2:15 p. m. of that date for the purpose of attending the program and viewing the exhibits.

WM. WATT, Chairman,
J. F. ELMER,
E. E. BRYANS,
GUST WOG,
S. J. ATKINS.

Mr. Watt moved adoption of the report, which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Messrs. Heaton and Burkhart introduced:

House Bill No. 23. A Bill for an Act Providing for Investigation of Violation of Laws, Arrest and Seizure, Starting Prosecutions, Regulations Governing Same and Penalty.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Carr introduced:

House Bill No. 24. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Conciliation of Controversies.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Messrs. Halcrow and Hempel introduced:

House Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting Dancing in Public School Buildings and Providing Penalty.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Temperance.

COURTESIES OF THE FLOOR

The courtesies of the floor were extended to the following: Prof. Gould of Oakes, N. D.; Rev. Clement Dimpfl and Rev. Herbert Buerschinger of Mandan.

Mr. Kopp moved that the House do now adjourn, which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

NINTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 10, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, the Speaker presiding.

Prayer by Chaplain.

Roll call. All members present except: Messrs. Bollinger, Bratsberg, Currie, Ehr, Henne, Johnson of Pembina, Levin, Maddock, Patterson, Trubshaw, Vogel.

Mr. Sproul moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Eighth Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 3, line 26, the letter "i" should be omitted in the word "personalty."

On page 5, line 15, the word "pages" is incorrectly spelled.

And when so corrected move that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed.

The committee on Mileage and Per Diem made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Mileage and Per Diem wishes to report that we have carefully checked over the mileage of all members and make the following report: We have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be approved.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Your Committee further wishes to report that whereas: there are two usual routes of travel, between Minot and Bismarck, that is, one via Max and Drake, and the other via Valley City. The Valley City route being considerably longer than the other; and

WHEREAS, About one half of the House Members that came through the City of Minot have taken the short route and the other half the longer route for the reason that there are no Sunday trains and on account of poor connections and snow blockades on the Max-Drake line and the further reason that the same condition is liable to obtain when the members return to their homes. This line generally being snow blockaded in winters.

NOW, THEREFORE, Your Committee recommends and have allowed all members coming through Minot mileage one way over the long route and one way over the short route, or in other words the average mileage over the two routes. Your committee believes this arrangement to be the only fair way in this matter as otherwise the members that traveled by way of Valley City with little delay and inconvenience would receive more mileage than the ones that took the shorter route and suffered delays and stop-overs.

C. A. SAGEN, Chairman,
JOHN HALCROW,
J. H. BURKHART.

District	House Member	C. M. & St. P.	N. P.	G. N.	So.	Team	Total
1.	Jaul Johnson		195	144		9	695
1.	John K. Olafson		195	158		4	714
1.	John Halcrow		390				780
2.	J. H. Burkhart			18	254	4	552
3.	G. H. Hoople		195	134			658
3.	Aaron Levin		195	143			676
4.	Frank D. Slominski		357			10	734
5.	P. G. Hanson		194	118			624
6.	John T. Freeman		195	78		3	552
7.	E. E. Veitch		195	94			578
8.	C. A. Ulland		195	54		6	510
8.	E. O. Ellingson		195	39		7	482
8.	Carl E. Johnson		195	68		6	538
9.	Robt. J. Boyd		195				390
9.	J. A. Jardine		195				390
9.	L. L. Twitchell		195				390
10.	John G. Plath		214			3	434
10.	Roy Johnson		174			5	358
11.	Wm. Watt		223			7	460
11.	R. M. Sproul		158				316
12.	H. B. Durkee	46	195			10	502
12.	Thorwald Rustad		195	46		10	502
13.	L. E. Cole				172	2	348
13.	O. C. Anderson				185	4	378
14.	Lewis J. Haugland	46	230			3	558
14.	George Olson		236			7	486
15.	P. R. Trubshaw		137				274
16.	E. E. Iverson	57	126			5	376
16.	P. O. Sathre		195	70			530
16.	Andred E. Erickson		195	70		7	544
17.	John O. Johnson		195	102			594
17.	Lars O. Fredrickson		195	102		8	610
18.	A. N. Flom		195	104	63	5	734
18.	Joseph McGauvran		195	170		6	742
18.	Hugh McDowell		195	184		12	782
19.	J. T. Tweten		195	227			844
19.	James McManus		195	222			834
20.	Minnie D. Craig		209				418
20.	C. H. Goranson		181				362
21.	A. B. Jackson, jr.		194	167		1	724
21.	Edwin Traynor		195	167	†24		772
21.	C. A. Sagen		195	169		1	730
22.	M. C. Olson		195	215		3	826
22.	A. C. Currie		195	221			832
23.	John W. Carr		102				204
23.	Frank Norden		144			10	308
23.	A. I. Ouade		123			4	254
23.	A. L. Orange		113			3	232
24.	J. C. Arduser		127			8	270
24.	L. H. Steen				109	2	222

*Midland R. R. †F. G. & Ship. R. R.

District	House Member	C. M. & St. P.	N. P.	G. N.	So.	Team	Total
25.	B. S. Hodges.....	15			132		294
25.	J. D. Root.....	* 10	171	10			382
26.	Roy A. Yeater.....		47				94
26.	Herbert F. Swett.....		40		28	11	158
26.	O. E. Erickson.....		59			2	122
26.	P. M. Weisbeek.....	23	63			7	186
27.	P. G. Harrington.....						
27.	L. E. Heaton.....					25	50
27.	Victor L. Anderson.....		8		27	4	78
28.	Fred E. Sims.....		195	219		8	844
28.	J. C. Miller.....		195	252		12	918
28.	Charles F. Streich.....		195	289		10	988
28.	Fred J. Shurr.....			44	254	6	608
29.	John Ehr.....				254		508
29.	Einar Muus.....				254		508
29.	J. H. Burns.....				254	8	524
29.	Nellie Dougherty.....				254		508
30.	Jacob Bollinger.....		62			8	140
30.	J. F. Elmer.....		76			5	162
30.	E. R. Hilbleing.....		7			18	50

*Northwestern

District	House Member	C. M. & St. P.	N. P.	G. N.	So.	Team	Total
31.	Herman Rabe.....		116				232
	C. H. Starke.....		116				232
	Pius Kopp.....		91			3	188
32.	B. C. Larkin.....		162	11		7	360
	John Burk.....		195	100		5	600
33.	J. L. Hart.....		179				358
	Roy B. Weld.....		178			8	376
34.	F. E. Lazier.....		195	219		7	842
35.	J. W. Hempel.....		200				400
36.	Michael Henne.....				123	8	262
	Christ Geiszler.....	? 42	132				348
	M. W. Kelly.....				58		116
37.	T. W. Radcliffe.....		224			6	460
	M. H. Lynch.....		195	102			594
38.	W. R. Jones.....		120			12	264
39.	Frank J. Hardy.....	85	260				690
	O. C. Martin.....	30	135			12	354
	John Quam.....	100	260			5	730
40.	O. F. Anderson.....				376	4	760
	Elmer W. Cart.....				304	12	632
	E. B. Kellogg.....				397	5	804

? Midland R. R.

District	House Member	C. M. & St. P.	N. P.	G. N.	So.	Team	Total
41.	P. F. Doyle				160	30	380
	Fred Eckert			121	254	15	780
	John O. Sethre			94	254	4	704
	Ben Fedge			121	254	25	800
	Geo. Lakie			121	254		750
42.	D. L. Peters		195	218		5	836
	L. A. Larson		195	224			838
43.	G. Patterson				289	6	590
44.	Soren Frandson				160	17	354
	Walter J. Maddock				128	10	276
45.	E. E. Bryans				228	4	464
46.	A. J. Loudenbeck				78	12	180
	Oscar S. Oberg				45	5	100
	F. A. Vogel				66		132
47.	L. L. Brown	180	180				720
	Claude Lackey		95			5	200
48.	J. F. Link		93			14	214
	G. W. Morton		116			35	302
	R. H. Walker					30	60
49.	J. H. McCoy	67	115			6	376
	H. O. Bratsberg	135	261			6	804
	O. H. Opland		134			3	274

Mr. Sagen moved that the committee report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Hempel moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

TENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 11, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock, p. m., pursuant to adjournment, the Speaker presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Roll Call. All members present except: Messrs. Bratsberg, Currie, Ehr, Fedge, Hart, Helbling, Henne, Hodges, Lackey, Lakie, Maddock, Martin, Patterson, Sims, Ulland, Yeater.

Mr. Geiszler moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the ninth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page one, line twenty-one, change the word "personal," to "personnel."

On page 2 line 32 after the word "for" add "an," and after the word "exhibit" add "of."

On page 6 change O. F. Anderson mileage from G. N. to Soo. On page 4, line 36, change the word "be" to "being."

On page 5 line 1, the mileage of Paul Johnson is omitted. Insert the following N. P. 195, G. N. 144, team 9, total 695.

On page 5, in the mileage of Edwin Traynor of the 21st district, insert a dagger before the number "24."

On page 6 the totals in the mileage of John Ehr, Einar Muus and Nellie Dougherty should read "508" instead of "308."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 2. A Bill for an Act to Present to the United States Government a Stone, Suitably Inscribed to Represent the State of North Dakota, said Stone to be Placed in the Washington Monument at Washington, D. C.; Providing for the Presentation of said Stone and Making the Necessary Appropriation Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that House Bill No. 2 be referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Jackson, a vote was taken and the motion was lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Starke, a vote was taken and the report of the committee was adopted. Mr. Jackson made the point of order that the bill having of record been referred to the Committee on Federal Relations, the report of the Committee on Judiciary, which committee had improperly considered the bill as the result of an admitted mistake, could not properly be received without notice.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 6. A Bill for an Act Relating to Actions on Negotiable Paper.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 12. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7643 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 133 of the Laws Passed at the Seventeenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota Relating to Directing Verdicts and Judgments in District Court and Appeals Therefrom.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that House Bill No. 12 be recommended to the Committee on Judiciary, for the purpose of allowing the State Bar Association an opportunity to present arguments in favor of the bill.

Which motion was lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Starke, a vote was taken and the report of the committee was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

The Concurrent Resolution of Mr. Jackson, referring to the matter of the fixing of the price of wheat by Congress.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In the last paragraph on page 1, first line of such paragraph insert ahead of the word "policy" the word "general." In the second paragraph from the end of such resolution after the word "of" in line 2 of said paragraph insert the words "or in opposition to."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. Twichell,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Hempel moved that action on the Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Jackson be deferred until the next legislative day.

Which motion lost.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, a vote was taken and the report of the committee was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred The concurrent resolution introduced by Representative Rustad, having to do with the fixing of the price of wheat by the Congress of the United States.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. Twichell,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker:

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 7. A Bill for an Act to Regulate Commission Contracts, and Option Contracts, for the Sale, or Exchange of Lands.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. Twichell,
Chairman.

Mr Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 10. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Legal Rate of Interest on Debts, Judgments and Redemptions.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. Twichell,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 18. A Bill for An Act Declaring the Purpose and Spirit of the Law.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. Twichell,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson nominated Mr. W. H. Burnett as clerk of the Judiciary committee; and Mrs. Hazel Dawson as stenographer of the House.

The roll was called and there were 96 ayes, 3 nays, 14 absent and not voting.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Levtn	Rustad
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Link	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Geiszler	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Goranson	McManus	Sims
Arduser	Halcrow	Martin	Slominski
Bollinger	Hanson	McCay	Sproul
Boyd	Tarrington	McDowell	Streich
Re wn	Hart	McGavran	Swett
Bryans	Helbing	Miller	Traynor
Burk	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Burkhardt	Hoople	Muus	Tweten
Burns	Iverson	Norden	Twichell
Carr	Jackson	Oberg	Veitch
Cart	Jardne	O'afson	Vogel
Cole	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Craig	Johnson, Pembina	O'son, Towner	Watt
Doyle	Johnson, Trail	Opland	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Jones	Orange	We'd
Durkee	Ke'logg	Peters	Yeater
Eckert	Kelly	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kopp	Quade	
Elmer	Lackey	Quam	
Erickson	Lakle	Rabe	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Lazier	Steen
16th Dist.		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Harcy	Hodges	Shurr
Currie	Haugland	Maddock	Ulland
Ehr	Heaton	Patterson	
Fedga	Henne	Starke	

So Mr. W. H. Burnett was declared elected clerk of the Judiciary Committee, and Mrs. Hazel Dawson as stenographer of the House.

Mr. Jackson moved that Mr. Leo Shaefer be discharged as House janitor.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson nominated Mr. Peter Schantz for the position of House janitor.

The roll being called there were 89 ayes, 1 nay, 23 absent and not voting.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Quade
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Larson	Quam
Anderson,	Freeman	Lazier	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Levin	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Hardy	Martin	Sims
Burk	Harrington	McCay	Slominski
Burkhart	Hart	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Steen
Carr	Hempel	Miller	Streich
Cart	Hoople	Morton	Sweet
Craig	Jackson	Muus	Traynor
Doyle	Jardine	Norden	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Oberg	Tweten
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Olafson	Veitch
Eckert	Johnson, Trail.	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Ellingson	Jones	Olson, Towner	Watt
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kelly	Orange	Weld
16th Dist.	Lackey	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Lakie	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Rabe	Kopp

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Ulland
Sargent	Heaton	Maddock	Walker
Bratsberg	Helbling	Patterson	Yeater
Cole	Henne	Sagen	
Currie	Hodges	Starke	
Ehr	Iverson	Shurr	
Erickson		Twichell	
26th Dist.			

So Peter Schantz was declared elected House janitor.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. Paul Johnson of Pembina introduced:

House Bill No. 26. A Bill for an Act Relating to Sheriff's Fees.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. McCay introduced:

House Bill No. 27. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 as Amended by Chapter 102 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Frequency of Holding an Election for the Removal of County Seats not Located on the Railroad and Providing a Primary Election Thereon and Prescribing the Number of Votes Required for Such Removal.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Counties.

Mr. Helbling introduced:

House Bill No. 28. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Out of any Monies in the State Treasury, Belonging to The Home Building Association, and not Otherwise Appropriated, the Sum of \$1,863.09, with the Interest Thereon at the rate of $5\frac{1}{2}\%$ per cent. per Annum from the 21st day of October, 1921, for the Purpose of Reimbursing the Estate of Frank Lee, Deceased, Formerly a Member of Home Buyers League No. 1, of Mandan, North Dakota, for Moneys Paid by Said Frank Lee, Deceased, to Said Home Building Association Prior to His Death.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Hanson introduced:

House Bill No. 29. A Bill for an Act Providing for Suspended Sentences in Certain Cases, Revocation of Such Suspension and Regulations Governing the Same.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Boyd introduced:

House Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$100,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River of the North, Between the City of Fargo, Cass County, North Dakota, and the City of Moorhead, Clay County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on appropriations.

At this time the Speaker administered the oath of office to Mrs. Hazel Dawson, as stenographer for the House.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. McGauvran presented the following petition and requested that same be printed in the Journal:

Whereas the law governing the printing fees as amended by Chapter 93 of the Session Laws of 1921 very materially increased the price for all public printing required by the county and for all legal publications.

And whereas said law included in it the price for printing the Notice of Tax Sale.

And whereas under said law the price could be charged Cavalier County for printing the said Notice of Tax Sale in 1921 being \$2681.07 while under the old rate the price for printing said Notice of Tax Sale was \$899.95.

And whereas further under said Chapter 93 there can be charged back to the different properties as expense of said Tax Sale only the said sum of \$809.95 allowed under the old law and therefore Cavalier County loses the difference of \$1874.12.

And whereas the increase in the price for printing Commissioners Proceedings and other notice is also considerable and said prices are higher than current advertising rates and the same applies to publication of all legal notices.

Now therefore be it resolved that we the County Commissioners of Cavalier County respectfully ask our Members of the Legislature to do all within their power to have said Chapter 93 of the 1921 Session Laws repealed and to reenact the old law governing printing rates for publications, Commissioners Proceedings and Legal Notices and to repeal the law for the publication of Notice of Tax Sale entirely or leave the rates for said publication as they were prior to the enactment of Chapter 93 namely twenty-five cents for each description of farm land and ten cents for each description of lots and said amount added against the tax of the land and not a direct charge on the county.

NEIL NICOLSON,
LOUIS ROSE,
SAM IVERSON,
JOSEPH AXVIG,
ROBT. D. HUNTER,

County Commissioners Cavalier County.

Referred to Committee on Public Printing.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Mr. C. S. Brown, Valley City, N. D., Mr. A. W. Cupler, Fargo, N. D., Mr. Edward S. Johnson, Selfridge, N. D., Mr. John Knaut, Jamestown, N. D., Mr. Eli Perkins, Elbowoods, N. D.

Mr. Peters moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

ELEVENTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 12, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, the Speaker presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Roll call. All members present except: Messrs. Bollinger, Bratsberg, Currie, Lakie, Maddock, Patterson, Ulland.

Mr. Helbling moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed:

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL.

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Twelfth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

Page 2, line 26, after the word "adopted," insert the following: Mr. Jackson made the point of order that the bill having of record been referred to the Committee on Federal Relations, the report of the Committee on Judiciary, which committee had improperly considered the bill as the result of an admitted mistake, could not properly be received without notice.

The Speaker overruled the point of order.

On page 5, line 57, the name Shaefer is incorrectly spelled.

On page 6, line one, the name "Schantz" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 6 Mr. Kopp is reported "absent" and should be voting "no."

On page 6 line 43, the name "Schantz" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 7, line 41 the word "public" is incorrectly spelled.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Mileage and Per Diem made the following correction in their mileage report of January 10:

In the matter of the mileage of John G. Plath, mileage over N. P., 220; team, 3; total 446, for reason that he entrained at Woods, instead of at Davenport, as indicated on his report to the committee, making a difference of 6 miles one way.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred House Bill No. 1, a Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, have had the same under consideration and recommend that same be amended to read as follows:

An Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relative to Liens upon Crops.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1. That Section 6707 of the Compiled laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

Section 6707. Liens Upon Crops Limited. No lien by contract or otherwise shall attach to any crop hereafter grown, except in the case of liens under Sections 96, 97 and 98 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913, and liens by contract to secure the purchase price of rental of the land upon which such crops are grown.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The Minority of the committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relative to Liens upon Crops.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
JNO. W. CARR,
C. H. GORANSON,
PAUL JOHNSON,
P. G. HANSON,
JOHN G. PLATH,
L. A. LARSON,
E. O. ELLINGSON.

Mr. Starke moved the adoption of the majority report on House Bill No. 1.

Mr. Twichell moved as a substitute motion the adoption of the minority report.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Twichell a vote was taken and the motion was lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Starke for the adoption of the majority report, a vote was taken and the motion prevailed.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 3. A Bill for an Act Relating to Proper Meaning of Chapters 130, 131 and 132, Session Laws of 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 5. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption of Real Estate from Tax Sales.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 9. A Bill for An Act in Regard to Penal Contracts to the Effect that one Party May Declare a Sum of Money Due When it is Not Due.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 16. A Bill for an Act to Bar Technical Court Practice and to Promote Justice.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 17. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption from Foreclosure Sales Under Chattel Mortgages.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 20. A Bill for an Act to Repeal and Re-enact Chapter 182 of the Session Laws of 1917, Amending Section 6877 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for a Lien for Repairs Upon Personalty.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

Also a Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Jackson of Ramsey.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

At this time the Speaker administered the oath of office to the following House employees: W. H. Burnett and Peter Schantz.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. Lynch introduced:

House Bill No. 31. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 924, 925, 926, 927, 928 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913 relative to the Publicity Pamphlet.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Election and Election Privileges.

Mr. Cole introduced:

House Bill No. 32. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921; Relating to County Brand Inspectors of Live Stock, their Duties, etc.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Live Stock.

Mr. Peters introduced:

House Bill No. 33. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended by Chapter No. 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. McGauvran introduced:

House Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Livery Allowed Sheriffs.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. McGauvran introduced:

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,

Bismarck, North Dakota,

January 12, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 6. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 991 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Requiring Ballots of Women to be Deposited in Separate Boxes.

Senate Bill No. 7. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Qualifications of Electors.

Senate Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 968 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to Ballot Boxes.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 96; nays, 0; absent and not voting, 17.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly Kopp	Quam Rabe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Larkin Larson	Radcliffe Root
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Lazier Levin	Rustad Sagen
Arduser Boyd	Freeman Geiszler	Link Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Brown Bryans	Goranson Halcrow	Lynch McManus	Stm Stominski
Burk Burkhart	Hanson Hardy	Martin McCay	Sproul Starke
Burns Carr	Harrington Hart	McDowell McGauvran	Steen Streich
Cole Craig	Haugland Helbling	Miller Morton	Shurr Swett
Doyle Dougherty	Hempel Henne	Muus Norden	Traynor Trubshaw
Durkee Eckert	Hoople Iverson	Oberg Olson, Ransom	Twitchell Veitch
Ehr Ellingson	Jardine Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner Opiland	Vogel Wesbeck
Elmer Erickson	Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Traill.	Orange Peters	Weld Yeater
26th Dist.	Jones Kellogg	Plath Quade	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger Bratsberg	Heaton Hodges	Lakie Maddock	Tweten Ulland
Cart Currie	Jackson Lackey	Olafson Patterson	Walker Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 6. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 991 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Requiring Ballots of Women to be Deposited in Separate Boxes.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Senate Bill No. 7. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Qualifications of Electors.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Senate Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 968 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to Ballot Boxes.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Mr. Dan Dougherty, Minot, N. D.; Mr. G. M. Springer and Wm. Aylmer, Jamestown, N. D.; Mr. E. S. Johnson.

Mr. Johnson, of Traill, moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

TWELFTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 13, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, the Speaker presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Roll Call. All members present except: Messrs. Arduser, Currie, Fedge, Jardine, Lakie, Maddock, Norden, Orange, Patterson, Steen, Ulland, Yeater.

Mr. Quade moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Eleventh Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

Change the last word on page 4 from "personality" to "personalty."

Page 1, line 7, correct spelling of word "pursuant."

Page 7, line 40, Mr. Goranson is reported as absent and not voting and should be shown as voting "aye."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

EDWIN TRAYNOR,
Acting Chairman.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 4 was messaged to the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 13, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 17. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars

(\$8,250.00) for the Purpose of Purchasing and Installing One Complete Stoker Unit Under Modern Boiler at the North Dakota Agricultural College, and Purchasing and Installing Necessary Equipment and Technical Instruments to Measure the Efficiency of Such Stoker and Boiler.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred

House Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Encourage the Destruction of Wolves and Coyotes and Providing a Bounty for Same.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Anderson moved, as a substitute motion, that the bill be re-referred to the committee.

Mr. Watt moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 11 be deferred until Monday following recess.

Which motion prevailed.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 17. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$8,250.00) for the Purpose of Purchasing and Installing One Complete Stoker Unit Under Modern Boiler at the North Dakota Agricultural College, and Purchasing and Installing Necessary Equipment and Technical Instruments to Measure the Efficiency of Such Stoker and Boiler.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: C. E. Danulson and James Milloy Minot, N. D.; T. Kristjanson, Lakota, N. D.

Watt moved that the House do now recess until 1 P. M., Monday, January 15, 1923.

Which motion prevailed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

TWELFTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND FOURTEENTH
DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 15, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 1 o'clock, P. M., pursuant to recess, Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Ways and Means, made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Encourage the Destruction of Wolves and Coyotes and Providing a Bounty for Same.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Counties made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Counties to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 27. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 as Amended by Chapter 102 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Frequency of Holding an Election for the Removal of County Seats not Located on the Railroad and Providing a Primary Election Thereon and Prescribing the Number of Votes Required for Such Removal.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

in line 8 of the printed bill, after the first word "the" add the following words: "Location of the."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

A. I. QUADE,
Chairman.

Mr. Quade moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Mileage and Per Diem made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Mileage and Per Diem make the following corrections in their mileage report of January 10th, 1923. In the matter of the mileage of Jacob Bollinger, the mileage over the Northern Pacific Railway should be 77 miles and by team eight miles making in all both ways a total of 170 miles. This correction is made necessary by reason of a clerical error.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 17. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$8,250.00) for the Purpose of Purchasing and Installing One Complete Stoker Unit Under Modern Boiler at the North Dakota Agricultural College and Purchasing and Installing Necessary Equipment and Technical Instruments to Measure the Efficiency of Such Stoker and Boiler.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The speaker announced that the oath of office of Ger-dell Patterson had been received and with the consent of the House it will be filed with the Secretary of State.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Carr introduced:

House Bill No. 36. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Requiring the Register of Deeds of Counties to Furnish a Complete Abstract of all Mortgages and other Liens Upon Grain Grown During Such Year in Such County to All Elevators Making Application for same, and paying a Fee of Five Dollars Therefor.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Carr introduced:

House Bill No. 37. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6855 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Procedure to Obtain a Thresher's Lien, and Fixing the Time Within Which the Same Must be Filed.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Twichell introduced:

House Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act Regulating Procedure and Prescribing Rules of Evidence in Actions Brought by Holders of Grain Storage Tickets, for the Recovery of the Possession or Value of Grain Stored in Public Warehouses, Which Grain Has Been Converted or Improperly Detained From the Owner.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Twichell introduced:

House Bill No. 39. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Twichell introduced:

House Bill No. 40. A Bill for an Act to Cancel Uncollected Personal Property Taxes Assessed for 1915 and Prior Years.

Was read the first and second times and referred to the committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 41. A Bill for an Act Repealing Chapter 230 of the Session Laws of 1919 of the State of North Dakota, Entitled "An Act Authorizing the Courts to Review the Levy and Apportionment of Special Assessments."

Was read the first and second times and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Ellingson introduced:

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites With Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Land, and Making all Crop Mortgages not Executed in Compliance With Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

Was read the first and second times and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of

North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City or Commission Form of Government.

Was read the first and second times and referred to the committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Peters moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Peters to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913.

And recommend that House Bill No. 1 be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the Chair.

Mr. Peters moved the adoption of the report of the Committee of the Whole.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Mr. A. H. Sherman, Jamestown, N. D., Mr. G. M. Anderson, Woodworth, N. D.

Mr. Kopp moved that the House do now adjourn.
Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

FOURTEENTH DAY.

The House convened at 2 o'clock, p. m., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. L. R. Johnson.

Roll call. All members present except: Messrs. Arduser, Currie, Elmer, Flom, Frandson, Fredrickson, Hart, Hodges, Lackey, McManus, Maddock, McCay, Norden, Olson of Townier, Patterson, Rustad, Steen, Ulland, Yeater.

Mr. Quade moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Twelfth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On Page 1 line 9, Starke is reported as absent. Should be reported present.

Under General Orders, House Bill No. 1, A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the year 1913, should appear at bottom of page 3.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Henne introduced and had read a resolution adopted by the Ashley Womans' Club, Ashley, N. D., regarding an appropriation for a State Department of Health.

The Committee on Agriculture made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Agriculture to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 205 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 116 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year of 1921.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

VICTOR L. ANDERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Anderson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Jackson, that the persons heretofore named elected House Employes, be designated by the titles hereinafter set forth, and be paid the wage herein provided, the pay so designated being the same as that allowed by the House in the 16th and 17th Legislative Assembly except as to the Desk Reporter whose pay is the same as allowed by the 17th Legislative Assembly.

	Per Day
Roy Johnson, Speaker.....	\$ 2.00
W. F. Cushing, Chief Clerk.....	6.00
Logan Powell, First Assistant Chief Clerk.....	5.00
Mose Rosensweig, Second Assistant Chief Clerk.....	5.00
J. P. Tucker, Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk.....	5.00

	Per Day
C. E. Movius, Clerk and Assistant Enrolling and En-grossing Clerk.....	5.00
W. L. Plath, Sergeant at Arms.....	5.00
H. L. Holdren, Bill Clerk.....	5.00
Jacob Mack, Bill Room Clerk and Custodian.....	5.00
L. M. Hamery, Clerk and Mailing Clerk.....	5.00
N. T. Hedalen, Clerk and Assistant Mailing Clerk....	5.00
T. H. Walde, Messenger and Postmaster.....	5.00
C. R. Verry, Clerk of Appropriation Committee.....	5.00
W. H. Burnett, Clerk of Judiciary Committee.....	5.00
J. B. Sheaffer, Doorkeeper and Assistant Sergeant at Arms.....	5.00
Joe Fettig, Bill Messenger and Clerk.....	5.00
Lenore Joos, Stenographer in Charge.....	5.00
Florence Wallace, Stenographer.....	5.00
Martha Burkey, Stenographer.....	5.00
Dorothy Register, Stenographer.....	5.00
Jeanette Shibley, Stenographer.....	5.00
Hazel Dawson, Stenographer.....	5.00
John Gammons, Desk Reporter.....	8.00
Earl Lebo, Page and Messenger.....	4.00
Russell Byerly, Page and Messenger.....	4.00
Truman Root, Page and Messenger.....	4.00
Jonas Hall, Gallery Doorkeeper and Messenger.....	5.00
R. N. Lee, Proof Reader.....	5.00
Leo Schafer, Janitor.....	5.00
Peter Schantz, Janitor.....	5.00
Rev. C. F. Strutz, Chaplain.....	3.00
Rev. Gerhard Sprock, Chaplain.....	3.00
Rev. John A. H. Slag, Chaplain.....	3.00

Mr. Jackson moved the adoption of the Resolution, that the rules be suspended and the Resolution be placed upon passage and adopted by roll call.

The question being on the passage of the Resolution, the roll was called and there were ayes 92, nays 9, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jardine	Quade
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Johnson,	Nelson Quam
Anderson,	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail.	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Jones	Root
Sargent	Flom	Kellogg	Rustad
Bollinger	Frandsen	Kelly	Sagen
Boyd	Fredrickson	Kopp	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Freeman	Lakie	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Geiszler	Larson	Sim
Cryans	Goranson	Lazier	Slominski
Burk	Halcrow	Levin	Sproul
Burkhart	Hanson	Link	Starke
Burns	Hardy	Lynch	Swett
Carr	Harrington	McCay	Traynor
Cart	Hart	McDowell	Trubshaw
Cole	Haugland	McGauvran	Twet
Craig	Heaton	Morton	Twichell
Doyle	Helbling	Muus	Veitch
Dougherty	Hempel	O'afson	Watt
Durkee	Tenne	Oison, Ransom	We'd
Eckert	Hoople	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Iverson	Orange	
Ellingson	Jackson	Peters	
		Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Larkin	Martin	Shurr	Weisbeck
Loudenbeck	Oberg	Vogel	
Miller	Streich	Waiker	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Lackey	Olson, Townner	Yeater
Currie	McManus	Fatterson	
Elmer	Maddock	Steen	
Hodges	Norden	Ulland	

So the resolution passed.

Mr. Larson introduced:

House Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 147 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 and Repealing Section 147a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; Providing for Publicity of State Finances.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 45. A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities and Villages to Levy and Collect a Tax for the Purpose of Furnishing Musical Concerts to the Public.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Flom introduced:

House Bill No. 46. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 52 of the Session Laws of 1921. Providing for the Salary and Other Compensation of Certain County Officers.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Sproul by request introduced:

House Bill No. 47. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the Election and Terms of Office of Township Officials.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 17. A Bill For an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$8,250.00) for the Purpose of Purchasing and Installing One Complete Stoker Unit Under Modern Boiler at the North Dakota Agricultural College, and Purchasing and

Installing Necessary Equipment and Technical Instruments to Measure the Efficiency of Such Stoker and Boiler.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 2, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly Kopp	Radcliffe Root
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Lackey Lakte	Rustad Sagen
Anderson, Sargent	Frandson Fredrickson	Larkin Larson	Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Freeman	Lazier Levin	Sims Stominski
Boyd	Geisler	Link Loudenbeck	Sproul Starke
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch Martin	Shurr Sweet
Brown	Halcrow	McCay McDowell	Traynor Trubshaw
Bryans	Hanson	McGauvran Miller	Tweten Twichell
Burk	Hardy	Morton Muus	Veitch Vogel
Burkhart	Harrington	Olafson, Ransom Olson, Ransom	Watt Weld
Burns	Haugland	Opland Orange	Weisbeck Mr. Speaker
Carr	Heaton	Peters	
Cart	Helbling	Plath	
Cole	Hempel	Quade	
Craig	Henne	Quam	
Doyle	Hoople	Rabe	
Dougherty	Iverson		
Durkee	Jackson		
Eckert	Jardine		
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson		
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina		
Erickson	Johnson, Trail.		
26th Dist.	Jones		
	Kellogg		

Messrs.	Messrs.
Oberg	Walker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Currie	McManus	Patterson	Yeater
Elmer	Maddock	Steen	
Hart	Norden	Streich	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker ruled that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 17, having passed third reading was returned to the Senate.

Mr. Hanson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTEENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 16, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock, P. M., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Joseph Heer.

Roll Call. All members present except Brown, Currie, McManus, Maddock, Olson of Ransom, Olson of Towner, Patterson, Sathre of Steele, Steen, Tweten, Ulland, Vogel.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 14th day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 4, strike out lines 11 to 17 inclusive.

On page 4 strike out lines 35 and 36.

On page 9 under General orders strike out House Bill No. 2 and insert:

House Bill No. 27. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 as Amended by Chapter 102 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Frequency of Holding an Election for the Removal of County Seats not Located on the Railroad and Providing a Primary Election Thereon and Prescribing the Number of Votes Required for Such Removal.

Page 7, line 11, change word negative to affirmative.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Hon. Pius Kopp, H. C. Starke and Herman Rabe,

State Representatives from Stark County:

We, the undersigned voters of Stark County, do hereby petition you honorable members of the 1923rd North Dakota Legislature to work for and use your official influence in bringing about a change in our election laws so it would amend Section No. 988 of the R. C. 1913 so it would authorize a voter, who is unable to mark his ballot alone, to select any trustworthy citizen, in whom he has confidence, to assist him to mark his ballot. This assisting citizen shall be a legal voter of the same voting precinct as he whom he assists. Each voter shall be limited to assist not more than three voters at one and the same election.

We further petition that the official ballot at the General State Election should be so changed, that it would eliminate the party column; and would place all candidates of the different political parties in one column, but would mention their party affiliation right after their names, similar to that form used as official ballot in the state of Minnesota.

NICK SCHANK and 91 Others.

Mr. Starke moved that the above communication be referred to the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Which motion prevailed.

To the Hon. House of Representatives and Senate of North Dakota:

We, the undersigned, citizens of North Dakota and especially of the County of Sheridan, hereby respectfully petition you to pass a law during the coming Legislative Session so that hereafter no crop mortgage can be taken upon growing crops.

J. W. HEMPEL and 75 Others.

Max, North Dakota, Jan. 13, 1923.

To Members of North Dakota Legislature,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

We, the undersigned, do hereby petition you, to vote for and pass House Bill No. 1, and thereby make it impossible to mortgage crops in our state.

H. R. FREITAG and 37 Signers.

Mr. Pius Kopp presented the following communication:

Richardton, N. D., Jan. 12, 1923.

We wish that you, with the rest of the Stark County members of both Houses, would try your best during this session to have the Crop Mortgage done away with.

There is more Farmers driven to take the Nelson Cure we believe on this account than anything else.

As you yourself knows, that right here at Richardton we can count dozens of real hard working Farmers that ain't the boss of a single BUSHEL of wheat that they raise, and work all summer for.

We just had a fellow in the office here a few minutes ago, and we was talking about the crop mortgage nuisance, and he said that pretty near every Farmer now was a criminal, in this way, that he had to sneak off a few bushels of wheat once in a while to buy an apron or something like that for the wife.

To push this, you will have at your back all the business men of the state with the Farmers, including the Retail Merchants association of the State we believe, who has a committee of three at Bismarck during the session. Well I think that the only ones that will be against you will be the banks and a lot of them is fair enough to see that this is NOT RIGHT, but those that practice that system, has his local community under more of an autocratic rule than the Kaiser ever had Germany.

Go to it, and here is luck. This will be the best thing that you fellows can ever do for the Farmers of North Dakota, at least in the western half of the state,

Yours truly,
THE HOME STORE INC.
Richardton, N. Dak.

OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL
Bismarck.

January 16th, 1923.

Hon. Roy Johnson,
Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. Dak.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

OPINION:

You have asked this office whether a separate roll call is necessary on the emergency section of a Bill where, on the first vote on the final passage of the Bill as a whole, the Bill is passed by a vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting. This involves an inquiry as to the constitutional requirements of a separate roll call on the emergency section of a Bill.

Prior to the Legislative Session of 1915, the adoption of emergency measures was governed by the provisions of Section 67 of the Constitution, which read as follows:

"No act of the legislative assembly shall take effect until July first, after the close of the session, unless in case of emergency (which shall be expressed in the preamble or body of the act) the legislative assembly

shall, by a vote of two-thirds of all the members present in each house, otherwise direct."

Following the passage of a concurrent resolution in the sessions of 1911 and 1913, there was adopted at the general election held in November, 1914, Article 15 of the Amendments to the Constitution, which amended Section 25 of the Constitution. In such amendment it was, in part, provided that when it was necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety that a law become effective without delay

"such necessity and the facts creating the same shall be stated in one section of the bill, and if upon aye and nay vote in each house two-thirds of all the members elected to each house shall vote on a separate roll call in favor of the said law going into instant operation for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety, such law shall become operative upon approval by the Governor."

During the time this provision remained in force as part of the Constitution, a separate roll call on the emergency section of a Bill was necessary.

At the general election held in November, 1918, there was initiated a new amendment of Section 25 of the Constitution, and which was subsequently approved by the Legislature through the adoption of Chapter 88, Session Laws 1919. Such amendment, which appears as Article 26 of the Amendments to the Constitution, is silent as to any separate roll call on the emergency section of a Bill.

At the same election there was also initiated, and by action of the Legislative Session of 1919 (Chapter 86, Laws 1919) ratified, an Amendment (Article 27), amending Section 67 of the Constitution, which now reads, in part, as follows:

"No act of the legislative assembly shall take effect until July first after the close of the session, unless the legislature by a vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting, in each house, shall declare it an emergency measure, which declaration shall be set forth in the act * * *. An emergency measure shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Governor."

We are therefore inclined to the view that no separate roll call is required on the emergency section of a Bill.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. F. SHAFER,
Attorney General.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 205 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 116 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year of 1921.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 31. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 924, 925, 926, 927, 928 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and to Amend Section 923 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relative to the Publicity Pamphlet.

Have had the same under consideration and unanimously recommend that the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Walker moved as a substitute motion that further consideration of House Bill No. 31 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 6. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 991 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Requiring Ballots of Women to be Deposited in Separate Boxes.

Have had the same under consideration and unanimously recommend that the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 7. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Qualifications of Electors.

Have had the same under consideration and unanimously recommend that the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 968 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to Ballot Boxes.

Have had the same under consideration and unanimously recommend that the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 46. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 52 of the Session Laws of 1921, Providing for the Salary and Other Compensation of Certain County Officers.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On line five of Section 3 of the original bill where it reads: "and actual railway fare in attendance at meetings of county superintendents when the same are called by the state superintendent of public instruction as provided by law" be amended to read "and 5c per mile for actual railroad mileage travelled when attending such meetings called by the state superintendent of public instruction as provided by law,"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Mr. Jackson nominated Rose Martineson for the position of assistant proof reader for the House.

The roll being called disclosed the following result: Ayes, 7; nays, 92; absent and not voting, 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Heaton	Root
Burleigh	Jackson	Rustad
Harrington	Larkin	Weid

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Rabe
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Lackey	Radeliffe
Anderson,	Flom	Lakte	Sagen
Sargent	Frandsen	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fredrickson	Lazter	Sims
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Slominski
Boyd	Geizler	Link	Sproul
Bratsberg	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Bryans	Halcrow	Lynch	Streich
Burk	Hanson	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Swett
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Tween
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Twichell
Craig	Henne	Muus	Veitch
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Walker
Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg	Watt
Durkee	Jardine	Olafson	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail.	Peters	
Erickson	Jones	Plath	
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	
	Kelly	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Currie	McManus	Oison, Towner	Steen
Fedge	Maddock	Patterson	Ulland
			Vogel

Mr. Jackson moved that the recommendation of the Committee on Employment be referred to the Committee on Public Printing, for the purpose of investigating the matter and reporting their findings to the House.

Mr. Miller moved that the Jackson motion be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS.

The Senate Concurrent Resolution, introduced by Mr. Kretschmar, referring to the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence

Waterway Project, was read and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Messrs. Hempel and Heaton introduced:

House Bill No. 48. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 15 of Chapter 154 of the Laws of 1919 as Amended by Initiated Measure, so as to Increase the Amount for Which Such Bonds May be Issued From a Sum Not Exceeding \$20,000,000.00 to a Sum Not Exceeding \$40,000,000.00.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Frandson introduced:

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Messrs. Miller and Halcrow introduced:

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for its Enforcement and Penalty.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Temperance.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 205 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 116 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year of 1921.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, the roll was called and there were ayes, 51; nays, 50, absent and not voting, 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Hodges	Peters
Burleigh	Ellingson	Jardine	Plath
Anderson,	Elmer	Johnson, Trail.	Quade
Sargent	Flom	Kelly	Radcliffe

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Freeman	Lackey	Slominski
Boyd	Geiszler	Levin	Streich
Burk	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Traynor
Carr	Halerow	McDowell	Twichell
Cart	Hanson	McGauvran	Veitch
Cole	Harrington	Muus	Watt
Doyte	Helbling	Norden	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Hempel	Oberg	
Durkee	Henne	Orange	
Frandsen	Kopp	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larson	Simi
Arduser	Hardy	Lazer	Sproul
Bratsberg	Hart	Link	Starke
Bryans	Haugland	Lynch	Shurr
Burkhart	Heaton	Martin	Sweet
Burns	Hoople	McCay	Trubshaw
Craig	Iverson	Miller	Waeten
Eckert	Jackson	Morton	Walker
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Quam	Weld
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	Yeater
Erickson	Jones	Rustad	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Sagen	
	Lakie		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Haddock	Olson, Towner	Stoen
Currie	Olafson	Patterson	Ulland
McManus	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	Vogel

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Johnson and Mr. Sproul explained their votes.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Starke moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Starke to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 27. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 as Amended by Chapter 102 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Frequency of Holding an Election for the Removal of County Seats not Located on the Railroad and Providing a Primary Election Thereon and Prescribing the Number of Votes Required for Such Removal.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

In line 8 of the printed bill, after the first word "the" add the following words: "Location of the."

And the further amendment in line 4 of the printed bill the word "must" be changed to "shall."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE.
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the Chair.

Mr. Starke moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Mr. E. Leonard, Williston, N. D.; Mr. Prosper Naze, and Mr. John B. Fried, Jamestown, N. D.

Mr. Rabe moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
SIXTEENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 17, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock, P. M., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. John A. H. Slag.

Roll Call. All members present except: Messrs. Anderson of Burleigh, Bollinger, Cole, Currie, Iverson, Loudenberg, McManus, Maddock, Olson of Ransom, Olson of Towner, Patterson, Plath, Root, Sethre of Steele, Steen, Ulland, Watt, Weld.

Mr. Heaton moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 15th day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On the Roll Call at page 7, Mr. Erickson of the 26th District is shown as absent and not voting, and should be shown as voting in the negative.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The following petition was presented by Mr. Freeman.

We the undersigned parents and voters of Mekinock, N. D., Grand Forks County, do hereby petition you as our

representatives to use all possible honorable legislation to bring about the enactment of House Bill No. 25.

W. H. HENSRUD, and 53 others.

The following communication was presented by Mr. Hempel.

Mandan, N. D.,
January 6, 1923.

Hon. J. W. Hempel,
State Representative,
Bismarck, N. Dak.

My dear Sir:

The writer noticed in the Bismarck Tribune under date of the 5th inst. that you have introduced into the House of Representatives, a bill pertaining to CROP MORTGAGES, and I also gathered from the article pertaining thereto, some of your reasons for having such a bill become law.

To begin with, let me say that any effort that I may have made, or will in the future make to have this monstrosity erased from our statute books, will not be from a selfish motive; for while I own a farm in this state I have never given a crop mortgage, nor have I ever owed a dollar to any man or woman in this state; and if I live here a hundred years will never owe one. So you can readily see that I am not trying to evade the payment of any debt I owe.

I simply hate this law, because it is one of the most prolific causes for destitution, hardships, and want, of all laws, or any law that is now in force. We boast of our freedom in the north, and point the finger of scorn at the south; saying that the poor ignorant Negro can never leave the south, because he is as a rule honest, and cannot ever get out of debt, and has to stay. Why, say some of our champions of liberty, before the Negro has gathered his next years crop of cotton for this year, he has already mortgaged his next year's crop to his Master, and being honest, and never being able to get out of debt, he has to stay. Can anything better than this be said of North Dakota? Unless perhaps it be, that the Negro in this state is WHITE.

One of the worst features of this practice, you point out in your mention of the bill, as being the fact that so many times the crop is included in the mortgage without the knowledge of the mortgagor; and you are absolutely right in this. More than half the crop mortgages now in existence were secured in just that way, and I want to say without any attempt at egoism, that I see, and handle as many, if not more mortgages than any lawyer in this state, and have found that in half if not more than half of them, the mortgagor did not know that the crop was included, until he tried to get credit, and the records were

searched. The mortgage blank has the blank space all ready in which to insert the description of the land, and that is all there is to it; for the balance of the crop mortgage is printed in the form; and when the illiterate mortgagor signs the mortgage he has again signed away his labor, and the fruits thereof for another year.

If you put this proposition to a man with a heart and soul, he does not see that the crop mortgage is a hardship to the farmer, for this man would not rob the farmer; but God bless you, the writer has called at homes where the farmer was not only robbed on one of these damnable certificates of peonage; but he has known cases where little innocent children were forced to go to bed hungry, and to shiver in the cold for lack of sufficient clothing, just because some hard hearted mortgagee had taken the whole crop. That feature in your bill providing that the only crop lien shall be in the form of a contract for sale is good; but it don't go far enough, for in most of these crop contract forms there is a clause wherein, whereby, and by the terms of which said contract, the Vendor can take the whole crop for advances, taxes, and other debts; and that too in my estimation should be so worded that no contract would be valid if it took more than one half of each succeeding crop. May God, lend you power to put this bill through, is my earnest wish and prayer.

Very truly yours,

J. N. McCARTER,

Mr. Hempel presented the following communication:

To the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota.

Mr. J. W. Hempel:

We the undersigned citizens of North Dakota do heartily approve of House Bill No. 1 introduced by you to become a law on our North Dakota Statutes. This bill is known as the Mortgage liens on crops.

T. W. HUNGATE, and
 21 farmers,
 1 Blacksmith,
 5 Laborers,
 6 Merchants,
 3 Hotel Men,
 4 others of Ryder, N. D,

A resolution was presented by Messrs. Ellingson, Ulland and Johnson, adopted by the Traill-Steele County District Medical Society, with reference to an appropriation for a State Board of Health.

Mr. Rustad presented a resolution adopted by the Fort-nightly Club of Wahpeton, favoring a larger appropriation for the State Board of Health.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 27. A bill for an act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 as Amended by Chapter 102 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Frequency of Holding an Election for the Removal of County Seats Not Located on the Railroad and Providing a Primary Election Thereon and Prescribing the Number of Votes Required for Such Removal.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

R. J. BOYD,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. Boyd moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred House Bill No. 15, A Bill for an Act Relating to Double Appeals, have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report of the committee be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act Regulating Procedure and Prescribing Rules of Evidence in Actions Brought by Holders of Grain Storage Tickets, for the Recovery of the Possession or Value of Grain Stored in Public Warehouses, Which Grain Has Been Converted or Improperly Detained From the Owner.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 37. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6855 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Procedure to Obtain a Thresher's Lien, and Fixing the Time Within Which the Same Must be Filed.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows: In line 15, same being line 2 of the printed bill, by striking out the word ten and substituting the word fifteen, and in line 6 after the word same inserting the words "whether by hour or bushel," and when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report of the committee be adopted:

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Carr introduced:

House Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the sum of **Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00)** Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North Dakota under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919 and that such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Fund.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on appropriations.

Mr. Heaton introduced:

House Bill No. 52. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 572 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Practice of Barbering and Additional Provisions Relating Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Martin introduced:

House Bill No. 53. A Bill for an Act Relating to Real Estate Tax Sales.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Martin introduced:

House Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2191 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Tax Sales.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 27. A Bill For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 as Amended by Chapter 102 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Frequency of Holding an Election For the Removal of County Seats Not Located on the Railroad and Providing a Primary Election Thereon and Prescribing the Number of Votes Required for Such Removal.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 89, nays 6, absent and not voting 18.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail.	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Jones	Radeliffe
Sargent	Flom	Kellogg	Rustad
Arduser	Frandsen	Kelly	Sagen
Boyd	Fredrickson	Lakie	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Freeman	Larkin	Sims
Brown	Geisler	Larson	Slominski
Bryans	Goranson	Lazler	Sproul
Burk	Halerow	Levin	Streich
Burkhart	Hanson	Link	Shurr
Burns	Hardy	Lynd	Swett
Carr	Hart	Martin	Traynor
Cart	Haugland	McCay	Trubshaw
Craig	Heaton	McDowell	Tweten
Doyle	Helbing	McGauvran	Twichell
Dougherty	Hempel	Miller	Veitch
Durkee	Henne	Muus	Vogel
Eckert	Hodges	Norden	Weisbeck
Ehr	Hoople	Oberg	Yeater
Eilingson	Iverson	Olafson	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Jackson	Opiland	
Erickson	Jardine	Orange	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Kopp	Morton	Starke
Lackey	Rabe	Walker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Harrington	Olson, Towner	Steen
Burleigh	Loudenbeck	Patterson	Ulland
Bollinger	McManus	Plath	Watt
Cole	Maddock	Root	Weld
Currie	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 17, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 3. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 4 of the Laws Passed by the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota in 1919 as Amended by Chapter 5 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Appropriate Out of the State Highway Fund the Sum of \$35,000.00 for the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River at Pembina, Pembina County, North Dakota, and Kittson County, Minnesota, under the provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, approved March 5th, 1919.

Senate Bill No. 18. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8657 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, relating to Letters of Administration, and Who are Entitled Thereto.

Senate Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act Validating the Record of Mortgages and Assignments of Mortgages in the Office of the Register of Deeds of the Counties of the State Between July 1st, 1917, and January 1st, 1923.

Senate Bill No. 23. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 51 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners to Issue Refunding Bonds to Fund or Refund for the Purpose of Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain bonds or warrants Theretofore Issued Pursuant to Law for the Purchase of Seed Grain and Feed or Either.

And

Senate Bill No. 15. A Bill for An Act to Transfer Money From the Hail Insurance Fund to the Hail Insurance Operating Fund For the Purpose of Paying the Unpaid Bills Incurred by the Hail Insurance Department During the Year Beginning January 1, 1922, and Ending December 31, 1922.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very Respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 16, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following joint resolution:

JOINT RESOLUTION

Introduced by H. J. Rusch, asking for reports from the Guaranty Fund Commission.

WHEREAS, There have been a number of bank failures in the state during the past two years, and as a result thereof a large number of depositors have been unable to withdraw their deposits, and have been expecting to be reimbursed therefor out of the guaranty of deposits fund created by state law, but only a few of such reimbursements have been made and a general feeling exists that there is not sufficient understanding of the situation of the closed banks, and the guaranty fund, and it is the belief of the members of the legislative assembly that full information should be available and a full understanding had to the end that the law may be strengthened in any particulars it may be defective, and

WHEREAS, the Guaranty Fund Commission stands ready upon request to furnish the legislature, or its appropriate committees, the fullest information in regard to all the affairs of the closed banks and the guaranty fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives joining therein, that the Guaranty Fund Commission should make to each of the two houses of the legislature a report showing the condition of the fund, the manner of its administration, the condition of the closed banks, the relative amount of the available fund and the liabilities of the closed banks, and such other details and information as is likely to be of interest to either the Legislature or the public, and such other information as may be called for by the Committee on Banks and Banking of the Senate or the House:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that upon the passage of this resolution by both houses, the Secretary of the Senate transmit a copy thereof to said Guaranty Fund Commission.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very Respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 17. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$8,250.00) for the Purpose of Purchasing and Installing One Complete Stoker Unit Under Modern Boiler at the North Dakota Agricultural College, and Purchasing and Installing Necessary Equipment and Technical Instruments to Measure the Efficiency of Such Stoker and Boiler.

Which was signed in the presence of the House.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 3. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 4 of the Laws Passed by the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota in 1919 as Amended by Chapter 5 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Appropriate Out of the State Highway Fund the Sum of \$35,000.00 for the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River at Pembina, Pembina County, North Dakota, and Kittson County, Minnesota, under the provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, approved March 5th, 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act Validating the Record of Mortgages and Assignments of Mortgages in the Office of the Register of Deeds of the Counties of the State Between July 1st, 1917, and January 1st, 1923.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 15. A Bill for An Act to Transfer Money From the Hail Insurance Fund to the Hail Insurance Operating Fund For the Purpose of Paying the Unpaid Bills Incurred by the Hail Insurance Department During the Year Beginning January 1, 1922, and Ending December 31, 1922.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 18. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8657 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Letters of Administration, and Who Are Entitled Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 23. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 51 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners to Issue Refunding Bonds to Fund or Refund for the Purpose of Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Bonds or Warrants Theretofore Issue Pursuant to Law for the Purchase of Seed Grain and Feed or Either.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 6. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 991 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Requiring Ballots of Women to be Deposited in Separate Boxes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, the roll was called and there were ayes, 95; nays, 0; absent and not voting, 18.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail. Jones	Peters Quade
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Flom	Kellogg Kelly	Quam Rabe
Arduser Boyd	Frandsen Fredrickson	Kopp Lackey	Radcliffe Rustad
Bratsberg Brown	Freeman Geiszler	Lakie Larkin	Sagen Sethre, Williams
Bryans Burk	Goranson Halcrow	Larson Lazier	Sims Slominski
Burkhart Burns	Hanson Hardy	Levin Link	Sproul Starke
Carr Cart	Harrington Hart	Lynch Martin	Streich Shurr
Craig Doyle	Haugland Heaton	McCay McDowell	Sweet Traynor
Dougherty Durkee	Helbling Hempel	McGauvran Miller	Trubshaw Tweten
Eckert Ehr	Kenne Hoople	Morton Muus	Twichell Veitch
Ellingson Elmer	Iverson Jackson	Norden Ober	Vogel Walker
Erickson 26th Dist.	Jardine Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Olafson Opland Orange	Weisbeck Yeater Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Hodges Loudenbeck	Olson, Townner Patterson	Steen Ulland
Bollinger Cole	McManus Maddock	Plath Root	Watt Weld
Currie	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

HOUSE ROLL CALL

Senate Bill No. 7. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Qualifications of Electors.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, the roll was called and there were ayes, 93; nays, 0; absent and not voting, 20.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Kopp Lackey	Rustad Sagen
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Lakie Larkin	Sethre, Williams Sims
Arduser Boyd	Freeman Goranson	Larson Lazier	Slominski Sproul
Bratsberg Brown	Geiszler Halcrow	Levin Link	Starke Streich
Bryans Burk	Hanson Hardy	Lynch Martin	Shurr Sweet
Burkhart Burns	Harrington Hart	McCay McDowell	Traynor Trubshaw
	Haugland Heaton	McGauvran	Tweten

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Helbling	Miller	Twichell
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Veitch
Craig	Henne	Muus	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Walker
Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Durkee	Jackson	Olafson	Yeater
Ehr	Jardine	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	
Erickson	Johnson, Trail.	Quade	
26th Dist.	Jones	Quam	
Erickson	Kellogg	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Eckert	Maddock	Root
Burleigh	Goranson	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Steen
Cole	Loudenbeck	Patterson	Ulland
Currie	McManus	Plath	Watt
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So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

HOUSE ROLL CALL

Senate Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 968 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to Ballot Boxes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 92; nays, 0; absent and not voting, 21.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kelly	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kopp	Sagen
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sims
Arduser	Freeman	Larson	Slominski
Boyd	Geiszler	Lazier	Sproul
Bratsberg	Goranson	Levin	Starke
Brown	Haicrow	Link	Streich
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Shurr
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Burkhardt	Harrington	McCay	Traynor
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Trubshaw
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Tweten
Craig	Heaton	Miller	Veitch
Doyle	Helbling	Morton	Vogel
Dougherty	Hempel	Muus	Walker
Durkee	Henne	Norden	Weisbeck
Eckert	Hoople	Oberg	Yeater
Ehr	Iverson	Olafson	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jackson	Opland	
Elmer	Jardine	Orange	
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Erickson	Johnson, Trail.	Quam	
16th Dist.	Jones	Rabe	
	Kellogg	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Tweten
Burleigh	Lakie	Patterson	Ulland
Bollinger	Loudenbeck	Plath	Watt
Cart	McManus	Root	Weld
Cole	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	
Currie	Olson, Towner	Steen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Miller moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Miller to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 46. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 52 of the Session Laws of 1921, Providing for the Salary and Other Compensation of Certain County Officers.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

On line five of Section 3 of the original bill where it reads: "and actual railway fare in attendance at meetings of county superintendents when the same are called by the state superintendent of public instruction as provided by law" be amended to read "and 5c per mile for actual railroad mileage travelled when attending such meetings called by the state superintendent of public instruction as provided by law."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. C. MILLER,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Burkhart moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The House referred to the seventh order of business.

Mr. Vogel moved that when the chairmen of the various committees announce the time of the committee meetings, they also announce the numbers of the bills to be considered at the meetings.

Which motion prevailed.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Mr. H. H. Dahl, Kenmare, N. D.; Mr. J. Schleckemayer, Washburn, N. D.; Mr. M. Gaynor, Delamere, N. D.; Mr. R. C. Smith, Crete, N. D.; Mr. I. J. Moe, Valley City, N. D.; Olaf Hagen, Lawton, N. D.; Mr. Lewis Odland, Beach, N. D.

Mr. Geiszler moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

SEVENTEENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
January 18, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock, P. M., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. John A. H. Slag.

Roll Call. All members present except: Messrs. Anderson, of Burleigh, Bollinger, Cole, Currie, Erickson, 26th Dist., Hoople, Johnson of Pembina, Loudenbeck, McManus, Maddock, Olson, of Ransom, Olson, of Towner. Patterson, Plath, Root, Sathre, of Steele, Steen, Vogle, Watt, Weld, Yeater.

Mr. Halcrow moved that all absentees be excused.
Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 16th day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 11, Goranson is recorded as absent and not voting on Senate Bill No. 7. Should be shown voting aye.

On page 11, following the line "The question being on the final passage of the bill as," add the words: "amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 92, nays none, absent and not voting 21."

On page 11, insert the roll call on Senate Bill No. 8, also the words "so the bill was passed and the title was agreed to."

Senate Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 968 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to Ballot Boxes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 92, nays none, absent and not voting 21.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kelly	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kopp	Sagen
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sims
Arduser	Freeman	Larson	Slominski
Boyd	Geiszler	Lazier	Sproul
Bratsberg	Goranson	Levin	Starke
Brown	Halerow	Link	Streich
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Shurr
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Traynor
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Trubshaw
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Twitchell
Craig	Heaton	Miller	Veitch
Doyle	Helbling	Morton	Vogel
Dougherty	Hempel	Muus	Walker
Durkee	Fenne	Norden	Weisbeck
Eckert	Hoople	Oberg	Yeater
Ehr	Iverson	Olafson	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jackson	Orland	
Elmer	Jardine	Orange	
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Erickson	Johnson, Trail	Quam	
16th Dist.	Jones	Rabe	
	Kellogg	Radeliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Twetten
Burleigh	Lakie	Patterson	Ulland
Bollinger	Loudenbeck	Plath	Watt
Cart	McManus	Root	Weld
Cole	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	
Currie	Olson, Towner	Steen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

On page 11, line 23, after the word "Speaker," strike out the words "ruled that" and insert the word "declared."

On page 11, last line, correct spelling of word "superintendents."

On page 12, line 23, the name Lewis Lewin should be Lewis Odland.

On page 7, next to last line, correct spelling of word "transmit."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Trubshaw introduced a resolution adopted by the Tuesday Club, of Valley City, N. D., favoring an adequate appropriation for a State Department of Health.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred the joint resolution introduced in the Senate by Senator H. J. Rusch and adopted by the Senate, asking for reports from the Guaranty Fund Commission.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the resolution be adopted.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted on the following Roll Call:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lakie	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larkin	Slominski
Arduser	Freeman	Larson	Sproul
Boyd	Geiszler	Lazier	Starke
Bratsberg	Goranson	Levin	Streich
Brown	Halcrow	Link	Shurr
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Swett
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Traynor
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Trubshaw
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Tweten
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Twichell
Cart	Heaton	Morton	Ulland
Craig	Helbling	Muus	Veitch
Dougherty	Hempel	Norden	Walker
Durkee	Henne	Oberg	Weisbeck
Eckert	Hodges	Olafson	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Iverson	Opland	
Ellingson	Jackson	Orange	
Elmer	Jardine	Peters	
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Quam	
Erickson	Jones	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Radcliffe	
	Kelly	Rustad	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hoople	Oison, Towner	Steen
Burleigh	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Bollinger	Loudenbeck	Patterson	Watt
Cole	McManus	Plath	Weld
Currie	Maddock	Root	Yeater
Doyle	Miller	Sathre, Steele	

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act Regulating Procedure and Prescribing Rules of Evidence in Actions Brought by Holders of Grain Storage Tickets, for the Recovery of

the Possession or Value of Grain Stored in Public Warehouses, Which Grain Has Been Converted or Improperly Detained From the Owner.

House Bill No. 46. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 52 of the Session Laws of 1921, Providing for the Salary and Other Compensation of Certain County Officers.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

R. J. BOYD,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. Boyd moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 41. A Bill for an Act Repealing Chapter 230 of the Session Laws of 1919 of the State of North Dakota, Entitled "An Act Authorizing the Courts to Review the Levy and Apportionment of Special Assessments."

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 26. A Bill for an Act Relating to Sheriff's Fees.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 47. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the Election and Terms of Office of Township Officials.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows: In line 3 of the title

of the printed bill strike out the word "Township" and insert in lieu thereof the word "village."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 147 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 and Repealing Section 147a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; Providing for Publicity of State Finances.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 16 of the printed Bill strike out the capital in the word "The" preceding the word "State" and insert a small "t," and preceding the said word "the" as it there occurs at such place insert the following: "Such report must be verified by the State Auditor and"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson on behalf of the Committee on Employment, submitted the following resolution:

"Resolved that Mr. E. Griffin be added to the pay roll as telephone messenger at a compensation of \$2.00 per day. The same to date from the commencement of the session." Mr. Jackson moved that the resolution be adopted by roll call. Mr. Trubshaw seconded the motion.

The roll was called and there were ayes 93, nays none, absent and not voting 20.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kelly	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kopp	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lackey	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lakie	Sagen
Arduser	Freeman	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geiszler	Larson	Sims
Eratsberg	Goranson	Lazier	Slominski
Brown	Halcrow	Levin	Sproul
Bryans	Hanson	Link	Starke
Burk	Hardy	Lynch	Streich
Burkhart	Harrington	Martin	Shurr
Burns	Hart	McCay	Swett
	Haugland	McDowell	Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Twetén
Craig	Hempel	Morton	Twichell
Doyle	Henne	Stuus	Ulland
Dougherty	Hodges	Norden	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Jackson	Olafson	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jardine	Opland	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Peters	
Erickson	Jones	Quade	
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hoople	Patterson	Weld
Burleigh	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Cole	Loudenbeck	Root	
Currie	McManus	Sathre, Steele	
Erickson	Maddock	Steen	
26th Dist.	Olson, Ransom	Vogel	
	Olson, Towner	Watt	

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Lackey introduced:

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Harrington introduced:

House Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8122 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 180 of the Laws of 1915 and as Amended by Chapter 151 of the Laws of 1917, and Chapter 65, Laws of 1921, Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Doyle introduced:

House Bill No. 57. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Range Stock and Where Listed for the Purpose of Taxation.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Martin introduced:

House Bill No. 58. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-Section 2185 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 67 of the Special

Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Interest Thereon.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Miss Dougherty introduced:

House Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act Making it a Misdemeanor for any Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle While such Person is in an Intoxicated Condition, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Twichell introduced:

House Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting any Person from Driving or Operating a Motor Truck of More than Five Tons Carrying Capacity Upon any Public Highway, Street or Avenue in Any Incorporated City.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

House Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act Regulating Procedure and Prescribing Rules of Evidence in Actions Brought by Holders of Grain Storage Tickets, for the Recovery of the Possession or Value of Grain Stored in Public Warehouses, Which Grain Has Been Converted or Improperly Detained From the Owner.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 91, nays none, absent and not voting 22.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Fedge	Kellogg	Quam
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kelly	Rabe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Kopp	Radcliffe
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lackey	Rustad
Arduser	Freeman	Lakie	Sagen
Boyd	Geiszter	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Goranson	Larson	Sims
Bryans	Halcrow	Lazfer	Slominski
Burk	Hanson	Levin	Sproul
Burkhardt	Hardy	Link	Starke
Burns	Harrington	Lynch	Streich
Carr	Hart	McCay	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	McDowell	Swett
Craig	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor
Doyle	Helbling	Miller	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hempel	Morton	Tweien
Durkee	Henne	Muus	Twichell
Eckert	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Ehr	Iverson	Oberg	Veitch
Ellingson	Jackson	Olafson	Walker
Elmer	Jardine	Opland	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Yeater
16th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Jones	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Erickson 26th Dist.	Maddock Martin	Sathre, Steele Root
Bollinger Bratsberg Cole Currie	Hoople Johnson, Pembina Loudenbeck McManus	Olson, Ransom Olson, Towner Patterson Plath	Steen Vogel Watt Weld

So the bill was passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

House Bill No. 46. A Bill For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 52 of the Session Laws of 1921 Providing for the Salary and Other Compensation of Certain County Officers.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 80, nays 11, absent and not voting 22.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Jones Kopp	Radcliffe Rustad
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Flom	Lackey Lakie Larkin	Sagen Sethre, Williams
Arduser Boyd Bratsberg Brown Bryans Burk Burkhart Burns Carr Craig Doyle Dougherty Durkee Eekert Ehr Ellingson Elmer	Franson Freeman Goranson Halerow Hardy Harrington Hart Haugland Heaton Helbling Hempel Henne Hodges Iverson Jackson Jardine Johnson, Trail	Larson Lazter Levin Link Lynch McCay McDowell McGauvran Miller Morton Muus Norden Olafson Opland Orange Peters	Sims Slominski Sprout Streich Shurr Swett Traynor Trubshaw Tweten Twichell Ulland Veitch Walker Weisbeck Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart Fredrickson Geiszler	Johnson, Kelly Martin	Nelson Oberg Quam Rabe	Stark Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Franson Hoople	Olson, Ransom Olson, Towner	Vogel Watt
Bollinger Cole Currie Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina Kelllogg Loudenbeck McManus Maddock	Patterson Plath Root Sathre, Steele	Weld

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hanson requested to be excused from voting, being interested in the bill.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Sagen moved that the House resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Sagen to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 37. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6855 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Procedure to Obtain a Thresher's Lien, and Fixing the Time Within Which the Same Must be Filed.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows

In line 15, same being line 2 of the printed bill, by striking out the word ten and substituting the word fifteen, and in line 6 after the word same, inserting the words "whether by hour or bushel," and when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: D. D. McNaughton, Devils Lake, N. D.; Mr. Sorlie, Devils Lake, N. D.; Fred Cuthbert, Devils Lake, N. D.; Andrew Swanson, Lawton, N. D.; Mr. Martinson of Hampden, N. D.

Mr. Hanson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

EIGHTEENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 19, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock, p. m., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. John A. H. Slag.

Roll Call. All members present except: Messrs. Anderson, of Burleigh, Bollinger, Cole, Currie, Heaton, Hoople, Lakin, Loudenbeck, McManus, Olson, of Ransom, Patterson, Plath, Root, Sathre, of Steele, Steen, Vogel, Watt, Wells.

Mr. Kelly moved that all absentees be excused.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Seventeenth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 3, line 6, strike out the word "of" and insert in lieu thereof the word "by."

On page 3, line 9, the word "recommend" is incorrectly spelled.

On page four, line 21, the word "had" is incorrectly spelled.

On page four, line 33, the word "recommend" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 5, line 17, the word "recommend" is incorrectly spelled.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The delegation from Traill county presented the following communication and requested that the same be printed in the Journal.

To the Honorable Governor, R. A. Nestos, and the Honorable Members of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly now in Session:

Ladies and Gentlemen: We, citizens and taxpayers of Traill County, who are assembled in conference at Hillsboro this 17th day of January 1923, for the purpose of investigating the cause of our high taxes, find our taxes are excessive and cause an unnecessarily heavy burden upon us at this time.

We therefore respectfully request that the most strict and rigid economy be practised in the administration of the government of the State and all subdivisions thereof.

We further request that the following resolutions be enacted into law:

1. That tax levying board be prohibited from issuing warrants in excess of the total revenue to be obtained from the tax levy of the current year.

2. That the assessed valuation of all property (real and personal) be reduced to 50 per cent of the actual cash value and that the mill tax for the Soldier's Bonus be repealed and an appropriation be voted in lieu thereof.

3. That all laws exempting private property from taxation be repealed.

4. That the issuance of tax exempt securities be prohibited.

5. That the building of new highways be discontinued for a period of two to four years.

6. That the three cent flat acreage hail tax be repealed.

We heartily indorse the principle of the Thorson Income Tax Bill.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTION,

(Signed) JOHN E. PAULSON,
W. J. BURNETT,
H. P. KYLLO,
K. H. BRUNSDALE,
ALVIN T. STOLEN.

The House received the following resolutions from the State Association of County Commissioners, and the same were read by the clerk:

Whereas, our present Mothers' Pension Law is being greatly abused by applicants coming into this state from

states having no such law or from states where the law is not so favorable to them; and that

Whereas, It appears that our present law puts a premium on desertion, non-support and a separation as is evidenced by the fact that in some of our counties more than one-half of such women receiving Mothers' Pensions have living husbands who are not incapacitated, and thus the taxpayers and public are assuming their burdens; and that

Whereas, the present law, Chapter 185 Laws 1915, through court decisions and in operation have disclosed other imperfections; and

Whereas, this body has evolved a Law that meets with its approval,

Now, Therefore, we hereby respectfully petition the state legislature, and present these resolutions to the Honorable Speaker of the House, that said measure presented may be enacted into law, thereby reducing taxes, and introducing a salutary policy into our affairs, that of able bodied husbands supporting their dependents.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ASSN. OF N. DAK.

By C. P. O'ROURKE,
President.

Attest: FRANK HEINES,
Secretary.

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Whereas, there has been introduced in the House of Representatives of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly, of the State of North Dakota House Bill No. 36, being a Bill for an Act to repeal Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1921, the latter Act being an Act requiring all Registers of Deeds to furnish to applicants upon payment of a fee of Five Dollars, a complete abstract of all mortgages and other liens upon crops raised in such county during such year, and requires such Register of Deeds to keep such abstracts up to date by furnishing such applicants a weekly list during the remainder of such year, of all subsequent crop liens filed in his office and all releases thereof.

And, Whereas, Said Act requires all counties to furnish such abstracts at a great loss to said counties; in some instances at a loss of more than \$1,000.00 per year.

And, Whereas, we do not believe any county should be required to furnish such services at a loss to the taxpayers of such county.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved by the County Commissioners Association of the State of North Dakota now in Annual Session at Mandan, North Dakota that we favor the passage of House Bill No. 36 hereinbefore mentioned, repealing said Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1921.

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Whereas, it appears to be unfair to exempt certain properties of certain classes from taxation and thereby add to the taxes of others, unreasonable levies; Be It Resolved that all personal and real property subject to the general property tax to be assessed at 50 per cent of the full and true value thereof, all buildings and structures located thereon and all buildings and structures located upon leased land shall be assessed separately from the land upon which said structure is situated.

Referred to Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

It is hereby resolved, by the County Commissioners Association of the State of North Dakota that we favor the passage of those laws that will insure to the State its quota of Federal aid money as provided by the Federal Statute and that the Legislature be urged to provide for the necessary funds and officers to secure the same.

Referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Whereas, under the present Hail Insurance Law if the owner of crop desires to have the Hail Insurance assessed against said real estate cancelled, it is necessary to make application to the County Auditor for such cancellation;

Therefore, Be it Resolved, That the Legislature be urged to amend said law so as to provide that those farmers who wish to insure may do so by applying to the proper officers and that unless such applications are made the crop shall remain uninsured.

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Whereas, under the present law the tax payers are obliged to pay an unreasonable and unfair price for the publication of so-called official printing,

Therefore, Be It Resolved, that we urge upon the legislature the passage of such laws that through the decrease in price per unit and a decrease in the number of publications required, the net sum will be fair to the taxpayer and reasonable recompense to the publisher.

Referred to the Committee on Printing.

Whereas certain Judges of the District Courts in the State of North Dakota hold jury terms of court open on account of the fact that some of the attorneys are not prepared to go to trial with their cases and permit such cases to be continued from day to day on account of the attorneys not being ready for trial thereby causing the county unnecessary expense.

Therefore, Be it Resolved that a recommendation be made to the District Judges of the State that all cases on the Court Calendar be tried when called for trial, dismissed or continued over the term for the reasons set forth in this resolution.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the seven resolutions just read, adopted by the County Commissioners' Association of the State of North Dakota, be printed in the Journal.

Which motion prevailed.

Bismarck, N. D., January 18th, 1923.

To the Honorable L. E. Heaton,
Bismarck, N. D.

Whereas, it has come to the attention of the members of the Bismarck Gun Club, Bismarck, N. D., that in spite of the stringent laws of North Dakota, relating to the hunting of wild game, that such game is becoming each year more scarce, and that unless provision is made for further protection of such game, future generations will be deprived of their share of the same, and

Whereas, other states recognizing this condition have taken steps to secure by legislation the perpetuation of wild game,

Be it resolved, that we as members of the Bismarck Gun Club respectfully petition the Legislative Assembly, to enact a law creating game refuges, so scattered throughout the state, as to afford a haven for wild game each year, to the end that such game shall be perpetually preserved.

Be it further resolved, that the Legislature take steps by raising the present fee for hunting licenses or by other means, a special fund for the purchasing in future years of lands to be used as Public Hunting Grounds in order that the general public in future years may be provided with suitable hunting grounds, as such properties are now rapidly being purchased by wealthy citizens of North Dakota and other states and are being closed to the general public.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Honorable L. E. Heaton, Representative from Burleigh County and to the Honorable Lynn Sperry, Senator from Burleigh County with the request that they present such resolutions to their respective branches of the legislature.

Respectfully yours,

BISMARCK GUN CLUB

W. C. BUSH,
President.

JOHN A. HOFFMAN,
Secretary.

J. S. EATON,
Chairman of Committee.

J. L. LARSON,
Committee.

CARL NELSON,
Committee.

Thirty-five members.

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Mr. Harrington moved that the above communication be printed in the Journal.

Mr. Iverson presented the following communication :

Mose, N. D., January 12th, 1923.

To the Honorable Members of the 16th Legislative District :

We the undersigned freeholders and voters go on record and protest the repeal of the semi-annual or two payment tax law, presented by House Bill No. 13, introduced by Hon. Mr. Hempel of Sheridan.

There never is a better time for the average farmer to pay taxes than March 1 and October 15 for the reason at these dates the farmer may have a little fund, while June 1st, usually finds the farmer out of funds.

J. P. RAMSEY and 21 others.

Bismarck, N. D.
January 18th, 1923.

To the Honorable L. E. Heaton,
Bismarck, N. D.

Whereas, the Bismarck Gun Club, Bismarck, N. D., has made a careful investigation of game conditions in the state with a view of making such recommendations as seemed fitting and proper to the legislature now convened as to the need of laws relating to this subject, and

Whereas, we have found a dire need for legislation that will protect local game birds as well as poultry and live stock from the menace of coyotes, magpies and crows,

Be it therefore resolved, that we, the members of the Bismarck Gun Club, respectfully petition the Legislative Assembly, to enact a law providing for a bounty of not less than Ten Dollars (\$10.00) on female coyotes, Five Dollars (\$5.00) on male and pup coyotes, (pups being considered pups until October 1st.) and a bounty of not less than Twenty-five cents on magpies and crows.

Be it further resolved that, in our opinion the game laws relating to upland game birds and of waterfowl as at present constituted should be left intact, but that a closed season should be provided for deer.

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Honorable L. E. Heaton, Representative from Burleigh County and to the Honorable Lynn Sperry, Senator from Burleigh County, with the request

that they present such resolutions to their respective branches of the Legislature.

Respectfully yours,

BISMARCK GUN CLUB,

W. C. BUSH,

President.

JOHN A. HOFFMAN,

Secretary.

J. S. EATON,

Chairman of Committee.

J. L. LARSON,

Committee.

CARL NELSON,

Committee.

Thirty-five members.

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Mr. Harrington moved that the above communication be printed in the Journal.

The Traill county delegation presented and had read a resolution adopted by the American Legion Auxiliary, Lynn Spiering Post No. 4, Hillsboro, N. D., favoring an adequate appropriation for a State Department of Health.

The report of the Depositors' Guaranty Fund Commission, submitted in conformity with a Joint Resolution, was received and read in the House.

Which was referred to committee on Banks and Banking.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,

Bismarck, North Dakota,

January 19, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has received the report of the Depositor's Guaranty Fund Commission to the Senate and House of Representatives of the 18th Legislative Assembly, and the same will be printed in the Senate Journal of the 19th Legislative Day, also 500 extra copies of the Journal will be printed.

Very Respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,

Secretary.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 6. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 991 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year

1913, Requiring Ballots of Women to be Deposited in Separate Boxes.

Senate Bill No. 7. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Qualifications of Electors.

Senate Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 968 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to Ballot Boxes.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 37. A Bill For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6855 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Procedure to Obtain a Thresher's Lien, and Fixing the Time Within Which the Same Must be Filed.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

R. J. BOYD,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. Boyd moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 23. A Bill for an Act Providing for Investigation of Violation of Laws, Arrest and Seizure, Starting Prosecutions, Regulations Governing Same and Penalty.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

By striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

Section 1. Power to Subpoena and Examine Witnesses: Whenever any complaint verified upon information and belief and approved by the States Attorney or a Judge of the District Court of the County or District in which an offense is alleged to have been committed is laid before any Justice of the Peace, Police Magistrate, or Judge of the County Court having increased jurisdiction, that a criminal offense has been committed against any law of this state, and asking for an investigation of the same,

such Justice of the Peace, Police Magistrate or Judge of the County Court having increased jurisdiction shall issue his subpoena requiring any and all persons to attend before him at the time and place mentioned in such subpoena and submit to an examination and give testimony under oath concerning any violation of law about which he may be questioned. Such testimony shall be reduced to writing and shall be signed and sworn to by the witness, and if the offence complained of appears to have been committed a warrant for the arrest of the offender shall be issued, if approved by the States Attorney or District Judge, and further proceedings shall then be had as now provided by law.

Section 2. No witness shall refuse to comply with such subpoena because his fee therefor has not been paid in advance and his attendance may be compelled by attachment in the same manner and with like effect as now provided by law.

By amending the title of the Bill by striking out the last two words, "and Penalty," and inserting a period after the word "Same," and when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr Starke moved that the report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Mr. Jackson, on behalf of the Committee on Employment, submitted the following resolution:

Resolved that Mr. Hugh Black be added to the pay roll as proof reader to take the place of Mr. Richard N. Lee, whose resignation has been accepted by the Committee on Employment.

The roll was called and there were ayes, 89; nays, 0; absent and not voting, 24.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Fedge	Jones	Quam
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kellogg	Rabe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Kelly	Radcliffe
Sargent	Fredrickson	Kopp	Rustad
Arduser	Freeman	Lackey	Sagen
Boyd	Geiszler	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Goranson	Larson	Sims
Brown	Halcrow	Lazier	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	Levin	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	Link	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	Lynch	Streich
Burns	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McDowell	Traynor
Cart	Helbling	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Doyle	Henne	Morton	Twichell
Dougherty	Hodges	Muus	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Norden	Veitch
Eckert		Oberg	Weisbeck
		Olafson	

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Ellingson	Jardine	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson,	Nelson Orange	
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	
16th Dist.	Johnson, Traill		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Heaton	Olson, Ransom	Swett
Burleigh	Hoople	Patterson	Vogel
Bollinger	Lakie	Plath	Walker
Cole	Loudenbeck	Quade	Watt
Currie	McManus	Root	Weld
Erickson	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	
26th Dist.	McCay	Steen	

So Mr. Black was declared elected.

The House referred to the fifth order of business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on City and Municipal Corporations beg to report on House Bill No. 43 as follows: That Section one be amended to read as follows: That Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year of 1913 as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 81 of the laws of 1919 be amended and re-enacted to read as follows: In line five of the printed bill after the word "city" insert the word "Council," also in line 27 in the printed bill after the word "days" insert these words "from the date of." Also beginning with word "No" in line 25 of the printed bill, omit all of line 26 and line 27 up to and including the word petition, and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "any petitioner shall be allowed to withdraw his name from such petition within five days from the date of filing of the same with the city auditor. Also that the title of this bill be amended to read as follows: "A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and re-enacted by Chapter 81 of the Laws of 1919 Relating to the Recall of City Officials Under the City Council or City Commission Forms of Government."

Your committee recommends House Bill No. 43 for passage as amended.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on City and Municipal Corporations beg to report on House Bill No. 39 as follows: That House Bill No. 39 having been approved by the committee is hereby recommended for passage without amendments.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The House referred to the seventh order of business.

Mr. Ellingson moved that House Bill No. 25 be recalled from the committee on Temperance and re-referred to the Committee on Education.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell, as Chairman of the Committee on State Affairs, made the following motion: That the Committee on State Affairs be permitted to retain in its possession for action, House Bill No. 19, a bill for an act to repeal the state pool hall statutes, and House Bill No. 36, a bill for an act to repeal the statute relating to furnishing abstracts of mortgages and crop liens to elevators, etc., beyond the seven days permitted by our rules.

Mr. Twichell moved the adoption of the motion. Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Muus introduced:

House Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 3471, 3472, 3473, 3474, 3475, 3477, 3478, 3479, 3480, 3481, 3483, 3484, 3485, 3486 and 3487, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, and as Amended by Chapter 177 Session Laws for 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws 1919, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Needy Inhabitants.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Muus introduced:

House Bill No. 62. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3476, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, Relating to the Levying of Tax to Provide for a Sinking Fund to Pay County Seed and Feed Bonds.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Muus introduced:

House Bill No. 63. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Collection of Notes, Contracts and Indebtedness for Seed and Feed Furnished by Counties.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

House Bill No. 37. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6855 of the Compiled Laws of the State of

North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Procedure to Obtain a Thresher's Lien, and Fixing the Time Within Which the Same Must Be Filed.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 61; nays, 31; absent and not voting, 21.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Jackson	Morton
Burke-Divide	Ellingson	Jardine	Norden
Anderson,	Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson
Sargent	Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner
Arduser	Freeman	Johnson, Traill	Orange
Brown	Geiszler	Jones	Peters
Bryans	Goranson	Kellogg	Sagen
Burk	Halcrow	Kelly	Sethre, Williams
Burns	Hanson	Larkin	Slominski
Carr	Harrington	Larson	Sproul
Cart	Hart	Lazier	Traynor
Craig	Helbling	Levin	Trubell
Doyle	Hempel	McManus	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Henne	McDowell	Ulland
Eckert	Hodges	McGauvran	Veitch
	Iverson	Miller	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Hardy	Oberg	Shurr
Burkhart	Haugland	Opland	Swett
Durkee	Kopp	Quam	Tweten
Erickson	Lackey	Rabe	Walker
26th Dist.	Link	Radcliffe	Weisbeck
Erickson	Lynch	Eustad	Yeater
16th Dist.	Maddock	Sims	
Fedge	Martin	Starke	
Frandsen	Muus	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Olson, Ransom	Steen
Burleigh	Heaton	Patterson	Vogel
Bollinger	Hoople	Plath	Watt
Boyd	Jakie	Quade	Weld
Cole	Loudenbeck	Root	
Currie	McCay	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Larkin moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Larkin to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 147 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 and Repealing Section 147a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; Providing for Publicity of State Finances.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

In line 16 of the printed Bill strike out the capital in the word "The" preceding the word "State" and insert a small "t", and preceding the said word "the" as it there occurs at such place insert the following: "Such report must be verified by the State Auditor and"

House Bill No. 47. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the Election and Terms of Office of Township Officials.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

In line 3 of the title of the printed bill strike out the word "Township" and insert in lieu thereof the word "village."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

B. C. LARKIN,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 19, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 39. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 287 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of 1915, and as Amended by Chapter 204 of the Session Laws of 1917, and as Amended by Chapter 198 of the Session Laws of 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 108 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Investment of University and School Land Funds.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: T. C. Hockridge, Hunter, N. D.; Chas. Vingo, Gardner, N. D.; N. P. Nilson, Bucyrus, N. D.; A. J. Fardahl, Hettinger, N. D.; J. A. Bails, Haynes, N. D.; J. J. Sloan, Hettinger, N. D.; H. A. Fisher, Washburn, N. D.; O. H. Steffernd, Washburn, N. D.; J. J. Coyle, H. E. Wheeler, Minot, N. D.; Lewis Odland, Beach, N. D.; Mr. Krantz, Mr. Haldi, Mr. Toftner, Mr. Kilbourn, Mr. aVndenoever, Minot, N. D.; Mr. Slade, Amidon, N. D.; D. Myers, Bowman, N. D.; Oscar Vinje, R. Kromory, J. P. Parkinson, R. Walker, Bottineau County Commissioners; John C. Look, Commissioner of Rollette County; P. E. Schley, W. Treffey, Geo. Streeter, L. L. Russell, New Rockford, N. D.; C. Hall, Sheyenne, N. D.; A. C. Booth, McClusky, N. D.; Thos. Brockel, Goodrich, N. D.; Ernest Siegele, McClusky, N. D.; Robt. Risworth, Jamestown, N. D.; Jack Temple, McClusky, N. D.; Henry O'Keefe, Grand oFrks, N. D.; Mr. Krantz, Mr. Holdi, Mr. Kopp, Richardton, N. D.; Frank Heimes, A. B. Ferguson, Valley City, N. D.; Paul M. Milker, Fargo, N. D.; N. C. Krebsbach, G. Leischner, J. Gudtschmidt, Logan County Commissioners; Chas. E. Blood, Kenmare, N. D.

Mr. Sagen moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

NINETEENTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 20, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. John A. H. Slag.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Anderson of Burleigh, Bollinger, Cole, Currie, McManus, Patterson, Plath, Sathre of Steele, Steen, Trubshaw, Watt, Wells.

Mr. Sproul moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Eighteenth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 1, line 18, the word "revision" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 3, line 16, strike out the word "wherefore" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Therefore."

On page 3, line 38, insert after the word "applicants" the word "a."

On page 4, line 22, the word "assessed" is incorrectly spelled.

On line 39, page 14, change the word "township" to "village."

On page 7, line 26, after the word "House" insert the following: "Which was referred to the committee on Banks and Banking."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Root presented a Resolution from the Women's Study Club of Oakes, N. Dak., with reference to an appropriation for the State Board of Health.

Speaker Roy Johnson presented a Resolution from Camp No. 7830, Modern Woodmen of America, located at Bowbells, N. D., opposing the so-called Amended Richmond Bill or any similar measure.

Mr. Muus offered the following communication and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

At the annual convention of the County Commissioners' Association of the State of North Dakota, the following motion was unanimously passed:

Moved and seconded that the resolution committee be instructed to draw a resolution favoring the repeal of the seed grain law, which motion was adopted unanimously.

Speaker Roy Johnson presented the following:

January 15, 1923.

Rep. Roy Johnson,
Bismarck, N. Dak.

At the annual meeting of the Northwestern North Dakota Development Association, held Tuesday, January 9, at which delegates were present from McKenzie, Divide, Burke, Mountrail, Renville, Bottineau, Pierce, McHenry, Ward, McLean, and Wells counties, the following resolution was passed:

"WHEREAS, We believe that immigration is one of the greatest present needs of North Dakota, and feel that conditions in the state as compared with those in the older states are such as to make this an auspicious time for an aggressive immigration campaign:

RESOLVED, By the Northwestern North Dakota Development Association in annual meeting assembled, that we earnestly recommend that active immigration work be continued by the state under competent management, and that not less than \$100,000 be appropriated by the present legislative assembly for that purpose.

"RESOLVED, That copies of these resolutions be sent to the governor of the state, and to the legislative assembly."

Yours very cordially,

JAMES S. MILLOY,
Secretary Minot Association of Commerce.

Mr. Johnson of Pembina presented the following and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

To the Legislature of the State of North Dakota:

We, the undersigned, depositors in and creditors of the State Bank of Milton, North Dakota, which said bank closed its doors in December, 1920, and at which time it had in its possession money belonging to us, each in the amount set opposite our respective names, and which said sums of money are still retained by said bank, and for which no accounting has ever been made to us, or to any of us, respectfully petition your Honorable body to cause an investigation to be made into the affairs of the said bank, to the end that some action may be taken whereby an accounting of the affairs of said bank may be had and its creditors be paid as may be found to be due and owing them.

R. J. BAILEY, and 44 Others.

Mr. Walker presented the following communication and requested that it be printed in the Journal:

Center, N. D., January 18, 1923.

Rep. R. W. Walker,
Bismarck, N. Dak.

Dear Mr. Walker:

Please give the County Library Bill your entire support, as you know what the result of such a law will do for Oliver county.

Yours for the good of libraries,

CURRENT EVENTS CLUB,
Center, No. Dak.,
Mrs. R. Dunn, Pres.

The committee on Federal Relations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Federal Relations to whom was referred:

Senate Concurrent Resolution regarding Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Waterway Project.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

PAUL JOHNSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Muus moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Senate Concurrent Resolution regarding the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Waterway Project, was messaged to the Senate.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 39. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-

enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.

House Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 147 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 and Repealing Section 147a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; Providing for Publicity of State Finances.

House Bill No. 47. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the Election and Terms of Office of Township Officials.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

R. J. BOYD,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. Boyd moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

At this time the Speaker administered the Oath of Office to Mr. Hugh Black, as proof reader for the House.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Lackey, by request, introduced:

House Bill No. 64. A Bill for an Act Limiting the Writing and Placing of Fire, Lightning, Tornado, and Hail Insurance on Growing Crops, and on Farm Property in the State of North Dakota, to Domestic Companies.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Miss Dougherty introduced:

House Bill No. 65. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 19 of Chapter 5 of the Political Code of the State of North Dakota Being Sections 524 to 539 Both Inclusive of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relative to the Practice of Optometry, Creating a State Board of Examiners in Optometry, Providing for the Registration of Optometrists, Defining and Regulating the Practice of Optometry and Providing Penalties For the Violation of the Terms of Said Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Public Health.

Mr. Eckert introduced:

House Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$200,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River, Between Williams County, North Dakota, and McKenzie County, North Dakota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Highways.

House Bill No. 39. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 55; nays, 42; absent and not voting, 16.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Johnson, Trail.	Peters
Burke-Divide	Goranson	Kellogg	Quade
Boyd	Halcrow	Kelly	Radcliffe
Brown	Transon	Lackey	Root
Burk	Harrington	Lakie	Rustad
Burns	Hart	Larson	Sagen
Carr	Heaton	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Dougherty	Helbling	McDowell	Siominski
Durkee	Hempel	McGauvran	Sproul
Ehr	Tenne	Muus	Starke
Ellingson	Jackson	Norden	Traynor
Elmer	Jardine	Olafson	Ulland
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Freeman	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Levin	Sims
Sargent	16th Dist.	Link	Sethre
Arduser	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Bratsberg	Trandson	Maddock	Swett
Bryans	Fredrickson	Martin	Tweten
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Twichell
Cart	Haugland	Miller	Vogel
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Yeater
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	
Erickson,	Larkin	Opland	
26th Dist.	Lazier	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hodges	Rabe	Watt
Burleigh	Kopp	Sathre, Steele	Weld
Bollinger	McManus	Steen	
Cole	Fatterson	Trubshaw	
Currie	Plath	Walker	

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Twichell: I desire to explain my vote. I vote no on this bill for the purpose of reconsidering.

House Bill No. 47. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the Election and Terms of Office of Village Officials.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 97; nays, 0; absent and not voting, 16.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kelly	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lakre	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Larson	Sim
Boyd	Geisler	Lazier	Slominski
Bratsberg	Goranson	Levin	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	Link	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Streich
Burk	Hardy	Lynch	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	Maddock	Swett
Burns	Hart	Morton	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Cart	Heaton	McDowell	Twichell
Craig	Helbling	McGauvran	Ulland
Doyle	Hempel	Miller	Veitch
Dougherty	Henne	Morton	Vogel
Durkee	Hodges	Muus	Walker
Eckert	Hoople	Norden	Weisbeck
Ehr	Iverson	Olafson	Yeater
Ellingson	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Jardine	Olson, Townner	
Erickson,	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	
Erickson	Johnson, Trail.	Peters	
16th Dist.	Jones	Quade	
	Kellogg	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Kopp	Quam	Watt
Burleigh	McManus	Rabe	Weld
Bollinger	Oberg	Sathre, Steele	
Cole	Patterson	Steen	
Currie	Plath	Trubshaw	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.,
January 20, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has voted to request the House to Return Senate Bill No. 39 to the Senate.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Peters moved that the request of the Senate, for the return of Senate Bill No. 39, be acceded to.

Which motion prevailed and Senate Bill No. 39 was returned to the Senate.

House Bill No. 47 was messaged to the Senate.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Mr. Carr moved that the House resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Carr to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 23. A Bill for an Act Providing for Investigation of Violation of Laws, Arrest and Seizure, Starting Prosecutions, Regulations Governing Same and Penalty.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

By striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

Section 1. Power to Subpoena and Examine Witnesses: Whenever any complaint verified upon information and belief and approved by the States Attorney or a Judge of the District Court of the County or District in which an offense is alleged to have been committed is laid before any Justice of the Peace, Police Magistrate, or Judge of the County Court having increased jurisdiction, that a criminal offense has been committed against any law of this state, and asking for an investigation of the same, such Justice of the Peace, Police Magistrate or Judge of the County Court having increased jurisdiction shall issue his subpoena requiring any and all persons to attend before him at the time and place mentioned in such subpoena and submit to an examination and give testimony under oath concerning any violation of law about which he may be questioned. Such testimony shall be reduced to writing and shall be signed and sworn to by the witness, and if the offense complained of appears to have been committed a warrant for the arrest of the offender shall be issued, if approved by the States Attorney or District Judge, and further proceedings shall then be had as now provided by law.

Section 2. No witness shall refuse to comply with such subpoena because his fee therefor has not been paid in advance and his attendance may be compelled by attachment in the same manner and with like effect as now provided by law.

By amending the title of the Bill by striking out the last two words, "and Penalty," and inserting a period after the word "Same."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City of Commission form of Government.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

That Section One be amended to read as follows: That Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of

North Dakota for the year of 1913 as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 81 of the laws of 1919 be amended and re-enacted to read as follows In line five of the printed bill after the word "city" insert the word "Council," also in line 27 in the printed bill after the word "days" insert these words "from the date of." Also beginning with word "No" in line 25 of the printed bill, omit all of line 26 and line 27 up to and including the word petition, and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "any petitioner shall be allowed to withdraw his name from such petition within five days from the date of filing of the same with the city auditor. Also that the title of this bill be amended to read as follows: "A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and re-enacted by Chapter 81 of the Laws of 1919 Relating to the Recall of City Officials Under the City Council or City Commission Forms of Government."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 20, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act to Prescribe a Form of Procedure for the Administration of Express Trusts, as Are Defined by Chapter 71 of the Civil Code.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 147 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 and Repealing Section 147a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; Providing for Publicity of State Finances.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as

amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 90; nays, 5; absent and not voting, 18.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Johnson, Pembna	Opland
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Orange
Anderson,	Fedge	Jones	Peters
Sargent	Flom	Kellogg	Quade
Arduser	Franson	Kelly	Quam
Boyd	Fredrickson	Lackey	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Freeman	Lakie	Root
Brown	Geiszler	Larkin	Rustad
Bryans	Goranson	Larson	Sagen
Burk	Halcrow	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burkhart	Hanson	Levin	Slominski
Burns	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Carr	Harrington	Lynca	Starke
Cart	Fiart	Martin	Streich
Craig	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Doyle	Heaton	McDowell	Sweet
Dougherty	Helbling	McGauvran	Traynor
Durkee	Henne	Miller	Tweten
Eckert	Hodges	Morton	Twichell
Ehr	Hocpio	Muus	Ulland
Ellingson	Iverson	Norden	Veitch
Elmer	Jackson	Olafson	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	Vogel	Yeater
Oberg	Weisbeck	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Kopp	Plath	Trubshaw
Burleigh	Link	Rabe	Walker
Bollinger	McManus	Sathre, Steele	Watt
Cole	Maddock	Sims	Weld
Currie	Fatterson	Steen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 44 was messaged to the Senate.

The House referred to the 10th order of business.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. Martin introduced:

House Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4843 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Investment of the Capital, Surplus and Funds of Domestic Insurance Companies.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

The House referred to the 4th order of business.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Jardine offered the following and asked that it be printed in the Journal

RESOLUTIONS from the North Dakota Association of County Commissioners, Adopted January 18, 1923, to be Presented to the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly.

1. That the present Mother's Pension Law be amended in conformity with the proposed bill of Commissioner Sherman of Stutsman County, which provides that no pension shall be granted without the consent of the County Commissioners of the County.

2. That the present Feed and Seed Grain Law be repealed and abolished.

3. That the law requiring the publication of the Delinquent Tax list be repealed.

4. That the Legislature enact suitable legislation to enforce the collection of the School Poll Tax from "Floaters."

(This was referred to the Legislative Committee to formulate appropriate recommendations to be submitted to the Legislature.)

5. That the present law relative to the exemption of personal property from taxation be repealed and that all exemptions be abolished absolutely.

6. That the resolution brought in by the Committee on Resolutions relative to legal publications be amended as follows: By Commissioner Russell: I move that the resolution be amended to read: "And that further steps be taken to eliminate from all official publications as much matter as possible, including the tabulation of the delinquent tax list, and the tabulation of the official vote."

A. H. SHERMAN,

T. C. HOCKRIDGE,

Legislative Committee.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Mrs. Roy Johnson, Casselton, N. D.; Mrs. Percy Trubshaw, Valley City, N. D.; Mrs. A. L. Orange, Jamestown, N. D.; Elwood Fahl and R. Johansson; A. O. Trageton, John Bower, Jr., Ethel Childs, Coleharbor, N. D.; Mrs. Carl Johnson, Bismarck, N. D.; Lydia Amundson, Garrison, N. D.

Mr. Hanson moved that the House do now adjourn. Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

TWENTY-FIRST DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 22, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Gerhard Sprork.

Roll Call: All members present except Messrs: Bollinger, Boyd, Cole, Currie, Link, McManus, Patterson, Plath, Sathre of Steele, Steen.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Nineteenth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 5, line 51, strike out the word "Township" and in lieu thereof insert the word "village."

On page 7, line 16, strike out the word "of" and in lieu thereof insert the word "or."

On page 5, line 47, "reconsidering" is spelled wrong.

On Page 7, third line from bottom of page, change word "amend" to "amendment."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report of the committee be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Hoople presented and had read a petition, signed by Albert Fagerholt and 26 others, favoring the passage of House Bill No. 25.

Mr. McGauvran presented the following and asked that it be printed in the Journal

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 21, 1923.

Hon. Jos. McGauvran,

Bismarck, N. D.

Friend:

The enclosed clipping is from the Herald of the 30th and would seem to me to require attention.

I am not opposed to education. Far from it. But for several years I have been satisfied that the people of North Dakota had permitted our schools to drift into control of a lot of educational fadists who were making entirely too much expense for results the people were getting, and since I became a resident of Grand Forks City, I have frequently thought that 75 per cent of the young people who were supposed to be getting an educational finish in our university would be as well, if not better off, if they never seen it. While many of their parents were depriving themselves to educate their children away from honest industry.

That the present conditions in North Dakota necessitated the curtailing of every avoidable expenditure should be apparent to all of us. And I cannot think that those who manage and control our educational institutions such as the university, agricultural college, normal schools etc., are not aware of the conditions that exist. If they are not aware of them, to my mind they are not fit to be in control or management of such institutions. If they are aware of existing conditions and insist on further expenditure for buildings, equipment, etc., knowing that the people of the state have already a bigger load to carry than they are able to carry, then again I say they are not working for the best interests of the people or state, and clearly show they are not the individuals we need or should have, but are educational fadists, who care for nothing except to carry out their fancies and whims and it is high time they and others of similar ideas were relegated to their place, and the financial management of those institutions placed under control of others possessed of more practical ideas as to the expenditure the taxpayers can afford to be taxed for.

My idea is, all our schools are costing 30 to 50 per cent too much for operation. Chits of girls and kids of boys, who neither by experience or thoughtful training, are fit by experience or examples, drawing down \$100 to \$125 per month, as so-called teachers and instructors, looks strong to be. But so long as the people will stand taxa-

tion, the gang in control of our educational machine will call for more, and give worse service. They are as bad leeches as our trade unions, and just as conscienceless.

I feel that no appropriations should be made by our state at present time, that can be possibly avoided. Road building can quite well be discontinued for some years, and only such necessary repairs done as are absolutely necessary. Fact is, what has been done in the past few years has cost double what it is worth. We all appreciate good roads, but you and I got along as well, or better, before there were any roads to speak of, and the good roads agitation is 90 per cent by the auto manufacturers, salesmen of autos, and cranks who want to speed up to a rate that is entirely unsafe for them and other users of the roads. The auto is a good thing, sanely used, but a menace to many when improperly speeded. As to the haulage by truck—so far as I can see, that is a very expensive method of transportation and one that must sooner or later be controlled by legislation as to weight of load, etc., as no road construction seems to stand up where there is much truck traffic. But the question is not my or your idea of the advantage or disadvantage of either auto or truck; it is the question of taxation for such unnecessary expenditure or expenditures we can avoid.

I own lands that are assessed for \$1,000 per quarter section more than I could or would sell them for, and in districts where they have consolidated schools. I could not rent them for what the taxes are, and the same is true of probably 70 per cent of North Dakota lands today.

Facing such conditions and the fact that the present liabilities of the state are very much in excess of what the people got value for, or more than they should be, every economy possible should be practiced. Theorists may suggest various schemes for betterment of the agricultural conditions, like fixing prices, more and easier credit—they are all falacies. You and I have learned by experience the only way out is economy coupled with vigorous effort, all producing what we can at minimum expense, both state and individual.

I am not suggesting to you what to do. I simply want you to know how I feel on the situation, and knowing you as I do I am fully assured of your acting on your honest convictions.

Truly yours,

J. McPHAIL.

Mr. Goranson presented the following:

To the Senators and Representatives of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

We, the undersigned residents of the City of Leeds and vicinity thereof, do respectfully petition that you do pass a law at this Session of the Legislature restoring capital punishment and providing for the death penalty as a punishment for murder in the first degree. We believe that

the restoration of capital punishment is necessary for the protection of the lives of our citizens, and as a step towards the prevention of crime in this state. Dated this 17th day of January, A. D. 1923.

THOS. WARDROPE and 59 Others.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 22, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Senator McLachlin.

WHEREAS, it has been the will of the Supreme Master of the Universe to remove from his earthly labors, our esteemed friend and honored citizen, the Honorable Frank S. Talcott, a long time resident of the Eleventh Legislative District of North Dakota, and an active and useful citizen in all matters pertaining to the welfare of the state; and

WHEREAS, Frank S. Talcott was for seven consecutive sessions a member of this Senate body and during said service was actuated by an earnest desire to have good and wholesome laws enacted, and has in that respect been a valuable asset to this state, the effect of which will be felt by generations yet to come:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the Senate of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that both Houses do as a mark of respect to Frank S. Talcott, at this time adjourn.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Speaker announced that the body of Mr. Talcott will lie in state at Webb Brothers parlors after four o'clock Tuesday afternoon and the funeral will be held at Fargo on Wednesday afternoon, and that upon request of the Board of Administration he had appointed Messrs. Watt, Maddock and Twichell as honorary pall-bearers.

The courtesy of the floor were extended to the following visitors: Paul Goldade, Rugby, N. D.; Winifred Mathewson and Marie C. Beer.

Mr. Watt moved that the Senate Concurrent Resolution just read be adopted by a rising vote.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 23, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Gerhard Sprork.

Roll call. All members present except Messrs. Currie, Eckert, Link, Patterson.

Mr. Kopp moved that all absentees be excused.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 21st day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 2, line 8, strike out the figure "3" and in lieu thereof insert the figure "2"

And when so corrected recommend the same to be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report of the committee be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Erickson presented six communications supporting House Bill No. 25; four from Steele, N. D.; one from Driscoll, N. D. and one from Lake Williams, N. D.

Mr. Steen presented a communication from the Civic League of Kulm, N. D., with reference to an appropriation for the State Board of Health.

Mr. Hoople received the following two communications and requested they be printed in the Journal.

Grafton, N. D., Jan. 17, 1923.

Dear Sir: The members of the North Trinity Lutheran Congregation have instructed me to inform you that they are heartily in favor of the passing of House Bill No. 25, the one referring to dancing in public school houses. There are forty-eight members of voting age in this congregation.

Respectfully,

M. DAHL,

Secy. North Trinity Church.

Grafton, N. D., Jan. 19, 1923.

Hon. Rep. G. Hoople:

Our congregation held a meeting on the 15th of January and passed a resolution in favor of House Bill 25, and requested me the secretary to ask your honor to vote for it if possible.

I. BIRK, Secretary.

Mr. Boyd presented a communication from the American Legion Auxiliary of Gilbert C. Grafton Post No. 2 at Fargo, with reference to an appropriation for State Board of Health.

Minnie Craig presented a communication favoring House Bill No. 25.

Mr. Bollinger presented a communication Signed by Henry Johnson and 22 others urging his support of House Bill No. 25.

Mr. Goranson offered a resolution from the Oberon Women's Club favoring an increased appropriation for the State Board of Health.

Mr. Jackson received the following communication and asked that it be printed in the Journal.

Devils Lake, N. D., January 20, 1923.

A. B. Jackson, Jr.,
Bismarck, N. D.

House Bill No. 25—Dancing.

It is the sense of this Board that dancing is recognized as one of the social functions employed by a large majority of the people. That it is a social function that is here to stay. That we should employ means to make this form of social enjoyment as clean and wholesome as possible, and that there is no better place to handle this matter among the young people than in our school rooms under the supervision of the teachers and Board of Education.

This Board therefore asks that the Representatives from this county do all that is possible to kill this bill as it now stands.

H. E. PARSHALL, Clerk.

Mr. Hempel received a communication from County Superintendent of Schools Dickey County, regarding House Bill 46, which was read from the desk.

Mr. George Lakie presented the following communication:

Whereas, we as taxpayers of Williams county recognize the fact that the basis for all tax burdens is the laws under which we operate our government; and

Whereas, we recognize further that in order to materially reduce taxes it is necessary to change or reconstruct laws now in effect, now therefore let it be

Resolved, that we believe in progressive and efficient road building where the same shall be of greatest public service, but we recommend to the Board of County Commissioners and to local boards having supervision of expenditures of road funds that they complete all work commenced and curtail all new work excepting where absolutely necessary for this season; further

Resolved, that we recommend the present poor laws be repealed or amended so as to place the supervision of the poor directly under local governing boards, and recommend that the Mother's pension be subject to approval of local supervisors; further

Resolved, that the laws relating to salaries and mileage or other compensation of public officers be changed, reducing the costs to the county and taxpayers; further be it

Resolved that the offices of county agent, county nurse, and county demonstrator be abolished until financial conditions will warrant a return to the practical use of such offices; be it further

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be mailed to the governor of the state, a copy filed with the county auditor of this Williams county, and by him transmitted to the members of the legislature of this district.

Mr. A. L. Orange presented the following communication and requested that it be printed in the Journal.

January 21, 1923.

Mr. A. L. Orange,
Bismarck, N. D.

My Dear Mr. Orange:

Will you take time to look over carefully the bill that has been introduced providing for the care of crippled children and, if possible, give it your hearty support?

I have not read the bill but Mrs. Jones who is in Bismarck working in the interests of crippled children has studied the question for many years and knows the need. Something should surely be done for these unfortunate children.

May I also express my opposition to the bill to prohibit dancing in the public schools.

Our young people are going to dance, let us make it safe for them and make the school their social center.

Give them another interest in the school, don't drive them out of it.

Yours truly,

MRS. GRACE CLENDENING.

The committee on Judiciary made the following majority report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relative to Liens upon Crops.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The committee on Judiciary made the following minority report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relative to Liens upon Crops.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line four of the printed bill after the words, "Section 6707" strike out everything to the end of the bill and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Liens Upon Crops, Limited. Exceptions. No lien by contract, levy or attachment or otherwise, shall attach to the one-third interest of the lienor in any crop hereafter grown, harvested or threshed, except as to liens created by chapters 96, 97, and 98 of the Compiled Laws of the Year 1913, or in the case of liens by contract to secure the purchase price, or rental, of the land upon which such crops are grown. Upon such crop being marketed, the purchaser shall pay one-third of the proceeds to the lienor and two-thirds to the lienee, provided that the liens excepted here-

in shall be liens against the entire crop only next maturing after the execution of such contract, against which they have been given. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed. This act is declared to be an emergency measure and for the good of public policy and shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

B. C. LARKIN,
R. H. WALKER,
O. F. ANDERSON,
G. W. MORTON,

Mr. Starke moved that the majority report be adopted.

Mr. Walker moved, as a substitute motion, that the minority report be adopted.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Walker the roll was called and there were ayes, 56; nays, 54; absent and not voting, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sims
Sargent	Frandsen	Link	Steen
Arduser	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Streich
Bratsberg	Hardy	McManus	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Maddock	Swett
Burkhart	Helbling	Martin	Tweten
Carr	Hempel	McCay	Vogel
Gole	Hodges	Miller	Walker
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Erickson,	Kellogg	Opland	
26th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	
	Lakie	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geizler	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	Goranson	Varson	Rustad
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lynch	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	McDowell	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Burk	Hart	Muus	Starke
Cart	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Burns	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Fillingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Eckert	Patterson

So the minority report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites With Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Land, and Making all Crop Mortgages not Executed in Compliance With Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

Have had the some under consideration and submit the following divided report:

Half of the committee favor the recommendation that the bill do pass with amendments as follows:

1. By striking out, in lines 8 and 9 of the printed bill, the words, as a lien upon such crop.

2. By adding the following Sections:

Section 2. There shall be exempted from the lien of any such mortgage, other than mortgages given to secure the purchase price or the rental of the land upon which the crop is grown, a portion of the crop, to be selected by the mortgagor at the time the mortgage is given, and noted in the mortgage, for the sustenance of himself and family and for seed, equal in value to the sum of five hundred dollars. If there is any dispute as to the value of the grain selected, the same shall be appraised as provided in Sections 7734 and 7735 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, relating to exemptions from execution sale.

Section 3. The exemption herein provided may not be waived and where the selection is not made in the mortgage, the selection may be made by the mortgagor from any part of the crop, but only one exemption shall be allowed to any person.

3. By amending the title of the bill by placing a comma (,) after the last word, "Record," and adding the following words: "and Providing an Exemption."

The other half of the committee favor a recommendation that the bill do pass without amendment.

As no definite action seems possible in the committee, we recommend that the bill be considered by the Committee of the whole.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 29. A Bill for an Act Providing for Suspended Sentences in Certain Cases, Revocation of Such

Suspension and Regulations Governing the Same.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Larkin moved as a substitute motion that House Bill 29 be re-referred to the Temperance Committee, which motion lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Starke, a vote was taken and the motion prevailed.

The committee on Judiciary made the following majority report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8122 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 180 of the Laws of 1915 and as Amended by Chapter 151 of the Laws of 1917, and Chapter 65, Laws of 1921, Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A minority of the committee on Judiciary made the following minority report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8122 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 180 of the Laws of 1915 and as Amended by Chapter 151 of the Laws of 1917, and Chapter 65, Laws of 1921, Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts.

Have had the some under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

B. C. LARKIN,
R. H. WALKER,
O. F. ANDERSON.

Mr. Larkin moved that the minority report be adopted.

Mr. Starke moved, as a substitute motion, that the majority report be adopted.

Which motion lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Larkin, the roll was called and there were ayes, 53; nays, 56; absent and not voting, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lakie Larkin	Sims Steen
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Frandsen	Fazier Levin	Streich Shurr
Arduser Bratsberg	Fredrickson Halcrow	Link Loudenbeck	Swett Tweten
Bryans Burkhart	Hardy Haugland	McManus Maddock	Vogel Walker
Cart Cole	Helbling Hempel	Martin McCay	Weisbeck Weld
Craig Doyle	Hodges Hoople	Miller Oberg	Yeater
Elmer Erickson, 26th Dist.	Iverson Jones Kellogg	O'ison, Ransom Opland Quam Sethre, Williams	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Goranson Hanson	Lynch McDowell	Sagen Sathre, Steele
Bollinger Boyd	Harrington Hart	McGauvran Morton	Stominski Sproul
Brown Burk	Heaton Henne	Muus Norden	Starke Traynor
Burns Carr	Jackson Jardine	Olafson O'ison, Towner	Trubshaw Twichell
Dougherty Durkee	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Orange Peters	Ulland Veitch
Ehr Ellingson	Johnson, Traill Kelly	Plath Quade	Watt Mr. Speaker
Flom Freeman	Kopp Lackey	Radcliffe Root	
Geizler	Larson	Rustad	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Eckert	Patterson	Rabe

So the motion was lost.

Mr. Starke moved that the majority report be adopted.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Starke, the roll was called and there were ayes, 55; nays, 54; absent and not voting, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Geizler Goranson	Kopp Larson	Root Rustad
Bollinger Boyd	Hanson Harrington	Lynch McDowell	Sagen Sathre, Steele
Brown Burk	Hart Heaton	McGauvran Morton	Stominski Sproul
Burns Carr	Henne Hodges	Muus Norden	Starke Traynor
Dougherty Durkee	Jackson Jardine	Olafson O'ison, Towner	Trubshaw Twichell
Ehr Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Orange Peters	Ulland Veitch
Flom Freeman	Johnson, Traill Kelly	Plath Quade Radcliffe	Watt Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Lakie	Sims
Bürke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larkin	Steen
Anderson.	Fedge	Lazier	Streich
Sargent	Frandsen	Levin	Shurr
Arduser	Fredrickson	Link	Swett
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Tweten
Bryans	Hardy	HcManus	Vogel
Burkhart	Haugland	Maddock	Walker
Cart	Helbling	Martin	Weisbeck
Cole	Hempel	McCay	Weld
Craig	Hoople	Miller	Yeater
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	
Erickson	Kellogg	Opland	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Quam	
		Sethre, Williams	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Eckert	Patterson	Rabe

So the motion prevailed, and the majority report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following majority report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting Dancing in Public School Buildings and Providing Penalty.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN HALCROW,
J. W. HEMPEL,
GEO. H. HOOPLE,
MICHAEL HENNE,
JNO. T. FREEMAN,
P. O. SATHRE,
J. C. MILLER,
J. H. BURKHART,
MINNIE D. CRAIG,
L. E. COLE,
L. L. BROWN.

The minority committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting Dancing in Public School Buildings and Providing Penalty.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. A. SAGEN,
M. C. OLSON,
NELLIE DOUGHERTY,
R. M. SPROUL,
P. R. TRUBSHAW,
HERBERT F. SWETT.

Mr. Twichell moved that the minority report be adopted.

Mr. Hempel moved, as a substitute motion, that the majority report be adopted.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that House Bill No. 25 be referred to general orders.

Which motion lost.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Hempel, a vote was taken and the motion lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, for the adoption of the minority report:

Mr. Halcrow moved a Call of the House.

Which motion lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, the roll was called and there were 60 ayes, 46 nays, 7 absent and not voting.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Jardine	Morton	Sproul
Burns	Johnson,	Nelson Muus	Starke
Carr	Johnson, Pembina	Oberg	Shurr
Doyle	Kellogg	Olafson	Swett
Dougherty	Kelly	O'son, Townner	Traynor
Durkee	Kopp	Opland	Trubshaw
Ehr	Lackey	Plath	Tweten
Ellingson	Lakie	Quade	Twichell
Fedge	Loudenbeck	Quam	Ulland
Flom	Lynch	Radcliffe	Veitch
Hardy	Maddock	Root	Walker
Harrington	Martin	Rustad	Watt
Hart	McCay	Sagen	Weld
Hodges	McDowell	Sims	Yeater
Jackson	McGauvran	Siominski	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Craig	Hempel	Norden
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Henne	Olson, Ransom
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Hoople	Orange
Sargent	Frandsen	Iverson	Peters
Arduser	Fredrickson	Johnson, Traill	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Freeman	Jones	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Larkin	Steen
Brown	Goranson	Larson	Streich
Bryans	Halcrow	Lazler	Vogel
Burk	Hanson	Levin	Weisbeck
Burkhart	Haugland	Link	
Cart	Heaton	McManus	
Cole	Helbling	Milner	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Currie	Elmer	Patterson
Burleigh	Eckert	Erickson	Rabe
		26th Dist.	

The following members explained their votes: Messrs. Harrington, Heaton, Johnson of Pembina, Sagen, Sims and Trubshaw.

So the motion prevailed and the Minority report was

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 23, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Section 2. Whereas, the law of this state should be made uniform with the laws of other states as to the term during which the installments or rents under such contract may be paid, it is hereby declared that this Act is an emergency measure, and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 23, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bill:

House Bill No. 27. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 as Amended by Chapter 102 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Frequency of Holding an Election for the Removal of County Seats not Located on the Railroad and Providing a Primary Election Thereon and Prescribing the Number of Votes Required for Such Removal.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 23, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9 of Chapter 236, Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the qualifications of Graduated Registered Nurses.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 23, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bill:

House Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act Regulating Procedure and Prescribing Rules of Evidence in Actions Brought by Holders of Grain Storage Tickets, For the Recovery of the Possession or Value of Grain Stored in Public Warehouses, Which Grain Has Been Converted or Improperly Detained From the Owner.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On line three of Section 1188 of the original bill strike out the words: "of the compulsory school age, determined by Section 1342 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913 and acts amendatory thereto," and insert in lieu thereof the words: "between the ages of six and seventeen years."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

P. R. Trubshaw,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-

enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 14. A Bill for an Act Relating to Cities, Providing for Connection to Water and Sewer Mains and Installation of Toilets.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 22. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment, Government and Maintenance of the City Planning Commission in Such City; to Prescribe the Powers and Duties of Such Planning Commission and to Vest in Such Commission Jurisdiction Over All New Subdivisions or Re-subdivisions of Land Within the Corporate Limits of Such City.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That the title of the bill be amended to read as follows: A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment, Government and Maintenance of the City Planning Commission; to Prescribe the Powers and Duties of Such Planning Commission and to Vest in Such Commission Jurisdiction Over All New Subdivisions or Re-subdivisions of Land Within the Corporate Limits of Such City.

That the Bill be amended in the body of the printed bill

as follows: Section 1. In line 2 omit the words "Five Thousand" and substitute in lieu thereof the words "Twelve Thousand Five Hundred."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower such Cities by Ordinance, to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That the title be amended to read as follows: A Bill for an Act to Empower all Cities Having a Population in Excess of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits and to Empower Such Cities by Ordinance to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts the Use of Lands, the Height, the Area, the Size and Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings, and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Further, that Section 1 be amended as follows: Section 1, in line 4 of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the words "Five Thousand" and insert the words "Twelve Thousand Five Hundred."

In Section 5, line 5, correct the spelling of the word "extending" by inserting the letter "t."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JNO. T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 23. A Bill for an Act Providing for Investigation of Violation of Laws, Arrest and Seizure, Starting Prosecutions, Regulations Governing Same and Penalty.

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City or Commission Form of Government.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

C. A. SAGEN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. Boyd moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act Validating the Record of Mortgages and Assignments of Mortgages in the Office of the Register of Deeds of the Counties of the State between July 1, 1917, and January 1, 1923.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 18. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8657 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, relating to Letters of Administration, and Who are Entitled Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Jardine moved that House Bill No. 30, which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, be re-referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Cart moved that House Bill No. 51 be re-referred to the committee on Highways and Bridges.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 23, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate voted to request the House to return Senate Bill No. 38.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Sagen moved that the request of the Senate be complied with and that Senate Bill No. 38 be returned to the Senate.

Which motion prevailed, and Senate Bill No. 38 was returned.

Mr. Jackson asked unanimous consent to refer to the sixth order of business.

Mr. Jackson nominated Mr. Andrew Johnson as clerk of the Committee on State Affairs, and that his name be added to the payroll as of Saturday, January 20th.

Mr. Johnson was elected by the following roll call.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lakie	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larkin	Root
Anderson,	Freeman	Larson	Rustad
Sargent	Geisler	Lazier	Sagen
Arduser	Goranson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Halerow	Link	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Hardy	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McManus	Sprout
Burk	Hart	Martin	Starke
Burns	Haugland	McCay	Steen
Carr	Hcaton	McDowell	Streich
Cole	Helbling	McGauvran	Shurr
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Traynor
Doyle	Henne	Morton	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Durkee	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Ehr	Iverson	Oberg	Ulland
Ellingson	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
Elmer	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
	Johnson,	Nelson Olson, Towner	Walker

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Watt
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Weisbeck
Erickson	Jones	Peters	Weid
16th Dist.	Kelly	Plath	Yeater
Fedge	Kopp	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Lackey	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Burkhart	Eckert	Patterson
Burleigh	Cart	Kellogg	Rabe
Bryans	Currie	Maddock	Swett

At this time the Speaker administered the Oath of Office to Mr. Johnson.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Gladys Tate, Minot, N. D.; Mary Kelly, Bismarck, N. D.; Wellington Wright, Mott, N. D.; F. W. McKendry, Mandan, N. D.; F. L. Vorachek, J. H. Haigh, Dr. G. M. Foster, Beach, N. D.; Berndt Anderson, Churchs Ferry, N. D.

Mr. Watt moved that the House do now recess until 1 o'clock P. M., tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY AFTER RECESS AND TWENTY-THIRD DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 24, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 1 oclock P. M. pursuant to recess. Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. John Burk introduced:

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 36 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Live Stock.

Mr. Peters, by request, introduced:

House Bill No. 69. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two and 3-100 Dollars (\$2,882.03) for the Purpose of Charging Off Losses Resulting to the State on Account of the Failure, in the Year 1909, of the First National Bank of Rugby, Rugby, North Dakota, and the Barton State Bank, Barton, North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 70. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 127 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921 Relating to Smoking in Certain Places.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6815 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to the Filing of Intention to File Mechanics' Lien.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 6816 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Requiring Notice to and Consent of Owner in Filing Mechanics' Liens Under Chapter 91.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Starke introduced:

House Bill No. 73. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Election of Directors of Building and Loan Association for the Term of Three Years.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Slominski introduced:

House Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) for the Retirement of Part of the Bonds Issued Against the Present Bridge Across the Red River of the North from a Point in the County of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a Point in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota at Oslo, and That Such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Funds.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Highways.

Mr. Traynor introduced:

House Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Provide for the Payment of Non-resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid: Repealing Acts or Parts of Acts in So Far as they Conflict With this Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Olafson introduced:

House Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars to the Bovine Tuberculosis Fund for carrying out the provisions of Article 17—Revised Code 1913 and Amendments thereto, Relating to the Reimbursement of Owners of Tuberculous Cattle.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Olafson introduced:

House Bill No. 77. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Compensation of Election Officers.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Mr. Johnson of Pembina introduced:

House Bill No. 78. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 994 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating Preparing and Printing of Absent Voters' Ballots.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 79. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Purpose of Paying Insurance Tax to the Various Fire Departments of the State.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act to Make Appropriation for Postage, Office Supplies, Furniture and Fixtures, Printing, Miscellaneous Expenses, Traveling Expense, Maintenance of Game Farms, Salary and Expenses of Fish Commissioner and Deputy Fish Commissioner, and Expenses and Maintenance of Fish Hatchery.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Maintenance of the State Capitol and for Improvements, Repairs and Equipment Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Minot, North Dakota, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the

Forestry State Normal School, at Bottineau, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the School for the Deaf at Devils Lake, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the State Hospital for the Insane at Jamestown, North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making Appropriations for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Penitentiary and for Making of Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of One Hundred Seventy-Six Thousand Dollars for Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Dunseith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on appropriations.

Mr. Lynch introduced:

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand Dollars to Provide Funds for the Payment of the Per Diem and Necessary Expenses of the Members of the State Board of Pardons, together with Postage, Telegrams, Telephone Tolls, Printing, and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred by Such Board as Provided for in Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Minimum Wage, Health and Morals of Women Workers, for Salary, Postage, Office Supplies, Printing, Traveling Expenses, Hearings, Conferences, Witness Fees Legal Fees and Office Rent.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Florence Crittenton Home at Fargo, North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$10,000.00 for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Free Employment Service Under Chapter 117, Session Laws of 1921.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$18,000.00 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 98. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Forty-Eight and 48-100 Dollars (\$12,548.48) According to Chapter 327 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919 of the State of North Dakota for the Purpose of Stamping out Venereal Diseases.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Miller asked the House to return to the 7th order of business. There being no objections the House returned to the 7th order of Business.

Senate Bill No. 18. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8657 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, relating to Letters of Administration, and Who are Entitled Thereto.

Was messaged to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act to Prescribe a Form of Procedure for the Administration of Express Trusts, as Are Defined by Chapter 71 of the Civil Code.

Was returned to the Senate as per request.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by J. C. Miller.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the House of the 18th Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, The Senate concurring therein:

WHEREAS, the location of the training school of the state of North Dakota is unsanitary by reason that portions of its site are annually inundated by the Missouri and

Heart Rivers, causing great financial loss and being a source of disease; and

WHEREAS, said training school is in a much overcrowded condition having room to comfortably house and care for only about one third of its present occupants; and

WHEREAS, children of all ages and sexes, and of varying degrees of moral and mental development, are thrown together, thereby creating an improper atmosphere; and

WHEREAS, there is an insufficient amount of land in connection with the said training school for the employment of such pupils during such time as they are not occupied in mental training or recreation; and

Whereas, the property now used by the State of North Dakota for a training school is badly needed for other purposes; and

WHEREAS, the resources of the state have been impaired by drought and other causes of crop failure to such an extent that it can not provide the necessary facilities needed for those requiring a training school; and

WHEREAS, the United States Government now owns and controls a tract of land with buildings thereon, known as Fort Lincoln, admirably situated for the purpose of a training school; and

WHEREAS, such land and buildings are wholly unoccupied and are an expense to the government in the repair, maintenance, and upkeep thereof, now,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota, the Senate concurring therein, that the Congress of the United States at its earliest possible convenience take such action as is necessary to the end that this property may become available to the State of North Dakota for the use thereof as a state training school; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of State be instructed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the President of the United States, the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and one to each of the members of both houses of Congress from the State of North Dakota, immediately upon its passage and approval.

Mr. Miller moved that the Concurrent Resolution just read be adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved, as a substitute motion, that the Concurrent Resolution be referred to the special Joint Committee of the House and Senate, which has this matter under consideration.

Mr. Watt moved, as an amendment to the motion of Mr. Twichell, that the special Joint Committee be requested to communicate with the North Dakota Congressmen and Senators, to ascertain if it will be possible to se-

cure the grounds and buildings at Fort Lincoln for the use of the State.

The question being on the amendment by Mr. Watt, a vote was taken and the amendment prevailed.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, a vote was taken and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Sproul moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

TWENTY-THIRD DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 24, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Gerhard Sprork.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Currie, Eckert, Patterson, Rabe, Traynor, Yeater.

Mr. Helbling moved that all absentees be excused.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL.

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 22nd day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 4, line 11, the word "them" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 6, line 29, the word "mortgage" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 7, line 26, after the word adopted place a period, and strike out the words "which motion prevailed and the report was adopted."

In roll call on page 5 the name of Mr. Carr is omitted, should be shown voting in negative. On page 9 after roll call insert the words "so the motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted."

On page 10 after roll call at the bottom of the page insert the words "so the motion prevailed and the Minority report was adopted."

On page 14, line 1, the word "words" is incorrectly spelled.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report of the committee be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Miller presented the following communication and requested it be printed in the Journal:

Bottineau, N. D., Jan. 22, 1923.

Hon. J. C. Miller,
Bismarck, N. Dak.

Before you went to Bismarck this fall you requested the people to send you some suggestions as to what they considered of importance for our lawmakers at the next session to take in consideration. As to my knowledge there was nothing more said in the paper, but you might have received some personal letters with suggestions. Now I will send you one if not too late.

I don't believe there is a law on our statute books that is so frequently violated as the prohibition law, and it seems to me as though the violators are getting bolder and bolder all the time, and something must be done so that it will be easier for us to get them. I would suggest that any man that is found to be intoxicated should be arrested, and that the officials shall be more strict in exercising their duty in enforcing this law.

Last Friday there was a dance somewhere east in the mountains and there was plenty of this moonshine as they call it, and some of them got very drunk and one died (Halvor Hauge) and another one was very near dead and he is now here at the hospital and will recover. There are so many stills here and there and all over, something must be done to get them out and I consider our duty as law abiding citizens to remove the stumbling blocks that we find is the direct cause to so much sorrow and misery.

And there is another thing that I thought I would mention, and that is this: Have a law that we shall have no teachers, teaching in our public schools, university, normal or high schools that are opposed to the Christian religion, as there is enough of things outside of the schools that are trying to lead our youngsters astray from God without it being done by our teachers. A man was around here a few days ago getting donations for Sunday School work, and when he asked one of the teachers at the School of Forestry he said he would not give any thing to that cause as religion was a detriment, or a hindrance in his work in school, this man told me he was going to write to the Governor about it.

I do wish you would consider these things that I have mentioned above and take this up with the other members

of the House and pass some laws by which we can better the conditions.

With kind personal regards, I am

Your friend

H. J. HANSON.

Mr. Hempel presented the following communication and asked that it be printed in the Journal.

McClusky, N. D., January 20, 1923.

Hon. J. W. Hempel,
Bismarck, N. Dak.

Hon. and Dear Sir:

If House Bill No. 46 passes I shall be compelled to visit the schools on foot.

I am in favor of House Bill No. 25 being enacted into a law.

Very truly yours,

J. N. MUEHL,

Supt. of Schools.

Mr. Watt presented the following resolution from the Tri-State Grain Growers Association and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

WHEREAS, this is a time of crisis in agriculture as a result of the American farmer so loyally responding to the task of feeding the Allied forces in Europe during the war, with the result that agriculture now has to readjust itself involving great sacrifices; and

WHEREAS, the need of trained leadership for agriculture becomes more and more necessary; and

WHEREAS, the farmers are making greater demands on the agricultural colleges than ever before:

1. Calling for more information from the Experiment stations; calling for varieties of crops that will yield well and will resist rust and other crop enemies, calling for information on how to cope with the ever increasing diseases and insects that affect crops and stock.

2. Sending more of their boys and girls to attend the agricultural colleges, and coming themselves in increasing numbers.

3. Calling on the extension agents for help as they never did before—what stock to raise, where and how to buy, what feed crops to raise, how to feed, and a hundred other questions.

WHEREAS, this is a time for economy in government expenditures; and.

WHEREAS, agriculture is fundamental to the prosperity of these states:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Tri-State Grain Growers convention, express our appreciation of the important work being done by the agricultural colleges and their various departments, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we urge that care be taken not to cripple the agricultural college, the institution on which such heavy demands are being made, and the one institution that can help farmers to solve the problems of this crisis. A doctor is needed most when a person is sick. The farmers can less afford to dispense with the services of the agricultural college now than they could in a period of prosperity.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we view with alarm any attempt to hamper the activities of the agricultural colleges at this time when such heavy demands are being made on them, and when their activities are so needed in furnishing information, training and leadership.

Mr. Watt presented the following communication from the Cass County Farm Bureau and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

WHEREAS, there is an organized effort to have county agent and agricultural extension work discontinued; and

WHEREAS, the fact is apparent that the farmers of this state must adopt a mixed crop system as soon as possible.

WHEREAS, the county extension agents of the state are working wholeheartedly to bring about the necessary change in the agricultural practices so that products can be raised more economically and marketed efficiently; and

WHEREAS, the county extension agents in Cass County and in other counties of the state have helped the farmers introduce more feed and pasture crops; select better dairy and beef cattle and hogs; market wool, cream, seeds, horses and livestock cooperatively and profitably; and

WHEREAS, scores of profitable projects have been carried on in this and other counties of the state by the county extension agents, any one of which has made the farmers more than the cost of conducting extension work in the county for one year:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Cass County Farm Bureau now assembled heartily endorse the system of cooperative agricultural extension work as carried out in Cass County and other counties of the state. We resent any attempt to curtail or eliminate the educational facilities offered by the cooperative extension system and the agricultural educational institutions. We respectfully request our Legislature to make sufficient appropriation so that, with the exercise of strict economy, cooperative agricultural extension work may be administered on a larger scale during the next two years than in the past.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Board of County Commissioners of this county, the members of the Legislature, and the Press.

Mr. Sathre of Steele presented the following communication and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

Hope, N. D., January 11, 1923.

Mr. P. O. Sathre,
Bismarck, N. D.

Honorable Representative:

Could there be an amendment made in some of the laws that refer to grain buyers or grain laws, or a new law enacted to compel the grain buyers to call off the weight of the load, and when unloaded call off the weight of the wagon.

I have myself experienced when the load has been weighed and balanced the buyer has in several instances marked down 100 to 200 pounds less than actual weight. I believe if this could be done the agent in many instances would hesitate to mark down less than actual weight.

I believe this will give you an idea of what I mean, and will close.

Yours very truly,

J. R. JONSON.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

House Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8122 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 180 of the Laws of 1915 and as Amended by Chapter 151 of the Laws of 1917, and Chapter 65, Laws of 1921, Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 24. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Conciliation of Controversies.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF
HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. Ehr introduced:

House Bill No. 99. A Bill For an Act Prescribing the Basis of Assessment of Property for Purposes of Taxation; Repealing Chapter 220, Laws of 1919, and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

HOUSE ROLL CALL

House Bill No. 23. A Bill for an Act Providing for Investigation of Violation of Laws, Arrest and Seizure, Start-Prosecutions, Regulations Governing Same and Penalty.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 79; nays, 26; absent and not voting, 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Kelly	Sam
Burleigh	Freeman	Kopp	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lakie	Root
Boyd	Goranson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Bryans	Halerow	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Hanson	Lazier	Sims
Burkhardt	Hardy	Levin	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Carr	Haugland	McManus	Starke
Cart	Heaton	Martin	Streich
Craig	Hempel	McCay	Shurr
Doyle	Henne	McDowell	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Miller	Tweten
Durkee	Hoople	Morton	Twichell
Ehr	Iverson	Muus	Ulland
Ellingson	Jardine	Norden	Veitch
Erickson,	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
16th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Frandsen	Jones	Plath	
	Kellogg	Quade	

Those voting nay were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Cole	Lackey	Steen
Burke-Divide	Elmer	Link	Swett
Anderson,	Erickson,	Lynch	Traynor
Sargent	26th Dist.	McGauvran	Walker
Arduser	Fedge	Oberg	Wisbeck
Bratsberg	Hart	C'son, Ransom	Weld
Brown	Helbling	Opland	
	Jackson	Rustad	

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Maddock	Patterson	Sagen
Eckert	Olafson	Rabe	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson: I desire to explain my vote and request that the explanation be recorded in the Journal. In passing this law North Dakota will be taking a step five hundred years to the rear in the development of individual liberty. We will be nullifying the long and bitter struggle of our Anglo-Saxon ancestors, which resulted in taking these inquisitional powers away from executive law officers, where it is now proposed to return them, and vesting them in grand juries for the protection of the people. We will be reversing their action and throwing away the benefit of their experience. I vote no.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh moved House Bill No. 56 be referred to the Committee of the whole for further Amendments.

Which motion prevailed and House Bill No. 56 was placed in general orders.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 109, nays 0, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Geizler	Link	Sims
Arduser	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lynch	Sproul
Boyd	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Steen
Brown	Harrington	Martin	Streich
Bryans	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Burk	Haugland	McDowell	Swett
Burkhart	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor
Burns	Helbling	Miller	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	Morton	Tweten
Cart	Henne	Muus	Twichell
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Veitch
Doyle	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Jones	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	
Erickson	Kelly	Quam	
16th Dist.	Kopp	Rabe	
	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Eckert	Patterson	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919 Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City or Commission Form of Government.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 11, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge Flom	Kellogg Kelly	Orange Peters
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Frandsen Fredrickson	Kopp Lackey	Plath Quade
Bollinger	Freeman	Lakte	Quam
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Larkin	Radcliffe
Brown	Goranson	Larson	Root
Bryans	Halcrow	Lazier	Rustad
Burk	Hanson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Burkhardt	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Burns	Harrington	Lynch	Stms
Carr	Hart	McManus	Slominski
Cart	Haugland	Maddock	Sproul
Cole	Heaton	Martin	Streich
Craig	Wielbling	Martin	Sturr
Doyle	Hempel	McDowell	Traynor
Dougherty	Henne	Miller	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hodges	Morton	Tweten
Ehr	Hoople	Muus	Twichell
Ellingson	Iverson	Norden	Ulland
Erickson	Jardine	Oberg	Veitch
26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Walker
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	O'son, Ransom	Watt
16th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
	Jones	Opland	Mr. Speaker

Those voting nay were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Elmer Jackson	McGauvran Rabe	Starke Steen
Arduser	Link	Sagen	Weid

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Eckert	Swett	Yeater
Currie	Patterson	Vogel	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Peters moved that the House concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 4.

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as

amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays 0, absent and not voting 8.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Rabe
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Rustad
Anderson,	Freeman	Levin	Sagen
Sargent	Geiszler	Link	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Halerow	Lynch	Sims
Bratsberg	Hardy	McManus	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	Maddock	Sproul
Bryans	Hart	Morton	Starke
Burk	Haugland	Martin	Steen
Burkhart	Heaton	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Helbling	McGauvran	Shurr
Carr	Hempel	Miller	Swett
Cart	Henne	Morton	Traynor
Cole	Hodges	Muus	Trubshaw
Craig	Hoopte	Norden	Tweten
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Twihell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towne	Vogel
Ellington	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Walker
Erickson,	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Watt
26th Dist.	Jones	Peters	Weisbeck
Erickson,	Kelly	Plath	Weld
16th Dist.	Kopp	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Lackey	Quam	

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Eckert	Hanson	Patterson
Currie	Elmer	Kellogg	Yeater

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 33 of the Laws Enacted by the Special Session of the Legislature of 1919 Relating to the Formation and Division of Voting District.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution introduced by Mr. Stevens pertaining to a Tuberculosis Preventorium.

Which the Senate has adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Mr. Stevens introduced the following Concurrent Resolution:

WHEREAS, a survey made in the year 1922, in the State of North Dakota, under the auspices of state health authorities, disclosed the fact that scores of children were suffering from incipient tuberculosis; and

WHEREAS, it appeared upon investigation and careful examination into the history and the physical condition of these cases, that in the overwhelming majority of them, cures could be effected under proper conditions, with proper treatments timely given; and

WHEREAS, the State of North Dakota at the present time, does not have any facilities for providing such treatments, or any building or buildings where such treatments and care can be given to children thus afflicted; and

WHEREAS, under the existing difficult economic conditions in the State, it will not be possible for the State of North Dakota to provide in the immediate or near future, the necessary equipment, buildings and facilities to give such treatments; and

WHEREAS, the government of the United States maintains several commodious and well equipped buildings at what is known as Ft. Lincoln, in Burleigh County, North Dakota, within three or four miles of the capitol of the state, some of which could be readily equipped as a preventoria for the purpose of treating incipient cases of tuberculosis in children who cannot be taken care of elsewhere; and

WHEREAS, these buildings are not used by the War Department or by the government of the United States at the present time for any military or other purpose, and

WHEREAS, the State of North Dakota has a very active tuberculosis association, which association, under the leadership of the men and women who have given much time and study to this work, is willing and able to assume the change and control of a preventorium or preventoria for the purpose set forth in this resolution:

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Senate of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that we respectfully urge upon the government of the United States and particularly the War Department and the Secretary of War, to authorize the use of one or more of the buildings at Ft. Lincoln that are not needed by the

United States government or the War Department for any military purpose or purposes, for the purpose of housing and making it possible for the State of North Dakota, under the auspices of the North Dakota Tuberculosis Association, to give treatments to children in the State suffering from incipient tuberculosis.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be transmitted by the Secretary of State to the United States Senators and the members of Congress representing North Dakota, and an original duly authenticated copy thereof be transmitted to the Secretary of War.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9 of Chapter 236, Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the qualifications of Graduated Registered Nurses.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 33 of the Laws Enacted by the Special Session of the Legislature of 1919 Relating to the Formation and Division of Voting Districts.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act Validating the Record of Mortgages and Assignments of Mortgages in the Office of the Register of Deeds of the Counties of the State between July 1, 1917, and January 1, 1923.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 86, nays 20, absent and not voting, 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Freeman	Lackey	Root
Anderson,	Geiszler	Lakie	Rustad
Sargent	Goranson	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Halcrow	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Hanson	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Hardy	McManus	Sims
Bratsberg	Harrington	McCay	Slominski
Brown	Hart	McDowell	Sproul
Bryans	Heaton	McGauvran	Starke
Burk	Hempel	Miller	Steen
Burkhart	Henne	Morton	Streich
Burns	Hodges	Muus	Shurr
Carr	Hoople	Norden	Traynor
Cole	Iverson	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Tweten
Durkee	Jardine	Opland	Twihell
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Ullard
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Veitch
Erickson	Johnson, Trail.	Plath	Watt
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	Weisbeck
Fedge	Kelly	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
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Those voting nay were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Jones	Oberg
Burke-Divide	Erickson,	Larkin	Oison, Ransom
Cart	26th Dist.	Lazier	Swett
Craig	Frandsen	Link	Walker
Doyle	Haugland	Loudenbeck	Weld
	Helbling	Martin	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Maddock	Quam	Yeater
Eckert	Patterson	Vogel	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Peters moved that the House do now recess for 15 minutes.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

AFTER RECESS GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Freeman moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Freeman to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relative to Liens upon Crops.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line four of the printed bill after the words, "Section 6707" strike out everything to the end of the bill and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Liens Upon Crops, Limited. Exceptions. No lien by contract, levy or attachment or otherwise, shall attach to the one-third interest of the lienor in any crop hereafter grown, harvested or threshed, except as to liens created by chapters 96, 97, and 98 of the Compiled Laws of the Year 1913, or in the case of liens by contract to secure the purchase price, or rental, of the land upon which such crops are grown. Upon such crop being marketed, the purchaser shall pay one-third of the proceeds to the lienor and two-thirds to the lienee, provided that after the execution of such contract, against which they have been given. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed. This act is declared to be an emergency measure and for the good of public policy and shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

That when we arise we recommend that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites With Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Same and Making All Crop Mortgages not Executed in Compliance With Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee amendment as follows:

1. By striking out, in lines 8 and 9 of the printed bill, the words, as a lien upon such crop.

2. By adding the following Sections:

Section 2. There shall be exempted from the lien of any such mortgage, other than mortgages given to secure the purchase price or the rental of the land upon which the crop is grown, a portion of the crop, to be selected by the mortgagor at the time the mortgage is given, and noted in the mortgage, for the sustenance of himself and family and for seed, equal in value to the sum of five hundred dollars. If there is any dispute as to the value of the grain selected, the same shall be appraised as provided in Sections 7734 and 7735 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, relating to exemptions from execution sale.

Section 3. The exemption herein provided may not be waived and where the selection is not made in the mortgage, the selection may be made by the mortgagor from any part of the crop, but only one exemption shall be allowed to any person.

3. By amending the title of the bill by placing a comma (,) after the last word, "Record," and adding the following words: "and Providing an Exemption."

That we recommend that the standing committee's amendment be stricken out and that the original bill be amended by striking out the words "as a lien upon such crop" in lines 8 and 9 of the printed bill, and that when so amended the bill do pass.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as to House Bill No. 1, be adopted.

A request for a roll call was granted.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Twichell the roll was called and there were ayes 54, nays 54, absent and not voting, 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Ellingson Flem	Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Traill	Plath Quate
Bolinger	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Boyd	Geizler	Lackey	Root
Brown	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Burk	Harrow	Lynch	Sagen
Burns	Hanson	McDowell	Slominski
Carr	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Cole	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hodges	O'afson	Twichell
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ullard
	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson Burke-Divide	Fedge Frandsen	Levin Link	Sethre, Williams Sims
Anderson, Sargent	Frdrickson Hardy	Loudenbeck McManus	Starke Steen
Arduser	Haugland	Maddock	Streich
Bratsberg	Heaton	Martin	Shurr
Pryans	Hebling	McCay	Swett
Burkhart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Carr	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Doyle	Jones	O'son, Ransom	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Opiand	Weld
Erickson	Kopp	Quam	
Erickson 26th Dist.	Larkin	Rabe	
Erickson 26th Dist.	Lazter	Sathre, Steele	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie Eckert	Lackie	Patterson	Yeater

So the motion lost.

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of of the Whole, as to House Bill No. 42, as amended in the Committee of the Whole, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: J. W. Sutherland and R. E. Fitzgerald Fargo, N. D.; O. H. Bennett, Jamestown, N. D.; Mr. Mullins, Railway Mens' Association, Grand Forks, N. D.; Fred Geizler, John Berkly and S. G. Wittmeier, Fredonia, N. D.; B. A. Dickinson, Ryder, N. D.

Mr. Vogel moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 25, 1923.

The house convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Gerhard Sprock.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Currie, Eckert, Patterson.

Mr. Peters moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 23rd day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 2, line 37, the word "standardized" is misspelled.

On page 11, line 1, the word "prosperity" is misspelled.

On page 14, line seven, strike out the words "extended to" and insert in lieu thereof the words "recorded in."

On page 20, line 3, add the word "Chairman" after the word "Freeman."

At the bottom of page 20 insert the "Roll Call."

On page 16, line 48 the word "respectfully" is misspelled.

On page 16, second line from the bottom, add "ing" to the word "pertain."

At bottom of page 22, under General Orders add:

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relative to Liens upon Crops.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report of the committee be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Miller presented the following communication and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

Maxbass, N. Dak., Jan. 18, 1923.

Hon. J. C. Miller,
Bismarck, N. D.

Dear Sir: Just a few words regarding the immigration question that the funds already expended will be wasted if not followed up with similar work, especially so with the movie films. Yes, it is too bad. The fact is, it is all more than lost. First, we have a horde of undesirables who do all they can to discredit the state and its people; but this is not so bad after all, as truth has a way to be found out. But we have a real Moving Picture going on in many acts all the time and all the money and work legislature can provide for will go to naught as long as it is going on. This film is shown in broad daylight every day in the year and advertised in nearly all the papers in the state. The actors are mostly farmers.

Act (1) The Homesteaders arrive with a lot of high hopes and courage. They are nearly all gone. Why? You know.

Act (2) Enter another set of farmers, or, rather, suckers, induced by misleading statements and promises, to come and invest (what they might have saved) in the fine property vacated by the former occupant, but only to find that it don't pay and the Banker shows them the Exit by the Foreclosed route.

Will give an example. About five miles S. W. of Hilleboro, Traill county, is a farm by the name the Sutton Farm, the nicest and best farm I know of, located as it is in the best part of the best county in the state. Mr. Sutton sold this farm to the Brown-Danskin Land Co.

Shortly before we came to Bottineau county I was down in Traill county again and found out this very farm has been sold seven (7) times and was then for sale again by the Brown-Danskin Land Company, and every move or sale represents a failure. Is it not moving fast enough? I think it is.

Now, do not understand me as working against permanent immigration, but I am against this movie business in immigration. For a remedy read the clipping enclosed. I do not expect that you can do much in regard to this but I wish you would call the attention of the House to these facts.

Would it be possible to get a good Movie Cinema bill through at this session of the legislature. We need one badly. Just think! Moral outcast Arbuckle's films are showing again in this state and others I suppose just as bad.

Please do what you can in this regard.

With best wishes, your friend.

JOHN J. FOSSUM.

Mr. Kelly presented the following communication and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

To the Honorable Members of the House and Members of the Senate:

We the undersigned citizens of the State of North Dakota and county of Logan, do hereby petition that Chapter 67 Laws of the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota for the year 1919 Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

Be amended to read as follows:

Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent; When Penalty and Interest. All real estate Taxes shall become due on the first day of December in each and every year for which the tax is levied, and become delinquent on the first day of March following, and if unpaid there shall attach thereto a penalty of one per cent as soon as the same become delinquent; also on the first day of each month following an additional penalty of one per cent. on the original tax, and the same shall be charged, and collected accordingly without being specially entered or noted on the tax list.

CARL KAZ, and 24 Others.

Mr. Henne presented two other petitions similar to the above, signed by 103 persons of McIntosh county.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites With Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for

Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Land, and Making All Crop Mortgages Not Executed in Compliance With Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act Regulating Procedure and Prescribing Rules of Evidence in Actions Brought by Holders of Grain Storage Tickets, For the Recovery of the Possession or Value of Grain Stored in Public Warehouses, Which Grain Has Been Converted or Improperly Detained From the Owner.

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an act to Amend and Re-enact 4625 of Chapter 14, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

And find the same correctly enrolled.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 5. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption of Real Estate from Tax Sales.

Have had the same under consideration and unanimsly recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

Have had the same under consideration and unanimously recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out everything after "A Bill" and insert in lieu thereof:

For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 67 of the 1919 Special Session, Relating to Real Estate Taxes due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon:

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1. Amendment. Section 2185 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 67 of the laws of the Special Session of 1919, is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

2185. All real estate taxes shall become due on the first day of December in each and every year for which the tax is levied; the full amount of the hail tax both flat and indemnity and one-half of the remaining real estate taxes shall be delinquent on the first day of March following, and if said one-half becoming due on March first shall remain unpaid after that date, there shall be attached thereto a penalty of five per cent, and on the first day of June following an additional penalty of two per cent, and on the first day of November following a further penalty of three per cent on the original one-half become delinquent on March first as aforesaid.

The other half shall become delinquent on the first day of November and if unpaid on that date, a penalty of five per cent shall be added thereto. The penalties prescribed in this section to be cumulative, and to be charged and collected accordingly without being specially added or noted on the tax list.

Section 2. This Act is hereby declared to be an Emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The majority of the committee on Temperance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on Temperance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating

Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for its Enforcement and Penalty.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In lines 12 and 13 of the printed bill, strike out the words "to sweet fruit cider or"

Section 2G to be inserted between Sections 2F and Sections 3.

Section 2G. (Sweet Fruit Cider.) Sweet fruit cider may be manufactured, procured, sold and possessed, only when put up in sterile closed containers, and is treated by the addition of benzoate of soda or other substitute which will prevent fermentation, in such proportion as to insure the alcoholic content remaining below one-half of one per cent of alcohol by volume. The responsibility of keeping the alcoholic content below such percentage rests upon the persons manufacturing, procuring, selling and possessing the same and in case where cider is found containing alcohol in excess of the allowed percentage, it shall be presumed to have been manufactured, procured, sold, and possessed as an intoxicating liquor.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN HALCROW,
Chairman.

The minority of the committee on Temperance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your committee on Temperance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for its Enforcement and Penalty.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

HERMAN RABE,
E. O. ELLINGSON,
NELLIE DOUGHERTY,

Mr. Rabe moved that the report of the minority be adopted.

Mr. Miller moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the majority be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted:

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

House Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act Regulating Procedure and Prescribing Rules of Evidence in Actions Brought by Holders of Grain Storage Tickets, for the Recovery of the Possession or Value of Grain Stored in Public Warehouses, Which Grain Has been Converted or Improperly Detained from the Owner.

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

And the Speaker Signed the same in the presence of the House.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. Heaton introduced:

House Bill No. 100. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1342 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 141 of the Session Laws for the Year 1915, as Amended by Chapter 206 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to Compulsory Attendance, School Age and Transportation of Pupils.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Education.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Eleven Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$1140.00) to Pay the Expenses of a State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners as authorized Under Section 2711 to 2720, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to Aid in the Educational Work being carried on by the North Dakota Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Prevention of the Spread of Tuberculosis More Definitely Prescribed in Chapter 7 of the Session Laws of North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Glanders and Dourine Indemnity Fund.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Grand Forks for the Years 1923 and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 105. An Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand and Forty Dollars (\$1,040.00) for the Payment of \$10.00 Once Each Week During the Biennium 1923, 1924, as an Aid to the Society for the Friendless Authorized Under Chapter 46 of the North Dakota Session Laws of 1911.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 107. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Payment of the Expenses to be Incurred by the North Dakota Live Stock Association as Prescribed by Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for Compensation and Expenses of the Board of Trustees of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations Introduced:

House Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use and Benefit of the North Dakota Firemen's Association for the Purpose of Promoting the Efficiency and Growth of its Different Departments, and the Holding of an Annual Tournament, According to the Rules and Regulations of Such Associations.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations Introduced:

House Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) to Provide Funds for the Maintenance of the North Dakota National Guard, or State Militia, as Provided for Under Chapter 35 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota, and to Meet Other Requirements Prescribed by the Federal Statutes.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations Introduced:

House Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Fargo for the Year 1923, and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1850 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations Introduced:

House Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$3,450.00 for the Payment of the Per Diem and Expenses of the Board of Experts; and the Salary, and Other Expenses of the Field Officer to be Incurred Under Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, for the Biennial Period.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations Introduced:

House Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Funds to Idemnify Owners of Animals Infected with Bovine Tuberculosis.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations Introduced:

House Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$5,000.00 to the Missouri Slope Agricultural and Fair Association at Mandan for the Fairs to be Held in the Years 1923 and 1924, as Authorized by Sections 1860 to 1866, Both Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations Introduced:

House Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Benefit of the North Dakota Dairymen's Association, for the Purpose of Promoting and Encouraging the Dairying Interests of the State.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Lackey introduced:

Senate Bill No. 116. A Bill for An Act Providing for the Appointment by the Attorney General of a Special Assistant Attorney General to Act as Attorney for the Board of Railroad Commissioners, Prescribing the Duties of Such Special Assistant Attorney General, Requiring a Bond to be Given, Fixing His Salary, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Walker introduced:

House Bill No. 117. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to be Used by the Adjutant General to Assist in Defraying Part of the Expense in Connection With the Litigation by Company A, First Regiment, North Dakota National Guard Training School, a Corporation; and Protecting and Preserving the Title to the Armory and Property of said Company A Located in the City of Bismarck, and Protecting the State's Interest in said Armory.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Messrs. Freeman and Ulland introduced:

House Bill No. 118. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the sum of Fourteen Thousand, Five Hundred and Eight Dollars and 66-100 (\$14,508.66) or so much thereof as may be needed, for the purpose of paying the per diem and expenses of employees, the per diem and mileage of witnesses and expenses for printing and supplies, incurred by the Special Audit Committee appointed by the House or Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in considering the audit of and investigating the State Bank and State Industries as authorized and directed by said House of Representatives.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the committee on Appropriations:

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites With Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Land, and Making all Crop Mortgages not Executed in Compliance With Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 7, absent and not voting, 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakte	Sethre, Williams
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Sims
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Slominski
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sproul
Anderson,	Freeman	Levin	Starke
Sargent	Geiszler	Link	Steen
Bollinger	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Boyd	Halerow	McManus	Swett
Brown	Itanson	McDowell	Traynor
Bryans	Harrington	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burk	Hart	Milner	Tweten
Burkhart	Trangland	Morton	Twichell
Burns	Heaton	Muus	Ulland
Carr	Helbling	Norden	Veitch
Cart	Henne	Oberg	Vogel
Cole	Hodges	Olafson	Walker
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Townner	Watt
Doucherty	Iverson	Orange	Weisbeck
Durkee	Jackson	Peters	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Pluth	Ycater
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Quam	
Erickson	Jones	Rabe	
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Redcliffe	
Erickson	Kelly	Root	
16th Dist.	Kopp	Sagen	
	Lackey	Sathre, Steele	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Lynch	Olson, Ransom	Streich
Craig	McCay	Rustad	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Hempel	Maddock	Opland
Eckert	Jardine	Martin	Patterson
Hardy			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 25, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1782 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Commandant of the Soldier's Home.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Walker requested that the House Return to the Fourth Order of Business.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

A PETITION

Hannover, N. D., Jan. 15, 1923.

To the Honorable Members of the State Legislature of North Dakota.

Gentlemen:

The undersigned, stockholders and patrons of the Hannover Creamery Association, a farmers' cooperative creamery that has been operating for the past twenty-four years in Oliver County, N. D., hereby petition your honorable body to repeal Chapter 149 of the Laws of North Dakota, Session of 1919, which provides that all purchasers of butter fat in North Dakota must pay a tax of 50 cents on each 1,000 pounds of fat purchased to the commissioner of agriculture and labor for the purpose of operating an experimental creamery.

We maintain that the law is unjust in that it imposes a special tax on the dairymen who produce and sell butterfat, that if there is a demand for the operation of an experimental creamery the work it should be conducted at the State Experimental Station and funds that would be necessary to conduct such experimentation should be raised by general rather than by special taxation.

Respectfully,

Signed by HENRY RABE and 12 Others.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Mr. Maddock moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Maddock to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8122 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 180 of the Laws of 1915 and as Amended by Chapter 151 of the Laws of 1917, and Chapter 65, Laws of 1921, Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts.

Page 2 Line 18 of the printed bill after "payment": Provided, that when one-fourth of the total purchase price with interest and taxes has been paid prior to the giving of notice of cancellation, such vendee or purchaser shall have one year after the service of such notice within which to comply with the conditions of said contract, and

upon such compliance the contract shall be reinstated as hereinbefore provided.

And that when so amended the same do pass.

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee Amendment as follows:

On line three of Section 1188 of the original bill strike out the words: "of the compulsory school age, determined by Section 1342 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913 and acts amendatory thereto," and insert in lieu thereof the words: "from the sixth to the seventeenth birthdays."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

House Bill No. 22. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment, Government and Maintenance of the City Planning Commission in Such City; to Prescribe the Powers and Duties of Such Planning Commission and to Vest in Such Commission Jurisdiction over all New Subdivisions or Resubdivisions of Land Within the Corporate Limits of such City.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

That the title of the bill be amended to read as follows: A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment, Government and Maintenance of the City Planning Commission; to Prescribe the Powers and Duties of Such Planning Commission and to Vest in Such Commission Jurisdiction Over All New Subdivisions or Re-subdivisions of Land Within the Corporate Limits of Such City.

That the Bill be amended in the body of the printed bill as follows: Section 1. In line 2 omit the words "Five Thousand, and substitute in lieu thereof the words "Twelve Thousand Five Hundred."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower such Cities by Ordinance, to Regulate

Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee amendment as follows:

That the title be amended to read as follows: A Bill for an Act to Empower all Cities Having a Population in Excess of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits and to Empower Such Cities by Ordinance to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts the Use of Lands, the Height, the Area, the Size and Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings, and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Further, that Section 1 be amended as follows: Section 1, in line 4 of the printed bill, after the word "of" strike out the words "Five Thousand" and insert the words "Twelve Thousand Five Hundred."

In Section 5, line 5, correct the spelling of the word "extending" by inserting the letter "t."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to Liens Upon Crops.

Was amended by striking out all of the printed bill beginning with line 4 down to end of bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 6707. LIENS UPON CROPS, LIMITED. EXCEPTIONS. No lien by contract, levy or attachment or otherwise, shall attach to the one-third interest of the lienor in any crop hereafter grown, harvested or threshed, except as to liens created by chapters 96, 97 and 98 of the Compiled Laws of the Year 1913, or in the case of liens by contract to secure the purchase price, or rental of the land upon which such crops are grown, provided that such exemption shall in no case exceed the sum of \$1000. Upon such crop being marketed, the purchaser shall pay one-third of the proceeds to the lienor and two-thirds to the lienee, or lienees as their rights may appear; provided that liens shall attach only to the crop next maturing after the execution of such contract, except liens given to secure purchase price, or rental, of such land against which they have been given. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed. This act is declared to be an emergency measure and for the good of public policy and shall be in force

and effect from and after its passage and approval.

And that when so amended the same do pass.

WALTER MADDOCK,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Carr moved that House Bill No. 49 be re-referred to the Committee on Education.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine requested that a separate vote be taken on the report of the Committee of the Whole as to House Bill No. 1.

Which request was granted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with the exception of the report on House Bill No. 1, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as to House Bill No. 1, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Dr. T. E. Littig, Joseph Shannach, Fargo, N. D., Paul Goldade, Rugby, N. D., Mrs. Elmer Veitch.

Mr. Lakin moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. D.
January 26, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment. Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain Rev. Gerhard Sprock.

Roll call. All members present except Messrs. Currie, Eckert, Muus and Patterson.

Mr. Slominski moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 24th day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 1, line 7, the name "Spork" should be spelled "Sprock."

On page 6, line 12 after the figure 2, strike out the letter "C" and insert in lieu thereof the letter "G."

On page 3 line 37, after the word persons, strike out period and add "of McIntosh Co."

On page 13, line 15 the word "Seventeenth" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 15, line 35 strike out the words "Five thousand" and in lieu thereof insert the words "twelve thousand, five hundred." The same correction applies to bottom line.

Page 2, line 35, correct spelling of word "find."

Page 5, line 39, correct spelling of word "force."

Page 14, line 46, correct spelling of word "crop."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

-Mr. Orange moved that the report of the committee be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Goranson presented a resolution adopted by League of Women Voters, Oberon, North Dakota, relating to increased appropriation for the State Board of Health.

Mr. Haugland presented the following protest against change in fraternal insurance laws:

We, the undersigned, members of Camp No. 2725, Modern Woodmen of America, located at Fort Ransom, N. Dak., hereby protest against legislation as per resolution attached.

Signed: T. A. AVERY, and 13 others.

Mr. Steen presented the following communication and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

Edgley, N.D.
January 23, 1923.

Hon. Louis Steen:

Dear Sir:

Will you please vote for House Bill No. 50, also House Bill No. 23, and please vote against the Repeal law No. 19.

We do need law enforcement and law control.

Thank you for past and future services, we are:

Signed by MRS. E. M. FARNSWORTH,
And 27 others.

Mr. Arduser presented the following communication and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

Edgley, N. D.
January 23, 1923.

J. C. Arduser,

Dear Sir:

As representatives from the 24th district will you please help us by voting for House Bill No. 50, also 23 and vote against House Bill No. 19. Thanking you for past favors, also future, we are.

Yours in service,

Signed by MRS. E. M. FARNSWORTH,
and 27 others.

Mr. Veitch presented the following and asked that it be printed in the Journal.

Grand Forks, N. D.
Jan. 24, 1923.

Mr. Elmer Veitch, Representative,
Bismarck, N. Dak.

Dear Sir: Will you please vote for House Bill No. 50, the amended prohibition law; for House Bill No. 23, which will aid State's Attorneys in enforcement, and please Mr. Veitch vote against House Bill No. 19, which repeals the present Pool Hall Inspection law, the only law we have providing for state enforcement of the prohibition, anti-cigaret and anti-gambling laws.

Now Mr. Veitch, we know what you would do if it were your boys and girls to be protected by these laws. We want to keep up the present moral standards in North Dakota to number one.

We know your reputation for fairness and squareness. This letter is for myself and thirty-five other prominent women. Please read this to the House of Representaives.

Very sincerely,

MRS. ANNA P. HALVORSON,
President of the Grand Forks,
Scandinavian W. C. T. U.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relative to Liens Upon Crops.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8122 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota 1915 and as Amended by Chapter 151 of the Laws of 1917, for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 180 of the Laws of

and Chapter 65, Laws of 1921, Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower all Cities having a Population in Excess of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones within the Corporate limits, and to Empower such Cities by Ordinance, to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

House Bill No. 22. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities having a Population in Excess of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment, Government and Maintenance of the City Planning Commission in Such City; to Prescribe the Powers and Duties of Such Planning Commission and to Vest in Such Commission Jurisdiction over all New Subdivisions or Resubdivisions of Land Within the Corporate Limits of Such City.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

The Appropriation committee introduced:

House Bill No. 119. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$63,000.00 for the Care of Insane Patients Whose Residence Can not be Determined and Whose Care Must Be Borne by the State.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 120. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1190 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 199 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 53 of the Laws of North Dakota, Special Session of the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 113 Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to the Consolidation of Schools; and contracting for the transportation of pupils to and from said schools; and Providing for a board of Arbitration, and for Discontinuance of Transportation.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 121. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Discontinuance of Consolidated Schools and the Sale of Consolidated School Buildings.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Burkhart and Mr. Burns introduced:

House Bill No. 122. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Maintenance of the Office of Commissioner of Immigration for the Biennial Term Ending June 30, 1925, in Order to Comply with the Provisions of Chapter 146 of the Session Laws of 1919, Restricting its use to that office; for Collecting Material and Making Certain Exhibits and Repealing all Acts or Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Harrington introduced:

House Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Completion and Furnishing of the Library Memorial Building.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Ulland and Mr. Freeman introduced:

House Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Twelve Thousand Sixty-five and 15-100 Dollars (\$12,065.15) for the Payment to Bishop Brissman & Co. of the Sum Due them for the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, and for other Services rendered.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Kopp and Mr. Frandson introduced:

House Bill No. 125. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 25 of Chapter 192, laws of North Dakota for 1919, Providing for the Appointment by the Board of

Railroad Commissioners of Special Examiners, and Authorizing Such Special Examiners to Administer Oaths, Examine Witnesses, and Receive Evidence in Proceedings Before, or Investigations Made by the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act Validating the Record of Mortgages and Assignments of Mortgages in the Office of the Register of Deeds of the Counties of the State Between July 1st, 1917, and January 1st, 1923.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8122 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 180 of the Laws of 1915 and as Amended by Chapter 151 of the Laws of 1917, and Chapter 65, Laws of 1921, Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 25, nays 84, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting aye were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson	Johnson, Trail.	Quade
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Starke
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Twichell
Burk	Heaton	Norden	Veitch
Carr	Jackson	Olafson	
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	

Those voting nay were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Frandson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Frédrickson	Levin	Sims
Sargent	Freeman	Link	Slominski
Arduser	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sprou
Bollinger	Halcrow	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Burns	Heibling	McGauvran	Traynor
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Morton	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Uiland
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Voger
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Welsbeck
Erickson	Jones	Plath	Weld
28th Dist.	Kellogg	Quam	Yester
Erickson,	Kelly	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Kopp	Radeffe	
Fedge	Lakie	Root	
	Larkin	Sagen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Eckert	Muus	Patterson

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Bratsberg explained his vote.

Mr. Sims: I wish my remarks printed in the Journal. If I understand House Bill 56 correctly, it takes away, under certain conditions, the farmers twelve months right of redemption. If this be true, every real farmer on the floor of this House, regardless of political affiliation should aid in killing the measure which is both vicious and vile. I propose to vote against it in the interest of my constituency, in the interest of myself and my family, as well as in the interest of the farmers as a whole, in the State of North Dakota.

House Bill No. 22. A Bill for an Act to Empower all Cities Having a Population in Excess of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment, Government and Maintenance of the City Planning Commission in Such City; to Prescribe the Powers and Duties of Such Planning Commission and to Vest in Such Commission Jurisdiction Over all New Subdivisions or Resubdivisions of Land Within the Corporate Limits of such City.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays none, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge	Kopp	Rabe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen	Lakle	Root
Arduer	Fredrickson	Larkin	Kustad
Bolling	Freeman	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Geiszler	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Goranson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Halcrow	Link	Sims
Burk	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Burkhart	Hardy	Lynch	Sproul
Burns	Harrington	McManus	Starke
Carr	Hart	Maddock	Steen
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Streich
Cole	Heaton	McDowell	Shurr
Craig	Helbling	McGauvran	Swett
Doyle	Hempel	Miller	Traynor
Dougherty	Henne	Morton	Trubshaw
Ehr	Hodges	Norden	Tweten
Ellingson	Hoople	Oberg	Twihell
Elmer	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Erickson, 16th Dist.	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Yogel
	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
	Joanson, Trail	Peters	Weld
	Jones	Plath	Teater
	Kellogg	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Durkee	McCay	Patterson
Currie	Eckert	Muus	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having in Excess of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Inhabitants, by the federal census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower Such Cities by Ordinance, to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide For a Board of Appeals, and For the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty For the Violation Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 8, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kellogg	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Kelly	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Kopp	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lackey	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Freeman	Lakte	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Gelszler	Larson	Slominski
Arduser	Goranson	Lazter	Sproul
Bollinger	Halcrow	Levin	Starke
Boyd	Hanson	Link	Steen
Bratsberg	Harrington	Lynch	Streich
Bryans	Hart	McManus	Shurr
Burk	Haugland	Maddock	Swett
Burkhart	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Burna	Helbling	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Cart	Henne	Morton	Twichell
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Craig	Hoople	Olafson	Veitch
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Dougherty	Jackson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Erickson	Johnson, Trail	Quade	
16th Dist.	Jones	Rabe	
		Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hardy	Martin	Quam	Walker
Larkin	Oberg	Vogel	Yeater
Loudenbeck			

Those absent and not voting being:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Eckert	McCay	Patterson
Currie	Erickson	Muus	Sims
Durkee	26th Dist.	Olson, Towner	

So the Bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 51, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson,	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sims
Sargent	Frandsen	Lunk	Starke
Arduser	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McManus	Streich
Bryans	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Burkhart	Haugland	Martin	Swett
Cart	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Cole	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Walker
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Erickson,	Kellogg	Opland	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	
	Lakte	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geisler	Kelly	Radeliffe
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Hanson	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Harrington	Lynch	Sagen
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Teaton	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Dougherty	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Ul'and
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Freeman	Johnson, Trail.	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Muus	Patterson	Currie
Eckert			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker announced that the emergency clause lost.

Mr. Hempel: I will explain my vote and request my explanation be printed in the Journal. I vote aye on H. B. No. 1, because it will put new life into many thousands of farmers and will help them to make an honest living for their wives and children. I vote aye because under the old law many farmers have been driven to steal the fruits of their own labors to warm, feed, and cloth their families. I vote aye, because I feel it will bring a more kindly feeling between the farmer and the business men,—that better feeling will do very much to put North Dakota in the lead. I vote aye, because I sincerely believe God

Almighty who is watching our work here, approves our helping the needy farmer and his needy children.

Mr. Johnson of Pembina explains his vote: I vote No on House Bill No. 1 because I believe it is unconstitutional.

The House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sagen moved that the Committee on Public Health be given an extension of time for the consideration of H. B. No. 65. Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the State Affairs Committee be given an extension of time for the consideration of H. B. No. 48. Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws be given an extension of time for the consideration of H. B. Nos. 53, 54, 55 and 58. Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peters moved that the Committee on Insurance be given an extension of time for the consideration of H. B. Nos. 33, 67, 64. Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Freeman moved that the Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations be given an extension of time for the consideration of H. B. 45. Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Watt moved that Senate Bill No. 3 be taken from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Which motion prevailed and Senate Bill No. 3 was so referred.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh moved that the House resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Anderson to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out everything after "A Bill" and insert in lieu thereof:

For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Com-

piled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 67 of the 1919 Special Session, Relating to Real Estate Taxes due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon:

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1. Amendment. Section 2185 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, as amended by Chapter 67 of the laws of the Special Session of 1919, is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

2185. All real estate taxes shall become due on the first day of December in each and every year for which the tax is levied; the full amount of the hail tax both flat and indemnity and one-half of the remaining real estate taxes shall be delinquent on the first day of March following, and if said one-half becoming due on March first shall remain unpaid after that date, there shall be attached thereto a penalty of five per cent, and on the first day of June following an additional penalty of two per cent, and on the first day of November following a further penalty of three per cent on the original one-half become delinquent on March first as aforesaid.

The other half shall become delinquent on the first day of November and if unpaid on that date, a penalty of five per cent shall be added thereto. The penalties prescribed in this section to be cumulative, and to be charged and collected accordingly without being specially added or noted on the tax list.

Section 2. This Act is hereby declared to be an Emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for its Enforcement and Penalty.

Which bill was amended by striking out everything after line three of the original bill and adding the following:

Section 1. Intoxicating Liquor and Crime of Engaging in Liquor Traffic Defined. The following liquors are hereby declared to be intoxicating and their intoxicating quality shall, by the Courts, be presumed, viz: alcohol, brandy, whiskey, rum, gin, beer, ale, porter and wine and in addition thereto an spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquor, liquids and compounds, whether medicated, proprietary, patented or not, and by whatever name called, containing one-half of 1 per centum or more of alcohol by volume which are fit for use for beverage purposes: Provided, that the foregoing definition shall

not extend to sweet fruit juices or dealcoholized wine nor to any beverage or liquid produced by the process by which beer, ale, porter or wine is produced if it contains less than one-half of 1 per centum of alcohol by volume and is otherwise denominated than as beer, ale or porter, and is pasturized and contained and sold in or from, hermetically sealed and labeled bottles.

1-A. The word person shall mean and include natural persons, associations, copartnerships, corporations and their clerks, agents and abettors.

1-B. **Crime of Engaging in Liquor Traffic, Defined.** Any Person who shall within this State, manufacture, sell, barter, transport, import, export, deliver, furnish, or possess any intoxicating liquor, shall be guilty of the crime of engaging in the liquor traffic.

Section 2. Prohibiting Intoxicating Beverages. No person shall within this State manufacture, sell, barter, transport, import, export, deliver, furnish or possess any intoxicating liquor, except as provided in this chapter. All provisions of this chapter shall be liberally construed to the end that the use of intoxicating liquor as a beverage may be prevented. Provided that pure grain or ethyl alcohol for nonbeverage purposes and wine for sacramental purposes may in good faith only be used, transported, purchased and possessed as provided in this Chapter. It is further provided, that denatured alcohol or denatured rum; medical preparations that are unfit for beverage purposes; patented, patent and proprietary medicines that are unfit for beverage purposes; toilet, medical and antiseptic preparations and solutions that are unfit for beverage purposes; vinegar; flavoring extracts and syrups that are unfit for use as a beverage, or for intoxicating beverage purposes; together with those United States Pharmacopeia and National Formulary and American Institute of Homeopathy preparations fit for beverage purposes, which can only be used by physicians and druggists for compounding purposes as hereinafter provided, may be manufactured, sold, purchased, transported, imported, exported, delivered, furnished and possessed only to be used for any legitimate nonbeverage purpose and such preparations and other alcoholic compounds and solutions shall not be sold or used for beverage purposes or sold under any circumstances from which the seller may reasonably deduce an intention on the part of purchaser to use the same for beverage purposes.

Section 2-A. Sacramental Wine. Wine for sacramental purposes may be purchased, transported, delivered and possessed by the heads of ecclesiastical jurisdictions, or by some minister, priest or other officer holding a federal permit to transport such wine and the same may be used in good faith only for sacramental purposes.

Section 2B. Use of Alcohol by Physicians. No physician shall issue any prescription for pure grain or ethyl alcohol, as such, but a physician holding a federal permit therefor, may personally or under his supervision administer alcohol to his patients, where the immediate use of such alcohol is believed necessary to afford relief

from some disease, Provided, that not more than one pint of such alcohol may be administered to any patient by one or more physicians, during any period of ten days, and provided that no physician can obtain for such purposes more than five gallons of alcohol during any calendar year. Provided, further, that physicians may procure and use those United Pharmacopeia and National Formulary and American Institute of Homeopathy preparations fit for beverage purposes in such amount and for such purposes as may be in good faith necessary in compounding medical preparations.

Section 2-C. Use of Alcohol by Dentists, Veterinarians. Dentists and Veterinarians may use pure grain or ethyl alcohol for any legitimate, nonbeverage purpose in the course of their professional practice, provided they hold federal permits therefor, and not more than two gallons of alcohol shall be obtained for that purpose during any calendar year.

Section 2-D. Use of Alcohol by Druggists. Retail Druggists holding federal permits therefor, may use such quantities of pure grain or ethyl alcohol and those United States Pharmacopeia and National Formulary and American Institute of Homeopathy preparations fit for beverage purposes in such amounts and for such purposes as may be in good faith necessary in compounding medical and other preparations.

Section 2-E. Evidence, Burden of Proof. Any person prosecuted for a violation of the provisions of this Chapter shall be presumed to be acting without a Federal permit, and the possession of a Federal permit may be proved by the defendant as defensive material and the burden of proof shall be upon the defendant to establish such defence.

Section 2-F. Cumulative. All portions of this Act shall be construed as cumulative in their effect to all former statutes enacted upon the subject of intoxicating liquors, and shall not be considered as repealing any former statute, unless that statute is clearly in conflict with this Act.

Section 2-G. Sweet Fruit Ciders. Sweet Fruit Ciders may be manufactured, procured, sold and possessed only when put up in sterile, closed containers and treated by the addition of benzoate of soda, or other substance which will prevent fermentation, in such proportion as to insure the alcoholic content remaining below one-half of one per centum by volume.

Section 2-H. Possession in Home, When Lawful. It shall not be unlawful to possess liquor acquired prior to February 1, 1920, in one's private dwelling while the same is occupied and used by him as his dwelling only, provided such liquors are for use only for the personal consumption of the owner thereof and his family residing in such dwelling: and the burden of proof shall be upon the possessor in any action concerning the same to prove that such liquor was lawfully acquired, possessed and used.

Section 9. Seizing Transported Liquor. When any sheriff, deputy sheriff, constable, marshal, police or peace officer of this State shall discover any person in the act of transporting in violation of the laws, intoxicating liquor, in any wagon, buggy, automobile, water or air craft, or other vehicle or conveyance, it shall be his duty to seize any and all intoxicating liquors found, therein being transported contrary to law. Whenever any intoxicating liquors, transported or possessed illegally, shall be seized by any officer he shall take possession of the vehicle and team, or automobile, boat, air or water craft, or any other conveyance and shall arrest any person in charge thereof. Such officer shall at once proceed against the person arrested under the provisions of this act in any court having competent jurisdiction; but the said vehicle or conveyance shall be returned to the owner upon the execution by him of a good and valid bond, with sufficient sureties, in the sum of double the value of the property, which said bond shall be approved by said officer and shall be conditioned to return said property to the custody of said officer on the day of trial to abide the judgment of the Court.

The Court, upon conviction of the person so arrested, or upon his plea of guilty, or upon failure after one month of effort, to locate or arrest such person who had possession of such intoxicating liquor, vehicle or conveyance, or when so arrested fails to appear in court for trial at the appointed time and place, shall order the liquor destroyed, and the property used in the transportation of the same to be forfeited, and shall require the State's Attorney for the County in which such property was seized to cause summons to be issued against all persons having any right, title or interest in the property seized, which summons shall particularly describe the property and state that the same is held for forfeiture and sale under the provisions of this Act, and that in default of answer, or claim filed within thirty days after the service of such summons the Court will enter its order forfeiting such property to the State of North Dakota. Such summons shall be served in the manner provided for the service of summons in a civil action. If no answer shall be filed or claim made within the time allowed, the Court shall enter its order forfeiting such property to the State of North Dakota, and for the sale of same in the manner provided for the sale of personal property on execution. If answer is filed or claim made the Court shall require each claimant to furnish a good and sufficient bond conditioned for the prosecution of said action and for the payment of costs should he fail to support his claim. The Court shall thereupon proceed to heed and determine the claim according to law. If at such hearing any claimant shall prove to the satisfaction of the court that he is the owner of such property or has a valid lien thereon duly filed or recorded prior to the time such conveyance was seized and that he had no knowledge of the use of such automobile, wagon, buggy, water or air craft or other vehicle or conveyance for such unlawful purpose, the same shall be surrendered to him, if the owner: if a lien holder, the lien shall be foreclosed, the property sold and the proceeds applied in payment of the costs of such sale,

then in satisfaction of the lien or liens and the balance deposited as hereinafter provided; if the claimant or claimants shall fail to sustain their claim, judgment shall be entered against them for costs, and the court shall enter its order for the forfeiture and sale of the property as hereinbefore provided in case of default. After deducting the costs and expenses of such proceeding the balance of all money received under the provisions of this Act shall be paid to the Treasurer of the County wherein the seizure was made, for the benefit of the State School Fund.

Section 9-A. Disposition of Evidence. Whenever any sheriff, deputy sheriff, constable or police officer or any person acting under authority given in this Chapter and the laws of this state shall seize any intoxicating liquor or property designed or intended for use in the manufacture of such liquor, or any vehicle, boat, water or air craft, or other conveyance used to transport such liquor, such officer or person shall within five days after the seizure of the same file a certified inventory with the Clerk of the District Court, or County Court having increased jurisdiction, in the county which the offence has been committed or the proceeding commenced and from and after the date of such filing, such liquor and property shall by such officer be held subject to the order of such court, and such officer shall be accountable to such court for the disposition of the same, and upon any violation of this section or any disposition of such liquor or property other than by the order of such court, he shall be held to be in contempt of Court and shall be punished therefore in the manner by law provided.

Section 4. Amendment. Section 13 of Chapter 97, Session laws of 1921 is hereby amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Section 13. Penalty. Any person who shall within this state commit the crime of engaging in the liquor traffic or violate any of the provisions of this Chapter (unless the penalty is elsewhere provided for) shall for the first offence be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than \$200.00 nor more than \$1000.00 and be imprisoned in the County jail not less than ninety days nor more than one year: and for the second and every successive offence shall be deemed guilty of a felony and be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary not exceeding two years and not less than one year. Provided, that the phrase "second offence" shall mean a conviction of any offence prohibited by this Act or of the crime of bootlegging as defined in section 10144 of the Revised Codes of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913, and a subsequent conviction of violating any provision of this Act, whether for the first time or not. This shall not apply to section five, six, ten and eleven of this Act. Provided, however, that if the evidence in such cases convinces the Court that the person convicted of transporting intoxicating liquors in violation of this Act, was in charge of and used any wagon, buggy, automobile, water or air craft, or other vehicle or conveyance, not owned by him, or without permission of the owner, or when such vehicle or conveyance so used was mortgaged property, or if there be in or

upon such conveyance so used or upon any person therein any firearms, or guns, he shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary not less than six months and not more than five years.

Section 5. Emergency. This act is declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Title: That the title be amended by striking out the period after the word "penalty" and adding "and defining the crime of engaging in liquor traffic."

VICTOR L. ANDERSON,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
January 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 5205 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, Relating to the Term of Existence of Certain Corporations.

Also

Senate Bill No. 36. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5605, 5607 and 5611 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Defining the Homestead Exemption.

Also

Senate Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 187 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Qualifications of Official and Legal Newspapers and Providing for the Method of Selection of Official Newspapers.

Also

Senate Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act Legalizing and Validating Certain Acts of City Officials with Reference to Electric Lights or Distribution Systems.

Also

Senate Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact the Third Subdivision of Section 3999; and Section 4001, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Firemen's Relief Association Fund.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,

Secretary.

Bismarck, N. D.

January 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 27. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 as Amended by Chapter 102 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Frequency of Holding an Election for the Removal of County Seats not Located on the Railroad and Providing a Primary Election Thereon and Prescribing the Number of Votes Required for Such Removal.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,

Secretary.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: F. W. Gronvold, Rugby, N. D., Carl Hilbling, Barton, N. D., J. L. Rindal, Fargo, N. D., E. H. Bradley, Grace City, N. D.

Mr. Watt moved that the House do now recess until 1 p. m. Saturday.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND TWENTY-SIXTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. D.
January 27, 1923.

The House reassembled at 1 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess. Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

At this time the Speaker administered the oath of office to Representative Patterson.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF
HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 126. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Printing and Publication of Session Laws of the State of North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Printing.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 127. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$3,000.00 to the North Dakota Firemen's Association as Provided by Sections 1839, 1840 and 1841 of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Harrington introduced:

House Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Legalizing Certain Acts of City, Village and School District Officials.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Jardine introduced:

House Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Providing a method by Which Taxing Districts May Make Short Time Borrowings and Conduct Their Current Business Upon a Cash Basis; Providing That No Warrants May Be Issued in Excess of Cash on Hand; Providing For the Funding of Float-

ing or Unfunded Indebtedness of Counties, Cities, Villages, Townships, School Districts, and Other Taxing Districts; making the County Treasurer Custodian of Sinking Funds of All Taxing Districts; Providing For the Registering in the County Auditor's Office of All Bond Issues and Certificates of Indebtedness; Prohibiting the Incurring of Indebtedness in Excess of Anticipated Revenues; Making Criminal Certain Violations of This Act, and Providing Penalties Therefor, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Mr. Jardine introduced:

House Bill No. 130. A Bill For an Act Providing That Public Officials of Taxing Districts Issuing Certificates of Indebtedness or Bonds Shall Advertise For Bids in Certain Cases and Providing the Procedure to Be Followed in Connection Therewith, Prescribing Penalties for the Violation of this Act, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Mr. Jardine introduced:

House Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act to Limit the Aggregate Amounts That May be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing Maximum Limitations Upon the Rate in Mills Which May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing a Method of Suspending Such Limitations in Certain Cases; Prescribing Penalties for Violations of This Act by County Auditors; and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, An Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for Which the Appropriation is Made.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Kopp introduced:

House Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3116 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading.

Mr. Johnson introduced:

House Bill No. 134. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money to Be Expended by the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor for Immigration Purposes as Defined by

Chapter 147 Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917.
Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Johnson introduced:

House Bill No. 135. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 997 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 28 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to the Butchers Report of Branded Animals Killed.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Johnson introduced:

House Bill No. 136. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Providing for the Appointment of County Brand Inspectors; Defining the Duties of Railways in the Shipment of Certain Stock; With Penalty for Violation.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Live Stock.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 5205 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, Relating to the Term of Existence of Certain Corporations.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Corporations other than Municipal.

Senate Bill No. 36. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5605, 5607 and 5611 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Defining the Homestead Exemption.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 187 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Qualifications of Official and Legal Newspapers and Providing for the Method of Selection of Official Newspapers.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act Legalizing and Validating Certain Acts of City Officials With Reference to Electric Light or Distribution Systems.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact the Third Subdivision of Section 3999; and Section 4001, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Firemen's Relief Association Fund.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Watt moved that the House do now adjourn which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. D.
January 27th, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment. Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Gerhard Sprock.

Roll Call all members present except Messrs. Brown, Currie, Eckert, Geizler, Hart and Muus.

Mr. Kopp moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 25th day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows: On page one, line 14, the word "correction" is incorrectly spelled.

On page one, line 19 the word "Representatives" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 3 line 27 the word "committee" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 6 under House Bill No. 56, line 7 and before the word "amended" add the following: "Was read the third time. The question being on the final passage of the bill as."

On page 6, under those voting aye the name "Quam" should be changed to "Quade."

On page 12, Section 2, line 6 the words "beverage" is incorrectly spelled.

Bottom page 12, after the word "days" insert the following: "and provided that no physician can obtain for such."

On page 13, Section 2C line 5 the word "federal" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 14 line 14 the word "sufficient" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 14 line 47 strike out the word "head" and insert in lieu thereof the word "heed."

On page 16, line 14 strike out the name Peterson and in lieu thereof insert the name "Peters."

On page 17 line 19 the word "indefinitely" is incorrectly spelled.

Page 7, Roll Call on H. B. No. 22, the name Hoople is incorrectly spelled.

Page 8, roll call on H. B. No. 8. Mr. Hardy is shown voting in affirmative and should be voting in negative.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Burk presented a communication from the Ladies' Auxiliary of the John Raymond O'Hara Post No. 25, Carrington, North Dakota, relating to increased appropriation for the state board of health.

Mr. Harrington presented a communication from the American Legion Auxilliary of Bismarck, North Dakota, relating to increased appropriation for the state board of health.

Mr. Cart presented a communication from Wm. Perry Makee Post of American Legion Auxilliary of Crosby, North Dakota, relating to increased appropriation for state board of health.

Mr. George Olson presented a communication from the Mother's Club, of Lisbon, Ransom County, North Dakota, relating to increased appropriation for the state board of health.

Mr. Maddock presented a Resolution opposing the so-called amended Richmond bill or any similar measure.

Speaker Roy Johnson presented a communication from the Golden Valley Tax Payers association regarding the necessity of economy in the present legislative assembly.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

A. L. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out all the words of Section 1188, line three of the original bill after the word more and down to and including the word threereto, on line five of the original bill, and insert in lieu thereof the words "children of the ages between the sixth and seventeenth birthdays."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 69. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two and 3-100 Dollars (\$2,882.03) for the Purpose of Charging Off Losses Resulting to the State on Account of the Failure, in the Year 1909, of the First National Bank of Rugby, Rugby, North Dakota, and the Barton State Bank, Barton, North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 79. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Purpose of Paying Insurance Tax to the Various Fire Departs of the State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Miller moved that action on H. B. 50 be deferred until Monday, January 29th.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

House Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 104, nays 2, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Larkin	Radeliffe
Burleigh	Frandsen	Larson	Koot
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lazier	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Levin	Sagen
Anderson,	Goranson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Hanson	Lynch	Sims
Bollinger	Hardy	McManus	Slominski
Boyd	Harrington	Maddock	Sproul
Bratsberg	Haugland	Martin	Starke
Bryans	Heaton	McCay	Streich
Burk	Helbling	McDowell	Shurr
Burkhardt	Henne	McGauvran	Swett
Burns	Hodges	Miller	Traynor
Cart	Hoople	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Iverson	Norden	Tweten
Craig	Jackson	Oberg	Twichell
Doyle	Jardine	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Erickson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail.	Orange	Watt
Elmer	Jones	Patterson	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kellogg	Peters	We'd
16th Dist.	Kelly	Plath	Yeater
Fedge	Kopp	Quade	
	Lackey	Quam	
	Lakie	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	Steen

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Erickson,	Hart
Currie	26th Dist.	Muus
Eckert	Geiszler	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel: I vote no for the reason that I don't feel we have done our full duty. We have done about half a job, and I am hoping that when this bill gets to the Senate they will finish the job. I vote no.

Mr. Kellogg explained his vote.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Livery Allowed Sheriffs.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 52. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 572 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Practice of Barbering and Additional Provisions Relating Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 73. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Election of Directors of Building and Loan Association for the Term of Three Years.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 70. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 127 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921 Relating to Smoking in Certain Places.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that th esame be indefinitely postponed.

TWICHELL,
OLAFSON
ORANGE
BURNS
DURKEE
SPROUL
HARRINGTON
FLOM
COLE
SATHRE
QUAM
BERKHART
STRICH
BYRANS
IVERSON

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: A. I. McInnes, Valley City, N. D.; F. T. Gronvold, Rugby, N. D.; Carl Hilberg, Barton, N. D.; Peter Seefeld, Martin, N. D.; L. O. Ramstad, Hettinger, N. D.; Leota Henderschott and Mary Parsons, Bismarck, N. D.

Mr. Root moved that the House do now adjourn. Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 29, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Gerhard Sprock.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Brown, Cart, Currie, Hart, Muus, Rustad, Swett.

Mr. Peters moved that all absentees be excused.
Which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Twenty-fifth day after recess and Twenty-sixth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 1, first line after twenty-fifth day add "after recess and twenty-sixth day."

On page 1, in House Bill No. 129, second line the word "make" is misspelled.

On page 4, line 2, the word "prevailed" is misspelled.

On page 6, line 14, strike out the word "thereon" and in lieu thereof insert the word "thereto."

Page 7, Cart is reported as voting twice.

Pages 8 and 9 the name "Twitchell" is misspelled eight times. (Should be "Twichell.")

On page 9, line 10 after the word recommend add "that the same do pass."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report of the committee be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Larkin moved that hereafter when a final vote has been taken on any bill carrying an emergency clause, the Speaker announce whether the emergency clause has carried or lost, and that this declaration be shown in the Journal after the roll call.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Trubshaw presented the following communication and asked it be printed in the Journal:

Wimbledon, N. Dak., Jan. 25, 1923.

Hon. Rep. Trubshaw:

There is as I see it, a wrong way in adjusting hail losses. For instance, if we have a rain storm or the grain is over-ripe or rusty which it may be, it may look as though a hail storm had gone over the country. Some farmers who are not very square in their business have tried to get hail insurance from the state. There are instances where they have succeeded. When an adjuster comes from some distance away not knowing the conditions in some other localities have believed a hail storm has knocked down the grain.

I believe hail adjusting should be left to the township board, who with three or four men would make a fair and just estimate. I also believe it would cut expenses.

Hoping you will please bring this up before the House, I am,

Yours truly,

AUG. ARVIDSON.

Mr. Freeman presented the following communication and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

Submitted to the Stockholders of the Red River Valley Telephone Company.

Whereas, It is very apparent that the present taxing laws as applied to Rural Telephone Companies, are very unfair and unjust, as compared with its effect on companies who are doing an exclusive City and Toll Line business:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED: That we recommend to the Legislature now in Session, that a law be passed whereby all Telephone Companies be taxed on their Gross earnings, instead of as now, on their physical valuation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Secretary be instructed to forward a copy of these Resolutions to the following members of the Legislature: The Chairman of

the Senate Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws; the Chairman of the House Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws; to all members of both the Senate and House from Grand Forks, Nelson, Steele, Griggs and Trail Counties.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Mr. Larson presented a resolution from the Woman's club of Barton, N. Dak., asking increased appropriation for the state board of health.

Mr. Sagen, by request, submitted the following, which he asked be printed in the Journal:

To the Members of the North Dakota Legislature:

Gentlemen: The North Dakota Optometric Association at its annual convention this summer, approved certain proposed changes in the present law regulating such profession and appointed a committee to submit to the Legislature a bill embodying such changes.

The committee has had several hearings and herewith begs leave to submit to you a bill amending and re-enacting the present law (sections 524-539 Compiled Laws of 1913) relating to Optometrists and opticians and regulating the practice of such profession.

Respectfully,

NORTH DAKOTA OPTOMETRIC ASSN.,

By THOS. PORTE, Chairman.

By L. J. ANDERSON, Secy.

R. B. NEWTON.

Mr. Rabe presented the following communication and asked it be printed in the Journal:

The Gardner Hotel,
Fargo, North Dakota,
January 27, 1923.

Hon. Herman Rabe,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

Friend Rabe:

I am down here on U. S. Jury and perhaps will be here for quite a while. Martin Connolly from New England is also here.

I understand that in the hysteria to reduce taxes that a bill is pending to knock out the 3-cent hail indemnity and I certainly think this would be extremely unfortunate to the farmers and might eventually destroy the usefulness of state hail insurance entirely.

Under the state hail insurance most farmers are automatically insured and it protects the very poor farmers, the renters as well as the owners, and gives adequate in-

insurance for protection purposes to this class that is unable to step into town and get old line insurance by reason of his not having good security. Furthermore, there is very little use of discussing old line insurance. A farmer might just as well carry his own risk. In which case without state hail insurance, he would have no protection. Those that he owes would have no insurance that he would ever market his crops and in many cases he would be left in had circumstances, if not in financial distress. We all know the old line insurance calls for \$120 per thousand, so we might as well forget that if we got 30 bushels.

So it is a question of protecting our state hail insurance laws. Much could be written in favor of the state hail insurance, and while it may not be perfect, it is simply a question of small imperfections that need corrections, if any. I hope that there will be strong opposition to any efforts at dropping this 3-cent tax. A fund accumulated from this source will enable the department to meet its obligations in the payments of warrants, and give these warrants a par value without discount.

Think it over and I know you will do what is right.

With best wishes, I am,

Yours truly,

W. R. EVERETT.

Mr. Hanson presented the following petition and asked it be printed in the Journal:

We the undersigned voters of your district respectfully request you to use your influence in having the law compelling the respective Treasurers in each school district publish their annual statement repealed.

We also hereby express our disapproval of the adoption of the so-called county unit system and respectfully request you to oppose strenuously the adoption of the same.

Yours respectfully,

ANDREW JORGENSON and 40 Others.

Mr. Hanson presented the following communication and asked it be printed in the Journal:

Inkster, N. D., January 25, 1923.

Mr. P. G. Hanson,

Representative 5th Legislative District:

Bismarck, N. D.

Dear Sir: The members of the Inkster Women's Christian Temperance Union urge you to vote for House Bills No. 50 and No. 23—the first the amended prohibition law and the second having to do with aiding States Attorneys in enforcement.

We wish also to urge you to vote against House Bill No. 19 which repeals the present Pool Hall Inspection law as

this is the only law we have providing for state enforcement of the prohibition, anti-cigaret and anti-gambling laws.

Yours sincerely,

MRS. W. McCONNACHIE, President,
Mrs. R. J. DODGE, Secretary.

Mr. Sproul presented the following communication and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

The First National Bank,
Buffalo, No. Dak.,
January 27, 1923.

Hon. R. M. Sproul,
Bismarck, N. D.,

Dear R. M.:

I was called up from Fargo this afternoon and they wanted me to write you relative to House Bill 34 and 35, repealing Sections 3521 and 3522 of the 1913 Session Laws.

This is in regard to Sheriff's fees.

I told them that I knew nothing about the matter myself, but that I knew you would look into it carefully and know what you were voting for before you voted on it.

I also told them we sent a representative from this District that went there to represent the people and that he spent his time studying best how to represent them, giving them all as square a deal as he saw it.

My advice is: Look this over carefully, and then do as you damn please:

Yours truly,

S. G. MORE.

Mr. Burk presented a request of the Minerva Woman's Club of New Rockford for support of the Children's Code Commission bills.

Mr. Burk presented a communication from the New Rockford local W. C. T. U. asking his support to House Bills 50 and 23 and to oppose House Bill No. 19, signed by Mrs. Alice M. Rager, President, and 33 others.

The following telegram was received by Representative Sathre from Steele, and he asked that the same be read and printed in the Journal:

Cooperstown, N. Dak., Jan. 27, 1923.

P. O. Sathre,

Bismarck, N. Dak.

We the Undersigned do respectfully ask you to vote for House Bill Number Fifty amended prohibition law; House Bill Number Twenty-three, aid in enforcement; to vote

against House Bill Number Nineteen which repeals present pool hall inspection law.

ELIZA CRAWFORD, President,
and Fifty Members of Coopers-
town N. Dak., W. C. T. U.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Livery Allowed Sheriffs.

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

House Bill No. 69. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two and 3-100 Dollars (\$2,882.03) for the Purpose of Charging Off Losses Resulting to the State on Account of the Failure, in the Year 1909, of the First National Bank of Rugby, Rugby, North Dakota, and the Barton State Bank, Barton, North Dakota.

House Bill No. 73. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Election of Directors of Building and Loan Association for the Term of Three Years.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 79. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Purpose of Paying Insurance Tax to the Various Fire Departments of the State.

And Find the same correctly Engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for its Enforcement and Penalty and Defining the Crime of Engaging in Liquor Traffic.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Military Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Military Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1782 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Commandant of the Soldier's Home.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

M. H. LYNCH,
Chairman.

Mr. Lynch moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Have had the same under consideration and the majority recommend that the same do pass.

TWICHELL,
OLAFSON,
ORANGE,
JACKSON,

BURNS,
 DURKEE,
 SPROUL,
 HARRINGTON,
 FLOM,
 COLE,
 L. L. TWICHELL,
 Chairman.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A Minority of your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing when the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be printed, and what Matter shall be Excluded Therefrom, and repeal All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

The minority recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

SATHRE,
 QUAM,
 BERKHART,
 STRICH,
 BYRANS,
 IVERSON,
 L. L. TWICHELL,
 Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the majority report be adopted.

Mr. Burkhart moved as a substitute motion, that the Minority report be adopted. A roll call was demanded on the adoption of the minority report, which was granted. The roll being called resulted as follows: There were ayes 52, nays 55, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Levin	Steen
Bürke-Divide	16th Dist.	Link	Streich
Anderson.	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Sargent	Frandsen	McManus	Tweten
Arduser	Fredrickson	Maddock	Vogel
Bratsberg	Hardy	Martin	Walker
Bryans	Haugland	McCay	Weisbeck
Burkhart	Helbling	Miller	Weld
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Yeater
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	
Eckert	Jones	Opland	
Elmer	Kellogg	Patterson	
Erickson	Lakie	Quam	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	
	Lazier	Sims	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geizler	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Root

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Heaton	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Henne	Norden	Starke
Cole	Hodges	Olafson	Traynor
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Trubshaw
Durkee	Jardine.	Orange	Twichell
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Watt
Freeman	Kelly	Rabe	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Hart	Rustad
Currie	Muus	Swett

So the motion lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, that the majority report be adopted, a vote was taken and the report was adopted.

The committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting any Person from Driving or Operating a Motor Truck of More than Five Tons Carrying Capacity Upon any Public Highway, Street or Avenue in Any Incorporated City.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 7 of the printed bill after the word "engines" strike out the period and insert a comma and add following such comma "or to motor driven fire apparatus or sprinklers."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 28. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Out of any Monies in the State Treasury, Belonging to The Home Building Association, and not Otherwise Appropriated, the Sum of \$1,863.09, with the Interest Thereon at the rate of 5½% per cent. per Annum from the 21st day of October, 1921, for the Purpose of Reimbursing the Estate of Frank Lee, Deceased, Formerly a Member of Home Buyers League No. 1, of Mandan, North Dakota, for Moneys Paid by Said Frank Lee, Deceased, to Said Home Building Association Prior to His Death.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT AND EN- GROSSMENT

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

Also,

House Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act Regulating Procedure and Prescribing Rules of Evidence in Actions Brought by Holders of Grain Storage Tickets, for the Recovery of the Possession or Value of Grain Stored in Public Warehouses, Which Grain Has Been Converted or Improperly Detained From the Owner.

Were delivered to the governor for his approval at the hour of 4:30 o'clock P. M. January 25th.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand Dollars to Provide Funds for the Payment of the Per Diem and Necessary Expenses of the Members of the State Board of Pardons, together with Postage, Telegrams, Telephone Tolls, Printing, and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred by Such Board as Provided for in Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars to the Bovine Tuberculosis Fund for carrying out the provisions of Article 17—Revised Code 1913 and Amendments thereto, Relating to the Reimbursement of Owners of Tuberculous Cattle.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND MEMORIALS

House Bill No. 137 was filed and referred to the committee on Delayed Bills.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. Harrington introduced:

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Harrington introduced:

House Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act Authorizing Abatements to Purchasers of Tax Certificates on State Land.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Sproul introduced:

House Bill No. 140. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 107 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to Non-Resident Tuition Fees and Providing a Method for the Collection Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Carr introduced:

House Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act, entitled an Act, to amend Sections 10, 14, 15, 17, 20 and 23 of Chapter 147, Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Being an Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Banking Business and to Establish a System of Banking Under the Name of the Bank of North Dakota, Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; Making an Appropriation Therefor; and Providing Penalties for the Violations of Certain Provisions Thereof Approved February 25th 1919, as Amended by an Act, entitled an Act Amending the Bank of North Dakota Act, Providing for the Deposit of all State, County, Township, Municipal and School District Funds, and Funds of all Penal, Educational and Industrial Institutions and All Other Public Funds in the Bank of North Dakota, Passed at the Election November 2nd, 1920.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Banks and Banking.

Mrs. Craig introduced:

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 143. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Transcripts of Judgments of the United States Courts and Notices of Taxes Due the United States, with Certain County Officers.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 144. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Presentation, Payment and Registration of Warrants Issued by any County, City, Village, Township, School District, or Other Political Sub-Division of the State, and Prescribing the Duties of the Treasurer in Respect Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 145. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Closing and Liquidation of the Business Heretofore Conducted by the State of North Dakota in the Operation of a State Experimental Creamery; Providing for the Transfer of all Funds to the General Fund of the State Repealing Chapter 149 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Quade introduced:

House Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2212 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 252 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to the Duty of the County Auditor and the Requirements of the Transfer of Real Property as to Taxes, Deeds and Other Instruments of Conveyance.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Sathre and Twichell introduced:

House Bill No. 147. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Bills of Sale and Other Transfers of Personal Property and Prescribing the Effect of Such Filing.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 69. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two and 3-100 Dollars (\$2,882.03) for the Purpose of Charging Off Losses Resulting to the State on Account of the Failure, in the Year 1909, of the First National Bank of Rugby, Rugby, North Dakota, and the Barton State Bank, Barton, North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 19, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jardine	Orange
Burleigh	8th Dist.	Johnson,	Nelson Peters

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Peters Plath
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge	Johnson, Traill	Quade
Arduser	Flom	Jones	Quam
Bollinger	Frandsen	Kellogg	Radcliffe
Boyd	Fredrickson	Kelly	Root
Bratsberg	Freeman	Kopp	Sagen
Bryans	Geiszler	Lackey	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Goranson	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Burkhart	Halcrow	Larson	Sims
Burns	Hanson	Levin	Slominski
Carr	Hardy	Lynch	Sproul
Cart	Harrington	Maddock	Starke
Doyle	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Dougherty	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Durkee	Helbling	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Eekert	Henne	Norden	Tweten
Ehr	Hodges	Oberg	Twichell
Ellingson	Hoople	O'afson	Ulland
Elmer	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Watt
	Jardine	Opland	Mr. Speaker
		Orange	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Loudenbeck	Patterson	Walker
Hempel	McManus	Rabe	Weisbeck
Lakie	Martin	Steen	Weld
Lazier	Miller	Streich	Yeater
Link	Morton	Vogel	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Currie	Mus	Swett
Gala	Hart	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
January 29, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 14. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Wearing of Masks or Other Disguises in Public, and Designating the Penalty for Same.

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued, or to be Issued, by Any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or Where by Such Vote Bonds Are Authorized to be Issued, Has Theretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in Such School District, Beyond the Five Per Cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and Where the Indebtedness of Such School District, but Does Not Exceed Ten Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such

School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

Senate Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4989, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Filing of Statements by Mining Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 64. A Bill for an Act Concerning Aeronautics and to Make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto.

Senate Bill No. 41. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 16 of Chapter 58 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917.

Senate Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 844 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Senate Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1421 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 266 of the Session Laws for the Year 1915, Legalizing and Validating certain Indebtedness of School Districts in the Form of School Warrants and Negotiable Bonds Issued to Fund the Same.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
January 29, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 46. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 52 of the Session Laws of 1921, Providing for the Salary and Other Compensation of Certain County Officers.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very Respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 79. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Purpose of Paying Insurance Tax to the Various Fire Departments of the State.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as

amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays none, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly Kopp	Plath Quade
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Lackey Lakie	Quam Rabe
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Larkin Larson	Radcliffe Root
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier Levin	Sagen Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Geiszler	Link	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	McManus	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	Maddock	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Burns	Haugland	McCay	Streich
Carr	Heaton	McDowell	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	McGauvran	Traynor
Cole	Hempel	Miller	Trubshaw
Craig	Henne	Morton	Tweten
Doyle	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Johnson, Trail.	Patterson	Weisbeck
	Jones	Peters	Weld
	Kellogg		Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Hart	Rustad
Currie	Muus	Swett

So the bill was passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for its Enforcement and Penalty.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 93, nays 13, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lakie Larkin	Root Sagen
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Larson Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Anderson, Sargent	Freeman Fredrickson	Levin Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fregman	Lynch	Sims
Bollinger	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Boyd	Halcrow	Martin	Starke
Bratsberg	Hanson	McDowell	Steen
	Hardy	McGauvran	Streich
			Shurr

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Harrington	Miller	Traynor
Burk	Haugland	Morton	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Heaton	Norden	Town
Burns	Hempel	O'afson	Twichell
Carr	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Cart	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Cole	Iverson	Opaland	Vogel
Craig	Jardine	Orange	Walker
Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Watt
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Plath	
Eckert	Jones	Quade	
Ellingson	Kellogg	Quam	
Erickson	Kelly	Rabe	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ehr	Henne	McCay	Yeater
Elmer	Jackson	Oberg	
Geiszler	Kopp	Weisbeck	
Helbling	Link	Weld	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Hart	Muus	Swett
Currie	Maddock	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 62, nays 41, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fredrickson	Kopp	Orange
Burleigh	Geiszler	Lackey	Plath
Arduser	Goranson	Larson	Quade
Bollinger	Hanson	Lazier	Rabe
Bryans	Harrington	Levin	Radcliffe
Burk	Haugland	Link	Sethre, Williams
Burkhart	Heaton	McManus	Simi
Burns	Helbling	McCay	Sproul
Carr	Hempel	McDowell	Steen
Cart	Henne	McGauvran	Shurr
Dougherty	Hodges	Miller	Trubshaw
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Morton	Towner
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Norden	Ulland
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	O'afson	Watt
Flom	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Mr. Speaker
Frandsen	Kelly	Olson, Towner	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Larkin	Starke
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Streich
Anderson	Fedge	Lynch	Traynor
Sargent	Freeman	Martin	Twichell

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Halerow	Oberg	Veitch
Cole	Hardy	Cyland	Vogel
Craig	Hoople	Patterson	Walker
Doyle	Iverson	Peters	Weisbeck
Durkee	Jackson	Quam	Weld
Erickson	Jardine	Root	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Sathre, Steele	
	Lakie	Slominski	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Eckert	Muus	Swett
Brown	Hart	Rustad	
Currie	Maddock	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Boyd explained his vote and requested that his explanation be printed in the Journal:

My reasons for voting "No" on House Bill No. 35, which I prefer to have printed in the Journal.

Gentlemen: I believe that House Bill 35 will hamper and curtail the prosecution and arresting criminals that are operating and will be operating in the State of North Dakota. I believe that this bill should be voted down as we realize that our sister state Minnesota has appointed a constabulary to operate and co-operate with the sheriff department and the stopping of the crime wave that has swept over our country. As you know as a member of the legion I stand for law and order, therefore, it would be against my principal and my Americanism to vote for any measure like this.

Mr. Hempel: I desire to explain my vote and request that the explanation be printed in the Journal. I vote aye for the reason that this bill allows the sheriffs more than the section which it amends and re-enacts. In the old law the sheriff is allowed ten cents a mile and in this law he is allowed fifteen cents a mile, except when he is outside the state. In the new law he is allowed only his actual expenses and I think that is enough. I vote aye.

House Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Livery Allowed Sheriffs.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays 27, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Frandson	Kopp	Sagen
Burleigh	Fedge	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Sims
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sproul
Arduser	Geiszler	Levin	Starke
Bollinger	Goranson	Link	Steen
Bryans	Hanson	McManus	Shurr
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Trubshaw
	Haugland	McGauvran	Twteten

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Heaton	Miller	Twichell
Burns	Helbling	Morton	Ulland
Carr	Hempel	Norden	Veitch
Cart	Henne	Olafson	Walker
Craig	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Ellingson	Jonsson, Trail.	Quade	
Elmer	Jones	Rabe	
Erickson	Keilogg	Radcliffe	
16th Dist.	Kelly	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Lynch	Streich
Sargent	Halcrow	Martin	Traynor
Boyd	Hardy	McCay	Vogel
Bratsberg	Hoople	Oberg	Weld
Cole	Jackson	Patterson	Yeater
Durkee	Lakie	Quam	
Erickson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele	
26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Slominski	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Hart	Muus	Rustad
Currie	Maddock	Peters	Swett

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Boyd: I don't like to take the floor so often on this matter, but I do so again for the purpose of explaining my vote. I vote no, because I believe just the same as I did before, you want the laws enforced, and then you pass laws here to trim down the amount allowed sheriffs to do this. I vote no on this bill also, and ask that my explanation appear in the Journal.

House Bill No. 73. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Election of Directors of Building and Loan Association for the Term of Three Years.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 2, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Geiszler	Link	Sims
Arduser	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lynch	Sproul
Boyd	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Bratsberg	Hardy	Martin	Steen
Sryans	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Burk	Haugland	McDowell	Shurr
Burkhart	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor
Burns	Helbling	Miller	Trubshaw
Carr	Henne	Morton	Twetn
	Hodges	Norden	Twichell

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Cole	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Doyle	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	We'd
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Patterson	Yeater
Ellingson	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Kellogg	Plath	
Erickson	Kelly	Quade	
16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Hempel
26th Dist.	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Hart	Muus	Swett
Craig	Rakle	Rustad	Walker
Currie	Maddock	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 14. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Wearing of Masks or Other Disguises in Public, and Designating the Penalty for Same.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 64. A Bill for an Act Concerning Aeronautics and to make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4989, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Filing of Statements by Mining Corporations.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 844 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 41. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 16 of Chapter 58 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1421 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 266 of

the Session Laws for the Year 1915, Legalizing and Validating certain indebtedness of School Districts in the Form of School Warrants and Negotiable Bonds Issued to Fund the Same.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued, or to be Issued, by Any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or Where by Such Vote Bonds Are Authorized to be Issued, Has Theretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in Such School District, Beyond the Five Per Cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and Where the Indebtedness of Such School District, but Does Not Exceed Ten Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

The House referred to the 7th order of business.

Mr. Jackson: I move that the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bills Nos. 77 and 78, and Senate Bill No. 43.

Which motion prevailed and the extension of time was granted.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Vogel moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The speaker called Mr. Vogel to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

Strike ut all the words of Section 1188, line three of the original bill after the word more and down to and in-

cluding the word thereto on line five of the original bill, and insert in lieu thereof the words "children who are between their sixth and seventeenth birthdays."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

F. A. VOGEL,
Chairman.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Mr. Starke moved that H. B. 49 be re-referred to the Committee of the Whole for further consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: E. O. Nestos, Valley City, N. D., Mary Carr and Emilee Carr, Jamestown, N. D., Ole Tuneberg, Kendred, N. D., Andrew Dewey, Lidgerwood, N. D., Nels Ols-gard, Richland county.

Mr. Rabe moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

TWENTY-NINTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 30, 1923.

The house convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment. Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. H. C. Postlethwaite.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Bratsberg, Cole, Currie, Maddock, McDowell.

Mr. Opland moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL.

The committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 28th day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page one, first line, strike out the word "twentieth" and in lieu thereof insert the word "Twenty-Eighth." On page one, line four, January 28th should read January 29th. On page two, line fifteen, the word "Hon." is misspelled. On page seven, line eleven, the word "for" is misspelled. On page eight, line twenty-nine, after the word "adopted" insert the following "A Roll Call, was demanded on the adoption of the Minority Report, which was granted." On page ten, strike out the first line. On page twelve, the words "Mr. Craig" should read "Mrs. Craig." On page sixteen, under House Bill 50, the word "was" should begin with a capital. On page eighteen, line twenty-four, the word "sister" is misspelled. On page twenty-one, after line thirty-six, insert the following:

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Vogel moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Vogel to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out all the words of Section 1188, line three of the original bill after the word more and down to and including the word thereto on line five of the original bill, and insert in lieu thereof the words "children who are between their sixth and seventeenth birthdays,"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

F. A. VOGEL,
Chairman.

On page twenty-two at bottom of the calendar strike House Bill No. 49 out of the Calendar.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report of the committee be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate.

House Bill No. 69. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two and 3-100 Dollars (\$2,882.03) for the Purpose of Charging Off Losses Resulting to the State on Account of the Failure, in the Year 1909, of the First National Bank of Rugby, Rugby, North Dakota, and the Barton State Bank, Barton, North Dakota.

House Bill No. 79 A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Purpose of Paying Insurance Tax to the Various Fire Departments of the State.

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9, and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for Its Enforcement and Penalty.

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-

enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

House Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Livery Allowed Sheriffs.

House Bill No. 73. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Election of Directors of Building and Loan Association for the Term of Three Years.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Jackson presented the following telegram and asked it be read and printed in the Journal.

Devils Lake, N. Dak., Jan. 30, 1923.

Representative A. B. Jackson,
Bismarck, N. Dak.

The Lake Region Fair Association asks and expects same treatment in matter of state aid accorded other fairs in the state.

D. J. RAPP, Sec'y.

Mr. Hardy presented the following communication and asked it be printed in the Journal:

Auditor's Office, Golden Valley County,
Beach, North Dakota,
January 29, 1923.

Hon. Frank J. Hardy,
State Representative,
Bismarck, N. D.

Dear Mr. Hardy:

I understand in an indirect way that a bill has been proposed in the legislature which would, if passed, result in reducing the amount and changing the manner of payment of the compensation of the Court Reporters of the District Court.

I am very much inclined to the opinion that any change in the present law might be a serious mistake. If the object of the proposed measure is one of economy, I am not so sure but what a reduction of the present compensation of the reporters might result in a defeat of that very object, since even a casual observation discloses that inefficiency on the part of the reporter may have a marked relation to the expeditious handling of the court business, and its ultimate cost. Taking into consideration the skill required, the arduousness of the occupation, the responsibility it entails, it would seem to me that the present compensation of the court reporters in this state is fair both to the reporters and to the State.

I trust that should this matter come before you for action that you will give it the earnest consideration which it merits, as I am sure you will, this as well as other measures.

With kind personal regards, I beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

F. T. LEMBKE.

Mr. Sagen presented the following and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

Edmore, North Dakota, January 27, 1923.

To the Senator and Members of the House, Ramsey County, Bismarck, N. D.

Gentlemen: We, the undersigned residents, farmers and business men of Ramsey county, do hereby ask of you to use your utmost efforts in support of that certain resolution "Memorializing Congress in support of the Norris-Sinclair Bill now before Congress," asking prompt, immediate and favorable congressional action on said bill.

FURTHER, that we believe that the stabilization of the markets of the products of the farm is now the most vital and important undertaking for the relief of the Agricultural interests of our country.

H. J. NYHUS and 68 Others.

Also another of same import from Edmore signed by Peter Bathgate and 27 others.

Mr. Ellingson presented the following and requests that this be printed in the Journal:

Cummings, N. Dak., January 27th, 1923.

To E. O. Ellingson, Representative of Traill County,

Bismarck, N. Dak.

Dear Sir:

We, the undersigned, voters in the Townships opposite our names, do hereby protest the establishing of a Highway Commission or creating a Highway Fund as outlined in Senate Bills Nos. 44 and 46 introduced by L. R. Baird or similar measures.

Believing firmly in the practice of economy during periods of stress, such as we have experienced since 1920, we suggest:

That the building of new highways be put aside for a period of three years,

That the State Highway Commission Act be voted down.

ENOCH KALLEBERG and 28 Others.

Mr. Hanson presented the following and asked that it be published in the Journal:

Auditor's Office.

City of Northwood, N. Dakota.

G. P. Johnson, City Auditor.

January 26th, 1923.

Hon. P. G. Hanson, Representative, Fifth Leg. District,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

My Dear Mr. Hanson:

In connection with the city light plant I have had some experience with the oil inspection department and this sets me to believe that the law is either wrong or the administration of it is not what it ought to be to give good results.

Some years ago it was the custom of the oil inspection department to take samples of the tank car of oil as it was shipped into the state. In our case a sample of the oil would be taken at Wahpeton and a report of such inspection would reach us about the same time that car would arrive at the railroad yards here. The purchaser then would be in a position to know whether or not the grade of oil purchased was being shipped.

As the law operates at the present time the inspection is not done in that old way. The inspection department does not take samples from the tank cars as they are shipped into the state. If the purchaser wishes to have the oil inspected a sample must be sent to Fargo and then it will be necessary to have a lot of patience to wait for the inspector's report. If the oil is according to sale made, all well and good. If it does not come up to grade then you are "out of luck" so far as getting any adjustment is concerned as the report is so long in coming that the tank car of oil is most likely used up by that time.

This is the experience we have had here and will tell you of a certain car so that you can see the working of the "system" (or lack of it).

Car No. FTX 7050 containing 7085 gallons of 38-40 Distillate Oil was purchased from the Pure Oil Co. of Minneapolis, arriving here October 12th and was unloaded on that day and a sample was taken and forwarded to the Inspection Department at the A. C. and after waiting a long time and writing two letters reminding them of the sample the report was received here about Dec. 10th. The report reads: Received 10-14-22, Reported 11-8-22.

Upon receipt of the report I find that the oil does not stand up to the test under which it was sold, that is, it was a lower grade oil than bargained for.

In taking this matter up with the oil company I was informed that they would entertain no claims for quality or

shortage after the car is unloaded. They should be notified of this fact before unloading. To do so would make it necessary to hold a car of oil on the track here for two months while the inspection is taking place at Fargo. This of course you realize cannot be done as by the time the correspondence with the company took place there was not enough of this oil left to send them a quart sample.

The inspection is charged for and in order to be of value I believe the inspection should be made from samples taken by the department at the point of entry into the state, thus enabling the purchaser to benefit by the inspection that he is paying for. A charge is now made for inspection by the department on every car even though no inspection is made.

Either the law should be changed or else the working out under the present law should be made a little more effective and of more value to those concerned.

I have taken up a lot of your time in getting at this proposition but I do not believe the people are getting what is charged for.

With best wishes for your welfare, I am,

Yours truly,

G. P. JOHNSON.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we recommend that

Mr. Anderson of Sargent presented the following and asked that it be printed in the Journal:

At a meeting of the taxpayers held at Rutland, North Dakota, on December 28th, 1922, the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, that owing to the financial condition of the farming industry due to the less than cost of production price for farm products, the farmers are unable to pay the high taxes and it is necessary that all taxes be reduced, that there be retrenchment all along the line and that all public officers, national, state, county, city(township and school exercise the greatest economy.

BE IT RESOLVED, that we urge that the 1923 Assembly of the North Dakota Legislature cut all appropriations to the minimum and under no circumstances should there be as much as appropriated in 1921.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this meeting recommend to the County Commissioners of Sargent County that they make a substantial reduction in deputy salaries and clerk hire for 1923.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we believe that there has been constructed all county roads and state roads necessary at this time and we recommend that no more roads be constructed and no new bridges be built until conditions improve.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we recommend that the Legislature reduce the salaries of County Officers to the same amount as they received before the last increase.

RESOLVED, That we recommend a tax on luxuries same to be used for the support of public schools.

RESOLVED, That we recommend that the Legislature repeal the law for the registration of voters, as the same is an unnecessary and useless expense and serves no good purpose whatsoever.

RESOLVED. That we recommend that the Legislature pass an Income Tax for the support of the public schools and that there be no exemptions allowed for the same.

RESOLVED, That we recommend that the Legislature amend the laws relating to the County Agents and that no State Aid be appropriated for the same so that each county that desires to employ a county agent shall pay for the same with such aid as they may receive from the Federal Government.

RESOLVED, That we are in favor of only one State Fair and recommend that the Legislature only make an appropriation for the aid of one such fair, said appropriation not to exceed \$25,000.00.

RESOLVED, That we recommend the abolishing of all tax free securities.

RESOLVED, That we urge upon Congress the repeal of Section 15A of the Interstate Commerce Act as Amended by the Esch-Cummings Act and the making of such other amendment thereto as shall clearly limit and define the power of the Interstate Commerce Commission and restore to the several states control over their interstate traffic and the rates applicable to the same.

We fully realize that even if all taxes are abolished the farmer under the present price of farm products would still go bankrupt in less than two years. That the great question now before the American people is to find some way to save the farming industry and unless the Federal Government takes some steps that will insure to the farmer enough for his products to pay the costs of production and living expenses the farmer must quit.

RESOLVED, That we believe the only favorable solution of this question at this time is a guaranteed price of wheat and we recommend that the United States Congress fix the price of wheat at the Chicago Market at the sum of Two Dollars (\$2.00) minimum.

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be placed in the hands of each member of the State Legislature from Sargent county, a copy sent to J. G. Gunderson, President of the North Dakota Taxpayers Association, one copy to the State Tax Commissioner and one copy to each of the newspapers published in Sargent County.

PETER J. NARUM,
Chairman of Taxpayers Meeting.

B. E. JOHNSON,
Chairman of Resolution Committee.

GEO. J. OLSTAD,
A. J. JACOBSON,
J. C. MOE,
F. H. CADY,
ANDREW MILLER,
ELLING JENSEN,
JULIUS PEDERSON,
JOHN H. PETERSON,
CHAS. REHAK,
Resolution Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars to the Bovine Tuberculosis Fund for carrying out the provisions of Article 17—Revised Code 1913 and Amendments thereto, Relating to the Reimbursement of Owners of Tuberculous Cattle.

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

House Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act to appropriate One Thousand Dollars to Provide Funds for the Payment of the Per Diem and Necessary Expenses of the Members of the State Board of Pardons, together with Postage, Telegrams, Telephone Tolls, Printing, and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred by Such Board as Provided for in Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:
Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 121. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Discontinuation of Consolidated Schools and the Sale

of Consolidated School Buildings.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 137. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings and Miscellaneous Expenses of the Rock Island Military Reservation at Devils Lake, North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be refused introduction.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on City and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on City and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 45. A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities and Villages to Levy and Collect a Tax for the Purpose of Furnishing Musical Concerts to the Public.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Eleven Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$1140.00) to Pay the Expenses of a State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners as authorized Under Section 2711 to 2720, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Glanders and Dourine Indemnity Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 103 be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations for further consideration.

Which motion lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Watt, a vote was taken and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for Compensation and Expenses of the Board of Trustees of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Funds to Idemnify Owners of Animals Infected with Bovine Tuberculosis.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved ~~that~~ the report be adopted.

Mr. Patterson moved that House Bill No. 113 be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations for further consideration.

Which motion lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Watt, a vote was taken and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act Legalizing and Validating Certain Acts of City Officials With Reference to Electric Light or Distribution Systems.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 844 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 36. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5605, 5607 and 5611 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Defining the Homestead Exemption.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.
tion prevailed and the report was adopted.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which mo-

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6815 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to the Filing of Intention to File Mechanics' Lien.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

By striking out, in lines 5, 6 and 7, of the printed bill, the words and figures, "6237 of the Revised Codes for 1905 and acts amendatory thereto (Section 6814 herein)" and substituting in lieu thereof the following words and figures "6814 of the Compiled laws of North Dakota for 1913, and acts amendatory thereto."

By striking out, in lines 25 and 26 the words "the period of the statute of limitations" and substituting in lieu thereof the words "ninety days."

By adding the following after the last word "filed" in line 34, "No notice of intention to file mechanic's lien shall be effective as against subsequent purchasers or incumbrancers unless the same is perfected by the filing of the lien, as provided in Section 6820 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, within six months after the filing of the said notice."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A majority of the committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of the committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1921, Being an Act to Provide for the Payment of Non-Resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid: Repealing Acts or Parts of Acts insofar as they Conflict with this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and a majority of the committee recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Hempel moved that the majority report be adopted.

A minority of the Committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Provide for the Payment of Non-Resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid: Repealing Acts or Parts of Acts insofar as they Conflict with this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

GEO. H. HOOPLE,
C. A. SAGEN,
R. M. SPROUL,
P. O. SATHRE,
NELLIE DOUGHERTY.

Mr. Sathre moved that the Minority report be substituted for the majority report.

Mr. Maddock moved that House Bill No. 75 be re-referred to the committee on Education for further consideration.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was re-referred to the committee on Education.

A majority of the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2191 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Tax Sales.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JARDINE,
FREEMAN,
OLAFSON,
McDOWELL,
QUADE,
JACKSON,
LARSON,
EHR,
ANDERSON.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the majority report be adopted. A minority of the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2191 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Tax Sales.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 18 of the printed bill strike out the word "ten" and in lieu thereof insert the word "twelve."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. W. HEMPEL,
G. PATTERSON,
E. B. KELLOGG,
W. R. JONES,
HERBERT F. SWETT,
J. F. ELMER,
B. C. LARKIN.

Mr. Hempel moved that the minority report be substituted for the majority report.

The request for a roll call was granted.

Ayes, 49; nays, 62; absent and not voting, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	McManus	Steen
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Maddock	Streich
Anderson,	Hardy	Martin	Shurr
Sargent	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Arduser	Heaton	Miller	Tweten
Bratsberg	Helbling	Morton	Vogel
Burkhart	Hempel	Oberg	Walker
Cart	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Cole	Kellogg	Opiland	Weid
Doyle	Larkin	Patterson	Yeater
Eckert	Lazier	Quam	
Elmer	Levin	Rabe	
Erickson,	Link	Sethre, Williams	
26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Sims	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Freeman	Kelly	Root
Boyd	Geizler	Kopp	Rustad
Brown	Goranson	Lackey	Sagen
Bryans	Halerow	Lakie	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Hanson	Larson	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	Lynch	Sproul
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Craig	Henne	Muus	Traynor
Dougherty	Hodges	Norden	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hoople	Olafson	Twichell
Ehr	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Ellingson	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Erickson,	Jardine	Peters	Watt
16th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	McDowell

So the motion lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Jardine, a vote was taken and the majority report was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the Committee on Highways and Bridges be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bills Nos. 30, 51, 66 and 74.

Which motion prevailed and the extension of time was granted.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 148. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Annual Reporting by County Auditor to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of all Elective Auditors and Clerks of Political Subdivisions of the County.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 149. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, to Empower the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to Classify Employments, Fix Rates for Premium, Provide for Reserves and Surplus, Provide for Establishment of a System of Merit Rating, and to Provide for the Payment of Premiums Into the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Reporting at the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Contracts Involving Labor Entered Into by All Political Subdivisions of the State.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 151. A Bill For an Act Relating to the Insurance of Employers with the Workmen's Compensation Fund Providing for Compensation for Injuries or Death of the Employer Himself, in Cases Where the Employer has Contracted for such Protection with the Bureau, also Providing for the Basis of Premium for such Protection.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Requiring the County Superintendent of Schools of all Counties to Report Names of School District Clerks to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 153. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Payment of Compensation Out of the Workmen's Compensation Fund and Providing that Compensation Shall be Paid for Injuries and Deaths from Injuries Occurring Outside the State of North Dakota only Under Circumstances as Provided in the Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. F. D. Slominski introduced:

House Bill 154. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 10184 and 10185 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 126 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Manufacture or Sale of Cigarettes or Cigarette Papers.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Temperance.

Mr. Hoople introduced:

House Bill No. 155. A Bill for an Act Protecting Potato Growers and Sellers in Marketing Potatoes; Providing for Bonding Commission Merchants, Solicitors and Persons Buying Same on Consignment; Providing Penalties for Violation of this Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Keeping Open, Running, or Permitting the Running of Any Place for Public Dancing on the First Day of the Week, Commonly Called the Sabbath, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Temperance.

Mr. Hardy introduced:

House Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1154 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota

for the Year 1913, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in School Elections.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 158. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article IV of Chapter 206 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to the Transportation of Pupils.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Retention of a Certain Part of the Salary of Teachers in the Public Schools of North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 160. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921 Relating to the Payment of Non-resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1398 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Free Text Books in Public Schools.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Cart introduced:

House Bill No. 162. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Collection of Such Taxes by the State Treasurer and Providing a Method of Apportionment and Distribution Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382, Article 21, Chapter Five General School Laws of the State of North Dakota, Entitled School Year and School Week Defined. Holidays.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Fedge introduced:

House Bill No. 164. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 6857 and 6858 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Farm Laborer's Lien Providing for the Lien for Labor or Services Performed on Farm.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hempel introduced:

House Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 58 of the Special Session of North Dakota for 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 53, absent and not voting, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burleigh	Geiszler	Kopp	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Boyd	Halerow	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Slominski
Burns	Hart	Muus	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Starke
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Traynor
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Trubshaw
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Twichell
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Watt
Freeman	Johnson, Traill	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
Anderson,	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Anderson,	Frandsen	Link	Steen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Streich
Arduser	Fedge	McManus	Shurr
Bratsberg	Fardy	Maddock	Sweet
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Twaten
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Walker
Craig	Hoopie	Morton	Weisbeck
Doyie	Iverson	Oberg	Weid

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	
Erickson	Lakie	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	McDowell

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Watt moved that House Bill No. 91 be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand Dollars to Provide Funds for the Payment of the Per Diem and Necessary Expenses of the Members of the State Board of Pardons, together with Postage, Telegrams, Telephone Tolls, Printing, and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred by Such Board as Provided for in Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota. Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 109; nays, 2; absent and not voting, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
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Bollinger	Geiszler	Link	Sims
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Cole	Tenne	Norden	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Twichell
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Eckert	Jardine	Opland	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Plath	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	McCay

Absent and not voting:

Messrs. Currie
Messrs. McDowell

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars to the Bovine Tuberculosis Fund for carrying out the provisions of Article 17—Revised Code 1913 and Amendments thereto, Relating to the Reimbursement of Owners of Tuberculosis Cattle.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as Amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 109; nays, 0, absent and not voting, 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kopp Lackey	Rabe Radcliffe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Arduser	Franson	Larson	Sagen
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Geisler	Link	Sims
Brown	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Stominski
Bryans	Halcrow	Lynch	Sproul
Burk	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Burkhart	Hart	Martin	Steen
Burns	Haugland	McCay	Streich
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Swett
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Traynor
Craig	Henne	Muus	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hodges	Norden	Twetén
Dougherty	Hodges	Oberg	Twichell
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Walker
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Watt
Erickson 26th Dist.	Jones	Patterson	Weisbeck
	Kellogg	Peters	Weld
	Kelly	Plath	Yeater
		Quade	Mr. Speaker
		Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Jardine	Maddock	McDowell

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Harrington: I ask at this time that my remarks be extended to the Journal.

Mr. Speaker: I know that I am right when I say that, the Veterans of the Spanish-American War, fully appreciate, the sacred trust, the deep obligation, that the passage of this act conveys to them. I know that you all, fully understand what it means, to the Veterans of the Civil war who through it, are preparing to close a long and honored life of service.

From childhood to the present, and on through the coming years the lives of these old veterans, have been and will continue to be, an inspiration, for good and high

ideals. Last summer at Valley City, I had the good fortune, after a separation of over 30 years to meet again, an old soldier of the civil war, who in my youth was one of my heroes. Henry Beal is now nearly 83 years of age. He is one of the directors of the soldiers home of North Dakota. I spoke to him of the last National reunion of the Grand Army of the Republic, and asked of possible future reunions, and if he in his old age would attend one if it were held. His answer was, "So long as I can stand on these two old feet I shall go." So runs the spirit of these old warriors.

Who is there among us, but what have a feeling of reverence and pride, when we see these old Veterans in their uniform of army blue, and when we see them, do we not, come to understand better, that, though the wearer is old and broken, and the uniform but cloth and buttons, they exemplify the story of country. We see written in man and uniform, the story of an un-conquerable American, fighting to sustain, in war and in peace, those traditions of Country and fundamental principles of Government, that are now dear to us.

The few remaining old soldiers that fought to preserve the Union for you and for me, are now, close to the end of a long, long trail, may the winter of their age, be as green as spring; as full of blossoms as summer; as generous as Autumn; may they be surrounded with plenty, and as the fires of their life burn low, as they enter the deepening dusk of life; as their brave hearts beat weak and slow, may the memory of their splendid deeds, fill their hearts with peace and joy, and may it console them to know that they are not forgotten, that centuries hence, their story will be told in art and song.

We are about to answer roll call on this measure and I wish to direct the attention of the Members of this House to the fact, that it is not merely a roll call on the measure in hand, but that it is in reality the last roll call from duty for these old and honored veterans, who now, on their request, are preparing, to muster out of a worthy service, well performed, to God, to Country and to Comrade.

As the roll is called, you and I should feel that these old veterans are passing in their last Grand Review before us, and in their passing we should feel ourselves directed to a better citizenship.

This indeed should be a time of solemn thought, and I ask, that the House, in honor to these departing heroes, grant the request, that as the clerk slowly calls the roll each member in turn rise to your feet and answer and remain standing until seated by the speaker's gavel, and to those who visit in the gallery, that they with the calling of the first name on the roll rise to their feet in a body and remain standing while the roll is called.

Mr. Speaker, I feel this is the least we can do at this time in honor to those old Veterans of the Civil War.

Mr. Harrington moved that when the roll is called on

Senate Bill Number 49 that the rules be suspended and that as the roll is called each member rise in turn at his seat and answer and remain standing until the roll is finished and be seated by the Speaker's gavel.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1782 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Commandant of the Soldier's Home.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 110, nays none, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Rabe
Anderson,	Fedgo	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lakie	Root
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Goranson	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Stominski
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Burkhart	Hart	McCay	Streich
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Shurr
Carr	Heaton	Miller	Swett
Cart	Helbing	Morton	Traynor
Cole	Hempel	Muus	Trubshaw
Craig	Henne	Norden	Tweten
Doyle	Hodges	Oberg	Twichell
Dougherty	Hoople	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ehr	Jardine	Opland	Walker
Eillingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Weld
26th Dist.	Jones	Plath	Yeater
	Kellogg	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Maddock	McDowell	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
January 30, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 31. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-

enact Section 62, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Legislative Journals.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
January 30, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution Memorializing Congress to Prohibit the Further Issuance of Tax Exempt Securities.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 31. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 62 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Legislative Journals.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Joint Rules.

Senate Concurrent Resolution Memorializing the United States Congress to prohibit the further issuance of tax exempt securities, introduced by Mr. Steele was read and referred to the committee on state affairs.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Olafson moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Olafson to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting any Person from Driving or Operating a Motor Truck of More than Five Tons Carrying Capacity Upon any Public Highway, Street or Avenue in the State.

And recommend that the word "manufactury" in line six of section one be changed to "manufacturer," and when

the committee arises it recommend the bill for passage as originally printed, with above amendment.

JOHN K. OLAFSON,
Chairman.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

In line 7 of the printed bill after the word "engines" strike out the period and insert a comma and add following such comma "or to motor driven fire apparatus or sprinklers," and further amended after the word "sprinklers," the words: "or to trucks exceeding the above capacity which have been registered prior to January 1, 1923, within the state."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Miss Aagoth Fosmark, John Hogan, and Alex. Bruce, Fargo, N. D., Miss Faith Stevens, Ellendale; R. W. Hatt, Grand Forks, N. D., Paul Messner, Jr., Tolna, N. D., R. E. Hatt, Orr, N. Dak., Mrs. Brownie Knudson, county superintendent of schools, Bottineau county, Dr. R. A. Bolton, Jamestown, N. D., Flora Baker, superintendent of schools of Sargent county, Madge Rugg, Bowman, N. D., Agnes Jones, Hettinger, N. D.

Mr. Johnson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

THIRTIETH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 31, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. H. C. Postlethwaite.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Currie, McDowell and Weld.

Mr. Slominski moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber.
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 31, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 20. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 5, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 20, 26 and 27 of Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correc-

tion of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 29th day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page four, and line five, strike out the word "wind" and in lieu thereof insert the word "kind."

On page five line twenty-five, strike out the word "he" and in lieu thereof insert the word "the."

On page six line twelve, the word "benefit" is misspelled. Same line strike out the word "he" and in lieu thereof insert the word "the."

On page seven, line five, the word "recommend" is misspelled.

On page seventeen, the last line, the word "week" is misspelled.

~~On page twenty-three, the three bottom lines, and the first three lines on page twenty-four, should be transposed to follow title of House Bill No. 60 on page 23.~~

On page 20, line 49, strike out the words "Mr. Speaker" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Mr. Harrington."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The following House Bills were messaged to the Senate:

House Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars to the Bovine Tuberculosis Fund for carrying out the provisions of Article 17—Revised Code 1913 and Amendments thereto, Relating to the Reimbursement of Owners of Tuberculous Cattle.

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

House Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act to appropriate One Thousand Dollars to Provide Funds for the Payment of the Per Diem and Necessary Expenses of the Members of the State Board of Pardons, together with Postage, Telegrams, Telephone Tolls, Printing, and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred by Such Board as Provided for in Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1782 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Commandant of the Soldiers' Home.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Hanson presented the following communication and asked that it be read and printed in the Journal:

The members of the Women's Club of Rugby, respectfully submit the following recommendations for your careful consideration:

1. That the law in regard to Juvenile Court officers be enforced.
2. Enforcement of the truancy law and removing the burden of enforcing this law from County Superintendents.
3. Strongly recommend that state facilities for caring for subnormal children be made more nearly adequate.
4. Establishment of district detention homes for dependent children and for children found guilty of minor offenses.
5. We endorse the findings in the report of the Children's Code Commission as found on pages 9-11.
6. We believe that the juvenile law, regarding the keeping of records and proper supervision of a child after his release from an institution or while in a foster home, should be properly enforced. There should be adequate supervision of children's boarding homes, maternity homes and similar private institutions. Full records should be insisted on in every case. In no case should children be confined in alms houses nor should dependent children be placed in the State Training School.
7. We endorse Section 16 on page 14 of the report of Children's Code Commission.
8. We endorse the Mother's Pension Law and advocate that it be enforced in every county.
8. We strongly recommend the restriction and supervision of pavilions and dance halls placed in rural districts as such thereby escape city supervision for we believe that these places are a strong contributing factor to juvenile delinquency.

COMMITTEE:

Mrs. J. G. McClintock.
Mrs. Eva B. Ely,
Mrs. R. J. Washburn,
Mrs. H. B. Senn.

Mr. Hempel moved that the reading of communications from the desk be dispensed with, and that the same be printed in the Journal without being read.

Mr. Larkin moved as a Substitute motion that a committee of four be appointed by the chair to which all communications, addressed by an individual to a member of

the House, be referred; this committee to report whether or not the same shall be read from the desk and printed in the Journal.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Watt presented the following and asked that it be read and printed in the Journal:

To the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the House and Senate of the 18th Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

We the members of the North Dakota Well Driller's Association in Convention assembled at Minot, January 24th, 1923, do hereby protest most strongly against the discontinuation of the North Dakota Geological Survey through any failure of sufficient appropriation to carry on this important work and respectfully request that sufficient means be provided to preserve its usefulness to the people of the state.

We believe that through its advice and surveys it is annually saving to the people of the state many times its cost.

R. F. JAHNKE, and 33 Others.

Messrs. Lackey and Brown presented the following and asked that it be read and printed in the Journal:

The Grant County Tax-payers Association, in meeting assembled, respectfully petition the enactment of laws sustaining and bearing out the several propositions hereinafter set forth, fully believing that the taxpayers of the State of North Dakota, generally, as well as the taxpayers of Grant County will be best served thereby:

1. We endorse, and are heartily in favor of, a law providing for the election of all State and County Officers for a term of four (4) years—no re-election. The above not to include Judges of Supreme Court nor District Courts.

2. We are in favor of a law whereby County Commissioners will be stopped from entering into any contract for road and bridge work, the building of which will exceed the sum of \$1,000.00, without such contract and project having the approval of the County Engineer, and in counties where no County Engineer, then to have the approval of the State Engineer.

3. We are in favor of a policy of rigid economy in township, school districts, towns, villages, cities, county and state in regard to all expenditures, realizing that concerted efforts only can reduce the tax burden now existing; that elimination be made of all unnecessary officers, and strongly oppose the creation of any new officers at this time.

4. We are in favor of a law whereby a school district with a low valuation may not be deprived from having its

share of school by reason of not having sufficient funds from tax moneys collected in such district.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

I. N. STEEN,
IRVING McCARTHY,
FRED PATHMAN,

Committee.

Mr. Maddock presented the following and asked that it be read and printed in the Journal:

Gardner, N. Dak,
January 29, 1923.

Hon. Walter Maddock,

Bismarck, N. D.

Dear Sir:

We, the undersigned, urge you to use your influence for the passage of the Anti-Mask Bill, just passed by the Senate, as a proper measure to protect us from masked criminals.

In this state, which we all love, there is no place for political secrecy. Because the scheme of masks and robes and secret meetings and secret membership rolls is inviting (so tempting, to the weaker, more irresponsible minds in every community, that even the leaders of the Organization, with the best of intentions, would, ultimately, be powerless to check their evil tendencies.

Respectfully yours,

D. J. BARON and 14 Others.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

House Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Eleven Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$1140.00) to Pay the Expenses of a State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners as authorized Under Section 2711 to 2720, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

House Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Glanders and Dourine Indemnity Fund.

House Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for Compensation and Expenses of the Board of Trustees of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

House Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act Appropriating

Funds to Idemnify Owners of Animals Infected with Bovine Tuberculosis.

House Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting any Person from Driving or Operating a Motor Truck of More than Five Tons Carrying Capacity Upon any Public way, Street or Avenue in the State.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 57. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Range Stock and Where Listed for the Purpose of Taxation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 58. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-Section 2185 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 67 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Interest Thereon.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 53. A Bill for an Act Relating to Real Estate Tax Sales.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out all the words after the word "all" in the third from the last line to the end of the original bill and in lieu thereof insert, "Section 2. EMERGENCY| This Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 40. A Bill for an Act to Cancel Uncollected Personal Property Taxes Assessed for 1915 and Prior Years.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On line two of the original bill "1915" be changed to read "1913."

On line four of the original bill "1915" be changed to read "1913.

On line eight of the original bill "1915" be changed to read "1913."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 65. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 19 of Chapter 5 of the Political Code of the State of North Dakota Being Sections 524 to 539 Both Inclusive of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relative to the Practice of Optometry, Creating a State Board of Examiners in Optometry, Providing for the Registration of Optometrists, Defining and Regulating the Practice of Optometry and Providing Penalties For the Violation of the Terms of Said Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In the enacting clause of the original bill strike out the word "Legislature" and insert in lieu thereof "Legislative Assembly." In Section 525 of the original bill, line twelve after the word Merchandise, insert the following "to anyone other than dealers."

In the printed bill, add to Section 525 at the end thereof the following: "in the state of North Dakota." Strike out the word "three" where the same appears in section 535 and insert in lieu thereof the word "five."

At the end of subdivision (a) of Section 536 add the following: "Or violation of any provision of this article." Strike out the words "Justice of the Peace" wherever the same appears in section 538 and insert in lieu thereof the words "District Courts" and to the end of said section add the following:

"Said prosecution shall be commenced in the county where the defendant resides. If the defendant be not a resident of the state of North Dakota, such prosecution may be commenced in any county of this state."

After the word "optometrist" appearing in section 539 strike out the period and add the following: "nor to require physicians and surgeons authorized to practice medicine under the laws of this state to be registered under the provisions of this article."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 64. A Bill for an Act Concerning Aeronautics and to Make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 14. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Wearing of Masks or other Disguises in Public, and Designating the Penalty for Same.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 116. A Bill for An Act Providing for the Appointment by the Attorney General of a Special Assistant Attorney General to Act as Attorney for the Board of Railroad Commissioners, Prescribing the Duties of Such Special Assistant Attorney General, Requiring a Bond to be Given, Fixing His Salary, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Have had the Same under Consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 5, page 2 of the printed bill, strike out after the word "General" the "comma" and the words "which shall" and insert "which salary shall be \$3,600 per year, to"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 125. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 25 of Chapter 192, Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Providing for the Appointment by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of Special Examiners, and Authorizing Such Special Examiners to Administer Oaths, Examine Witnesses, and Receive Evidence in Proceedings Before, or Investigations Made by the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which

motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued or to be Issued, by any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or Where by such Vote Bonds are Authorized to be Issued, has Heretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in Such School District, Beyond the Five Per Cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution, of the State of North Dakota, and where the Indebtedness of Such School District Does Not Exceed Ten per cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 12, printed bill, after the word "and" strike out the word "thereafter" and insert in lieu the words "at such election or at an election thereafter held for that purpose."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1421 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 266 of the Session Laws for the year 1915, Legalizing and Validating Certain Indebtedness of School Districts in the Form of School Warrants and Negotiable Bonds Issued to Fund the Same.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 1, printed bill, after figure "1" following the word "section" insert the word "Amendment."

In the 8th line from the bottom of the first page of the original bill strike out the word "or" after the word "purchase" and insert word "of."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 187 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Qualifications of Official and Legal Newspapers and Providing for the Method of Selection of Official Newspapers.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 24, on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out the word "left" and insert in lieu thereof the word "right."

In line 45, page 3, strike out the word "as" and insert in lieu thereof the word "at."

In line 45 page 3, insert a "comma" following the word "elections."

In line 46, page 3, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or."

In line 47, page 3, insert a "comma" following the word "chosen."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to Aid in the Educational Work being carried on by the North Dakota Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Prevention of the Spread of Tuberculosis More Definitely Prescribed in Chapter 7 of the Session Laws of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

The Joint House and Senate committee on Investigation of the Mandan Training School, made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Mandan Training School to whom was referred:

Fort Lincoln Resolution.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be adopted.

JAMES A. WENSTROM,
Chairman Joint Committee.

Mr. Miller moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Miller and appearing on Page 6 of the Journal for January 24th be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the Concurrent Resolution was adopted.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. Sathre introduced:

House Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8325 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Actions Arising out of Personal Injury or Death Resulting from Wrongful Acts.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 167. A Bill for an Act Regulating Practice of Dental Hygiene and Providing for the Examination and Certification of Dental Hygienists and Regulating the Practice of Dental Hygiene.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Public Health.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6750 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Standardized Form of Mortgage.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Kopp introduced:

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-

enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking their Ballots.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Mr. Walker introduced:

House Bill No. 170. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8657 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Letters of Administration, Who Entitled to Same.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Walker introduced:

House Bill No. 171. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8682 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Executors, Administrators and Guardians.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act, to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners' Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Counties.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Eleven Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$1140.00) to Pay the Expenses of a State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners as authorized Under Section 2711 to 2720, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays, 0, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Laekey	Quam
Burleigh	Flom	Lakie	Rabe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Radcliffe
Sargent	Freeman	Larson	Eustad
Arduser	Gelszler	Lazier	Sagen
Bollinger	Goranson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Halcrow	Link	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Brown	Hardy	Lynch	Slominski
Bryans	Harrington	McManus	Sproul
Burk	Hart	Maddock	Starke

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Haugland	Martin	Steen
Burns	Heaton	McCay	Streich
Carr	Helbling	McGauvran	Shurr
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Swett
Cole	Henne	Morton	Trubshaw
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Olafson	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Walker
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Weisbeck
Erickson	Jones	Patterson	Weld
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Peters	Yeater
Erickson,	Kelly	Plath	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Kopp	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Eckert	McDowell	Traynor
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Opland	Watt
Currie	Jackson	Root	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Glanders and Dourine Indemnity Fund.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called, and there were ayes 106, nays 0, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Sagcn
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Freeman	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Gefszter	Levin	Simj
Bollinger	Goranson	Link	Slominski
Boyd	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sprout
Bratsberg	Ranson	Lynch	Starke
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Harrington	Martin	Streich
Burk	Hart	McCay	Shurr
Burkhart	Haugland	McGauvran	Swett
Burns	Heaton	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Cart	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Doyle	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Patterson	Yeater
Elmer	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson,	Kellogg	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quade	
	Kopp	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Helbling	McDowell	Watt
Fredrickson	Maddock	Root	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for Compensation and Expenses of the Board of Trustees of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 109, nays 0, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Freeman	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Geiszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollifiger	Goranson	Link	Sims
Boyd	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Burk	Hart	McCay	Streich
Burkhart	Haugland	McGauvran	Shurr
Burns	Heaton	Miller	Swett
Carr	Heibling	Morton	Traynor
Cart	Hempel	Muus	Trubshaw
Cola	Henne	Norden	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Twichell
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Veitech
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Eckert	Jardine	Opland	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Plath	Yeater
26th Dist.	McLagg	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Fredrickson	Maddock	McDowell

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Funds to Idemnify Owners of Animals Infected with Bovine Tuberculosis.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays 4, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Sargent	Flom	Lakie	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Root
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larson	Rustad

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Goranson	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Streich
Burkhart	Hart	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Swett
Carr	Heaton	Miller	Traynor
Cart	Helbling	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Doyle	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opiland	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Jones	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Sagen	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	Steen	Vogel	Walker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Maddock	McDowell	Patterson

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel: I wish to explain my vote and request that my explanation be printed in the Journal. I have looked up this matter and find we have a law which I think amply provides for what we need. Therefore I vote "No."

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 108, nays 0, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Root
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lakie	Sagen
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sims
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin	Slominski
Boyd	Goranson	Link	Sproul
Bratsberg	Harrington	Loudenbeck	Starke
Brown	Halcrow	Lynch	Steen
Bryans	Hanson	McManus	Streich
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Hart	McCay	Swett
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Miller	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Tweten
	Helbling	Muus	Twichell

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Veitch
Doyle	Hoople	Opland	Vogel
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Watt
Eckert	Jardine	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Trail.	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jones	Quade	
	Kellogg	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	McDowell	Radcliffe
Maddock	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting any Person from Driving or Operating a Motor Truck of More than Five Tons Carrying Capacity Upon any Public Highway, Street or Avenue in the State.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 108, nays 1, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Kopp	Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Lackey	Root
Arduser	Frandsen	Lakie	Rustad
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Freeman	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Lazier	Sims
Brown	Goranson	Levin	Slominski
Bryans	Halcrow	Link	Sproul
Burk	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Burkhart	Hardy	synch	Steen
Burns	Harrington	McManus	Streich
Carr	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	McCay	Sweet
Cole	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor
Craig	Melbling	Miller	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hempel	Morton	Twetén
Dougherty	Henne	Muus	Twichell
Durkee	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Eckert	Hoople	Oberg	Veitch
Ehr	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Ellingson	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Elmer	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Watt
Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Yeater
	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Kellogg	Quade	
		Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Patterson			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Maddock	McDowell	Sagen

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Patterson: I vote no on this bill because this bill specifies the amounts of capacity of the vehicle and not what it might be loaded to. A five ton truck might be loaded up to seven tons.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:

House Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Eleven Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$1140.00) to Pay the Expenses of a State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners as authorized Under Section 2711 to 2720, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

House Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Glanders and Dourine Indemnity Fund.

House Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for Compensation and Expenses of the Board of Trustees of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

House Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Funds to Idemnify Owners of Animals Infected with Bovine Tuberculosis.

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

House Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting any Person from Driving or Operating a Motor Truck of More than Five Tons Carrying Capacity Upon any Public Highway, Street or Avenue in the State.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
January 31, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4920 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 76 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Fees to Be Paid by Insurance Companies Doing Business in this State.

Senate Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act Amending Sections 728 and 729 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Fees in the Supreme Court and Their Coverage Into the State Treasury.

Senate Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Requiring All Agents Acting for or on Behalf of Any Insurance Company Doing Business in this State to be Licensed, Regulating the Methods, Practices and Transactions of Such Agents in Conducting Such Insurance Business, and Providing Pen-

alties for the Violation of Any of the Provisions of This Act.

Senate Bill No. 77. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Per Diem and Expenses of the State Budget Board as Prescribed by Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Senate Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide Funds for the Payment of Expenses and Fees of Appraisers of Inheritances, Devises, Bequests, Legacies, and Gifts, as Provided for in Section 8991, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide Funds to Pay the Necessary Expenses and Reasonable Compensation to Commissioners Appointed in Actions to Release Insane Patients as Prescribed by Section 2562 of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Senate Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$5,000.00 for the Biennium, to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Agents in the Arrest and Return of Fugitives from Justice as Prescribed by Section 11162 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Presidential Electors as Prescribed by Section 1038 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$2,000.00 Out of any Money in the State reasury Not Otherwise Appropriated for the Purpose of Paying Premiums on State Officials Bonds as Provided by Chapter 175 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917.

Senate Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Defray the Expenses of the Delegates to National Political Conventions as Prescribed by Section 916 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 20. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 5, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 20, 26 and 27 of Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4929 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 76 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Fees to be Paid by Insurance Companies Doing Business in This State.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act Amending Sections 728 and 729 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Fees in the Supreme Court and Their Coverage Into the State Treasury.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Requiring all Agents Acting for or on Behalf of any Insurance Company Doing Business in this State to be Licensed, Regulating the Methods, Practices and Transactions of such Agents in Conducting Such Insurance Business, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of any of the Provisions of This Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 77. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Per Diem and Expenses of the State Budget Board as Prescribed by Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of Expenses and Fees of Appraisers of Indebtedness, Devises, Bequests, Legacies, and Gifts, as Provided for in Section 8991 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to provide Funds to Pay the Necessary Expenses and Reasonable Compensation to Commissioners Appointed in Actions to Release Insane Patients Prescribed by Section 2552 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$5,000.00 for the Biennium, to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Agents in the Arrest and Return of Fugitives from Justice as Prescribed by Section 11162 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Presidential Electors as Prescribed by Section 1038 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$2,000.00 Out of any Monies in the State Treasury Not Otherwise Appropriated for the Purpose of Paying Premiums on State Official Bonds as Provided by Chapter 175 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Defray the Expenses of the Delegates to National Political Conventions as Prescribed by Section 916 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act Legalizing and Validating Certain Acts of City Officials with Reference to Electric Light or Distribution Systems.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 77, nays 30, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Sagen
Burleigh	Flom	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Fredrickson	McManus	Sims
Arduser	Freeman	McGauvran	Slominski
Bollinger	Goranson	Miller	Sproul
Boyd	Halcrow	Morton	Starke
Brown	Hanson	Muus	Streich
Bryans	Harrington	Norden	Traynor
Burk	Hempel	Oberg	Trubshaw
Burns	Hodges	Olafson	Tweten
Carr	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Cart	Iverson	Orange	Ulland
Cole	Jackson	Peters	Vetch
Dougherty	Jardine	Plath	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	Weld
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Quam	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Trail.	Rabe	
Ellingson	Kelly	Radcliffe	
Erickson	Lackey	Root	
26th Dist.	Lakie	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Hardy	Kopp	Opland
Burkhart	Hart	Larkin	Patterson
Craig	Heaton	Lazier	Steen
Doyle	Heibling	Link	Swett
Elmer	Henne	Loudenbeck	Vogel
Erickson	Haugland	Martin	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Jones	McCay	Yeater
Geiszler	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Currie	McDowell	Walker
Burke-Divide	Maddock	Shurr	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 844 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays 5, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Sargent	Flom	Lakie	Radcliffe
Arduser	Frandsen	Larkin	Root
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Freeman	Lazler	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Gelszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Goranson	Link	Sims
Bryans	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Stominski
Burk	Hanson	McManus	Sproul
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Starke
Burns	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Carr	Hart	McCay	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	McGauvran	Traynor
Cole	Heaton	Miller	Trubshaw
Craig	Helbling	Morton	Tweten
Doyle	Hempel	Muus	Twichell
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Durkee	Hodges	Oberg	Veitch
Eckert	Hooplo	Olafson	Vogel
Ehr	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ellingson	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Erickson,	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weid
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Yeater
	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Keliogg	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jackson	Sagen	Swett
Lynch	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	McDowell	Anderson,
		Burke-Divide

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 36. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5605, 5607 and 5611 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Defining the Homestead Exemption.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 85, nays 24, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Peters
Burleigh	Frandsen	Lakie	Quado
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larkin	Quam
Sargent	Geiszler	Larson	Rabe
Arduser	Geranson	Lazier	Root
Bollinger	Halerow	Levin	Sagen
Fratsberg	Hardy	Link	Sathre, Steele
Bryans	Harrington	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Hart	Loudenbeck	Sims
Burkhart	Haugland	McManus	Starke
Burns	Heaton	Maddock	Steen
Carr	Helbling	Martin	Streich
Cart	Hempel	McCay	Shurr
Cole	Henne	Miller	Shurt
Craig	Hodges	Morton	Swett
Doyle	Hoople	Muus	Twetent
Dougherty	Iverson	Norden	Ulland
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Oberg	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail.	Olafson	Vesel
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Erickson,	Kellogg	Opiland	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Kelly	Orange	Weld
		Patterson	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Hanson	Olson, Towner	Traynor
Boyd	Jackson	Plath	Trubshaw
Durkee	Jardine	Radeliffe	Twichell
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Rustad	Veitch
Flom	Lackey	Stominski	Watt
Freeman	Lynch	Sproul	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Currie	McGauvran
Burke-Divide	McDowell	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

At this time the Speaker announced the appointment of the following special committee for the consideration of individual communications: Mr. Sproul, Mr. Eckert, Mrs. Craig, Mr. Brown.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Mr. Walker moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Walker to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6815 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to the Filing of Intention to File Mechanic's Lien.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

By striking out, in lines 5, 6 and 7, of the printed bill, the words and figures, "6237 of the Revised Codes for 1905 and acts amendatory thereto (Section 6814 herein)" and substituting in lieu thereof the following words and figures "6814 of the Compiled laws of North Dakota for 1913, and acts amendatory thereto."

By striking out, in lines 25 and 26 the words "the period of the statute of limitations" and substituting in lieu thereof the words "ninety days."

By adding the following after the last word "filed" in line 34, "No notice of intention to file mechanic's lien shall be effective as against subsequent purchasers or incumbrancers unless the same is perfected by the filing of the lien, as provided in Section 6820 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, within six months after the filing of said notice."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

R. H. WALKER,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of the Committee of the whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Jack Williams, State Secretary American Legion, Headquarters of N. D.; Jacob Nathan, Underwood, N. D.; F. J. Beals, Dickinson, N. D.; Pat Daly, Dickinson, N. D.; F. W. McKendry, Mandan, N. D.; Ed Leonard, Williston, N. D.; R. A. Trubey, Fargo, N. D.; H. M. Stroud, Wimbledon, N. D.

Mr. Veitch moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 1, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment. Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. H. C. Postlethwaite.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Currie, Fredrickson, Maddock, McDowell and Streich.

Mr. Sproul moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

The following Senate Bills were messaged to the Senate:

Senate Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act Legalizing and Validating Certain Acts of City Officials with Reference to Electric Light or Distribution Systems.

Senate Bill No. 36. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 844 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Senate Bill No. 36. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5605, 5607 and 5611 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Defining the Homestead Exemption.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The committee on revision and correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on revision and correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the thirtieth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 4, line 36, the word "stopped" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 5, under Reports of Standing Committees, the word "Committee" is misspelled.

On page 6, line 6, strike out the words "Any Incorporated City," and in lieu thereof insert the words "the State."
On page 6, line 7, strike out the word "enrolled."

On page 8, line 6, "Section 526" should read "Section 525."

On page 8, line 36, "Senate Bill No. 84" should read "Senate Bill No. 64."

In the same line, the word "Concerning" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 17, under House Bill No. 60, line 4, strike out the words "Any Incorporated City" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the State."

On page 18 the same correction under House Bill No. 60.

On page 21, under Third Reading of Senate Bills, line 8, the word "negative" should be "affirmative."

On page 25, under House Bill No. 65, line 5, the word "Practice" is incorrectly spelled.

That House Bill No. 71 should be included in the Calendar.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report of the committee be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

The committee on Individual Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Individual Communications to whom was referred:

Letters to:

Representative Root as of date of January 27; Representative Hempel as of date of January 30.

Recommend that same do not be read or printed in the Journal.

Also a communication from the Minot Association of Commerce to Mr. Burkhart, which the committee recommend be read and printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Burkhart presented the following and asked that it be printed in the Journal.

January 31, 1923.

Rep. J. H. Burkhart,
Bismarck, N. Dak.

My Dear Representative Burkhart:

At the annual meeting of the Northwestern North Dakota Development Association held Tuesday, January 9, at which delegates were present from McKenzie, Divide, Burke, Mountrail, Renville, Bottineau, Pierce, McHenry, Ward, McLean, and Wells Counties, the following resolution was passed:

WHEREAS, We believe that immigration is one of the greatest present needs of North Dakota, and feel that conditions in the state as compared with those in the other states are such as to make this an auspicious time for an aggressive immigration campaign:

RESOLVED by the Northwestern North Dakota Development Association in Annual meeting assembled, that we earnestly recommend that active immigration work be continued by the state under competent management, and that no less than \$100,000 be appropriated by the present legislative assembly for that purpose.

RESOLVED, that copies of these resolutions be sent to the governor of the state, and to the legislative assembly.

Yours very cordially,

JAMES S. MILLOY.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 57. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Range Stock and Where Listed for the Purpose of Taxation.

House Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6815 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to the Filing of Intention to File Mechanics' Lien.

House Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to Aid in the Educational Work being carried on by the North Dakota Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Prevention of the Spread of Tuberculosis More Definitely Prescribed in Chapter 7 of the Session Laws of North Dakota.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:
Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 41. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 16 of Chapter 58 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:
Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Provide for the Payment of Non-resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid: Repealing Acts or Parts of Acts in So Far as they Conflict With this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 100. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1342 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 141 of the Session Laws for the Year 1915, as Amended by Chapter 206 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to Compulsory Attendance, School Age and Transportation of Pupils.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 120. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1190 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as amended by Chapter 199 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 53 of the Laws of North Dakota, Special Session of the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 113 Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to the Consolidation of Schools; and contracting for the Transportation of Pupils to and from said Schools; and Providing for a Beard of Arbitration, and for Discontinuance of Transportation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 158. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article IV of Chapter 206 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to the Transportation of Pupils.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Line 5 of the original bill strike out the word "quarter" and insert in lieu thereof "half."

On line nine of the original bill strike out the word "quarter" and insert in lieu thereof "half."

On line 15 of printed bill strike out the word "quarter" and insert in lieu thereof the word "half."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Retention of Certain Part of the Salary of Teachers in the Public Schools of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out all of lines one and two and the first word of line three of Section 1 of the original bill and insert in lieu thereof the words: "Ten per cent of the salary due a teacher for services rendered in the public schools of this state shall be retained each month."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 135. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 9997 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 28 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to the Butchers' Report of Branded Animals Killed.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 2 of Section 1, after the word State, insert "shall within three months" following the word "equip" insert and "keep equipped;" following the word "rooms" insert "used for sleeping purposes." In line 3 of Section 3 strike everything after the word "act." Following Section 3 insert Emergency Clause. This Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall be in force from and after its passage and approval.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact the Third Subdivision of Section 3999; and Section 4001, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Firemen's Relief Association Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that same do pass.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following majority report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2212 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 252 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to the Duty of the County Auditor and the Requirements of the Transfer of Real Property as to Taxes, Deeds and Other Instruments of Conveyance.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the majority report be adopted.

The minority of the committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your minority of the the committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2212 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 252 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to the Duty of the County Auditor and the Requirements of the Transfer of Real Property as to Taxes, Deeds and Other Instruments of Conveyance.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

B. C. LARKIN,
JAMES McMANUS,

Mr. Larkin moved that the minority report be substituted for the majority report.

Which motion lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Starke, the motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted. The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 147. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Bills of Sale and Other Transfers of Personal Property and Prescribing the Effect of Such Filing.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

By striking out in line 14 of the printed bill the word "convicted" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "was convicted on a plea of guilty and."

By striking out in line 18 the word "or" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Twichell: I wish the floor for the purpose of making a motion. We are getting into the custom here of improperly considering bills on the question of adopting committee reports, instead of in the Committee of the Whole. When one of these reports on an amended bill comes up for action, and anyone starts to argue on the merits of the bill, that necessarily means that those on the opposing side will desire to be heard and we get into an extended debate on the adoption of the committee report, which has to be all gone over again in the Committee on the Whole. For that reason I move the previous question.

Which motion prevailed and the committee report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 6816 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Requiring Notice to and Consent of Owner in Filing Mechanics' Liens Under Chapter 91.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, An Act to appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for Which the Appropriation is Made.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That the figures "\$476.20" be changed to read "\$467.20" in line 8 of Section 1.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. O. C. Martin.

WORLD WAR VETERANS

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, the Senate Concurring:

That we approve and recommend the passage of House Bill No. 13833 introduced in the Sixty-seventh Congress, fourth session, by Honorable J. H. Sinclair from the State of North Dakota, being a bill to provide adjusted compensation for veterans of the World War, and providing revenue to pay the claims that may arise and be made valid and payable by this Act, and authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase silver bullion at a market value hereby fixed and coin standard silver dollars therefrom, and setting aside the seigniorage

arising out of the appropriation of difference between the bullion value thereof and the coin value thereof, providing for issuing legal tender coin certificates, and providing means for redemption thereof.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 173. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 and Section 2 of Chapter 173 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919 Relating to Union Label.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Public Printing.

Messrs. Lakie and McManus introduced:

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act Making it Unlawful to Drive a Closed Vehicle Without Windows.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Highways and Bridges.

Mr. Lazier introduced:

House Bill No. 175. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 56, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Legal Depositories for the Funds of Public Corporations and Providing for the Procedure and Regulation Under Which Such Funds Shall Be Deposited.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Twichell introduced:

House Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any County in North Dakota to Issue Funding or Refunding Bonds for the Purpose of Funding or Refunding Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Indebtedness.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Halcrow moved that the House do now recess for ten minutes. Which motion prevailed and the House took a recess.

AFTER RECESS.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1782 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Commandant of the Soldier's Home.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 57. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Range Stock and Where Listed for the Purpose of Taxation.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 108, nays 0, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Levtn	Sims
Bollinger	Geiszler	Link	Slominski
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lynch	Starke
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Hardy	Bradlock	Streich
Burk	Tarrington	Martin	Shurr
Bratsberg	Hart	McCay	Swett
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Miller	Trubshaw
Cart	Heibing	Morton	Tweten
Craig	Hempel	Muus	Twichell
Doyle	Henne	Norden	Tand
Dougherty	Hodges	Oberg	Veitch
Durkee	Hoople	Olafson	Vogel
Eckert	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ehr	Jackson	O'son, Towner	Watt
Ellingson	Jardne	Opland	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weid
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Yeater
Erickson, 16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Jones	Plath	
	Kellogg	Quade	
	Kelly	Quam	
	Kopp	Rabe	
	Lackey	Radcliffe	
	Lakie	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Fredrickson	McDowell	Rustad
Currie			

House Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to Aid in the Educational Work being carried on by the North Dakota Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Prevention of the Spread of Tuberculosis More Definitely Prescribed in Chapter 7 of the Session Laws of North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 109, nays, none, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sims
Bollinger	Geiszler	Link	Slominaki
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lynch	Starke
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Hart	McCay	Swett
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Miller	Trubshaw
Cart	Irelbling	Morton	Tweten
Cole	Hempel	Muus	Twichell
Craig	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Doyle	Hodges	Oberg	Veitch
Dougherty	Hoople	Olafson	Vogel
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Opland	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Yeater
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jonsson, Trail.	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson, 16th Dist.	Jones	Plath	
	Kellogg	Quade	
	Kelly	Quam	
	Kopp	Rabe	
	Lackey	Radcliffe	
	Lakte	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currle	Fredrickson	McDowell	Rustad

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

At the request of Mr. Jardine the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Jardine moved that House Bill 53 be re-referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws which motion prevailed.

The House returned to the Eleventh Order of Business.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

House Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6815 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to the Filing of Intention to File Mechanics' Lien.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 108, nays 2, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Larson	Sagen
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Geiszler	Link	Sims
	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
	Halcrow	Lynch	Sproul
	Hanson	McManus	Starke
		Maddock	Steen

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Hardy	Martin	Streich
Bratsberg	Harrington	McCay	Shurr
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Swett
Bryans	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Burk	Heaton	Morton	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Heibling	Maus	Tweten
Burns	Hempel	Norden	Twichell
Carr	Henne	Oberg	Ulland
Cart	Hodges	Olafson	Veitch
Coie	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Craig	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Doyle	Jardine	Opland	Watt
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weid
Eckert	Johnson, Trail.	Peters	Teater
Ehr	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kellogg	Quade	
Elmer	Kelly	Quam	
Erickson	Kopp	Rabe	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe	
	Lakie	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Flom	Jackson

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Fredrickson	McDowell

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Twichell moved an amendment to Senate Bill No. 64, and asked unanimous consent of the House that the amendment be concurred in without the necessity of the bill going to General Orders, as follows: In line 4, Section 9 of the printed bill, insert a comma after the word "feat."

Which motion prevailed and the correction made.

Senate Bill No. 64. A Bill for an Act Concerning Aeronautics and to make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 109, nays 1, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Root
Anderson,	Franson	Larson	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Lazler	Sagen
Anderson,	Geiszler	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Goranson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bollinger	Hanson	Lynch	Srominski
Boyd	Hardy	McManus	Sproul
Brown	Harrington	Maddock	Starke
Bryans	Hart	Martin	Steen
Burk	Haugland	McCay	Streich
Burkhart	Heaton	McGauvran	Shurr
	Heibling	Miller	Swett

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Hempel	Morton	Traynor
Cart	Henne	Muus	Trubshaw
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Tweten
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Twichell
Doyle	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Weisbeck
Elmer	Jones	Peters	Weld
Erickson,	Kellogg	Plath	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Erickson,	Kopp	Quam	
16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.

Bratsberg

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.

Currie

Messrs.

Fredrickson

Messrs.

McDowell

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 14. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Wearing of Masks or Other Disguises in Public, and Designating the Penalty for Same.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 92; nays, 18; absent and not voting, 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Larson	Quade
Burleigh	Geiszler	Lazier	Rabe
Arduser	Goranson	Link	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Rustad
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Saen
Brown	Hardy	HeManus	Sathre, Steele
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Hart	Martin	Sims
Burkhart	Heaton	McCay	Slominski
Burns	Helbling	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Henne	Miller	Starke
Doyle	Hodges	Morton	Steen
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Streich
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Traynor
Eckert	Jackson	Muus	Trubshaw
Ehr	Jardine	Norden	Tweten
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Erickson,	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Veitch
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Orange	Walker
Erickson,	Kelly	Patterson	Watt
16th Dist.	Kopp	Peters	Weisbeck
Flom	Lackey	Plath	Weld
Frandsen	Lakie		Yeater
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.

Anderson,

Burke-Divide

Anderson,

Sargent

Bratsberg

Messrs.

Cart

Cole

Craig

Fedge

Haugland

Hempel

Messrs.

Jones

Larkin

Levin

Oberg

Quam

Root

Messrs.

Shurr

Swett

Vogel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Fredrickson	McDowell

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Walker: Mr. Speaker, I desire to make a statement in regard to Senate Bill No. 14, and request that my remarks be printed in the Journal.

I believe this is a case when every real man must stand up and be counted. I am going to vote for the passage of Senate Bill 14. However, I recognize fully the futility of this kind of legislation. I recognize that when a man puts on a mask and goes out to commit a crime he is not going to be deterred because there is a law against the wearing of a mask. I realize that the Ku Klux Klan, against whom this bill is calculably aimed, will thrive and grow upon the agitation and prominence directed towards it by the passing of bills of this sort. I do not believe in this sort of legislation and I question the wisdom of this bill. However, the bill is before us and I embrace the opportunity to enter my protest against the ghastly methods employed by persons who conceal their features behind a mask and go out and commit depredations. I believe the Ku Klux Klan, the organization against which this bill is intended to operate, to be a dishonest organization. I believe them to be unsocial, undemocratic, unpatriotic and unAmerican.

Mr. Patterson: Mr. Speaker, I want to make a few remarks on this bill, and I ask the reporter to write it down and put it in the Journal.

Mr. Speaker, this bill has thrown and let down the bars for a great many innocent people to be attacked for wearing masks that don't wear them for any evil purpose. You know, we have about eight months winter here and the people, especially the people in the rural districts, have to bundle up good to go to town. They have to have coats and caps and shawls around their heads. It would be an easy matter to go ahead and arrest them for wearing mufflers under this bill. I feel and believe, and I have every reason to believe, that there are people small enough to do this for the purpose of getting personal revenge. I don't think this bill is worded right to protect innocent people. It is not specific enough. I don't believe in laying up all this trouble to the Ku Klux Klan. They may have their good features. I have no doubt that they have members in their body who wouldn't hesitate to violate any law that we would place on the statute books of this state. I have no doubt you will find some of these same kind of fellows in all organizations and associations. You have some of your oldest organizations today, that are prominent in every community all over the country—organizations that hold among their memberships some of the highest officials of the United States—and these same organizations have members who would stoop to do things

that the organization as a whole of which they are members would condemn. I don't think it is right or proper to criticize and punish the entire organization or institution because of the lawless acts of some individual member of that organization. It is the individual who is subject to criticism and punishment and not the organization to which he may belong. We talk about this great democracy of ours—the democratic and republican parties. We have men in the republican party that does things that us republicans don't stand for. But I would not like to have the republican party as an organization censured because some of its members did something wrong. And I would not like to have the democratic party as an organization censured because some of its members did something that was wrong. Now, Mr. Speaker, the reason I am making these remarks is from my own knowledge and from personal experience. I have underwent the most strenuous times of any man in this House the last few years. While I lay there in the hospital for ten weeks, lay there with fever and delerium, weakened by the sickness and fever, I thought of the depredations that had been committed against me; and I thought that someone might get in there and commit some depredation, something to injure me—that they might drop something into the water that I had to drink, and poison me. But when I got out I don't lay it up against any individual and I don't think we should pass laws and lay these things up against anyone.

Mr. Cart: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote on this bill and request that my explanation be printed in the Journal.

A few days ago there was a meeting held down town in this city and at that meeting this bill was being considered. A great many here were at that meeting and know the remarks made by the gentlemen who spoke there at that time. It seems to me that this bill is nothing more than an attempt to stir up religious strife and racial prejudice. You forget the urgent economic troubles and follow off along some false line.

Mr. Vogel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and request that my remarks be extended to the Journal. I vote no on this bill because I believe the wording of the bill itself defeats the very purpose it intends to remedy. I am against this bill for two reasons: In the first place, the purpose of this bill is to, if possible, cut down the growth of the KuKlux Klan, when as a matter of fact that is just the kind of legislation the Ku Klux Klan want. It places the Ku Klux Klan in the position of being persecuted, and when you place any organization in that position it results in drawing to it many elements of support. In the second place, I vote no on this bill because it injects a religious prejudice which is absolutely contrary to this American government.

Mr. Anderson, of Divide: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it printed in the Journal. I vote no on this bill because I believe we have laws enough to deal with lawlessness of this kind without enacting any more cumbersome statutes. I vote no because I believe that the people of North Dakota are law-abiding and law-respect-

ing so as to make such a law unnecessary. I vote no on this bill because it is a step I believe backward, and is a reflection on a liberty-loving and law-abiding citizenship of which the state of North Dakota is so proud. I vote no on this bill because I do not believe a time has yet come to place such unwarranted legislation on our statutes.

Mr. Fedge: Mr. Speaker, I want to explain my vote and request that it be printed in the Journal. I vote no on this bill because a law of this kind is uncalled for. I think it is time enough to provide legislation of this kind when it has become a proven fact that the Ku Klux Klan is a violent and lawless organization. I vote no.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to make some remarks on Senate Bill No. 14, and request that my remarks be placed in the Journal. Now there has been a lot of misrepresentation and misleading reports about these things, and without any malice toward anyone, and no reflecting on any reporter or newspaper man, I have written down my remarks so there will be no misunderstanding. Mr. Speaker, without malice toward anyone, not even toward any of the newspaper reporters here, I want to state for the information of my constituents, and the members of the House, that I believe the newspaper reports have been misleading—grossly misleading—that is why I am against this Senate Bill No. 14. Therefore, I am going to vote “no” on Senate Bill No. 14, for the reason that so very much has been taken for facts, which is simply fiction—for the reason that ALL newspapers that I have read on the subject so far, have convinced me that there is a united, underhanded, uncalled for effort to put another useless law on our statute books, for the sole purpose of harming some one secret organization, of which I AM NOT A MEMBER. I am going to vote NO for the further reason that under this bill, if it becomes a law, every clown, every Santa Claus, every Indian Squaw wearing a shawl, and every farmer coming into town on a stormy day with his cap drawn down over his head and face, would be arrested—even our good Catholic Sisters walking on the streets of Bismarck would be arrested under this law; therefore I vote NO. My people at home know that I am lawabiding and absolutely against mob rule so I have no fear that they will misunderstand my stand on this matter.

The following members also explained their votes but did not request that their explanations be extended to the Journal: Messrs. Heaton, Iverson, Paul Johnson of Pembina, Morton, Sathre and Trubshaw.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:

House Bill No. 57. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Range Stock and Where Listed for the Purpose of Taxation.

House Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to Aid in the Educational Work Being Carried on by the North Dakota Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Prevention of the Spread of Tuberculosis More Definitely Prescribed in Chapter 7 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 for the Salary and Traveling Expenses.

House Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6815 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to the Filing of Intention to File Mechanics' Lien.

Senate Bill No. 14. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Wearing of Masks or other Disguises in Public, and Designating the Penalty for Same.

Senate Bill No. 64. A Bill for an Act Concerning Aeronautics and to Make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Watt moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Watt to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 40. A Bill for an Act to Cancel Uncollected Personal Property Taxes Assessed for 1915 and Prior Years.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

On line two of the original bill "1915" be changed to read "1913."

On line four of the original bill "1915" be changed to read "1913."

On line eight of the original bill "1915" be changed to read "1913."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 65. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 19 of Chapter 5 of the Political Code of the State of North Dakota Being Sections 524 to 539 Both Inclusive of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relative to the Practice of Optometry, Creating a State Board of Examiners in Optometry, Providing for the Registration of Optometrists, Defining and Regulating Violation of the Terms of Said Act.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In the enacting clause of the original bill strike out word "Legislature" and insert in lieu thereof "Legislative

Assembly." In Section 525 of the original bill, line twelve after the word Merchandise, insert the following "to anyone other than dealers."

In the printed bill, add to Section 525 at the end thereof the following: "in the state of North Dakota." Strike out the word "three" where the same appears in section 535 and insert in lieu thereof the word "five."

At the end of subdivision (a) of Section 536 add the following: "Or violation of any provision of this article." And to the end of said section add the following: "Said prosecution shall be commenced in the county where the defendant resides. If the defendant be not a resident of the state of North Dakota, such prosecution may be commenced in any county of this state."

After the word "optometrist" appearing in section 539 strike out the period and add the following: "nor to require physicians and surgeons authorized to practice medicine under the laws of this state to be registered under the provisions of this article. Provided, however, that any optometrist registered to practice within this state may fit and bend eye glasses, spectacles and lenses at any place in this state."

And that the bill be further amended by striking out the sentence relating to Section 538.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 116. A Bill for An Act Providing for the Appointment by the Attorney General of a Special Assistant Attorney General to Act as Attorney for the Board of Railroad Commissioners, Prescribing the Duties of Such Special Assistant Attorney General, Requiring a Bond to be Given, Fixing His Salary, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 5, page 2 of the printed bill, strike out after the word "General" the "comma" and the words "which shall" and insert "which salary shall be \$3,600 per year, to"

And recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM .WATT,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Olafson moved that the report of the committee of the whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed an the report was adopted.

The courtesies of the floor were extended to the following visitors: C. L. Dawson, Fargo, N. D.; Jack Williams, J. C. Lowe, Minot, N. D.; H. M. Hogue, Dickinson, N. D.; Pat McKeever, Dickinson, N. D.; Miss Harriet Perry,

Jamestown, N. D.; Mrs. Deane J. Powell, Jamestown, N. D.; Rev. C. H. Richter, Wing, N. D.; J. E. Williams, Washburn, N. D.; Judge P. H. Miller, Washburn, N. D.; Evelyn Nickerson, Mandan, N. D.; Dean Kennedy, University of North Dakota.

Mr. Johnson of Traill moved that the House do now recess until one P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

THIRTY-FIRST DAY AFTER RECESS AND THIRTY-
SECOND DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 2nd, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 1 o'clock P. M., pursuant to recess. Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Jackson moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Jackson to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued or to be Issued, by any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or Where by such Vote Bonds are Authorized to be Issued, has Heretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in Such School District, Beyond the Five Per Cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution, of the State of North Dakota, and where the Indebtedness of Such School District Does Not Exceed Ten per cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee amendment as follows:

In line 12, printed bill, after the word "and" strike out the word "thereafter" and insert in lieu the words "at

such election or at an election thereafter held for that purpose."

And the further amendment, insert after the word "an" in line 14 of the printed bill the word "authorized," and by striking out the word "but" in line 16 and inserting instead the word "then."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also

Senate Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1421 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 266 of the Session Laws for the year 1915, Legalizing and Validating Certain Indebtedness of School Districts in the Form of School Warrants and Negotiable Bonds Issued to Fund the Same.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

In line 1, printed bill, after figure "1" following the word "section" insert the word "Amendment."

In the 8th line from the bottom of the first page of the original bill strike out the word "or" after the word "purchase" and insert the word "of."

And further amend, adding after the word "building" in line 5 of printed bill the following: "or any other legitimate corporate purpose" and adding after the word per cent in line 12 of printed bill the words "or less" and striking out the letter "e" in the word thereon" in line 24 of printed bill.

And when so amended recommend that same do pass.

Also

Senate Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 187 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Qualifications of Official and Legal Newspapers and Providing for the Method of Selection of Official Newspapers.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

In line 24, on page 2 of the printed bill, strike out the word "left" and insert in lieu thereof the word "right."

In line 45, page 3, strike out the word "as" and insert in lieu thereof the word "at."

In line 45 page 3, insert a "comma" following the word "elections."

In line 46, page 3, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or."

In line 47, page 3, insert a "comma" following the word "chosen."

And further amended: in line 23 of the printed bill strike out the word "upon" and strike out all of line 24 except the words "at the bottom" all of line 28 except the word "ballots" all of lines 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report of the committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Iverson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

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THIRTY-SECOND DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 2, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain Rev. H. C. Postlethwaite.

Roll Call, all members present except Messrs. Currie, Hanson, Heaton, Patterson.

Mr. Slominski moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

The committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the thirty-first day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 5, between lines 25 and 26, insert "Line 5 of the Original Bill strike out the word "quarter" and insert in lieu thereof "half."

On line 26 strike out the word "fourteen" and in lieu thereof insert the word "nine."

On page 6, under House Bill No. 135, the figures "997" should read "9,997."

On page 7, line 7, strike out the word "Chairman" and in lieu thereof insert the name "M. W. Kelly."

On page 8, line 9, the word "Chairman" is misspelled.

On page 13, after the words "Mr. Twichell moved" strike out the word "and" and insert the word "an" in lieu thereof.

In line 6 of the roll call at the bottom of page 13 strike

out the word "Burleigh" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Sargent."

On page 15, fifth line from the bottom, the word "Organizations" is misspelled.

On page 17, line 2, strike out the letter "I."

On page 20 strike out the entire paragraph following the words "House Bill No. 116."

On page 19, line 10, the amendments to House Bill No. 65, of Sec. 525, by the Committee of the Whole, appears as an amendment to Sec. 539.

On page 15, in roll call Mr. Fredrickson should be shown voting aye instead of absent and not voting.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

Concurrent Resolution, introduced by J. C. Miller, Fort Lincoln Resolution.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 40. A Bill for an Act to Cancel Uncollected Personal Property Taxes Assessed for 1915 and Prior Years.

Whereas, There are a large number of uncollectible personal property taxes on the tax books of the various counties of the state for the year 1913 and prior years which the Boards of County Commissioners have neglected to cancel as provided by law.

House Bill No. 65. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 19 of Chapter 5 of the Political Code of the State of North Dakota Being Sections 524 to 539 Both Inclusive of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relative to the Practice of Optometry, Creating a State Board of Examiners in Optometry, Providing for the Registration of Optometrists, Defining and Regulating Violation of the Terms of This Act.

House Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2212 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 252 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to the Duty of the County Auditor and the Requirements of the Transfer of Real Property as to Taxes, Deeds and Other Instruments of Conveyance.

House Bill No. 147. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Bills of Sale and Other Transfers of Personal Property and Prescribing the Effect of Such Filing.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The majority of the committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of the committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9 of Chapter 236, Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the qualifications of Graduated Registered Nurses.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

The minority of the committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9 of Chapter 236, Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Qualifications of Graduated Registered Nurses.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

V. L. ANDERSON,
C. A. SAGEN,
R. M. SPROUL,

Mr. Anderson moved that the minority report be adopted which motion prevailed and the minority report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 98. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Forty-Eight and 48-100 Dollars (\$12,548.48) According to Chapter 327 of the Ses-

sion Laws for the Year 1919 of the State of North Dakota for the Purpose of Stamping out Venereal Diseases.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The majority of your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 53. A Bill for an Act Relating to Real Estate Tax Sales.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted.

The majority of your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your committee on Taxes to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 53. A Bill for an Act Relating to Real Estate Tax Sales.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out the word "all" in line seven and lines eight and nine in printed bill. Insert the following: Section 2. Emergency. This act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

B. C. LARKIN,
J. W. HEMPEL
J. F. ELMER
H. F. SWETT

Mr. Larkin moved that the minority report be substituted for the majority report.

Which motion prevailed and the minority report was adopted.

The committee on Insurance made the following majority report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-

enact Section 4843 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Investment of the Capital, Surplus and Funds of Domestic Insurance Companies.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 13 of the printed bill strike out the words "national bank stock."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

The minority of the committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4843 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Investment of the Capital, Surplus and Funds of Domestic Insurance Companies.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,
EDWIN TRAYNOR.

Mr. Jardine moved that the minority report be adopted. Which motion lost.

Mr. Fredrickson moved that the majority report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

Mr. Sathre moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 116 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

The request for a roll call was granted, which disclosed: ayes, 52; nays, 57; absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	O'lsen, Ransom
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Lackie	Orland
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Quam
Sargent	26th Dist.	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Fedge	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Link	Sims
Bryans	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Burkhart	Hardy	McManus	Swett
Cart	Haugland	Maddock	Tweten
Cole	Helbling	Martin	Vogel
Craig	Hempel	McCay	Weisbeck
Doyle	Hoople	Miller	Weld
Eckert	Iverson	Morton	Yeater
Elmer	Jones	Muus	
		Oberg	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Goranson	Lackey	Sagen
Burleigh	Halcrow	Larson	Slominski
Bollinger	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Boyd	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Steen
Burk	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Burns	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Carr	Hodges	Orange	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Peters	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Plath	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe	Mr. Speaker
Freeman	Kelly	Root	
Geiszler	Kopp	Rustad	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Olson, Towner	Patterson	Streich

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Furnishing by the Register of Deeds of Each County to Elevators Making Application and Paying the Fee Provided Therefore, of an Abstract of all Mortgages and Liens upon Grain Grown During Each Year, and filed in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

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Senate Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Entitled, an Act Relating to Lophophora Williamsii or Peyote (Pellote) and Agava Americana (Commonly Known as Mescal); Prohibiting the Use of Possession Thereof, Traffic Therein, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of this Act.

Senate Bill No. 121. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Actions to Release Insane Patients.

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Senate Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Survey of Coal Mines Fund.

Senate Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Auditor's Office.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Cole introduced:

House Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6790 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Freeman introduced:

House Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Re-enacting Section 2125 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for the Year 1913, to Read as follows:

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Burns introduced:

House Bill No. 179. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1506 of Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 140 of the Session Laws of 1915 and by Chapter 161 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Membership in the Teachers' Insurance and Retirement Fund.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Burns introduced:

House Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Levy in Incorporated Villages for the Purpose of Purchasing and Maintaining Adequate Apparatus for the Extinguishment of Fires, and Maintaining a Fire Department.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Titles.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 181. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, Supervising and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxi Cab or Auto Livery, Places Where Soft Drinks are Sold or Where Cigars and Tobacco are sold, or Public Halls Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes, Providing the Licensing Fees Therefor and Repealing Chapter 84 of the Session Laws of 1921 and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Halerow introduced:

House Bill No. 182. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Publication of Delinquent Tax List.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Printing.

Mr. Harrington introduced:

House Bill No. 183. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4926, Compiled Laws 1913, Relating to Resident and Non-Resident Insurance Agents.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

• MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Attorney General's Department.

Senate Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Reward and Apprehension of Criminals According to Chapter 200 of the Session Laws of 1917.

Senate Bill No. 135. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to pay the Burial Expenses of Inmates of the Penitentiary and Reform School as Provided for Under Section 11302 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$250.00 for the Biennium, to Defray the Expenses of the State Canvassing Board.

Senate Bill No. 125. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Miscellaneous Refunds of the State.

Senate Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act to Provide \$300.00 for the Burial Expense of Honorably Discharged Sailors, Soldiers and Marines of the United States War of the Rebellion and Erection of Headstones herefor, as Authorized by Sections 3181, 3182, 3183, and 3184 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Senate Bill No. 140. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,500.00 for the Biennium Out of Any Money in the State Treasury not otherwise Appropriated, for the Purpose of Keeping of Ten State Parks.

Senate Bill No. 149. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit Derogatory Statements in Regard to Insurance Companies.

Senate Bill No. 154. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 121, Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Issuance of Permits for Breeding or Domestication of Certain Fur Bearing Animals.

Senate Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Repair of the Whitestone Battlefield Monument Located in the Whitestone Battlefield Park, in Dickey County, North Dakota.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2212 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 252 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to the Duty of the County Auditor and the Requirements of the Transfer of Real Property as to Taxes, Deeds and Other

Instruments of Conveyance.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 77, nays 31, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Larson	Sagen
Burleigh	Geiszler	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Goranson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Halerow	McManus	Sims
Bollinger	Hanson	McCay	Slominski
Boyd	Hardy	McDowell	Sproul
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Burk	Hart	Miller	Streich
Burkhart	Heaton	Morton	Shurr
Burns	Helbling	Muns	Sweet
Carr	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hoople	Olafson	Twetén
Durkee	Iverson	Orange	Twichell
Ehr	Jackson	Patterson	Ulland
Erickson	Jardine	Peters	Veitch
26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Weld
Frandsón	Johnson, Traill	Radeliffe	Mr. Speaker
Fredrickson	Kelly	Root	
	Kopp	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Larkin	Quam
Arduser	26th Dist.	Link	Rabe
Bratsberg	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Haugland	Lynch	Vogel
Cart	Hempel	Martin	Walker
Doyle	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Eckert	Kellogg	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Elmer	Lackie	Opland	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Colo	Ellingson	Lackey	Maddock
Currie			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Larkin moved that House Bill No. 147 be re-referred to the Committee.

Mr. Carr moved a substitute motion that House Bill No. 147 be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed and House Bill No. 147 was re-referred.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

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Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return the following concurrent resolution introduced by J. C. Miller.

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Which the Senate adopted unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The concurrent resolution introduced by J. C. Miller regarding Fort Lincoln was messaged to the Secretary of State for examination.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 65. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Acticle 19 of Chapter 5 of the Political Code of the State of North Dakota Being Sections 524 to 539 Both Inclusive of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relative to the Practice of Optometry, Creating a State Board of Examiners in Optometry, Providing for the Registration of Optometrists, Defining and Regulating Violation of the Terms of Said Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 79, nays 29, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Plath
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kelly	Quade

Anderson, Sargent	Fedge	Kopp	Quam
Arduser	Flom	Jackey	Rabe
Beyd	Fredrickson	Lackie	Radcliffe
Brown	Freeman	Larson	Root
Bryans	Geiszler	Lazier	Rustad
Burk	Goranson	McManus	Sagen
Burkhart	Halcrow	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Burns	Hanson	Martin	Slominski
Carr	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Cart	Hart	Miller	Steen
Cola	Haugland	Morton	Traynor
Craig	Heaton	Muus	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Durkee	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Ehr	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ellingson	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Erickson	Jardine	Orange	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Helbling	Joubenbeck	Swett
Burke-Divide	Hempel	McCay	Tweten
Bratsberg	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Doyle	Jones	Opand	Walker
Eekert	Kellogg	Sethre, Williams	Weld
Elmer	Larkin	Sims	Yeater
Frandson	Levin	Streich	
Hardy	Link	Shurr	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Dellinger	Lynch	McGauvran	Starke
Currie			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 40. A Bill for an Act to Cancel Uncollected Personal Property Taxes Assessed for 1913 and Prior Years.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays 8, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Frandsen	Larkin	Quam
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Larson	Rabe
Anderson,	Freeman	Lazier	Radcliffe
Sargent	Geiszler	Levin	Root
Arduser	Goranson	Link	Rustad
Boyd	Halerow	Loudenbeck	Sagen
Bratsberg	Hanson	Lynen	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Sims
Burk	Hart	Martin	Slominski
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Sproul
Burns	Heaton	McDowell	Starke
Carr	Hempel	McGauvran	Steen
Cart	Hodges	Miller	Swett
Cole	Hoople	Morton	Traynor
Craig	Iverson	Muus	Trubshaw
Doyle	Jackson	Norden	Tweten
Dougherty	Jardine	Oberg	Twichell
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Ulland
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ellingson	Jones	Opland	Walker
Erickson	Kellogg	Orange	Watt
16th Dist.	Kelly	Patterson	Weisbeck
Fedge	Kopp	Peters	Weld
Flom	Lackey	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Lackie	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Henne	Shurr
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Streich	Yeater
Elmer	Helbling		

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Currie

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The chief clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act Legalizing and Validating Certain Acts of City Officials With Reference to Electric Lights or Distributing Systems.

Senate Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 844 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Senate Bill No. 36. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5605, 5607 and 5611 of the Compiled Laws

of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Defining the Homestead Exemption.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do refuse to concur in the amendments made by the Senate in the so-called price-fixing resolution, and that the Speaker appoint a committee of three, as conferees on behalf of the House, to act with a like committee from the Senate, in an effort to reach an agreement.

Mr. Hempel moved as a substitute motion, that the House do concur in the amendments made by the Senate to the House Concurrent Resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller moved that the House adopt the Resolution as amended by the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

The amendments made by the Senate were concurred in and the Resolution as so amended was adopted.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 99. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit by the District Judges.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 154. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 121 Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Issuance of Permits for Breeding or Domestication of Certain Fur Bearing Animals.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Senate Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Repair of the Whitestone Battlefield Monument Located in the Whitestone Battlefield Park, in Dickey County, North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Eight Hundred Fifty-three Dollars and Sixty-one Cents (\$853.61) to Take Care of Deficit in Biennial Appropriation of Department of Insurance.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9037 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Places of Trial.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 41. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 16 of Chapter 58 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 108, nays 2, absent and not voting 3.

So the bill was passed and the title was agreed to.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Larkin	Rost
Burleigh	Flom	Larson	Rustad
Anderson	Frandsen	Lazler	Sethre, Williams
Foster	Fredrickson	Levin	Sims
Anderson,	Freeman	Link	Slominski
Sargent	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Arduser	Goranson	Lynch	Starke
Bollinger	Halcrow	McManus	Steen
Boyd	Hanson	Maddock	Streich
Bratsberg	Hardy	Martin	Shurr
Brown	Harrington	McCay	Swett
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Traynor
Burkhart	Haugland	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burns	Heaton	Miller	Tweten
Carr	Helbling	Morton	Twichell
Cart	Hempel	Muus	Ulland
Cole	Henne	Norden	Veitch
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	Walker
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Eckert	Jardine	Opland	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Peters	
Erickson	Jones	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quace	
Erickson	Ropp	Quam	
16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe	
	Lackie	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Sagen	Sathre, Steele		

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Currie	Kellogg

Senate Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact the Third Subdivision of Section 3999; and Section 40001, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Firemen's Relief Association Fund.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 109, nays 2, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson	Fedge	Lackie	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sims
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Stominski
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McManus	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	Martin	Starke
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Steen
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Streich
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Shurr
Burns	Taugland	Miller	Swett
Carr	Heaton	Morton	Traynor
Cart	Helbling	Muus	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Norden	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Twichell
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Eckert	Jardine	Opland	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Plath	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	Link		

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Maddock		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

On the request of Mr. McDowell the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. McDowell moved that the Committee on Live Stock

be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bills 32 and 68.

Which motion prevailed and the extension of time was granted.

Mr. Larson moved that the Committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bill No. 133.

Which motion prevailed and the extension of time was granted.

Mr. Boyd moved that the Speaker be authorized to instruct the mailing clerks to obtain the proper kind of material and paste for use in the mailing machine.

Which motion prevailed.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Miss Sara C. Guss, Rugby, N. D., Miss Tweed, Crosby, N. D., Mrs. Ellefson, Minnewaukon, Miss Stannard, Bowbells, N. D., Anna Nestoss, Hazel McKay, superintendent of schools, Ramsey County, A. M. Waller, Ward County, F. J. Steffie, Ward County.

Mr. Root moved that the House do now recess until 1 P. M. tomorrow, which motion prevailed.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY AFTER RECESS AND THIRTY-
THIRD DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 3, 1923.

The House reassembled at 1 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Burkhart moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Burkhart to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 158. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article IV of Chapter 206 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to the Transportation of Pupils.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing committees amendment as follows:

On line four of the original printed bill strike out the word "quarter" and insert in lieu thereof "half."

On line 9 of the printed bill strike out the word "quarter" and insert in lieu thereof the word "half."

Also that after the word "in" of printed bill the following be inserted "regular stated periods consisting of a portion of any school day, week or term in one or more years,"

On line 15 of the printed bill strike out the word "quarter" and insert in lieu thereof the word "half."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Retention of Certain Part of the Salary of Teachers in the Public Schools of North Dakota.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out all of lines one and two and the first word of line three of Section 1 of the original bill and insert in lieu thereof the words: "Ten per cent of the salary due a teacher for services rendered in the public schools of this state shall be retained each month."

And the further amendment that the word "wilful" be inserted after the word "the" in line 8 of printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 2 of Section 1, of the printed bill, after the word State, insert "shall within three months" following the word "equip" insert and "keep equipped;" following the word "rooms" insert "used for sleeping purposes." In line 2 of Section 3 strike everything after the word "act" and first nine words in line 3 of same section and add the following: "shall be guilty of a misdemeanor." Following Section 2 insert Emergency Clause. This Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall be in force from and after its passage and approval.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. H. BURKHART,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of the committee of the whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Peters moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRTY-THIRD DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 3, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. H. C. Postlethwaite.

Roll call. All members present except Messrs: Currie, Opland, Plath, Steen.

Mr. Quade moved that all absentees be excused. Which motion prevailed.

The committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 31st day after recess and 32nd day, and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 7 the name "Edward Traynor" should read Edwin Traynor."

On page 9 under House Bill No. 177, the word "Bill" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 10 House Bill No. 179 was referred to Committee on Education instead of Taxes and Tax Laws.

On page 11, line three, the word "in" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 21, under general orders, House Bills Nos. 158, 159,, 142, 138 and 132 should be inserted.

On page 2, line 3, should read "And the further amendment: "Insert after the word "an" in line 14 of the printed bill, the word "authorized."

On page 18, line 13, omit the words "Committee on Judiciary."

On page 14, line 3, "1915" should be "1913."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Communications to whom was referred:

A telegram to Representative Traynor under date of February 2, signed by ten Devils Lake business houses, have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be read and not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Speaker Johnson presented the following and asked it be printed in the Journal:

To the Members of the State Legislature of the State of North Dakota:

We, the undersigned residents, citizens and property owners within the vicinity of the Townships of Addison, Davenport, Maple River, Leonard, Warren, Durbin and Kindred of Cass County, North Dakota, do hereby petition your Honorable body for the introduction and passage of a Bill by which the following conditions pertaining to the drains lying and being in the territory of the Townships herein referred to, will be permanently remedied.

Under present existing conditions our drains do not work successfully, especially in the spring of the year. We find that the snows that accumulate during the winter fills up our ditches, and while the water in the drains are running from south to north we find that the water flows over the banks.

We, therefore, respectfully petition for the passage of such a law, the County of Cass is to buy land for the purpose of Right-of-Way on such side of the drain as found necessary for the purpose of planting willows to keep the snow out of the drain. That the installation of such trees be particularly in places of high elevation and about ten rods from the drain. The installation of such trees as herein petitioned for would cause the water to run the shortest possible way and into the nearest river, which is that of the Maple River. The drains referred to herein are drains Number fifteen, thirty-nine and thirty-seven and all other drains within the territory of the Townships herein referred to, in Cass County, North Dakota.

ALBERT PIPER, and 33 Others.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 64. A Bill for an Act Limiting the Writing and Placing of Fire, Lightning, Tornado, and Hail Insurance on Growing Crops, and on Farm Property in the State of North Dakota, to Domestic Companies.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 143. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Transcripts of Judgments of the United States Courts and Notices of Taxes Due the United States, with Certain County Officers.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

By striking out all of Section 1 and amending "Section 2" to read "Section 1."

By amending the title of the bill by striking out the words "Transcripts of Judgments of the United States Courts and"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act Amending Sections 728 and 729 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Fees in the Supreme Court and Their Coverage Into the State Treasury.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

By striking out everything after the word "Court" in line 8 of printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9037 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relating to Places of Trial.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 5658 and 5659 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Crime of Vagrancy.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 147. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Bills of Sale and Other Transfers of Personal Property and Prescribing the Effect of Such Filing.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 33 of the Laws Enacted by the Special Session of the Legislature of 1919 Relating to the Formation and Division of Voting Districts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 33 of the printed bill, strike out the word "shall" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may." Insert a comma after the word "act" in line 28. Insert a comma after the word "village" in line 29. Insert a comma after the word "village" in line 33.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which

motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 78. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 994 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating Preparing and Printing of Absent Voters' Ballots.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1154 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in School Elections.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 2 of the printed bill strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven." Strike out the comma at the end of line 2, strike out all of lines 3, 4, 5, 6. And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Peters moved, as a substitute that further action on House Bill No. 157 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion was lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Jackson, the motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 77. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Compensation of Election Officers.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Florence Crittenton Home at Fargo, North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Printing made the following report:

House Bill No. 126. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Printing and Publication of Session Laws of the State of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. C. MILLER,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that House Bill No. 126 be re-referred to the Committee on Public Printing for further information.

Which motion was lost.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Miller, the motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred Concurrent Resolution Memorializing the United States Congress to Prohibit the Further Issuance of Tax Exempt Securities.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 36. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Requiring the Register of Deeds of Counties to Furnish a Complete Abstract of all Mortgages and other Liens Upon Grain Grown During Such Year in Such County to All Elevators Making Application for same, and paying a Fee of Five Dollars Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Furnishing by the Register of Deeds of Each County to Elevators Making Application and Paying the Fee Provided Therefor, of an Abstract of All Mortgages and Liens upon Grain Grown During Each Year, and Filed in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out in line 10 of body of the printed bill the figure "\$25.00" and insert in lieu thereof, "in counties wherein the number of such liens so abstracted in the preceding calendar year did not exceed 2,500 of \$5.00; In counties where more than 2,500 and not to exceed 5,000 were so abstracted a fee of \$10.00; and in counties where more than 5,000 liens were so abstracted a fee of \$15.00. In section 2 strike out all of section 2 after the word "Emergency" and insert in lieu thereof "an emergency is hereby declared to exist. Therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 3, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5608 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Senate Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 869 and 983 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 119 Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in Primary and General Elections.

Senate Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to What Cities and Villages Shall Register Before Any General Election or Annual City Election.

Senate Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Relating to What Shall be Carried as "Consolidated Tax Account," and Repealing Section 2274, Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 253, **Session Laws of 1915.**

Senate Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act Fixing Publication Fees for Printing Delinquent Tax Lists, School Treasurers' Reports, and County Commissioners' Proceedings.

Senate Bill No. 151. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 6295 of the Compiled Laws Relating to Trusts and Trusteeships.

Senate Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Powers of Stockholders and Management of Co-operative Corporations and Associations.

Senate Bill No. 160. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 82, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, and to Empower Cities to Purchase or construct Plants, Including Gas Works for the Manufacture and Distribution of Light, Heat and Power for Municipal and Commercial Purposes, and to Assess Abutting Property in Accordance with the Benefits hereto by Reason of Such System of Distribution, and Providing for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof.

Senate Bill No. 32. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4016 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating Bonded Indebtedness of Cities, and Purposes for Which Incurred.

Senate Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 158 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Attorney General's Report.

Senate Bill No. 28. A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities, Villages, and Towns to Purchase, Sell, Construct, Rent, Lease, Extend, Connect, or Erect, High Tension Electric Transmission Lines and Electrical Equipment, Within and Without the Corporate Limits, and Necessary Secondary Transmission Lines and Distribution Systems Within the Corporate Limits, for the Purpose of Securing Light, Power and Electrical Energy for Municipal and Commercial use; and to Assess the Property Within the Corporate Limits, and to Provide for the Method of Such Assess-

ment and the Collection Thereof, and to Provide for the Issuance of Bonds.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 3, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 64.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 145. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Closing and Liquidation of the Business Heretofore Conducted by the State of North Dakota in the Operation of a State Experimental Creamery; Providing for the Transfer of all Funds to the General Fund of the State Repealing Chapter 149 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 144. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Presentation, Payment and Registration of Warrants Issued by any County, City, Village, Township, School District, or Other Political Sub-Division of the State, and Prescribing the Duties of the Treasurer in Respect Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act Making it a Misdemeanor for any Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle While such Person is in an Intoxicated Condition, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

At the end of Bill add the following: Provided, that the Court in sentencing any person for a violation of this Act, may suspend any sentence of imprisonment or any part thereof, and make its order that the person so sentenced shall be precluded from driving any automobile within this State for a period of not to exceed two years. Upon proof to the satisfaction of the court that such order has been disobeyed such suspension shall be by the court revoked.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 63. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Collection of Notes, Contracts and Indebtedness for Seed and Feed Furnished by Counties.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows: —

Page 1, line 7, add a comma after word "county."

In line 6, page 1, printed bill after the word "satisfy" insert a "comma" and the words "in the office of the Register of Deeds" and strike out in lines 7 and 8 page 1 of printed bill the words "in the office of the Register of Deeds."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 3471, 3472, 3473, 3474, 3475, 3477, 3478, 3479, 3480, 3481, 3483, 3484, 3485, 3486 and 3487, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, and as Amended by Chapter 177 Session Laws for 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws 1919, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Needy Inhabitants.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out in title and body of bill the figures 3481 3484, 3485, 3487.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 62. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3476, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, Relating to the Levying of Tax to Provide for a Sinking Fund to Pay County Seed and Feed Bonds.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Add at end of Bill, "It shall be the duty of the Treasurer when said bonds or any coupon or coupons attached thereto are paid, to cancel the same by writing upon the face thereof, the word "paid" and the date of payment.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 98. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Forty-Eight and 48-100 Dollars (\$12,548.48) According to Chapter 327 of the Ses-

sion Laws for the Year 1919 of the State of North Dakota for the Purpose of Stamping out Venereal Diseases.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Jackson moved that his name be removed and stricken from the House Concurrent Resolution, memorializing Congress in regard to a guaranteed price on wheat, for the reason that the Senate amendments, as concurred in by the House are unacceptable to the author of the Resolution.

Mr. Miller raised a point of order on the amendment of a bill or resolution after passage by both Houses of the Legislature.

The Speaker sustained the point of order.

Mr. Jackson requested unanimous consent of the House that his motion for the withdrawal of his name appear in the Journal of the House.

Which consent was granted.

Mr. Twichell moved that hereafter the reports of standing and select committees be submitted in duplicate.

Mr. Patterson moved, as an amendment, that the reports be in triplicate.

Which motion was lost.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, a vote was taken and the motion prevailed.

Messrs Weld and Hart introduced the following:

WHEREAS, the Hon. J. F. Wake, a member of the Tenth Session of the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota for the 33rd District has been called from this life to the mysteries of the Great Beyond; and

WHEREAS, the members of the present House of Representatives of which he was a member are united in their sorrow at the final departure of one who by his life has ever shown true devotion to the State of North Dakota and to his fellow men; it is meet that we, the members of this legislature pay tribute to his memory.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That as members of the House of Representatives of the Eighteenth

Legislative Assembly, we express our sympathy for his family and our esteem and regard for the Honorable John F. Wake as a man and citizen, which tribute can in no way voice our deep sorrow at the loss of a man of his kindly disposition, upright character and sterling worth.

That a copy of this resolution be engrossed and forwarded by the Chief Clerk of this House of Representatives to the Widow of the Late Hon. John F. Wake.

And moved the adoption of the Resolution, which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

Mr. Larson introduced:

House Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3126, Compiled Laws, State of North Dakota for 1913; and Providing for a Shrinkage Allowance to Local Grain Buyers, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading.

Mr. Larson introduced:

House Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act Defining Persons Who Are Authorized to Buy and Sell Grain Within the State of North Dakota, and Providing for a License to be Furnished by Such Grain Buyers.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading.

Mr. Johnson introduced:

House Bill No. 186. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Time of Payment of Subsequent Taxes and holders of Unredeemed Tax Sale Certificates and Rate of Interest Such Payments Shall Bear.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Sproul introduced:

House Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Destruction of Weeds on Public Highways by the Owner of Occupant of Land Abutting Thereon, Specifying Method of Procedure in Case of Failure to do so and Assessment and Collection of Costs.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Highways and Bridges.

Mr. McCay introduced:

House Bill No. 188. A Bill for an Act Creating a Board of Dental Hygienist Examiners, Providing for the Examination, Registration and Regulation of the Practice of Dental

Hygiene and Prescribing a Penalty of the Violation Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Public Health.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 192. A Bill for an Act Creating a Workmen's Compensation Commission; Prescribing the Liability of an Employer to Make Compensation by Way of Damages for Injuries Due to Accident or Occupational Disease Received by an Employee Arising out of and in the Course of Employment; Modifying Common Law and Statutory Remedies in Such Cases; Establishing an Alternative Elective Schedule of Compensation; Regulating Procedure for the Determination of Liability and Compensation Thereunder in Certain Cases; Repealing Chapter 162, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, and Acts Amendatory Thereof, and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent with this Act, and Defining Terms Used Therein and Prescribing Penalties and Forfeitures for the Violation Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 258 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Public Printing.

Mr. Hanson introduced:

House Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act Designating the Depositories of Public Funds and Fixing the Minimum Rate of Interest; Requiring Competitive Bids for Such Deposits; Providing for Publicity with Reference to Such Funds and Depositories; Prescribing Penalties for Violation of this Act; Defining Terms used Herein, and Repealing Sections 147, 147a, 147b and Sections 370 to 374, Inclusive, Sections 1472 to 1478, Inclusive, Sections 3315 to 3329, Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 59 Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 56 Session Laws of 1921.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Freeman introduced:

House Bill No. 195. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to Interest to be Charged Upon Delinquent Inheritance Taxes.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Rustad introduced:

House Bill No. 196. A Bill for an Act to Amend Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and as Further Amended by Chapters 141, 142, 143, 144 and 145 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, by Adding Sections 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39, Relating to and for the Benefit of Employees Injured and the Dependents of Employees Killed in Hazardous Employment, Fixing the Duties and Liabilities of Employers and Employees, and Providing Additional Methods of Securing the Payment of Obligations Arising in Favor of Injured Employees and Their Dependents.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Hoople introduced:

House Bill No. 197. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 122 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Limitation of tax Levies on All Taxable Property.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

House Bills Nos. 189, 190 and 191 were filed and referred to the committee on delayed bills.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 3, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to request that the Senate has voted to recall Senate Bill No. 169.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The House reverted to the seventh order of business.

Mr. Twichell: That the House comply with the Senate request for the return of S. B. No. 169. Which motion prevailed and S. B. 169 was returned to the Senate.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
Feb. 3, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 47. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the Election and Terms of Office of Township Officials.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The chief clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 14. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Wearing of Masks or Other Disguises in Public, and Designating the Penalty for Same.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

Mr. Kopp moved that the House do now recess for fifteen minutes.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

AFTER RECESS

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

House Bill No. 98. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Forty-Eight and 48-100 Dollars (\$12,548.48) According to Chapter 327 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919 of the State of North Dakota for the Purpose of Stamping out Venereal Diseases.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 4, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 26th Dist.	Kelly Kopp	Quam Rabe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lackey Lackie Larkin	Radcliffe Root Rustad
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Flom	Larson Lazier	Sagen Sethre, Williams
Arduser Bollinger	Frandsen Freeman	Levin Link	Stms Slominski
Boyd Bratsberg	Geiszler Goranson	Loudenbeck Lynch	Sproul Streich
Brown Bryans	Halterow Hanson	McManus Maddock	Shurr Swett
Burk Burkhart	Hardy Harrington	Martin McCay	Traynor Trubshaw
Burns Carr	Hart Haugland	McDowell McGauvran	Tweten Twitchell
Cart Cole	Heaton Helbling	Miller Morton	Ulland Veitch
Craig Doyle	Hodges Hoople	Muus Olafson	Walker Watt
Dougherty Durkee	Iverson Jackson	Olson, Ransom Olson, Towner	Weisbeck Weld
Eckert Ehr	Jardine Johnson, Nelson	Orange Patterson	Yeater Mr. Speaker
Ellingson Elmer	Johnson, Pembina Jones Kellogg	Peters Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	Henne	Oberg	Vogel

Absent and not voting:

Curte	Norden	Plath	Starke
Johnson, Traill	Opland	Sathre, Steele	Steen
Fredrickson			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 869 and 983 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 119, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in Primary and General Elections.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Senate Bill No. 28. A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities, Villages and Towns to Purchase, Sell, Construct, Rent, Lease, Extend, Connect, or Erect, High Tension Electric Transmission Lines and Electrical Equipment, within and Without the Corporate Limits, and Necessary Secondary Transmission Lines and Distribution Systems Within the Corporate Limits, for the Purpose of Securing Light, Power and Electrical Energy for Municipal and Commercial Use; and to Assess the Property Within the Corporate Limits, and to Provide for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof, and to Provide for the Issuance of Bonds.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 32. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4016 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Bonded Indebtedness of Cities, and Purposes for Which Incurred.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act Fixing Publication Fees for Printing Delinquent Tax Lists, School Treasurers' Reports, and County Commissioners' Proceedings.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to What Cities and Villages Shall Register Before any General Election or Annual City Election.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Senate Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Relating to What Shall be Carried as "Consolidated Tax Account," and Repealing Section 2274, Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 253, Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 151. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 6295 of the Compiled Laws Relating to Trusts and Trusteeships.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 160. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 82, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, and to Empower Cities to Purchase or Construct Plants, Including Gas Works, for the Manufacture and Distribution of Light, Heat and Power for Municipal and Commercial Purposes, and to Assess Abutting Property in Accordance with the Benefits Thereto by Reason of Such System of Distribution, and Providing for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5608 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Senate Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 158 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Attorney General's Report.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued, or to be Issued, by Any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or Where by Such Vote Bonds Are Authorized to be Issued, Has Theretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in Such School District, Beyond the Five Per Cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and Where the Indebtedness of Such School District, but Does Not Exceed Ten Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 7, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kellogg Kelly	Radeliffe Root
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Kopp Lackey	Rustad Sagen
Anderson, Sargent	Franson Freeman	Larkin Larson	Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Arduser Bollinger	Geiszler Goranson	Lazier Levin	Sims Stomfnski
Boyd Bratsberg	Halcrow Hanson	Loudenbeck Lynch	Sproul Shurr
Bryans	Hardy Harrington	McManus Martin	Swett Traynor

Burk	Hart	McCay	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Haugland	McDowell	Tweten
Burns	Heaton	McGauvran	Twitchell
Carr	Helbling	Miller	Ulland
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Veitch
Craig	Henne	Muus	Watt
Doyle	Hodges	Olafson	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Eckert	Jackson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jardine	Patterson	
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
26th Dist.	Jones	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Link	Rabe	Vogel
Elmer	Oberg	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Johnson, Traill	Norden	Starke
Currie	Lackie	Opland	Steen
Fredrickson	Maddock	Plath	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1421 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 266 of the Session Laws for the Year 1915, Legalizing and Validating Certain indebtedness of School Districts in the Form of School Warrants and Negotiable Bonds Issued to Fund the Same.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 85, nays 18, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Burleigh	Fiom	Lackie	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larkin	Root
Sargent	Freeman	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Geiszler	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Goranson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Hardy	Martin	Sproul
Eryans	Harrington	McCay	Shurr
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Swett
Burkhart	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor
Burns	Henne	Miller	Trubshaw
Carr	Hodges	Morton	Tweten
Doyle	Hoople	Muus	Twitchell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Kellogg	Peters	Weld
Erickson	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 26th Dist.	Iverson Jones	Rustad Streich
Cart	Frandsen	Link	Vogel
Craig	Haugland	Oberg	Walker
Elmer	Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Steen
Currie	Maddock	Plath	
Hempel	Norden	Starke	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 187 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Qualifications of Official and Legal Newspapers and Providing for the Method of Selection of Official Newspapers.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 41, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Freeman	Kopp	Rabe
Bollinger	Gatzler	Lackey	Radcliffe
Boyd	Goranson	Larson	Root
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lynch	Rustad
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Sagen
Bryans	Harrington	McCay	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Heaton	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Henne	Miller	Traynor
Dougherty	Hodges	Muus	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hoople	Olafson	Twetten
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Twitcheil
Ellingson	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Veitch
Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Watt
	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson	Lackie	Sethre, Williams
Anderson, Sargent	Erickson	Larkin	Sims
Arduser	Fedge	Lazier	Streich
Burkhart	Frandsen	Levin	Shurr
Cart	Hardy	Link	Sweet
Craig	Haugland	Loudenbeck	Vogel
Hoyle	Helbling	Martin	Walker
Eckert	Hempel	Morton	Weisbeck
Elmer	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
	Jones	Patterson	Yeater
	Kellogg	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Maddock	Starke	Steen
Currie	Norden	Plath	
Johnson, Traill	Opland		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9 of Chapter 236, Session Laws of 1915, Re-

lating to the qualifications of Graduated Registered Nurses.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 23, nays 83, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Heaton	Kelly	Sproul
Burleigh	Hodges	Lynch	Traynor
Bollinger	Hoople	Muus	Trubshaw
Ellingson	Jackson	Peters	Twitchell
Goranson	Jardine	Sagen	Watt
Harrington	Johnson, Nelson	Slominski	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Patterson
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Lackey	Quade
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackie	Quam
Sargent	16th Dist.	Larkin	Rabe
Arduser	Fedge	Larson	Radcliffe
Boyd	Flom	Lazter	Root
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Levin	Rustad
Brown	Fredrickson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Bryans	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Geiszler	McManus	Sims
Zurkhart	Halcrow	Maddock	Streich
Burns	Hanson	Martin	Shurr
Carr	Hardy	McCay	Swett
Cart	Hart	McDowell	Tweten
Cole	Haugland	McGauvran	Ulland
Craig	Helbling	Miller	Veitch
Doyle	Hempel	Morton	Vogel
Doucherty	Henne	Oberg	Walker
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Weisbeck
Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Ehr	Jones	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Orange	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Norden	Plath	Steen
Jonhson, Traill	Opland	Starke	

So the bill was lost.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Mrs. A. B. Jackson, Devils Lake; Mrs. Thomas Radcliffe, Leonard; Judge H. W. Swenson of Ramsey County O. S. Gunderson, Valley City; Elfie Freeman, Ransom County, Louise F. Larson, Wells County; Jacob Sanderall, Hettinger, N. D.; C. E. Allen, Valley City.

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do now recess until one P. M. Monday.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRTY-THIRD DAY AFTER RECESS AND THIRTY-FIFTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 5, 1922.

The House re-assembled at 1 P. M. pursuant to recess, Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued, or to be Issued, by any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or where by Such Vote Bonds are Authorized to be Issued, has Theretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five per cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in such School District, Beyond the Five per cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and where the Indebtedness of Such School District, Does not Exceed Ten per cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

Senate Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 187 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Qualifications of Official and Legal Newspapers and Providing for the Method of Selection of Official Newspapers.

Senate Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1421 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 266 of the Session Laws for the Year 1915, Legalizing and Validating Certain Indebtedness of School Districts in the Form of School Warrants and Negotiable Bonds Issued to Fund the Same.

Senate Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9 of Chapter 236, Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the qualifications of Graduated Registered Nurses.

House Bill No. 98. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate piation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred by the Flood Control Commission.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Starke moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Starke to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, An Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for which the Appropriation is Made.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

That the figures "476.20" be changed to read "\$467.20" in line 8 of Section 1.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also,

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

By striking out in line 14 of the printed bill the word "convicted" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "was convicted on a plea of guilty and."

By striking out in line 18 the word "or" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also,

House Bill No. 53. A Bill for an Act Relating to Real Estate Tax Sales.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amend as follows:

Strike out the word "all" in line seven and lines eight and nine in printed bill. Insert the following: Section 2. Emergency. This act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

House Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4843 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Investment of the Capital, Surplus and Funds of Domestic Insurance Companies.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

In line 13 of the printed bill strike out the words "national or state bank stock."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 143. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Transcripts of Judgments of the United States Courts and Notices of Taxes Due in the United States, with Certain County Officers.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

By striking out all of Section 1 and amending "Section 2" to read "Section 1."

By amending the title of the bill by striking out the words "Transcripts of Judgments of the United States Courts and"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1154 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in School Elections.

And recommend the adoption of the original bill.

House Bill No. 63. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Collection of Notes, Contracts and Indebtedness for Seed and Feed Furnished by Counties.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

Page 1, line 7, add a comma after word "county."

In line 6, page 1, printed bill after the word "satisfy" insert a "comma" and the words "in the office of the Register of Deeds" and strike out in lines 7 and 8 page 1 of printed bill the words "in the office of the Register of Deeds."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act an Repeal Sections 3471, 3472, 3473, 3474, 3475, 3477, 3478, 3479, 3480, 3481, 3483, 3484, 3485, 3486 and 3487, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, and as Amended by Chapter 177 Session Laws for 1919,

and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws 1919, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Needy Inhabitants.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out in title and body of bill the figures 3481, 3484, 3485, 3487.

And further amended by striking out the word "and" after the number 3486 and inserting it before said figure, both in the title and in Section One.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report of the committee of the whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Peters moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 5, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. H. C. Postlethwaite.

Roll call. All members present except Messrs. Fedge, Jardine, Johnson of Traill, McCay, Norden, Opland, Steen, Veitch.

Mr. Quade moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

The committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Thirty-second day after recess and thirty-third day, and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 4, line 10, the word "hereby" is misspelled.

On page 5, line 4, the word "transcripts" is misspelled.

Page 1, under House Bill No. 78, after the word "Relating" add "to the."

On page 14, strike out lines 29, 30, 31 and 32.

On page 14, line 3, strike out the words "tribute can in no way."

On page 17, at the left of the page, about half way down, strike out the word "Granted," in insert in lieu thereof "The House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business." Also insert "Mr. Twichell moved that the House comply with the Senate request for the return of Senate Bill No. 169, which motion prevailed and Senate Bill No. 169 was returned to the Senate.

Page 18, line 8, strike out the word "Senate" and insert in lieu thereof the word "House."

On page 18, fourth line from the bottom, strike out the words "Those voting in the negative were" and in lieu thereof insert the words "Absent and not voting."

On page 21, line 17, after the words "absent and not voting" insert "10."

At the bottom of page 16, after the words "referred to the" insert the following: "committee on Taxes and Tax Laws."

Page 23, line 9, after word "bill" strike out words "passed and the title was agreed to," and insert the words "was lost."

On page 12, line 15, after the word "any" at end of line insert the word "part."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Communications have had under consideration the following:

1. Two resolutions relative to Health Appropriation from Devils Lake District Medical Association.
2. A communication to L. L. Twichell from the Fargo Lodge of The Theosophical Society.
3. Also a communication to Representative Fredrickson from the Lakota Parent Teachers' Association pertaining to the Children's Code Commission Laws.
4. A communication to Representative Fredrickson and Representative Johnson signed by the members of the City Library Board of Lakota relative to the "County Library Bill."

5. A telegram to Representative Jackson relative to Anti-cigarette Law signed by 9 Devils Lake business men and recommended to be read and not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Florence Crittendon Home at Fargo, North Dakota.

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

House Bill No. 145. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Closing and Liquidation of the Business Heretofore Conducted by the State of North Dakota in the Operation of a State Experimental Creamery; Providing for the Transfer of all Funds to the General Fund of the State Repealing Chapter 149 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

House Bill No. 158. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article IV of Chapter 206 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917 Relating to the Transportation of Pupils.

House Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Retention of a Certain Part of the Salary of Teachers in the Public Schools of North Dakota.

Also,

House Resolution: (Memorial to Hon. J. F. Wake.)

Also,

Concurrent Resolution, introduced by Mr. Jackson.

Also,

House Bill No. 47. A bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the Election and Terms of Office of Village Officials.

And find the same correctly enrolled.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Requiring All Agents Acting for or on Behalf of Any Insurance Company of Doing Business in this State to be Licensed, Regulating the Methods, Practices and Transactions of Such Agents in Conducting Such Insurance Business, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of Any of the Provisions of This Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On page 4 of the printed bill, Section 6, after the first word "note" in line 10, strike out everything to the end of the section.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Corporations Other than Municipal made the following report

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on above to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 5205 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, Relating to the Term of Existence of Certain Corporations.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

CLAUDE LACKEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Lackey moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1574 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 2545 and 2546 of Article 3 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1571 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1398 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Free Text Books in Public Schools.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 37. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1119 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Publication of the Proceedings of the State Educational Association.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 160. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921 Relating to the Payment of Non-resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382, Article 21, Chapter Five General School Laws of the State of North Dakota, Entitled School Year and School Week Defined. Holidays.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On line 7 of the original bill after the word "state" insert the words "except such schoolhouses as are used for polling places."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved, as a substitute motion, that further

consideration of House Bill No. 163 be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Starke moved the previous question.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the substitute motion of Mr. Jackson, a vote was taken and the motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Trubshaw, which motion prevailed and the report of the committee was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education, having had under consideration Senate Bill No. 71 recommends that the same be amended as follows:

After the figure "1921" in the title of said bill, strike out the remainder of said title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Providing for the Payment of Non-resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid; Repealing Acts or Parts of Acts in so far as They Conflict with This Act."

Strike out the period at the end of Section 3, substitute therefor a semicolon, and then add the following:

"Provided, however, that if the school board of the district from which such tuition fees are due shall fail or neglect to pay the same within sixty days from the date of the mailing of a sworn statement as herein provided, the clerk of the district wherein such student attended high school shall send a duplicate of such statement to the county superintendent of the proper county, who shall ascertain the correctness of the same, and if found to be correct, shall forthwith notify the county treasurer of the proper county thereof, and thereupon such county treasurer shall be authorized to pay such tuition fees out of the funds in his hands, or that may thereafter come into his hands, belonging to the district from which such tuition fees are due, taking receipt therefor in duplicate, one of which said receipts shall be delivered to the clerk of the district required to pay such fees."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact the Third Subdivision of Section 3999; and Section

4001, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Firemen's Relief Association Fund.

Senate Bill No. 64. A Bill for an Act Concerning Aeronautics and to make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto.

Senate Bill No. 41. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 16 of Chapter 58 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917.

House Bill No. 47. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the Election and Terms of Office of Township Officials.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

At the request of Mr. Sproul the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Sproul moved that the number of House Journals to be printed be increased from 3000 to 3500.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that after authentication by the committee on Appropriations, there be printed 250 copies of the tabulation prepared by the committee of the North Dakota Taxpayers' Association, showing relative appropriations by the Legislative Assemblies between the years 1913 and 1921, inclusive, for distribution among the members of both House and Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1574 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the State Geological Survey.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 2545 and 2546 of Article 3 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Relief of Needy Settlers.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section

1571 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the Biological Station.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Freeman introduced:

House Bill No. 198. A Bill for an Act to Amend Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 73 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, and by Chapters 141, 142, 143, 144 and 145 of the Session Laws of 1921, by Adding Section 41, Relating to the Taxation of Insurance Companies and Self-Insurers **for the Support of the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.**

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 199. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Exemption Members of Faculties of Higher Educational Institutions and Persons Employed as Superintendents, Principals and Teachers in the Public Schools from the Operations of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Trubshaw introduced:

House Bill No. 200. A Bill to Amend Section 8121 Code of Civil Procedure Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts, Notice of Default in, Termination of Land Contracts.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Larkin introduced:

House Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Messrs. Boyd, Lynch, Harrington and Stark introduced:

House Bill No. 202. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Teaching of Foreign Languages in the State of North **Dakota.**

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Harrington introduced:

House Bill No. 203. A Bill for an Act to Empower

Foreign Corporations to Exercise the Right of Eminent Domain.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Corporations Other Than Municipal.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 959 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Preparation of Ballots for Constitutional Amendments and Extending the Same to Cover Initiated and Referred Measures.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Mr. Larson introduced:

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Agriculture.

Messrs. Halcrow and Burkhart introduced:

House Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 6, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Special Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 84 Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, and Supervising the Licensing and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxicab or Auto Liveries, Places Where Soft Drinks are Retailed or Where Cigars and Tobacco are Sold, or Public Halls, Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes; Providing Fees Therefor, Inspectors, Office Help and Supplies Thereof; Defining Powers and Duties and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Brown introduced:

House Bill No. 208. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2846 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 104 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to Annual Cream Station Reports and Price Discrimination, Prescribing Penalties for Violations of this Act, and Making Certain Acts Prima Facie Evidence of Violation.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Agriculture.

Miss Dougherty introduced:

House Bill No. 211. A Bill for an Act to Require Insurance Companies to Make Prompt Settlement of Loss.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Stark introduced:

House Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Concerning Declaratory Judgments and Decrees and to Make Uniform the Laws Relating Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Burns introduced:

House Bill No. 209. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1440 of the Compiled Laws of North **Dakota of 1913**, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 212 of the Session Laws of 1917; Relating to State Aid for Rural Schools.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Orange introduced:

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Levying of a Tax to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating and Winding up the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

The Speaker announced that Senate Bill No. 207 and House Bill No. 216 would be filed and referred to the Committee on Delayed Bills.

Mr. Orange introduced:

House Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1889 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the State Census, and When to be Taken.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Lakie introduced:

House Bill No. 214. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended, Providing for a **Workmen's** Compensation Bureau, the Number, Duties, Salaries and Terms of Office of the Workmen's Compensation Commissioners; the Organization of the Bureau and Establishing Rules of Procedure and Investigation.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 215. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1921, Relating to Enforcement of Payment of Premiums to the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Anderson introduced:

House Bill No. 217. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 21 of Chapter 5 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 71 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919; an Act to Create a State Board of Accountancy and Prescribe Its Duties and Powers; to Provide for the Examination and Issuance of Certificates to Qualified Accountants, With the Designation of Certified Public Accountant; and to Provide the Penalty for Violations of the Provisions thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Rustad, by request, introduced:

House Bill No. 218. A Bill for an Act to Empower the Board of County Commissioners to Provide for Not to Exceed Five Hundred Dollars in Annual Premiums for Poultry Show.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Rustad introduced:

House Bill No. 219. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6 of Chapter 77 of Session Laws for the Year 1921, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 160 of the 1919 Session Laws, as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the 16th Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Rustad Introduced:

House Bill No. 220. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 11 and 12 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance, and Repealing all Acts and Provisions in Conflict With the Sections as so Amended and Re-enacted.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Insurance.

Mr. Elmer introduced:

House Bill No. 221. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3241 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota

for the Year 1913, Relating to the Removal of County Seats.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Counties.

Mr. Harrington introduced:

House Bill No. 222. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Supervision and Regulation of the Transportation of Persons and Property for Compensation Over any Public Highway by Motor Propelled Vehicles; Defining Transportation Companies; Providing for Supervision and Regulation Thereof by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of North Dakota; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of this Act and for the Punishment of the Violations Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Highways.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 47. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the Election and Terms of Office of Village Officials.

Was delivered to the Governor for his approval at the hour of 3:45 o'clock P. M.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Slominski moved that the House do now recess for ten minutes. Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. Morton moved that House Bill No. 158 be indefinitely postponed. Which motion prevailed and House Bill No. 158 was indefinitely postponed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Retention of Certain Part of the Salary of Teachers in the Public Schools of North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 74, nays 33, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Eckert	Jones	Orange
Burleigh	Ehr	Kellogg	Patterson
Anderson,	Elmer	Kelly	Quade
Burke-Divide		Kopp	Quam

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge	Larson	Rabe
Arduser	Franson	Lazier	Rustad
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Link	Sims
Bryans	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Hart	Maddock	Swett
Burns	Heaton	Martin	Trubshaw
Carr	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Craig	Henne	Morton	Walker
Currie	Hodges	Oberg	Watt
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Weld
Erickson 16th Dist.	Larkin	Opland	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Jackson	Olafson	Shurr
Brown	Jardine	Peters	Traynor
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Twitchell
Flingson	Lackey	Radcliffe	Ulland
Flom	Lackie	Root	Veitch
Hanson	Lynch	Saen	Mr. Speaker
Harrington	McDowell	Sathre, Steele	
Haugland	McGauvran	Slominski	
Iverson	Muus	Starke	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Halcrow	Norden	Steen
Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 104, nays 3, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Flom	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson, Sargent	Franson	Levin	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	Link	Slominski
Bollinger	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Boyd	Geiszler	Lynch	Starke
Bratsberg	Goranson	McManus	Streich
Brown	Hanson	Maddock	Shurr
Bryans	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Burk	Harrington	McCay	Traynor
Burkhart	Hart	Miller	Trubshaw
Burns	Haugland	Morton	Tweten
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Twitchell
Cart	Helbling	Oberg	Ulland
Craig	Hempel	Olafson	Veitch
Currie	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Doyle	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Walker
Dougherty	Hoople	Opland	Watt
	Iverson	Orange	Weisbeck
	Jackson	Patterson	Weld
	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Yeater

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Jones	Quade	
Ehr	Kellogg	Quam	
Ellingson	Kelly	Rabe	
Elmer	Kopp	Radcliffe	
Erickson	Lackey	Root	
16th Dist.	Lackie	Rustad	
	Larkin	Sagen	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jardine	McDowell	McGauvran

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Halcrow	Norden	Steen
Erickson	Johnson, Trail		
26th Dist.			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Watt requested unanimous consent of the House to amend House Bill No. 95 by striking out the word "Control" at the end of the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Administration."

Which request was granted and the amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Florence Crittendon Home at Fargo, North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays none, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackie	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Root
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sagen
Anderson,	Freeman	Levm	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Geiszler	Link	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bollinger	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Boyd	Hardy	McManus	Sproul
Bratsberg	Harrington	Maddock	Starke
Bryans	Hart	Martin	Streich
Burk	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Zurkhart	Heaton	McDowell	Swett
Burns	Helbling	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Hempel	Miller	Trubshaw
Cart	Henne	Morton	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Twitcheil
Currie	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Velch
Dougherty	Jackson	Opland	Vogel
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Walker
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Ratterson	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Jones	Quade	Weld
Elmer	Kellogg	Quam	Yeater
Erickson	Kelly	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Kopp		
	Lackey		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Peters
Cole	28th Dist.	Norden	Steen
	Halcrow		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel requested unanimous consent of the House to amend House Bill No. 145 by adding thereto an emergency clause.

Which request was granted and the amendment was accepted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended and that House Bill No. 145 be considered regularly engrossed and placed upon its third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed, the rules being suspended and House Bill No. 145 considered regularly engrossed and placed upon third reading and final passage.

House Bill No. 145. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Closing and Liquidation of the Business Heretofore Conducted by the State of North Dakota in the Operation of a State Experimental Creamery; Providing for the Transfer of all Funds to the General Fund of the State Repealing Chapter 149 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays none, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Tom	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Frandsen	Levin	Sims
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Link	Stominski
Anderson,	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Sargent	Geiszler	Lynch	Starke
Arduser	Goranson	McManus	Streich
Bollinger	Hanson	Maddock	Shurr
Boyd	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Bratsberg	Harrington	McCay	Traynor
Brown	Hart	McDowell	Trubshaw
Bryans	Haugland	Miller	Tweten
Burk	Heaton	Morton	Twitchell
Burkhart	Helbling	Muus	Ulland
Furns	Hempel	Oberg	Veitch
Carr	Henne	Olafson	Vogel
Cart	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Cole	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Watt
Craig	Iverson	Opland	Weisbeck
Currie	Jackson	Orange	Weld
Doyte	Jardine	Patterson	Yeater
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Eckert	Jones	Quade	
Ehr	Kellogg	Quam	
Ellingson	Kelly	Rabe	
Elmer	Kopp	Radcliffe	
Erickson	Lackey	Root	
16th Dist.	Lackie	Rustad	
	Larkin	Sagen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson 26th Dist.	Halcrow Johnson, Traill	McGauvran Norden	Steen

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

House Bill No. 147. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Bills of Sale and Other Transfers of Personal Property and Prescribing the Effect of Such Filing.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays 2, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge From	Larkin Larson	Root Rustad
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Frandsen Fredrickson	Lazier Levin	Sagen Sathre, Steele
Anderson, Sargent	Freeman Geiszler	Link Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams Sims
Arduser Bollinger	Goranson Halcrow	Lynch McManus	Slominski Sproul
Byoyd Brown	Hanson Hardy	Maddock Martin	Starke Streich
Bryans Burk	Harrington Hart	McCay McDowell	Shurr Swett
Burkhart Burns	Haugland Heaton	McGauvran Miller	Traynor Trubshaw
Carr Cart	Hempel Henne	Morton Muus	Tweten Twitchell
Cole Craig	Hodges Hoople	Oberg Otafson	Ulland Veitch
Currie Doyle	Iverson Jackson	Olson, Ransom Olson, Towner	Vogel Walker
Dougherty Durkee	Jardine Johnson, Nelson	Opland Orange	Watt Weisbeck
Eckert Ehr	Johnson, Pembina Jones	Patterson Peters	Weld Yeater
Ellingson Elmer	Kellogg Kelly	Plath Quade	Mr. Speaker
Erickson 16th Dist.	Kopp Lackey	Quam Rabe	
	Lackie	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Eratsberg	Helbling

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Norden	Steen

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

The following bills were messaged to the senate:

House Bill No. 147. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Bills of Sale and Other Transfers of Personal Property and Prescribing the Effect of Such Filing.

House Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Florence Crittendon Home at Fargo, North Dakota.

House Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Retention of Certain Part of the Salary of Teachers in the Public Schools of North Dakota.

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 5, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919 Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City or Commission Form of Government.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In the title of the bill strike out "1919" and insert in lieu thereof "1913" and insert after "1913" the words "as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 81 of the Session Laws of 1919;" after the words "City Officials" insert "in Cities" and after the words "under City" insert the word "Council."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 43.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919 Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City or Commission Form of Government.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays 2, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackie	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Root
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sagen
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sathre, Steele
	Geiszler	Link	Sethre, Williams

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Boyer	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Bratsberg	Hanson	McManus	Sproul
Brown	Hardy	Maddock	Starke
Bryans	Harrington	Martin	Streich
Burk	Hart	McCay	Shurr
Burkhart	Haugland	McDowell	Swett
Burns	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Helbing	Miller	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Tweten
Cole	Henne	Muus	Twitchell
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Currie	Hoopie	Olafson	Veitch
Doyle	Iverson	Oison, Ransom	Vogel
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Walker
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jones	Patterson	Weld
Ellingson	Kellogg	Peters	Yeater
Elmer	Kelly	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Jackson	Rabe

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Norden	Steen
26th Dist.			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 5, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In paragraph one, insert the words "Section 1, Amendment;" and in Section 2 after words "Section 2861" insert "Violation Constitutes Misdemeanor. Penalty."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twitchell moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 55.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 108,

nays none, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge Flom	Larkin Larson	Sagen Sathre, Steele
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Frandsen Fredrickson	Lazier Levin	Sethre, Williams Sims
Anderson, Sargent	Freeman Geiszler	Link Loudenbeck	Slominski Sproul
Arduser	Goranson	Lynch McManus	Starke Shurr
Bollinger	Halcrow	Maddock McCay	Streich Swett
Boyd	Hanson	McDowell McGauvran	Traynor Trubshaw
Bratsberg	Hardy	Miller Morton	Tweten Twitchell
Brown	Harrington	Muus Oberg	Ulland Veitch
Bryans	Hart	Olafson Olson, Ransom	Vogel Walker
Burk	Haugland	Olson, Towner Opland	Watt Weisbeck
Burkhart	Heaton	Orange Patterson	Weld Yeater
Burns	Helbling	Peters Plath	Mr. Speaker
Carr	Hempel	Quade Quam	
Cart	Henne	Rabe Radcliffe	
Cole	Hodges	Root Rustad	
Craig	Hoople		
Currie	Iverson		
Doyle	Jackson		
Dougherty	Jardine		
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson		
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina		
Ehr	Jones		
Ellingson	Ketfogg		
Elmer	Kelly		
Erickson, 16th Dist.	Kopp		
	Lackey		
	Lackie		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill Martin	Norden	Steen

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites With Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Land, and Making all Crop Mortgages not Executed in Compliance With Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Add to Bill:

"Section 2. Emergency. This act is hereby declared to be an emergency and shall be in full force and effect after April 1, 1923."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Ellingson moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 42.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites With Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Land, and Making all Crop Mortgages not Executed in Compliance With Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 109, nays none, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Freeman	Link	Sims
Boyd	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Eratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	Maddock	Streich
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Swett
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cart	Heaton	Miller	Tweten
Cole	Helbling	Morton	Twitchell
Craig	Hempel	Maus	Ulland
Currie	Henne	Oberg	Veitch
Doy'e	Hodges	Olafson	Vogel
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Eckert	Jackson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson 16th Dist.	Jones	Plath	
	Kellogg	Quade	
	Kelly	Quam	
	Kopp	Rabe	
	Lackey	Radeliffe	
	Lackie	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Norcen	Steen

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9037 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relating to Places of Trial.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 108, nays none, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge Flom	Lackie Larkin	Root Rustad
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fransson Fredrickson	Larson Lazier	Sagen Sathre, Steele
Anderson, Sargent	Freeman Geiszler	Levin Link	Sethre, Williams Sims
Arduser	Goranson Halcrow	Loudenbeck Lynch	Slominski Sproul
Bollinger	Hanson Hardy	McManus Maddock	Starke Streich
Boyd	Harrington Hart	Martin McCay	Shurr Swett
Bratsberg	Haugland Heaton	McDowell McGauvran	Traynor Trubshaw
Brown	Helbling Hempel	Miller Morton	Tweten Twitchell
Bryans	Henne Hodges	Muus Oberg	Ulland Veitch
Burk	Hoople Iverson	Olafson Olson, Ransom	Vogel Walker
Burkhart	Jackson Jardine	Olson, Towner Opland	Watt Weisbeck
Burns	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Orange Peters	Weld Yeater
Carr	Jones Kellogg	Plath Quade	Mr. Speaker
Cart	Kelly Kopp	Quam Rabe	
Cole	Lackey	Radeliffe	
Craig			
Currie			
Doyle			
Dougherty			
Durkee			
Eckert			
Ehr			
Ellingson			
Erickson 16th Dist.			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill Norden	Patterson	Steen

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 9658 and 9659 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Crime of Vagrancy.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 85, nays 22, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Flom Fredrickson	Larkin Larson	Sagen Sathre, Steele
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Freeman Geiszler	Levin Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams Sims
Anderson, Sargent	Goranson Halcrow	Lynch McManus	Slominski Sproul
Arduser	Hanson Hardy	McCay McDowell	Starke Streich
Bollinger	Harrington Hart	McGauvran Miller	Shurr Traynor
Bratsberg	Haugland Heaton	Morton Muus	Trubshaw Tweten
Brown	Helbling Hempel	Olafson Olson, Ransom	Twitchell Ulland
Burk	Henne Hodges	Olson, Towner Opland	Veitch Watt
Burkhart	Hoople Iverson	Orange Peters	Weisbeck Mr. Speaker
Burns	Jackson Jardine	Plath Quade	
Carr	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	
Cole			
Craig			
Currie			
Dougherty			
Eckert			
Ehr			
Ellingson			

Messrs.Elmer
Erickson
16th Dist.**Messrs.**Kelly
Kopp
Lackey**Messrs.**Radcliffe
Root
Rustad

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.Boyd
Bryans
Cart
Craig
Doyie
Durkee**Messrs.**Fedge
Frandsen
Hempel
Jones
Kellogg
Lakie**Messrs.**Lazier
Link
Martin
Oberg
Patterson
Quam**Messrs.**Swett
Walker
Weld
Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Erickson
26th Dist.Johnson, Traill
MaddockNorden
Steen

Vogel

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Nick N. Nelson, Grand Forks, N. D., Guy Troyer, Rugby, N. D., Otto Matteson, Grand Forks, N. D.

Mr. Watt moved that the House do now recess until 1 P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

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THIRTY-FIFTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND THIRTY-
SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 6, 1923.

The House reassembled at 1 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess taken.

Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Hempel moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Hempel to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act Making it a Misdemeanor for any Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle While such Person is in an Intoxicated Condition, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

At the end of Bill add the following: Provided, that the Court in sentencing any person for a violation of this Act, may suspend any sentence of imprisonment or any part thereof, and make its order that the person so sentenced shall be precluded from driving any automobile within this State for a period of not to exceed two years. Upon proof to the satisfaction of the court that such order has been disobeyed such suspension shall be by the court revoked.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 62. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3476, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, Relating to the Levying of Tax to Provide for a Sinking Fund to Pay County Seed and Feed Bonds.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

Add at end of Bill, "It shall be the duty of the Treasurer when said bonds or any coupon or coupons attached thereto are paid, to cancel the same by writing upon the face thereof, the word "paid" and the date of payment.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. W. HEMPEL,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Burkhart moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Upon the request of Mr. Maddock the House reverted to the Ninth Order of Business.

The following House Bills were introduced: Nos. 223 to 295, inclusive.

Mr. Sproul moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 6, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment.

Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. I. G. Monson.

Roll call. All members present except Messrs. Anderson of Sargent, Fedge, Johnson of Traill, Olson of Ransom, Sathre of Steele, and Vogel.

Mr. Slominski moved that all the absentees be excused. Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Jour-

nal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Thirty-third Day After Recess and Thirty-fifth Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 1, under "bills messaged to the Senate" should appear Senate Bill No. 50.

On pag 3, under House Bill No. 143, the word "notices" is mis-spelled.

On page 3, line 29, after the words "original Bill" strike out the words "be recommended."

On page 5, under "reports of standing committees," in the eighth line, the word "theosophical" is mis-spelled.

On page 7, under the name "Peters" insert the word "chairman."

On page 17, Geiszler is reported as voting twice.

On page 18, under "the title was agreed to" insert the following: "The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried."

On page 25, under "those voting in the affirmative" the name Elmer should be "Erickson, 16th District." Under those absent and not voting, the name "Erickson, 16 District" should read "Erickson, 26 District."

On page 5, third line from bottom of page, the name "Doyle" should read "Johnson."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act an Repeal Sections 3471, 3472, 3473, 3474, 3475, 3477, 3478, 3479, 3480, 3483 and 3486, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, and as Amended by Chapter 177, Session Laws for 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws 1919, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Needy Inhabitants.

Also,

House Bill No. 63. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Collection of Notes, Contracts and Indebtedness for Seed and Feed Furnished by Counties.

Also,

House Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4843 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Investment of the Capital, Surplus and Funds of Domestic Insurance Companies.

Also,

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, An Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for Which the Appropriation Is Made.

Also,

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May Be Pardoned.

Also,

House Bill No. 143. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Notices of Taxes Due the United States, with Certain County Officers.

Also,

House Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1154 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in School Elections.

Also,

House Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1398 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Free Text Books in Public Schools.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and En-grossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 145. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Closing and Liquidation of the Business Heretofore Con-ducted by the State of North Dakota in the Operation of a State Experimental Creamery; Providing for the Trans-fer of All Funds to the General Fund of the State and Repealing Chapter 149 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Also,

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain **Requisites With Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Pur-chase Price of Land, and Making All Crop Mortgages Not Executed in Compliance With Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.**

Also,

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City or Commission Form of Government.

Also,

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which mo-tion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Insurance made the following re-port:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Requiring the County Superintendent of Schools of all Counties to Re-port Names of School District Clerks to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which mo-tion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Insurance made the following re-port:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 148. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Annual Reporting by County Auditor, to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of all Elective Auditors and Clerks of Political Subdivisions of the County.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Starke moved that House Bill No. 148 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion prevailed and the Speaker announced that House Bill No. 148 would go to General Orders.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 223. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Examination and Certification of Dental Hygienists and Regulating the Practice of Dental Hygiene.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the County Commissioners to Sell Certain Lots or Premises Bid in by the County for Delinquent Taxes Without Giving Notice of the Expiration of Redemption.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Lackey introduced:

House Bill No. 225. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4915 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 248 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Goranson introduced:

House Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Administration of Non-Resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of Tuition of Such Non-Resident Students by the County of Their Residents.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Cole introduced:

House Bill No. 227. A Bill for an Act Providing That Purchasers at Tax Sales of Lands Upon Which the State Has a Mortgage, Shall Take Certificates of Sale and Deeds, Subject to the Rights of the State Under Its Mortgage.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Cart introduced:

House Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Consolidation of Counties, or Portions Thereof into a New County; Organization Thereof and Disposal of Any Portions of Such Counties Not Included Therein.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Counties.

The House Library Committee introduced:

House Bill 229. For an Act Providing for the Establishment, Maintenance, and Supervision of County Libraries.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Joint Committee on State Libraries.

Mr. Boyd introduced:

House Bill No. 230. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3785, 3786 and 3788 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Election the Terms of Office and the Beginning of Such Terms of Office of the City Commissioners and the Police Magistrate of Cities Operating Under the Commission Form of Government.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Mrs. Craig introduced:

House Bill No. 231. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Signing of Recall Petitions; Preventing Fraud and Corruption and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Provisions of this Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Ulland introduced:

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore or Hereafter, Issued by the State of North Dakota, in any Case Where Such Bonds have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing, Negotiating or Deliv-

ering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; and Providing for the Re-Issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Messrs. Rustad, Miller, McDowell and Vogel introduced:

House Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act Restricting, Limiting, Fixing and Providing the Powers and Duties of the State Highway Commission and of the State Highway Department, with Respect to the Construction and Maintenance of Roads and Bridges Hereafter, and With Respect to Other Matters; Making Appropriations for the State Highway Commission and for Motor Vehicle Registration Expenses; Providing Method for the Making of Reports, by the Motor Vehicle Registration Clerk to the State Treasurer of Motor Vehicle Registration Fees Received, and For Payment of all Funds Received, into the State Highway Fund; Providing for the Disposal and Distribution of the State Highway Fund by the State Treasurer; Providing for the Creation of "County-Federal Road Maintenance Fund" in the several counties, and the Rights and Duties of Boards of County Commissioners with Respect Thereto; and Repealing Section Eleven (11) of Chapter 182 of the Session Laws of 1919 and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent With This Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Mr. Heaton, by request, introduced:

House Bill No. 234. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 570 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to the Powers of The Barbers' Examining Board.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Jardine introduced:

House Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act Providing for Withdrawal of Pupils from the Public Schools two hours per week for Religious Instruction, and Giving Pupils Credit for Such Instruction.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Erickson, 26th District, introduced:

House Bill No. 236. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Joining of Territory to Consolidated School Districts.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Erickson, 26th District, introduced:

House Bill No. 237. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Dissolution of Consolidated School Districts.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Peters introduced:

House Bill No. 238. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10, 21 and 23 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Miss Dougherty introduced:

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913 Relating to the selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of Other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Lease Hold Premises Held under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners may Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Providing the Breadth of the Operation in such Injunction by Making it Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include any Place Within the State.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Mr. Olafson introduced:

House Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 667 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1923, Relating to County Commissioners furnishing Bonds.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Counties.

Mr. Erickson, 26th District, introduced:

House Bill No. 241. A Bill for an Act to Prevent the Entering Upon Thin Ice for the Purpose of Shooting, Killing or Taking of Wild Birds and Providing Penalty Therefor.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Mr. Erickson, 26th District, introduced:

House Bill Number 242. A Bill for an Act Designating the Legal Holidays in the State of North Dakota and to Amend and Re-enact Sections 7297 of Compiled Laws of North Dakota, 1913, as Amended by Chapter 143, Session Laws of North Dakota, 1919, and Chapter 74, of Session Laws of 1921.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Freeman introduced:

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of one Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Walker introduced:

House Bill No. 244. A Bill for an Act Relating to Intra-state Freight Rates in North Dakota, Fixing the Maximum Rates and Charges for Transportation of Freight Intra-state, Providing Penalties and Punishment for the Violation Thereof, and Defining the Duties and Powers of the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Freeman introduced:

House Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 153 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Bonds of North Dakota, Mill and Elevator Series.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Hoople introduced:

House Bill No. 246. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 241, Session Laws 1919, Designating the State Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, Sealer and Inspector of Weights and Measures; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Providing Penalties and Repealing Sections 2998, 3001 and 3002 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to the Inspection and Sealing of Weights, Fixing Fees, Authorizing the Appointment of Deputy Inspectors and Providing for Their Compensation and Regulating the Use and Sale of Weights and measures.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading.

Mr. Watt introduced:

House Bill No. 247. A Bill for an Act Levying a Tax Upon Admissions; Providing for the Collection, Return, and Payment of the Tax Exempting Certain Classes of Admissions from the Tax Herein Levied; Providing for Credits and Refunds in Certain Cases; Providing Penalties for the Violation of This Act and for the Nonpayment of the Tax; Authorizing the Tax Commissioner to Require Assistance from Certain Officials in the Administration of the Tax; and Authorizing Him to Make Rules and Regulations for the Enforcement of the Provisions of this Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Watt introduced:

House Bill No. 248. A Bill for an Act Imposing a Tax Upon the Sale Within the State of North Dakota, of Tobacco in Boxes or Containers and Upon Cigars for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying Cost of State Government; Providing for the Administration and Collection of the Same.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Jardine, by request, introduced:

House Bill No. 249. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3012 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Establishing Legal eWights for Bread and the Weight Units in Which Bread Shall Be Sold, Manufactured for Sale, Offered or Exposed for Sale, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 35 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to Militia Grounds.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 1631 and 1638 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

House Bill No. 252. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1621 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1623 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Demonstration Farms.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 254. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2696 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1839 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota, Relating to North Dakota's Firemen's Association.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 256. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 65 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Assistant Attorney General for the Board of University and School Lands.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1624 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Enforcement, Beverage and Sanitary Laws.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2671 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Cruelty to Animals.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Board of Pardons.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to State Fish Hatchery.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 11 of Chapter 31 of the Session Laws of Special Session of 1919, Relating to Appropriation to State Dairy Commissioner.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 262. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1661 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Serum Institute.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 335 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Expenses, Sale of Land.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 264. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Live Stock Association.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Poultry Association.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to North Dakota Dairymen's Association.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota, Relating to Board of Administration.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 813 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota, Relating to Disbarment Proceedings.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 269. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 16 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Special Session of 1919, Relating to Testing Dairy Products.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations introduced:

House Bill No. 270. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 17 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Artesian Waters, and to Repeal Section 9 of Said Chapter.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 271. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section Five of Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Conciliation of Controversies.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 272. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11291, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota 1913, as Amended by Chapter 86 of the Session Laws of 1917, Authorizing and Allowing the Parole of Inmates of the State Training School.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Halcrow introduced:

House Bill No. 273. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the State Board of Administration of the State of North Dakota to Accept for the State of North Dakota the Tender, Without Consideration, of a Deed to the Brick Veneer Court House Building at Pembina, Pembina County, North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Joint Committee on Public Buildings.

Mr. Freeman introduced:

House Bill No. 274. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2093 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Providing for the Forfeiture of the Certificate of an Abstracter.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Harrington, Lynch, Boyd, Starke and Haugland introduced:

House Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Provide for

the Purchase by the Industrial Commission of Claims Against the Returned Soldiers' Fund and for the Financing of Such Purchase by Such Commission, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Jardine, by request, introduced:

House Bill No. 276. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Misbranding of Goods, Wares and Merchandise and the Selling of Substitute Articles for the Original and Prescribing Penalty for Failure to Comply with the Provisions of This Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Miller introduced:

House Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1178 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Employing Public School Teachers and the Liability of School Officers.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Haugland introduced:

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Heaton, by request, introduced:

House Bill No. 280. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 565 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Registration of Barbers and Fee Thereon.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Messrs. Heaton and Hoople introduced:

House Bill No. 281. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties and for Other Purposes.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Mr. Brown introduced:

House Bill No. 284. A Bill for an Act to Promote the Development of Small Irrigation Projects and Authorizing the State Engineer to Provide Engineering Service Therefor.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Drainage and Irrigation.

Mr. A. B. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Member of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and for the Apportionment and Term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Sections 857, 859, 901a, 910, 912, 917, 918, 919 and 971a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and All Other Acts or Parts of Acts That Are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh introduced:

House Bill No. 286. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 69 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Creation of a State Bar Board, Its Membership and Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties, and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and Issuance of Licenses.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Brown and Lackey introduced:

House Bill No. 287. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 12 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws for the Year 1919, and Amended by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 288. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Assistance by Taxation and Assessment of Benefits to Domestic Railroad Corporations Having Their Entire Line of Railway as Surveyed Within the State of North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Rabe introduced:

House Bill No. 289. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Payment of Interest on Money Deposited with Public Utilities for the Installation of Gas, Light, Water, Telephone or Other Services into the Homes and Places of Business of Its Patrons.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Link introduced:

House Bill No. 290. A Bill for an Act Providing a Farm for the County Agent for the Purpose of Demonstration.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Morton introduced:

House Bill No. 291. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Assistance by Taxation and Assessment of Benefits to Domestic Railroad Corporations Having Their Entire Line of Railway as Surveyed within the State of North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Burkhart introduced:

House Bill No. 292. A Bill for an Act Establishing an Educational Commission, Defining Its Purpose, Powers and Duties, and Prescribing a Method of Organization, and Fixing Times of Meetings.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Burkhart introduced:

House Bill No. 293. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Forfeiture to the State of Real Property Upon Which Taxes Are Delinquent; Fixing the Period of Such Delinquency, the Notice to be Given and the Method of Service; and for Proceedings for a Sale of Such Property and the Disposition of the Proceeds.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Burkhart introduced:

House Bill No. 294. A Bill for an Act Relating to Deposits in Banks, Declaring Same to be Trust Funds, and Providing Penalties for Unlawful Removal of Same.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Burkhart introduced:

House Bill No. 295. A Bill for an Act Relating to Payment of Taxes and Abolishing Penalties.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

The Speaker announced that House Bill No. 279 would be filed and referred to the Committee on Delayed Bills.

Mr. Slominski moved that the House do now recess for ten minutes.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

AFTER RECESS THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, An Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for Which the Appropriation is Made.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays none, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kellogg	Peters
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly.	Plath
Anderson.	Erickson,	Kopp	Quado
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lackey	Quam
Arduser	Fedge	Lakie	Rabe
Bollinger	Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe
Boyd	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Bratsberg	Freeman	Lazler	Sagen
Brown	Geiszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Goranson	Link	Sims
Burk	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Burkhart	Hanson	Lynch	Sprout
Burns	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Carr	Harrington	Maddock	Streich
Cart	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Cole	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Craig	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Currie	Helbling	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Dougherty	Henne	Morton	Twichell
Durkee	Hodges	Muus	Ulland
Eckert	Hoople	Norden	Veitch
Ehr	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Ellingson	Jackson	Olafson	Watt
Elmer	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weid
	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Yeater
	Jones	Patterson	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Johnson, Trail.	Rustad	Steen
Sargent	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	Vogel
Fredrickson			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 59, nays 48, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath
Burleigh	Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Anderson,	Fedge	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Root
Boyd	Fredrickson	Lakte	Sagen
Brown	Freeman	Larson	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	Levin	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	McDowell	Sweet
Burns	Harrington	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	Morton	Twichell
Cole	Heaton	Muus	Veitch
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Walker
Dougherty	Hoopla	O'afson	Weld
Eckert	Jackson	O'son, Townner	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jardine	Patterson	
		Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Franson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Geisler	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Starke
Erickson	Halcrow	McManus	Steen
16th Dist.	Hebling	Maddock	Streich
Cart	Hempel	Martin	Shurr
Craig	Henne	McCay	Trubshaw
Doy'e	Iverson	Miller	Tweten
Durkee	Jones	Oberg	Ulland
Erickson,	Kellogg	Opland	Watt
26th Dist.	Kopp	Orange	Weisbeck
Erickson	Larkin	Quam	Yeater
	Lazter	Rabe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Johnson, Trail.	Rustad	Vogel
Sargent	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Anderson moved that House Bill No. 53 be indefinitely postponed.

A roll call being demanded disclosed the following results: ayes 64, nays 43, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Kelly	Root
Burleigh	Gelszler	Lackey	Sagen
Bollinger	Goranson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Stominski
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Sproul
Bryans	Harrington	McDowell	Streich
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Burns	Heaton	Muus	Trubshaw
Carr	Helbling	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Henne	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Eckert	Hoople	Opland	Watt
Ehr	Iverson	Orange	Yeater
Ellingson	Jackson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Fedge	Jardine	Plath	
Floss	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	
Frandsen	Johnson, Pembina	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lakte	Patterson
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Arduser	Erickson,	Lazier	Rabe
Bratsberg	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Burkhart	Fredrickson	Link	Starke
Cart	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Steen
Cole	Haugland	Maddock	Shurr
Craig	Hempel	Martin	Swett
Doyle	Jones	McCay	Tweten
Durkee	Kellogg	Miller	Walker
Elmer	Kopp	Morton	Weisbeck
		Oberg	Weid

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Johnson, Trail.	Rustad	Vogel
Sargent	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	

So the motion prevailed and House Bill No. 53 was indefinitely postponed.

House Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4843 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Investment of the Capital, Surplus and Funds of Domestic Insurance Companies.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 46, nays 57, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Root
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Link	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Fraugland	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Helbling	Martin	Steen
Burk	Hoople	McCay	Streich
Cart	Jones	Morton	Shurr
Doyle	Kellogg	Muus	Swett
Eckert	Kopp	Opland	Tweten
Elmer	Lakte	Patterson	Walker
Erickson	Larkin	Quam	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Lazier	Rabe	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Jackson Jardine	Plath Quade
Bollinger	Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Radcliffe
Boyd	Freeman	Johnson, Pembina	Sagen
Brown	Geiszler	Kelly	Slominski
Burkhart	Goranson	Lackey	Sproul
Burns	Halerow	Larson	Traynor
Carr	Hanson	Lynch	Trubshaw
Cole	Harrington	McDowell	Twichell
Craig	Hart	McGauvran	Ulland
Currie	Heaton	Norden	Veitch
Dougherty	Hempel	Oberg	Watt
Durkee	Henne	Olafson	Weld
Ehr	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Iverson	Orange	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Johnson, Traill Maddock	Olson, Ransom Peters	Sathre, Steele Vogel
Fredrickson	Miller	Rustad	

So the bill was lost.

House Bill No. 143. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Transcripts of Judgments of the United States Courts and Notices of Taxes Due the United States, with Certain County Officers.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 98, nays 5, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly Kopp	Quade Quam
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Lakie Larkin	Rabe Radcliffe
Bollinger	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Boyd	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sagen
Bratsberg	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams-
Brown	Geiszler	Link	Sims
Bryans	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Stominski
Burk	Halerow	Lynch	Sproul
Burkhart	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Burns	Hardy	Martin	Steen
Carr	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Cart	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Cole	Haugland	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Craig	Heaton	Miller	Twetén
Currie	Hempel	Morton	Twichell
Doyle	Henne	Muus	Ulland
Dougherty	Hodges	Norden	Veitch
Durkee	Hoople	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Iverson	Olafson	Watt
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Jardine	Opland	Weld
Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina Kellogg	Orange Patterson Plath	Yeater Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser Elmer	Helbling	Jones	Swett

Absent and not voting:

Anderson, Sargent	Lackey Maddock	Peters Rustad	Traynor Vogel
Johnson, Trail.	Cason, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1154 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in School Elections.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 71, nays 33, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Elmer Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jones Kellogg Lackey	Opland Patterson Quam
Arduser	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lakie Larkin Lazier	Rabe Radcliffe
Boyd	Fedge	Levin	Sagn Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Franson	Link	Sims
Brown	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Freeman	Lynch	Streich
Burk	Goranson	McManus	Shurr
Burkhardt	Halerow	Maddock	Sweet
Burns	Hardy	Martin	Tveten
Cart	Hart	McCay	Walker
Cole	Haugland	Miller	Weisbeck
Craig	Hempel	Morton	Weld
Currie	Hoople	Muus	Yeater
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Townner	
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina		
Eckert			
Ehr			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Ellingson	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Veitch
Geiszler	Kelly	Quade	Watt
Hanson	Kopp	Root	Mr. Speaker
Harrington	Larson	Slominski	
Heaton	McDowell	Sproul	
Helbling	McGauvran	Starko	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Johnson, Traill	Rustad	Vogel
Anderson, Sargent	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	
	Peters	Traynor	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act an Repeal Sections 3471, 3472, 3473, 3474, 3475, 3477, 3478, 3479, 3480, 3481, 3483, 3484, 3485, 3486 and 3487, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, and as Amended by Chapter 177 Session Laws for 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws

1919, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Needy Inhabitants.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 71, nays 32, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Durkee Eckert	Jardine Johnson, Nelson	Orange Patterson
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Ehr Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina Kellogg	Plath Quade
Arduser Bollinger	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly Kopp	Rabe Root
Boyd Brown	Flom Freeman	Lackey Lakie	Sethre, Williams Slominski
Bryans Burk	Geiszler Goranson	Larson Levin	Sproul Starko
Burkhart Turns	Halerow Hanson	Lynch McManus	Steen Trubshaw
Carr Cart	Harrington Hart	McDowall Miller	Twoten Twichell
Cole Currie	Heaton Henne	Muus Norden	Ulland Veitch
Doyce Dougherty	Hodges Hoople Jackson	Olafson Olson, Towner Opland	Watt Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Bratsberg	Taugland	Maddock	Shurr
Craig	Helbling	Martin	Swett
Emmer	Hempel	McCay	Walker
26th Dist.	Iverson	McGauvran	Weisbeck
Erickson	Jones	Morton	Weld
Fedge	Larkin	Oberg	Yeater
Frandsen	Lazter	Quam	
Fredrickson	Link	Sims	
Hardy	Loudenbeck	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Anderson, Sargent	Olson, Ransom Peters	Rustad Sagen	Traynor Vogel
Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 63. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Collection of Notes, Contracts and Indebtedness for Seed and Feed Furnished by Counties.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 3, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Jones Kellogg	Opland Orange
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Kelly Kopp	Patterson Plath
Arduser Bollinger	Frandsen Fredrickson	Lackey Lakie	Quade Quam
Bratsberg Brown	Freeman Geiszler	Larkin Larson	Rabe Radcliffe

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Goranson	Lazier	Root
Burk	Halerow	Levin	Sagen
Burkhardt	Hanson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Burns	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Sims
Carr	Harrington	Lynch	Slominski
Cart	Hart	McManus	Sproul
Cole	Haugland	Maddock	Starke
Craig	Heaton	Martin	Steen
Currie	Helbling	McCay	Streich
Doyle	Hempel	McDowell	Shurr
Dougherty	Henne	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hodges	Miller	Tweten
Eckert	Hoopie	Morton	Twichell
Ehr	Iverson	Muus	U'land
Ellingson	Jackson	Norden	Veitch
Erickson,	Jardine	Oberg	Walker
26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Watt
	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Yeater
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Elmer	Swett	Weid

Absent and not voting:

Anderson, Sargent	Johnson, Trail. Olson, Ransom	Rustad Sathre, Steele	Yogel Weisbeck
Boyd	Peters	Traynor	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1398 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Free Text Books in Public Schools.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 88, nays 17, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Kelly	Rabe
Burleigh	Erickson	Kopp	Rudcliffe
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Lackey	Root
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Lakie	Sagen
Arduser	Flom	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Franson	Lazier	Sims
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Link	Slominski
Brown	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bryans	Geisler	Lynch	Starke
Burk	Goranson	McManus	Steen
Burkhardt	Halerow	Maddock	Shurr
Burns	Hanson	McCay	Trubshaw
Carr	Hardy	McDowell	Tweten
Cart	Harrington	Miller	Twichell
Cole	Haugland	Morton	U'land
Craig	Heaton	Muus	Veitch
Currie	Hempel	Norden	Watt
Doyle	Henne	Oberg	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Hoopie	Olafson	Yeater
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Jackson	Orange	
Ehr	Jardine	Patterson	
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	
	Johnson, Pembina	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Jones	McGauvran	Streich
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Opland	Swett
Hart	Larkin	Peters	Walker
Helbling	Lynch	Plath	Weld
Hodges	Martin		

Those absent and not voting being:

Anderson,	Johnson, Trail.	Kustad	Traynor
Sargent	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	Voger
Boyd			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:

House Bills No. 132, 138, 143 and 157.

The following bills were messaged to the senate:

House Bills No. 61, 63, and 161.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.,
February 6, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bill:

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

Which the House has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
January 6, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a Method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Senate Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Consolidation or Merger of Banking Associations Regulating the Procedure and Providing for Supervision Thereof, and Providing a Limitation of Actions.

Senate Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act Giving the North Dakota Game and Fish Commissioner Power to Make Rules and Regulations in Addition to Those Already Provided by Law, for the Protection of the Fish in the Lakes and Rivers of North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 220. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.

Senate Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act Relative to the Admission of Persons Under Eighteen Years of Age to Public Dances and Requiring the posting of a Copy of the Law and Prescribing Penalty for its Violation.

Senate Bill No. 134. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for a Bounty for Wolves and Coyotes, as Provided for by Chapter 242 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Normal School at Dickinson.

Senate Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$30,950.00 for the purpose of carrying out the Provisions of Chapter 115 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to Vocational Education and Vocational Rehabilitation.

Senate Bill No. 196. A Bill for an Act to Provide an Appropriation for the Eradication of the Barberry.

Senate Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$25,000.00 for the Biennium, which is known as a Miscellaneous Refund.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,,
Secretary.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Franzen and W. B. Noyes of Brisbane, N. D.

Mr. Hardy moved that the House do now recess until one o'clock tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 7, 1923.

The House reassembled at 1 P. M. pursuant to recess, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Boyd moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Boyd to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

House Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382, Article 21, Chapter Five General School Laws of the State of North Dakota, Entitled School Year and School Week Defined. Holidays.

We recommend that the bill be amended as follows:

Strike out everything after "a bill" and insert in lieu thereof "For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382, of the Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Defining School Year and School Week. Holidays.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1382. SCHOOL YEAR AND SCHOOL WEEK DEFINED. HOLIDAYS. The School year shall begin on the first day of July and close on the thirtieth day of June of each year. A school week shall consist of five days and a school month of twenty days. Provided, that on February twelfth (Lincoln's Birthday), February 22nd (Washington's Birthday), the first Monday in September (Labor Day), the twelfth day of October (Discovery Day), the eleventh day of November (Armistice Day), excepting in those communities where community celebrations are held

on that day, every day on which an election is held throughout the state, excepting in such districts where the school houses are used for polling places, the schools shall be in session as usual and at least one hour of the day shall be devoted to patriotic exercises, consistent with the day, unless such day shall fall upon Saturday or Sunday. Provided, further, that any teacher who cannot use an absent voters' ballot shall, if it is so desired, be excused from school work on any day on which an election is held throughout the state, without loss of pay in order to go to the home precinct to vote. No school shall be taught on any of the other legal holidays and if they fall upon a day which would otherwise be a school day, they shall be counted and the teacher paid therefor.

A legal holiday in term time following upon a day which would otherwise be a school day, shall be counted, and the teacher paid therefor.

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act Amending Sections 728 and 729 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Fees in the Supreme Court and Their Coverage Into the State Treasury.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

By striking out everything after the word "Court" in line 8 of the printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 33 of the Laws Enacted by the Special Session of the Legislature of 1919 Relating to the Formation and Division of Voting Districts.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 33 of the printed bill, strike out the word "shall" and insert in lieu thereof the word "may." Insert a comma after the word "act" in line 28. Insert a comma after the word "village" in line 29. Insert a comma after the word "village" in line 33.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Furnishing by the Register of Deeds of Each County to Elevators Making Application and Paying the Fee Provided Therefore of an Abstract of all Mortgages and Liens Upon Grain Grown During Each Year, and Filed in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out in line 10 of body of the printed bill the figure "\$25.00" and insert in lieu thereof, "in counties where in the number of such liens so abstracted in the preceding calendar year did not exceed 2,500 of \$5.00; In counties where more than 2,500 and not to exceed 5,000 were so abstracted a fee of \$10.00; and in counties where more than 5,000 liens were so abstracted a fee of \$15.00. In section 2 strike out all of section 2 after the word "Emergency" and insert in lieu thereof "an emergency is hereby declared to exist. Therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

And the further amendment:

After the word "shall" in line 8 of the printed bill, insert the following words: "be made prior to June 1st in each year and shall"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Requiring All Agents Acting for or on Behalf of any Insurance Company Doing Business in this State to be Licensed, Regulating the Methods, Practices and Transactions of such Agents in Conducting Such Insurance Business, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of any of the Provisions of this Act.

And recommend the same be amended by striking out all of Section 6, and renumbering all subsequent sections.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to High Schools and Tuition Fees.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

After the figure "1921" in the title of said bill, strike out the remainder of said title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Providing for the Payment of Non-resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid; Repealing Acts or Parts of Acts in so far as They Conflict with this Act."

Strike out the period at the end of Section 3, substitute therefor a semicolon, and then add the following:

"Provided, however, that if the school board of the district from which such tuition fees are due shall fail or neglect to pay the same within sixty days from the date

of the mailing of a sworn statement as herein provided, the clerk of the district wherein such student attended high school shall send a duplicate of such statement to the county superintendent of the proper county, who shall ascertain the correctness of the same, and if found to be correct, shall forthwith notify the county treasurer of the proper county thereof, and thereupon such county treasurer shall be authorized to pay such tuition fees out of the funds in his hands, or that may thereafter come into his hands, belonging to the district from which such tuition fees are due, taking receipt therefor in duplicate, one of which said receipts shall be delivered to the Clerk of the district required to pay such fees."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 148. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Annual Reporting by County Auditor to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of all Elective Auditors and Clerks of Political Subdivisions of the County.

And recommend the bill as originally introduced do pass.

ROBERT J. BOYD,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of the committee of the whole be adopted.

Mr. Jardine moved as a substitute motion that House Bill No. 163 be re-referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Jardine requested that the report of the committee of the whole be divided, so that there might be a separate vote on the committee report regarding House Bill No 163.

Which request was granted.

The question now being on the adoption of the report of the Committee of the Whole, with the exception of the report as to House Bill No. 163, the motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole regarding House Bill No. 163, be adopted .

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Hempel moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 7, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. I. G. Monson.

Roll call. All members present except Messrs. Anderson of Sargent, Cole, Eckert, Fredrickson, Johnson of Traill, Morton, Olson of Ransom, Rustad, Sathre of Steele, Watt.

Mr. Sproul moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

The committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Thirty-fifth day after recess and the Thirty-Sixth day, and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 3, line 7, the word "Senate" is misspelled.

On page 10, line 32, the word "Authorizing" is misspelled.

On page 10, under House Bill 247, 2nd line, the word "collection" is misspelled.

On page 16, line 4, the word "promote" is misspelled.

On page 20, in the second line in the first paragraph below the roll call the word "indefinitely" is misspelled.

On page 11, House Bill No. 243 should read House Bill No. 248.

On page 11, under House Bill No. 251, insert "House Bill No. 252. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1621 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo."

On page 16, line 34, the name "Lakie" should be "Lackey"

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICA-

The committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Communications to whom was referred:

A communication addressed to Mr. Lakie relating to the "County Library Bill" which the committee recommend be printed in the Journal but not read.

Also:

A communication to Mr. Halcrow relating to Pure Food and Beverages and recommend that the same be read but not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Miss Bessie R. Baldwin
Miss Bessie R. Baldwin, Librarian
Williston, North Dakota

At the meeting of the Board of Directors on January 8th, 1923, the following motion was made and passed:

Moved by Mr. Jackson, seconded by Mrs. Bruegger, that the Board declare itself in favor of enacting a County Library Law as outlined in the proposed bill for the establishment of county libraries, and that the librarian be instructed to report this action to the state representatives from Williams county at Bismarck.

Voting aye: Mrs. Geo. Bruegger, Mrs. S. M. Hyde, Mr. W. B. Overson, Mr. M. B. Jackson. Motion carried.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites With Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Land, and Making All Crop Mortgages Not Executed in Compliance With Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City or Commission Form of Government.

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 216. A Bill for an Act to Authorize and empower the State Auditing Board to Borrow Money to

Meet Appropriations, to Provide for the re-payment thereof with interest, and making an Appropriation Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced:

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 59. A bill for an Act Making it a Misdemeanor for Any Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle While Such Person is in an Intoxicated Condition, and Providing a Penalty for a Violation Thereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 62. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3476, Compiled Laws, 1913, as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, Relating to the Levying of Tax to Provide for a Sinking Fund to Pay County Seed and Feed Bonds.

Also,

House Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Requiring the County Superintendent of Schools of all Counties to Report Names of School District Clerks to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites with Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Land, and Making All Crop Mortgages Not Executed in Compliance with Such Requirement Void and not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

Also,

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919 Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City or Commission Form of Government.

Also,

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

And find the same correctly enrolled.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Reporting at the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Contracts Involving Labor Entered Into by All Political Subdivisions of the State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The majority of the committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 170. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8657 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Letters of Administration, Who entitled to Same.

Have had the same under consideration and the majority recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The minority of the committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 170. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8657 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Letters of Administration, Who Entitled to Same.

Have had the same under consideration and the minority of the committee recommend that the same do pass.

R. H. WALKER,
B. C. LARKIN.

Mr. Walker moved that the minority report be adopted.

Mr. Starke moved, as a substitute motion, that the majority report be adopted.

Which substitute motion prevailed and House Bill No. 170 was indefinitely postponed.

The majority of the committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 171. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8682 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Executors, Administrators and Guardians.

Have had the same under consideration and the majority recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The minority of the committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 171. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8682 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Executors, Administrators and Guardians.

Have had the same under consideration and the minority of your committee recommend that the same do pass.

R. H. WALKER,
B. C. LARKIN.

Mr. Twichell moved that the majority report be adopted

Mr. Walker moved that the minority report be substituted for the majority report.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, which motion prevailed and House Bill No. 171 was indefinitely postponed.

The committee on Temperance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Temperance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Keeping Open, Running or Permitting the Running of Any Place for Public Dancing on the First Day of the Week, Commonly Called the Sabbath, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Have had the some under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN HALCROW,
Chairman.

Mr. Halcrow moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Temperance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Temperance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 154. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 10184 and 10185 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 126 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Manufacture or Sale of Cigarettes or Cigarette Papers.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN HALCROW,
Chairman.

Mr. Halcrow moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6750 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Standardized Form of Mortgage.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

1. By inserting on the blank line in line 22 of the printed bill, the following: "(Leave ample space for description)"

2. By inserting on the blank space on line 32, the same characters and words.

3. By striking out the word "its' on lines 20, 26, 28, 33, 42, 54, 70, 93, of the printed bill and also on the first line of the last page of the original bill, and in lieu hereof insert the following ".....heirs, executors, administrators." (Reference is made to the original bill on account of an omission in the printed bill.) (The following words should appear between lines 83 and 84 of the printed bill: "second part, its successors or assigns, to sell the said hereby")

4. Strike out the word "its" on line 67, 71 and 93 of the printed bill and insert a blank space "....."

5. Strike out all of line 23 of the printed bill.

6. At the end of the bill strike out the period, insert a semicolon and add the following: "provided further, that the form hereinbefore provided shall not preclude the use of any other form."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Counties made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Counties to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. I. QUADE,
Chairman.

Mr. Quade moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Anderson moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 172 be recommended for passage.

Which motion prevailed.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Maintenance of the State Capitol and for Improvements, Repairs and Equipment Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That the figures in line 13 of Section 1 of \$24,000.00 be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the figures \$20,000.00

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the State Hospital for the Insane at Jamestown, North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of One Hundred Seventy-Six Thousand Dollars for Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Dunseith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand and Forty Dollars (\$1,040.00) for the Payment of \$10.00 Once Each Week During the Biennium 1923, 1924, as an Aid to the Society for the Friendless Authorized Under Chapter 46 of the North Dakota Session Laws of 1911.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$3,450.00 for the Payment of the Per Diem and Expenses of the Board of Experts; and the Salary, and Other Expenses of the Field Officer to be Incurred Under Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, for the Biennial Period.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9037 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Places of Trial.

Senate Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 9658 and 9659 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Crime of Vagrancy.

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued, or to be Issued, by Any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or Where by Such Vote Bonds Are Authorized to be Issued, Has Heretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in Such School District, Beyond the Five Per Cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and Where the Indebtedness of Such

School District Does Not Exceed Ten Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

The majority of the committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 117. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to be Used by the Adjutant General to Assist in Defraying Part of the Expense in connection with the Litigation by Company A, First Regiment, North Dakota National Guard Training School, a Corporation; and Protecting and Preserving the Title to the Armory and Property of said Company A Located in the City of Bismarck, and Protecting the State's Interest in said Armory.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A minority of the committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 117. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to be Used by the Adjutant General to Assist in Defraying Part of the Expense in connection with the Litigation by Company A, First Regiment, North Dakota National Guard Training School, a Corporation; and Protecting and Preserving the Title to the Armory and Property of said Company A Located in the City of Bismarck, and Protecting the State's Interest in said Armory.

The minority of said committee wish to report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. F. ELMER,
O. H. OPLAND,
FRED E. SIMS,
GEORGE LAKIE,
J. C. ARDUSER,
WALTER MADDOCK.

Mr. Kelly moved that the majority report be adopted.

Mr. Hempel moved, as a substitute motion, that the minority report be adopted.

Mr. Root moved the previous question.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the substitute motion of Mr. Hempel, a roll call was demanded, which disclosed the following vote:

Ayes 48, nays 56, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Larkin	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fedge	Levin	Sims
Bratsberg	Frandson	Link	Steen
Bryans	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Streich
Burkhart	Haugland	McManus	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	Maddock	Swett
Craig	Hempel	Martin	Tweten
Doy'e	Hoopel	McCay	Vogel
Elmer	Iverson	Miller	Walker
Erickson	Jones	Morton	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Oberg	Weid
	Lackie	Patterson	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Twitchell
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Flom	Kelly	Rabe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fredrickson	Opland	Watt
Sargent	Johnson, Traill	Rustad	
Eckert	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	

So the substitute motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Kelly, the report was adopted and House Bill No. 117 was indefinitely postponed.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 119. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$63,000.00 for the Care of Insane Patients Whose Residence Can not be Determined and Whose Care Must be Borne by the State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Completion and Furnishing of the Library Memorial Building.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that House Bill No. 123 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT AND ENGROSSMENT

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites with Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Land, and Making All Crop Mortgages Not Executed in Compliance with Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

Also,

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919 Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City or Commission Form of Government.

Also,

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

Were delivered to the Governor today for his approval at the hour of 3:15 o'clock P. M.

T. E. COLE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 148. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Annual Reporting by County Auditor to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Elective Auditors and Clerks of Political Subdivisions of the County.

Also,

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382, Article 21, Chapter Five General School Laws of the State of North Dakota, Entitled School Year and School Week Defined. Holidays.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

T. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges be granted an extension of time for the consideration of Senate Bills Nos. 11 and 67, and House Bills Nos. 169, 204, 231 and 285.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Larson moved that the Committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bill No. 155.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that the House do now recess for ten minutes.

Which motion prevailed and the House took a recess.

AFTER RECESS

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 6, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Also,

House Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6815 of the Compiled Laws of North

Dakota for 1913 Relating to the Filing of Intention to File Mechanics' Lien.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.
Also,

I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Powers of Stockholders and Management of Co-operative Corporations and Associations.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Also,

I have the honor to transmit a Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Olson of Eddy and Foster, which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Also,

I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued, or to be Issued, by Any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or Where by Such Vote Bonds Are Authorized to be Issued, Has Theretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in Such School District, Beyond the Five Per Cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and Where the Indebtedness of Such School District Does Not Exceed Ten Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

Also to House amendments to Senate Bill No. 50.

Also,

I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a method of Levying and Collecting Said

Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Senate Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Consolidation or Merger of Banking Associations Regulating the Procedure and Providing for Supervision Thereof and Providing a Limitation of Actions.

Senate Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act Giving the North Dakota Game and Fish Commission Power to Make Rules and Regulations in Addition to Those Already Provided by Law, for the Protection of the Fish in the Lakes and Rivers of North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 220. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.

Senate Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act Relative to the Admission of Persons Under Eighteen Years of Age to Public Dances and Requiring the posting of a Copy of the Law and Prescribing Penalty for its Violation.

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Senate Bill No. 136. A Bill for an Act to Provide a State Contingency Fund to be Placed at the Disposal of the State Emergency Commission to be Used as Provided by Chapter 26 and 152 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915; and Making an Appropriation of \$50,000.00 which Shall be Known as the State Contingency Fund.

Senate Bill No. 137. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$2,000.00 for the Biennium to Defray the Expenses of Disbarment Proceedings, as Prescribed by Section 808 to 812 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Senate Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate.

Senate Bill 100. A Bill For an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the School of Science at Wahpeton, N. Dak.

Senate Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$22,230.00 for the Purpose of Paying Salary, Clerk Hire and General Expense of the State Historical Society.

Senate Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expenses of the Department of Motor Vehicle Registration.

Senate Bill No. 200. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Recall of County Commissioners.

Senate Bill No. 208. A Bill for an Act Relating to County Finances; Providing That all County Officials and All Officers in Charge of any Institution, Office or Undertaking Supported in Whole or in Part by the County Shall File an Itemized Statement of Amounts Necessary for Maintenance of Such Office or Institution; Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Annually Prepare a Budget Providing for Publication of Such Budget and of the Proposed Levy; Providing for a Public Hearing in Regard to the Proposed Expenditures and Levy; Fixing a Date for Levy; Providing That All Expenditures must Conform to the Budget as Adopted, and That all Unappropriated Balances in any Fund at the End of the Fiscal Year Shall Become a Part of the General Fund; Repealing Sections 3312, 3313, and 3314, of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Senate Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3784 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 120 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Municipal Elections in Cities.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

To the House and Senate of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

You are respectfully asked to memorialize Congress to loan from any fund available, with particular reference

to the fund created by the profits of the United States Grain Corporation, or from some fund hereafter made available upon application, upon plain promissory note of any person who was upon their own account engaged in actual grain farming in this state during the year 1922, such sum or sums of money as such applicant shall deem necessary, not exceeding in all the sum of \$500.00, with which to re-establish said applicant upon agricultural lands in this state as soon as possible, said note or notes to bear interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent per annum, said note to be signed jointly by the spouse of said applicant, if any there be, to be of the mortuary type but payable certain within seven years. The full amount of the note or notes to be paid in cash into the hand of the borrower, said borrower to be a member of an association, the majority of which members are free or practically free from debt, or solvent, and formed substantially on the plan of the existing live stock association, but of ten or more adult persons resident in the county of the borrower and engaged on their own account in grain farming or mixed grain and cattle raising, and which individual members shall be liable for the ultimate payment of all such notes of the members of said association severally, in the amount of not to exceed fifteen per cent of the balance of the principal and interest due on each of the loans so made.

A Concurrent Resolution Asking for the Return of Funds Derived from the Sale of Public Lands in North Dakota and that Such Funds Be Expended for the Development of Irrigation and Drainage Projects Within the State of North Dakota.

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota, the Senate Concurring:

Whereas, The report of the Secretary of the **Interior** shows that there has been accumulated from the sale of public lands in the state of North Dakota and assigned to the Reclamation Fund up to June 30, 1921, the sum of \$12,211,135.71, and

Whereas, Only a small portion of this fund has been expended for reclamation projects in the state of North Dakota; therefore,

Be It Resolved, That this Legislature send a memorial to the President of the United States, the Senate and the House of Representatives at Washington, asking that this fund be restored to the state of North Dakota to be expended for the development of irrigation and drainage projects, and also for the control of the flood waters of our streams.

House Bill 296 and House Bill 297 were filed and referred to the Committee on Delayed Bills.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Eckert and Mr. Heaton introduced:

House Bill No. 216. A Bill for an Act to Authorize and empower the State Auditing Board to Borrow Money to Meet the Appropriations, to Provide for the Re-payment thereof with Interest, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Peters by request introduced:

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act Making it a Misdemeanor for any Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle While such Person is in an Intoxicated Condition, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays none, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Root
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackie	Sagen
Anderson	Fedge	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Sims
Anderson	Franson	Lazier	Slominski
Sargent	Fredrickson	Link	Sproul
Arduser	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Starke
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lynch	Steen
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Streich
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Martin	Shurr
Bryans	Hanson	McCay	Swett
Burk	Hardy	McDowell	Traynor
Burkhart	Harrington	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burns	Hart	Miller	Tweten
Carr	Haugland	Morton	Twitchell
Cart	Heaton	Muus	Ulland
Cole	Helbling	Oberg	Veitch
Craig	Hempel	Olafson	Vogel
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Doyle	Hoople	Opland	Weld
Dougherty	Iverson	Orange	Yeater
Durkee	Jackson	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Erickson	Jones	Quam	
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Rabe	
	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Lackey	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Eckert	Levin	Rustad	
Henne	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	
Johnson, Traill	Norden	Walker	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 62. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3476, Compiled Laws, 1913, as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, Relating to the Levying of Tax to Provide for a Sinking Fund to Pay County Seed and Feed Bonds.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 3, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Quam
Burleigh	Flom	Lackie	Rabe
Anderson	Frandsen	Larkin	Radeliffe
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larson	Root
Anderson	Freeman	Lazier	Sagen
Sargent	Geiszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Goranson	Link	Sims
Bollinger	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Steen
Burk	Hart	Martin	Streich
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Carr	Hebling	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Cole	Herne	Morton	Twitchell
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Ulland
Currie	Hoope	Oberg	Veitch
Doye	Iverson	O'afson	Vogel
Dougherty	Jackson	O'son, Towner	Walker
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Jones	Patterson	Yeater
Erickson	Kellogg	Peters	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Kelly	Plath	
	Kopp	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Elmer	Swett
26th Dist.		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Norden	Rustad	Watt
Jardine			

So the Bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Requiring the County Superintendent of Schools of all Counties to Report Names of School District Clerks to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 65, nays 39, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Doyle	Hoope	Muus
Burleigh	Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Opland
Burke-Divide	Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson
Anderson	Ellingson	Jones	Peters
Sargent	Erickson	Kellogg	Quade
Arduser	26th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Bollinger	Erickson	Lackie	Sagen
Boyd	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bryans	Frandsen	Lynch	Streich
Burk	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Burkhart	Freeman	Maddock	Swett
Burns	Hardy	Martin	Ulland
Carr	Harrington	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Haugland	McDowell	Walker
Craig	Heaton	Miller	Ycater
		Morton	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Helbling	Link	Steen
Colé	Hempel	McGauvran	Traynor
Currie	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Elmer	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Twoten
Flom	Jackson	Orange	Twifchell
Geiszler	Kelly	Plath	Veitch
Goranson	Lackey	Radcliffe	Weisbeck
Halcrow	Larkin	Root	Weid
Hanson	Larson	Slominski	Mr. Speaker
Hart	Levin	Sproul	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Norden	Rustad
Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Johnson, Traill	Rabe	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson moved that further action on House Bill No. 163 be deferred until the amendments are printed in the Journal.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Twichell moved that further action on House Bill No. 163 be deferred until tomorrow and that the bill be reconsidered by the Committee on Enrollment and En-grossment.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 148. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Annual Reporting by County Auditor to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of all Elective Auditors and Clerks of Political Subdivisions of the County.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays 26, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Durkee	Lackey	Plath
Burleigh	Ehr	Lackie	Quade
Anderson	Ellingson	Larkin	Quam
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Larson	Rabe
	26th Dist.		

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Anderson	Erickson	Levin	Radcliffe
Sargent	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Sagen
Arduser	Fedre	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
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Boyd	Fredrickson	Martin	Sproul
Bratsberg	Hardy	McCay	Starke
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Burkhart	Henton	Morton	Shurr
Burns	Hoop'e	Mues	Swett
Carr	Iverson	Nerden	Tweten
Cart	Jardine	Oberg	Vogel
Cole	Johanson, Nelson	Opland	Walker
Craig	Jones	Orange	Weisbeck
Currie	Kellogg	Patterson	Weld
Doy'e	Kopp	Peters	Yeater
Dougherty	Lazier		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Elmer	Hart	Link	Trubshaw
Flom	Hebling	McGauvran	Twitchell
Freeman	Hedges	O'afson	Ulland
Geiszler	Heppe	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Gowanson	Jackson	Root	Mr. Speaker
Halerow	Johnson, Pembina	Slominski	
Hanson	Kelly	Traynor	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Johnson, Traill	Rustad
Eckert	Maddeek	Sathre, Steele
Hempel	Olson, Ransom	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The following bills were messaged to the senate:

House Bills No. 59, 62, 152 and 148.

CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.
CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Olson of Eddy and Foster

Be it Resolved by the Senate of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly, the House of Representatives Concurring:

Whereas, The Federal Land Bank of this district has adopted and put into operation a rule in violation of the spirit of the Federal Land Bank, that no loan be made to any person whatsoever in any zone or district wherein there has been a single defalcation in an interest payment to such bank, and

Whereas, Such zones or districts generally comprise an entire county or other large division of territory, and

Whereas, There is generally one delinquent farmer in such zone or district who has been unable to meet his interest in such county or territory, and

Whereas, The adoption and enforcement of the above mentioned rule practically suspends the operation of the Federal Land Bank in many zones and districts in this state, and

Whereas, It is authoritatively stated that a large per cent of the farmers within this state are unlawfully refused the benefits of the Federal Land Bank Act, now, therefore,

Be it Resolved, By the Senate of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring, that the Congress of the United States be, and the same, is hereby respectfully urged to pass suitable legislation correcting this evil and preventing similar abuses on behalf of those charged with the responsibility and management of said Federal Land Bank in the future, and

Be it Further Resolved that the Secretary of State transmit a copy of this Resolution to the President of the United States, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and to the Senators and Representatives of the United States from the State of North Dakota.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Reenact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a Method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act Relative to the Admission of Persons Under Eighteen Years of Age to Public Dances and Requiring the Posting of a Copy of the Law and Prescribing Penalty for its Violation.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

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Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Corporations Other than Municipal.

Senate Bill No. 196. A Bill for an Act to Provide an Appropriation for the Eradication of the Barberry.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act Giving the North Dakota Game and Fish Commissioner Power to Make Rules and Regulations in Addition to Those Already Provided by Law, for the Protection of the Fish in the Lakes and Rivers of North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Senate Bill No. 220. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expenses of the Department of Motor Vehicle Registration.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill 100. A Bill For an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the School of Science at Wahpeton, N. Dak.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$22,230.00 for the Purpose of Paying Salary, Clerk Hire and General Expense of the State Historical Society.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 136. A Bill for an Act to Provide a State Contingency Fund to be Placed at the Disposal of the State Emergency Commission to be Used as Provided by Chapter 26 and 152 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915; and Making an Appropriation of \$50,000.00 which Shall be Known as the State Contingency Fund.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 137. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$2,000.00 for the Biennium to Defray the Expenses of Disbarment Proceedings, as Prescribed by Section 808 to 812 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 200. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Recall of County Commissioners.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Senate Bill No. 208. A Bill for an Act Relating to County Finances; Providing That all County Officials and All Officers in Charge of any Institution, Office or Undertaking Supported in Whole or in Part by the County Shall File an Itemized Statement of Amounts Necessary for Maintenance of Such Office or Institution; Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Annually Prepare a Budget Providing for Publication of Such Budget and of the Proposed Levy; Providing for a Public Hearing in Regard to the Proposed Expenditures and Levy; Fixing a Date for Levy; Providing That All Expenditures must Conform to the Budget as Adopted, and That all Unappropriated Balances in any Fund at the End of the Fiscal Year Shall Become a Part of the General Fund; Repealing Sections 3312, 3313, and 3314, of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3784 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 120 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Municipal Elections in Cities.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 7, 1923.

Mr Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relative to Liens Upon Crops.

House Bill No. 23. A Bill for an Act Providing for Investigation of Violation of Laws, Arrest and Seizure, Starting Prosecutions, Regulations Governing Same and Penalty.

House Bill No. 22. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment, Government and Maintenance of the City Planning Commission in Such City; to Prescribe the Powers and Duties of Such Planning Commission and to Vest in Such Commission Jurisdiction over all New Subdivisions or Resubdivisions of Land Within the Corporate Limits of Such City.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 7, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 167. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enacting Section 1275 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Special School Districts.

Senate Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1334 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 105, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Common School Districts.

Senate Bill No. 164. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1303 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of the Amount of Bonds of Independent School Districts.

Senate Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act Permitting the Increase of the Limitation of Indebtedness of Common Special and Independent School Districts by an Additional Five Per Centum on the Assessed Value of the Taxable Property Therein, Beyond the Present Constitutional Limit of Five Per Centum, Providing a Method for Effecting Such Increase, and for Submitting the Question of Such Increase to the Electors of the School Districts at Annual or Special Elections, and Providing for Preserving a Record of Such Increase of the Limit of Indebtedness.

Senate Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 117 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Nomination and Election of all Elective County Officers, Judges of the Supreme and District Courts, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and County Superintendent of Schools, without Requiring a Declaration as to Party Affiliation, and a Separate Ballot for County Officials and Extending the Law so as to Apply to all State Officials and Members of the Legislature; Changing Petition Requirement and Providing for Filling of Vacancies and for Designation of Principles Supported by Candidates for State and Legislative Office.

Senate Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act Establishing a Closed Season on Frogs.

Senate Bill No. 155. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 4, 6, 8, 34, 35 and 65, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, and Section 27, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Section 2, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 36, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Section 5, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 46, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 134, Session Laws 1921 and Section 80, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Game and Fish.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 5205 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota,

Relating to the Term of Existence of Certain Corporations.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 75, nays 26, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Anderson	Elmer	Larkin	Plath
Burleigh	Fedje	Larson	Quade
Anderson	Flom	Lynch	Quam
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	McMannus	Rabe
Anderson	Freeman	Maddock	Radcliffe
Sargent	Geiszler	Martin	Root
Arduser	Gornson	McGay	Sagen
Bollinger	Halcrow	McDowell	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Hanson	McGauvran	Sims
Bratsberg	Tarrington	Miller	Sominski
Brown	Hart	Morton	Starke
Bryans	Heaton	Muus	Shurr
Burk	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Burns	Hodges	Oberg	Trubshaw
Carr	Hoople	Olafson	Twitchell
Cart	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Ullard
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	O'son, Towner	Veitch
Doye	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Vogel
Durkee	Kelly	Patterson	Weisbeck
	Lackey	Peters	Weld

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Haruy	Kellogg	Sproul
Crate	Haveland	Kopp	Steen
Erickson	He'bling	Lazier	Streich
26th Dist.	Hempel	Levin	Swett
Erickson	Iverson	Link	Walker
16th Dist.	Jardine	Loudenbeck	Yeater
Frandsen	Jones	Opland	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Jhr	Jackie	Sathre, Steele
Dougherty	Ellingson	Olson, Ransom	Tweten
Wekert	Johnson, Trail	Rustad	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker declared that the emergency clause lost.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and request that it be printed in the Journal. I vote no on Senate Bill No. 1, for the reason that only a few people in the state want the law; and for the further purpose of protesting against the Senate who have just killed House Bill No. 1, for which law thousands of people are praying.

Mr. Paul Johnson, Pembina: Mr. Speaker, I am in favor of this bill, and I would further like to show my appreciation of Senate's action in getting away from House Bill No. 1. I vote aye.

Senate Bill No. 37. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1119 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Publication of the Proceedings of the State Education Association.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays 25, absent and not voting 10.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Plath
Burleigh	Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Anderson	Ellingson	Kelly	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Kopp	Radcliffe
Anderson	16th Dist.	Lackey	Root
Sargent	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Frandson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Levin	Sims
Boyd	Freeman	Lynch	Stominski
Bratsberg	Geiszler	McManus	Sproul
Brown	Goranson	McDowell	Starke
Burk	Halerow	McGauvran	Sweet
Burns	Hanson	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Harrington	Muus	Trubshaw
Cart	Hart	Norden	Tweten
Cole	Heaton	Olafson	Twitchell
Craig	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Doyie	Hoople	Opland	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Iverson	Orange	Weld
	Jackson	Peters	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Helbling	Maddock	Steen
Elmer	Hempel	Martin	Streich
Erickson	Jones	Morton	Shurr
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Oberg	Vogel
Fedze	Larkin	Patterson	Walker
Hardy	Link	Quam	Yeater
Haugland	Loudenbeck		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Eckert	Lackie	Rustad	
Jardine	McCay	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act amending Sections 728 and 729 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 relating to fees in the Supreme Court and their coverage into the State Treasury.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 102, nays 2, absent and not voting 9.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Root
Anderson	Fedze	Larkin	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Frandson	Lazier	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Stominski
Arduser	Freeman	Link	Sproul
Bollinger	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Starke

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Me
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Steen	
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McManus	Streich	
Brown	Hanson	Maddock	Shurr	
Bryans	Hardy	Martin	Swett	
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Traynor	
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw	
Burns	Haugland	Miller	Tweten	
Carr	Heaton	Morton	Twichell	
Cart	Hebling	Muus	Ulland	
Cole	Hempel	Norden	Veitch	
Craig	Henne	O'afson	Walker	
Currie	Hodges	O'son, Towner	Weisbeck	
Doyle	Hoop'e	Opland	We'd	
Dougherty	Iverson	Orange	Yeater	
Durkee	Jackson	Patterson	Mr. Speaker	
Ehr	Jardine	Peters		
Ellingson	Johnson, Ne'son	Plath		
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Quade		
Erickson	Jones	Quam		
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Rabe		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Oberg	Vogel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Lackie	Rustad
Johnson, Traill	McCay	Sathre, Steele
Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Watt

So the bill was passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 33 of the Laws Enacted by the Special Session of the Legislature of 1919 Relating to the Formation and Division of Voting Districts.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 41, absent and not voting 9.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson, 26th Dist.	Johnson, Ne'son	Quade
Boffinger	Fiom	Johnson, Pembina	Rebe
Boyd	Fredrickson	Kelly	Radeliffe
Brown	Froeman	Kopp	Root
Bryans	Geiszler	Lackey	Sagen
Burk	Goranson	Farson	Seminski
Burkhart	Halcrow	Lynch	Sproul
Burns	Hanson	Maddock	Staska
Carr	Harrington	McDowell	Traynor
Cart	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cole	Heaton	Miller	Tweten
Currie	Hebling	Muus	Ulland
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Veitch
Durkee	Hodges	O'afson	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Towner	
Ellingson	Jardine	Peters	
		Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Berke-Divide	Frandson	Link	Sims
Anderson	Hardy	Londonbeck	Steen
Sargent	Haugland	McManus	Streich

Arduser	Hempel	Martin	Shurr
Bratsberg	Hoople	Morton	Swett
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Doyle	Jones	Opland	Walker
Elmer	Kellogg	Orange	Weisbeck
Erickson	Larkin	Patterson	Weld
16th Dist.	Lazier	Quam	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	McCay	Sathre, Steele
Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Twitchell
Lackie	Rustad	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors:

D. L. Kukowski, Beach, N. D., Joe Shannach, Fargo, N. D., F. E. Tucker, Carrington, N. D., R. C. Morton, Carrington, H. K. Geist, Grand Forks, N. D., F. W. Sheffield, Fargo, N. D., Wm. Nimmo, Devils Lake, N. D.

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do now recess until 1 o'clock P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND
THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 8, 1923.

The House reassembled at 1:00 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess taken. Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:

Senate Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 5205 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, Relating to the Term of Existence of Certain Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 37. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1119 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Publication of the Proceedings of the State Education Association.

Senate Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 33 of the Laws Enacted by the Special Session of the Legislature of 1919 Relating to the Formation and Division of Voting Districts.

Senate Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act Amending Sections 728 and 729 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Fees in the Supreme Court and Their Coverage into the State Treasury.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 155. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 4, 6, 8, 34, 35 and 65, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, and Section 27, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Section 2, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 36, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Section 5, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 46, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 134, Session Laws 1921 and Section 80, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Game and Fish.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

Senate Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act Permitting the Increase of the Limitation of Indebtedness of Common

Special and Independent School Districts by an Additional Five Per Centum on the Assessed Value of the Taxable Property Therein, Beyond the Present Constitutional Limit of Five Per Centum, Providing a Method for Effecting Such Increase, and for Submitting the Question of Such Increase to the Electors of the School Districts at Annual or Special Elections, and Providing for Preserving a Record of Such Increase of the Limit of Indebtedness.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 164. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1303 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of the Amount of Bonds of Independent School Districts.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1334 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 105, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Common School Districts.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 167. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enacting Section 1275 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Special School Districts.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 117 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Nomination and Election of all Elective County Officers, Judges of the Supreme and District Courts, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and County Superintendent of Schools, without Requiring a Declaration as to Party Affiliation, and a Separate Ballot for County Officials and Extending the Law so as to Apply to all State Officials and Members of the Legislature; Changing Petition Requirement and Providing for Filling of Vacancies and for Designation of Principles Supported by Candidates for State and Legislative Office.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Senate Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act Establishing a Closed Season on Frogs.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382 of the Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Defining School Year and School Week. Holidays.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Miller requested a Call of the House.

Which request was complied with.

CALL OF THE HOUSE

On the Call of the House there were present 105, absent 8.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kopp Lackey	Root Rustad
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Larkin Lazter	Sagen Sathre, Steele
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Levin Link	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Loudenbeck Lynch	Slominski Starke
Bollinger	Geiszler	McManus Maddock	Steen Streich
Boyd	Goranson	Martin McCay	Shurr Swett
Brown	Halerow	McDowell McGauvran	Traynor Trubshaw
Bryans	Hanson	Miller Morton	Tweten Twichell
Burk	Hardy	Mus Norden	Ulland Veitch
Burkhart	Harrington	Oberg Olafson	Vogel Walker
Burns	Hart	Olafson, Towner Opland	Weisbeck Weld
Carr	Haugland	Orange Patterson	Yeater Mr. Speaker
Cart	Heaton	Peters Plath	
Cole	Helbling	Quade Quam	
Craig	Hempel	Rabe	
Currie	Henne		
Doyle	Hodges		
Dougherty	Hoople		
Durkee	Iverson		
Eckert	Jackson		
Ehr	Jardine		
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson		
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina		
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jones		
	Kellogg		
	Kelly		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg Johnson, Trail.	Lakie Larson	Olson, Ransom Sims	Sprout Watt

Mr. Flom moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with. Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382 of the Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Defining School Year and School Week. Holidays.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 79, nays 30, absent and not voting 4.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lakie Larkin	Plath Quade
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Flom	Larson Lazier	Quam Sagen
Arduser	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Fredrickson	McManus	Sims
Eryans	Freeman	Maddock	Sproul
Burk	Geiszler	Martin	Streich
Burkhart	Goranson	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Halcrow	McDowell	Swett
Carr	Hanson	McGauvran	Traynor
Lart	Hardy	Miller	Trubshaw
Cole	Heaton	Morton	Tweten
Craig	Hempel	Muus	Ulland
Currie	Henne	Norden	Veitch
Doy's	Hooplo	Oberg	Vogel
Dougherty	Iverson	O'afson	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	
Erickson 16th Dist.	Jones	Orange	
	Malogg	Paterson	
	Kelly	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Anderson, Burleigh	Hart Haugland	Levin Link	Slominski Starke
Bollinger	Helbling	Lynch	Steen
Boyd	Hodges	Rabe	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Radcliffe	Walker
Ehr	Jardine	Root	Weld
Elmer	Kopp	Rustad	Mr. Speaker
Harrington	Lackey	Sathre, Steele	

Absent and not voting:

Bratsberg	Johnson, Trail.	Olson, Ransom	Watt
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So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Haugland asked to explain his vote and requested that his explanation be printed in the Journal. Mr. Speaker: In the name of the children of this state, the fairest of our all, who would be compelled to attend school on Armistice Day according to this act; in the name of the teachers of this state, who might gain an added inspiration from our Armistice Day programs; in the name of the fathers and mothers, who would take their families with them and attend these programs, and last, but not least, in the name of our known and unknown dead who gave their lives in the World War that humanity might profit and that we might better hallow their memory on this day, November the eleventh,—I vote "No."

Mr. Lynch: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and request that my explanation be extended to the Journal. I vote "No" on this bill. If this Legislative Assembly can take a recess of one day to honor and show respect to one of our leading and respected citizens upon his death, I do not believe it is asking too much to ask the parents of this state to keep their children out of school one day of each year in honor and in commemoration of

the deeds and valor of over fifty thousand of the greatest kind of Americans who still lie buried in France.

Mr. Miller: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and request that my remarks be printed in the Journal. I vote "Aye" on this bill because of the fact that 172,511 children are now running wild over the prairies on Armistice Day, and I am in favor of this bill which will compel them to attend school and for a part of that day be taught the true meaning of the day. I vote "Aye" also in thinking of the school taxes, because this bill will give us a little greater value for our money. I vote "Aye" because the educational association of the state and a majority of our people desire this bill.

Senate Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Furnishing by the Register of Deeds of Each County to Elevators Making Application and Paying the Fee Provided Therefore, of an Abstract of all Mortgages and Liens upon Grain Grown During Each Year, and filed in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 96, nays 12, absent and not voting 5.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackey	Rabe
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Lakie	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Erickson	Larson	Root
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazler	Rustad
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sagen
Sargent	Flom	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Franson	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Fredrickson	McManus	Sims
Brown	Freeman	Martin	Slominski
Bryans	Goranson	McCay	Sproul
Burk	Halcrow	McDowell	Starke
Burkhart	Hanson	McGauvran	Steen
Burns	Hardy	Miller	Streich
Carr	Harrington	Morton	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	Muus	Swett
Cole	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Trubshaw
Currie	Hoople	Olafson	Tweten
Doyle	rverson	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Kellogg	Quade	
	Kopp	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Geiszler	Hempel	Larkin	Walker
Hart	Henne	Link	Weld
Helbling	Kelly	Opland	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Jonsson, Trail.	Maddock	Watt
Bratsberg			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and request that my remarks be printed in the Journal. I vote "No" for the reason that this is another Senate Bill, and I just noticed that they passed a law to protect the frogs and killed a law that was meant to protect the farmers; so I am suspicious and am going to vote against this bill.

Mr. Jackson moved that the remarks of the gentleman from Sheridan, regarding Senate Bill No. 34, be omitted from the permanent Journal.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I want to reply to the gentleman from Ramsey and ask that this also be printed in the Journal. I certainly am opposed to the motion that my remarks be stricken from the record, for the reason that I made them in good faith. They might not sound so to the gentleman from Ramsey, but I made them in good faith just the same. The Senate just passed a law to protect the frogs and killed a law to protect the farmers. I most certainly object to having my remarks stricken from the Journal.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Jackson, a vote was taken and the motion was lost.

Senate Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Requiring all Agents Acting for or on Behalf of any Insurance Company Doing Business in this State to be Licensed, Regulating the Methods, Practices and Transactions of such Agents in Conducting Such Insurance Business, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of any of the Provisions of This Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays 4, absent and not voting 4.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackie	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Frederickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Leach	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Gardner	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Garson	Lynch	Slominski
Bollinger	Halcrow	McManus	Sproul
Boyd	Hanson	Maddock	Starke
Brown	Hardy	Martin	Steen
Bryans	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Burkhart	Haugland	McGauvran	Swett
Burns	Heaton	Mitier	Traynor
Carr	Helbling	Morton	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	Muus	Tweten
Cole	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Curria	Heddes	Oberg	Ulland
Doyle	Hoople	O'aison	Veitch
	Iverson	Olson, Iowner	Vogel

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Dougherty	Jackson	Opland	Walker
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jones	Plath	
Erickson	Kellogg	Quads	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quam	
Erickson	Kopp	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Elmer	Lin	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Bratsberg Johnson, Traill Olson, Ransom Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Stark moved that Senate Bill No. 71 be re-referred to the Committee of the Whole. Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kelly moved that the House do now adjourn. Which motion carried and the House adjourned.

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 8, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. I. G. Monson.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Johnson of Traill, Olson of Ransom, and Watt.

Mr. Kopp moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382 of the Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Defining School Year and School Week. Holidays.

Senate Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 33 of the Laws Enacted by the Special Session of the Legislature of 1919 Relating to the Formation and Division of Voting Districts.

Senate Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act amending Sections 728 and 729 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 relating to fees in the Supreme Court and their coverage into the State Treasury.

Senate Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Requiring all Agents Acting for or on Behalf of any Insurance Company Doing Business in this State to be Licensed, Regulating the

Methods, Practices and Transactions of such Agents in Conducting Such Insurance Business, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of any of the Provisions of this Act.

Senate Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Furnishing by the Register of Deeds of Each County to Elevators Making Application and Paying the Fee Provided Therefore, of an Abstract of all Mortgages and Liens upon Grain Grown During Each Year, and filed in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

Senate Bill No. 37. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1119 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Publication of the Proceedings of the State Education Association.

Senate Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 5205 of the Compiled Laws Relating to the Term of Existence of Certain Corporations.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Thirty-sixth Day After Recess and Thirty-seventh Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 4, line 12, the word "shall" is mis-spelled.

On page 5, line 2, the word "presiding" is mis-spelled.

On page 12, line 28, the word "committee" is mis-spelled.

On page 14, the name "Wilbur Maddock" should read "Walter Maddock."

On page 15, under the Roll Call, strike out the word "affirmative" and insert in lieu thereof the word "negative."

On page 26, line 11, the word "responsibility" is mis-spelled.

On page 27, under Senate Bill 169, the "Committee on Appropriations" should read "Committee on Corporations Other Than Municipal."

Page 27, fourth line from the bottom, the word "maintenance" is mis-spelled.

Page 28, under Senate Bill 137 strike out the words "Corporations Other Than Municipal" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Appropriations."

Page 29, strike out House Bill No. 23.

Bottom of page 30, "Third Reading of House Bills" should read "Third Reading of Senate Bills."

Page 35, under Senate Bill No. 71, the word "deficit" is mis-spelled.

Page 35, under Senate Bills, first line, strike out the word "House" and in lieu thereof insert the word "Senate"; also pick up Senate Bill No. 34 title in place of House Bill No. 34 title.

At bottom of page 9 the name "Walker" is mis-spelled.

On page 32, on roll call, Henne is reported as voting both affirmative and negative; should show voting Aye.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS

The Committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Communications to whom was referred:

1. A communication to Miss Dougherty in reference to narcotic drugs from the City Commissioners of Minot.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that same be printed in the Journal and read.

Also,

2. A copy of resolutions adopted by Minot Typographical Union sent to Mr. Burns protesting against passage of House Bill No. 73, also Senate Bill No. 247.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be neither read nor printed in the Journal.

Also,

3. A communication from Woman's Auxiliary of Hope, N. D., regarding Public Health Appropriation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be neither printed nor read.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The use of narcotic drugs by residents of this and other cities of the state is steadily growing, to the injury of the health and morals of this community; and

WHEREAS, A bill has been or is about to be introduced in the House of Representatives of this state, authorizing the abatement of places where narcotic drugs are sold in violation of the Government laws relative thereto, and of places where persons are allowed to resort for the use of such drugs; be it

RESOLVED, By the Board of City Commissioners of the city of Minot, that the Senators and Representatives of this portion of the state be requested to use their best efforts towards the passage of such bill with emergency clause attached.

I, K. A. Dickinson, City Auditor of the city of Minot, North Dakota, do hereby certify that I have carefully compared the foregoing resolution with the record on file in the Auditor's office and that it is a true and correct copy thereof.

Dated at Minot, North Dakota, this 6th day of February, 1923.

K. A. DICKINSON,
City Auditor.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the State Hospital for the Insane at Jamestown, North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of One Hundred Seventy-Six Thousand Dollars for Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Dunseith.

Also,

House Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand and Forty Dollars (\$1,040.00) for the Payment of \$10.00 Once Each Week During the Biennium 1923, 1924, as an Aid to the Society for the Friendless Authorized Under Chapter 46 of the North Dakota Session Laws of 1911.

Also,

House Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$3,450.00 for the Payment of the Per Diem and Expenses of the Board of Experts; and the Salary, and Other Expenses of the Field Officer to be Incurred Under Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, for the Biennial Period.

Also,

House Bill No. 119. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$63,000.00 for the Care of Insane Patients Whose Residence Can not be Determined and Whose Care Must be Borne by the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Reporting at the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Contracts Involving Labor Entered Into by All Political Subdivisions of the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Keeping Open, Running or Permitting the Running of Any Place for Public Dancing on the First Day of the Week, Commonly Called the Sabbath, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Also,

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 296. A Bill for an Act Agreeing to a Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the State of

North Dakota, by Changing Section 63 Thereof; Providing that Bills Introduced in Either House of the Legislative Assembly Shall Be Read Twice.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act for an Appropriation to the Board of Auditors as Provided for in Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Law Approved November 2, 1920.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A majority of the Committee on Public Printing made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your Committee on Public Printing to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 173. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 and Section 2 of Chapter 173 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919 Relating to Union Label.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. C. MILLER,
Chairman.

Mr. Miller moved that the report be adopted.

A minority of the Committee on Public Printing made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your Committee on Public Printing, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 173. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 and Section 2 of Chapter 173 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919 Relating to Union Label.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
A. N. FLOM.

Mr. Trubshaw moved, as a substitute motion, that the minority report be adopted.

Mr. Trubshaw: Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Representatives: This bill which is now before you for final action on the report of the majority of the committee, recommending House Bill No. 73 for indefinite postponement, is one of great interest to hundreds and thousands of printers in the state of North Dakota. I wish to put this matter before you as well as I can, and I would ask the consent of the members that my remarks be printed in the Journal. My name was mentioned by Mr. Vogel a short time ago in connection with others who have at various times requested use of the Journal for the publication of their remarks, and I will say to the gentleman that this is only the second time during this session that I have made such a request and the other time the whole matter was later expunged from the record; so it is not a correct statement to include my name with those who may have abused this privilege. But the question now before this Assembly is a very important one and I desire to have my remarks recorded.

I hold in my hand a resolution purported to have been adopted by the Minot Typographical Union No. 376, and distributed here among the members of this Assembly as a part of the propaganda being spread for the purpose of defeating this bill. This resolution contains several false and misleading statements, and I want to read one paragraph of it containing an absolutely false statement. The fourth paragraph reads as follows:

"Whereas, House Bill 73 is sponsored by Mr. Trubshaw, who operates a printing establishment in Valley City where the Teachers College is located, it appears that this bill savors of personal ambition even more than the bill before the Senate. Prior to May 1, 1921, Valley City had a local union, but at that time Mr. Trubshaw and his fellow employers, of their own volition, severed their relations with the union and forced it to surrender its charter. It would appear in the face of these facts that Valley City has enough printers to form a union if the employers of that place wished to deal with them. We might add that any state printing let to offices not large enough to have a union would in most instances have to be sub-let to shops equipped to handle the work. This would naturally entail a heavier expense on the part of the state as both shops would have to realize a profit from the same contract."

Now then, Mr. Speaker, I want to say in response to this statement which I have just read that it must have come from some distorted mind. I would like to have any gentleman in this House investigate the matter and inform himself of the facts, and I would then be willing to leave

it to his judgment if I am not stating the truth when I say that the statement in this circular that "prior to May 1, 1921, Valley City had a local union, but at that time Mr. Trubshaw and his fellow employers, of their own volition, severed their relations with the union and forced it to surrender its charter," is an absolute misstatement of fact. Mr. Speaker, I want to say to the members of this House that in May, 1921, there were two printing offices in the city of Valley City; one was my own and the other one was operated by the Nonpartisan League. Now without any lengthy explanation I want to say that the Nonpartisan League paper would not go in with me on any proposition or for any purpose, unless it would be at my own funeral, and then they would be with me only for the purpose of making sure that I was securely buried. In such a case they would probably be with me, and yet this article talks about what was done by Mr. Trubshaw and his fellow employers, as though we were acting together in some matter.

Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen, I want to say to you a few words about this labor union question. You all will remember the trouble with the printers' union that resulted in a strike in May, 1921. You all read about the matter in the daily papers, and I want to tell you that there are thousands of daily papers that tell the truth, and they told the truth about matters in connection with that strike. At that time there were several hundred, yet thousands, of printers of the state out on strike demanding a forty-four hour week. At that time I had a contract with the union and my shop was a union shop and my paper carried the union label. But we couldn't comply with the forty-four hour week rule. But I continued to run my shop as a union shop until about January 1, 1922. A long about that time the president of the Teachers College, located there in Valley City, sent down a small job of printing, some programs for exercises to be held at the college. And this affair all came up over the matter of printing a few programs. After this work was delivered the president of the college called me up at my home one evening, when I was eating my supper, and told me that the programs didn't have the union label on them. I got up and looked at my own paper and discovered that the union label which had always been carried at the head of it had been left off, so I immediately called up my foreman and called his attention to this fact and asked him why the union label had been dropped from the paper. I said to him, Billy—his name is Billy Duvall—I see that the union label has been left off from the paper; what is the reason for this? Now, I won't give you his exact words in replying, for there were some cuss words used, but what he told me in effect was that it was none of my business, that they owned the label and would do as they pleased about it. So I lost the union label and consequently was thrown out of any chance to get any of the institutional work. That is just the way it came about, and yet they say here that I dropped the label of my own volition, when I was not asked a thing about it and only discovered

that it had been left off the paper after the president of the Teachers College called me up regarding that little job of printing. I was told that it was none of my business, that I would have to fight it out with the union at Fargo, and they have even had a representative here to work against the passage of this bill, and I have been foot-balled around here and caught by the throat and jammed down—and it is all over this bill that absolutely will not hurt a single union shop, but only gives a shop in a town where there is no union an opportunity to do the work of the institution located in that town.

Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen, I am not only asking that my particular town be given this opportunity, but it applies to other towns as well, such as Mandan, Hillsboro, Mayville and a lot of others. It will give these places, similarly situated, a chance to do the work for the institutions located in their respective towns. It is in their interests as well as my own case that I am making this plea for justice. There is nothing wrong about this bill and no reason why it should not pass. There is no graft or anything of that nature connected with it,—just a fair, square proposition of doing justice to these shops. I have a good shop at Valley City and am equipped to do all kinds of work, large and small jobs of every description; I pay the same wages that the union scale calls for, work an eight hour day, give my printers Saturday afternoon off, and in every way comply with the union rules regarding fair treatment and good pay for my men, but they have denied me the use of the label and shut me out of this class of printing simply because I wouldn't bow to the selfish, unreasonable and unwarranted demand of the union.

Mr. Jackson moved the previous question.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the substitute motion of Mr. Trubshaw, the request for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 39, nays 69, absent and not voting 5.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hanson	McGauvran	Slominski
Carr	Hart	Norden	Sproul
Cole	Heaton	Olafson	Starke
Ellingson	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Steen
Elmer	Jackson	Orange	Traynor
Flom	Jackson, Pembina	Peters	Trubshaw
Fredrickson	Kelly	Quade	Tweten
Geiszler	Larson	Radcliffe	Ulland
Goranson	Levin	Root	Veitch
Halcrow	McCay	Sathre, Steele	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Dougherty	Johnson,	Nelson Patterson
Burleigh	Durkee	Jones	Plath
Anderson	Ehr	Kellogg	Quam
Burke-Divide	Eckert	Kopp	Rabe
		Lackey	Rustad

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jardine	Opland
Sargent	26th Dist.	Larkin	Sagen
Arduser	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	16th Dist.	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Streich
Brown	Frandsen	Lynch	Shurr
Bryans	Freeman	McManus	Snett
Burk	Hardy	Maddock	Twichell
Burkhart	Harrington	Martin	Vogel
Burns	Haugland	McDowell	Walker
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Weisbeck
Craig	Hempel	Morton c	Weld
Currie	Hoopel	Muus	Yeater
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Henne	Lackie	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Johnson, Trail.			

So the motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Miller, for the adoption of the majority report, the motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Public Printing made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Public Printing to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 182. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Publication of Delinquent Tax List.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. C. MILLER,
Chairman.

Mr. Miller moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Public Printing made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Public Printing to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out on Line 5, section 2189 of the original bill, the word, "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. C. MILLER,
Chairman.

Mr. Miller moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 151. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Insurance of Employers with the Workmen's Compensation Fund Providing for Compensation for Injuries or Death of the Employer Himself, in Cases Where the Employer has Contracted for such Protection with the Bureau, also Providing for the Basis of Premium for such Protection.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. D. L. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Eight Hundred Fifty-three Dollars and Sixty-one Cents (\$853.61) to Take Care of Deficit in Biennial Appropriation of Department of Insurance.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit by Members of the State Canvassing Board.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 99. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit by the District Judges.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$2,000.00 Out of any Monies in the State Treasury Not Otherwise Appropriated for the Purpose of Paying Premiums on State Official Bonds as Provided by Chapter 175 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 121. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Actions to Release Insane Patients.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Treasurer's Office.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the Satte Executive Department.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 126. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Arrest and Return of Fugitives from Justice Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Survey of Coal Mines Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Auditor's Office.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Attorney General's Department.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Repair of the Whitestone Battlefield Monument Located in the Whitestone Battlefield Park, in Dickey County, North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6790 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A majority of the Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 164. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 6857 and 6858 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Farm Laborer's Lien Providing for the Lien for Labor or Services Performed on Farms.

Have had the same under consideration and the majority recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

A minority of the Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 164. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 6857 and 6858 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Farm Laborer's Lien Providing for the Lien for Labor or Services Performed on Farms.

Have had the same under consideration and a minority recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out all in line 16 after the word "performed"; all of lines 17, 18 and 19.

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

B. C. LARKIN,
R. H. WALKER,
ROY B. WELD.

Mr. Walker moved that the minority report be substituted for the majority report.

A request for a roll call was granted, which disclosed the following:

Ayes 38, nays 70, absent and not voting 5.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Eckert	Kellogg	Quam
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sims
Sargent	Fedje	Loudenbeck	Streich
Bryans	Frandsen	Maddock	Shurr
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Walker
Cole	Hempel	Oberg	Weld
Doyle	Jones	Opland	Yeater
		Patterson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Lackey	Radeliffe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Larson	Root
Arduser	Goranson	Levin	Rustad
Bollinger	Halcrow	Link	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Harrington	McManus	Slominski
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Starke
Craig	Henne	Morton	Steen
Currie	Hodges	Muus	Traynor
Dougherty	Hoople	Norden	Trubshaw
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Tweten
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Ellingson	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Elmer	Johnson,	Peters	Veitch
16th Dist.	Johnson,	Plath	Weisbeck
Flom	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Fredrickson	Kopp	Rabe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Lackie	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Johnson, Traill			

So the motion was lost.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, if I am not allowed to pass my vote on this bill I will make an explanation and request that it be recorded in the Journal. A few days ago I would have been absolutely against a bill such as this, but I find we are not willing to protect the farmers and are willing to protect such lowly things as frogs, so I am at this time even willing to support this bill.

Mr. Kellogg: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and request that it be printed in the Journal. I vote Aye on this measure for the reasons explained to you by my friend, Mr. Hempel.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Starke, the motion prevailed, and the majority report was adopted.

At the bottom of page 22, insert the following: "Mr. Jackson made the point of order that the explanation made by the gentleman from Sheridan on the last roll call, together with his explanations appearing on page 31 of the Journal of February 7th, and on page 6 of the Journal

of February 7th, are out of order; and requested the Speaker to order the same omitted from the permanent Journal.

"The Speaker announced that the point of order would be taken under advisement.

"Mr. Hempel consented to having the explanations referred to omitted from the permanent Journal."

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-Enact Section 5608 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

After the word "wife" in line 7 of the printed bill strike out the balance of the line.

Strike out all of lines 8, 9 and 10 and the first four words in line 11.

Strike out all of Section 2.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Legalizing Certain Acts of City, Village and School District Officials.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Amend the title by striking out the comma after the word "city" and inserting the word "and," and place a period after the word "village," and strike out the words "and School District Officials."

In the printed bill strike out the comma after the word "city" in line 2 of page 1 and insert in lieu thereof the word "or." Strike out the comma and the words "or school district" in the same line.

Strike out the comma at the end of line 4, page 1, and insert the word "or."

Add a comma after the word "village" in line 5, page 1, and strike out the words "or school district for school or other buildings." Change the word "or" preceding the word "water" in the same line to "of."

In line 7, page 1, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert the word "or." After the word "village" in the same line and at the beginning of line 8 strike out the words "or school district."

In line 10, page 1, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert the word "or," and strike out the words "or school district" following the word "village."

In line 13, page 1, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert the word "or" and strike out the words "or school district" in the same line.

In line 14, page 2, strike out the comma after the word "commissioners" and insert "or."

In line 15, strike out "school board of education thereof."

In line 17, after the word "city" strike out the comma and insert the word "or" and at the end of such line and the beginning of line 18 strike out the words "or school district."

In line 18, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert "or."

In line 19, strike out the words "or school district."

At the end of line 20, strike out the comma and insert the word "or."

In line 22, strike out the words "or school district."

In line 31, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert "or"; and strike out the words "school district."

In line 3, section 2, printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "warrants" and insert "or."

In line 8, section 2, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert "or" and in the same line strike out the words "or school district."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any County in North Dakota to Issue Funding or Refunding Bonds for the Purpose of Funding or Refunding Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Indebtedness.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Re-enacting Section 2125 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 23. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 51 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners to Issue Refunding Bonds to Fund or Refund for the Purpose of Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain bonds or warrants Theretofore Issued Pursuant to Law for the Purchase of Seed Grain and Feed or Either.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 158 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Attorney General's Report.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which the committee report for the indefinite postponement of House Bill No. 178 was adopted, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that House Bill No. 178 be referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 8, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 43.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 8, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following Concurrent Resolution, introduced by Senator Steel:

From the monument that a grateful people have erected to a worthy son, can be read these words:

"He who saves his country, saves himself, saves all things, and all things saved bless him; while he who lets his country perish, dies himself, lets all things die, and all things dying curse him."

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That on Monday, the 12th day of February next, no legislation shall be enacted by either the House or Senate of this Legislative Assembly, and that during the afternoon of said day, the Senators and Representatives shall meet in joint assembly for the purpose of paying tribute to the memory of Abraham Lincoln.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the President of the Senate appoint a committee of three to act with a like committee from the House to arrange for a suitable program for the said joint assembly.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the House do now adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution introduced by Senator Steel in regard to Lincoln's Birthday.

Mr. Jackson moved, as a substitute motion, that the Concurrent Resolution be adopted by a rising vote.

Which substitute motion prevailed and the House adopted the Senate Concurrent Resolution by a unanimous rising vote.

To the Joint House and Senate Committee on the Mandan Training School:

Your sub-committee composed of Representatives Miller and Rustad and Senator Kelsh submit the following report:

Representatives Miller and Rustad and Senator Kelsh interviewed Captain I. P. Baker and obtained the following information: That it is the policy of the United States Government to continue to use Fort Lincoln as a military post. Mr. Baker received word from Washington under date of December 28, 1922, to that effect. Mr. Baker stated, however, that if the United States Government ceased to use this fort as a military post, which is unlikely, he would be pleased to take this matter up again. Mr. Baker also stated that it is possible that the Government will discontinue the Indian School near Bismarck sometime in the not too distant future, and in that case he would be pleased to take up the disposition of this property with the state. He further stated that in case either the military post at Fort Lincoln or the Indian School near Bismarck were discontinued by the Government, the deed reverts back to the donors. Mr. Baker being trustee of said donors. The Fort Lincoln grounds contain 800 acres and the Indian School 160 acres. We are also informed that if Fort Lincoln should revert to the donors, they would prefer that it should be used for the purpose of a training school.

If the Military Bill now pending before Congress is passed, allowing the number of men in the standing army to remain as desired by the Secretary of War, it is expected that Fort Lincoln will be re-garrisoned.

J. C. MILLER,
THORVALD RUSTAD,
T. J. KELSH.

Report of the Joint House and Senate Committee on the investigation of the State Training School at Mandan:

Your committee appointed for that purpose begs to submit the following report on the condition of the State Training School at Mandan:

Upon investigating the above school, we found the following conditions:

Found 137 boys and girls.

44 boys from 7 to 14 years of age.

87 boys from 14 to 21 years of age.

Found the Girls' Home badly crowded and in a very unsafe condition because of lack of fire escapes and building badly in need of repairs.

Home for larger boys overcrowded; also badly in need of repairs to put it in a sanitary condition.

Home for smaller boys in better condition, but overcrowded.

Building where boiler was formerly located could be remodeled and would make a good building for manual training.

Barns in first class condition but horses were very poor.

Poultry house in a dilapidated condition and in need of immediate attention.

New boiler room in good condition; also Superintendent's home.

General sanitary conditions very poor on account of inadequate sewerage system.

Found 752 acres of land belonging to Institution, 170 of which are under cultivation. This amount is entirely insufficient for the number of inmates who are able to do farm work.

Recommendations

We would recommend that the girls and dependents be moved to some other established State Institution, said institution to be the one deemed most feasible under present conditions.

If the above action is taken, we would recommend that there be no appropriation made for new buildings at the present location at this time.

In view of the fact that such a small part of the land owned by the institution is capable of cultivation, we would recommend that more tillable land should be secured at once and that appropriation be provided therefor.

We would recommend that the girls in this institution receive instruction along the line of Domestic Science, especially work in plain sewing, and that the boys be given courses in Manual Training, etc.

NELLIE DOUGHERTY,
J. C. MILLER,
THORWALD RUSTAD.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peters moved the House do now recess for ten minutes.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

AFTER RECESS

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Vogel introduced:

House Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act for an Appropriation to the Board of Auditors as Provided for in Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Law Approved November 2nd, 1920.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Messrs. Hempel and Starke introduced:

House Bill No. 296. A Bill for a Concurrent Resolution Agreeing to a Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, by Changing Section 63 Thereof; Providing that Bills Introduced in Either House of the Legislative Assembly Shall Be Read Twice.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Reporting at the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Contracts Involving Labor Entered Into by All Political Subdivisions of the State.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 88, nays 14, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Willingson	Larkin	Rood
Burleigh	Fedge	Larson	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Anderson	Freeman	Lynch	Slominski
Sargent	Geiszler	McManus	Sproul
Arduser	Halcrow	Maddock	Starke
Bollinger	Hardy	Martin	Steen
Boyd	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Bratsberg	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Brown	Haugland	Miller	Sweet
Bryans	Heaton	Morton	Traynor
Burk	Henne	Muus	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Hodges	Norden	Tweten
Burns	Hoopie	Oberg	Vogel
Carr	Iverson	Olafson	Walker
Cart	Jackson	Opland	Weisbeck
Craig	Jardine	Orange	We'd
Drye	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Yeater
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Jones	Quam	
Eckert	Kelly	Quam	
Ehr	Kopp	Rabe	
	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Flom	Hempel	Plath
Elmer	Goranson	Ink	Ulland
Erickson	Hanson	McGauvran	Veitch
26th Dist.	Helbling	Olson, Towner	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.

Cole	Johnson, Traill	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Erickson	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
16th Dist.	Lackie	Sagen	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Keeping Open, Running or Permitting the Running of Any Place for Public Dancing on the First Day of the Week, Commonly Called the Sabbath, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 92, nays 13, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Larson	Sims
Burleigh	Flom	Lazier	Stominski
Anderson	Frandsen	Levin	Sproul
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lynch	Starke
Arduser	Freeman	McManus	Steen
Bollinger	Goranson	Maddock	Streich
Boyd	Halcrow	McDowell	Shurr
Bratsberg	Hanson	McGauvran	Swett
Brown	Harrington	Miller	Traynor
Bryans	Hart	Morton	Trubshaw
Burk	Haugland	Muus	Twetén
Burkhart	Heaton	Norden	Twichell
Burns	Helbling	Olafson	Ulland
Carr	Hempel	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Craig	Henne	Opland	Vogel
Currie	Hodges	Orange	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Hoople	Patterson	Weld
Durkee	Iverson	Peters	Yeater
Eckert	Jackson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jardine	Quade	
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Radcliffe	
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Root	
26th Dist.	Jones	Rustad	
Erickson	Kelly	Sagen	
16th Dist.	Kopp	Sathre, Steele	
	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Hardy	Martin	Walker
Cart	Lackey	McCay	
Doyle	Link	Oberg	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Me
Gole	Johnson, Traill	Lackie	Quam	
Ellingson	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Watt	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Walker: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and request that the explanation be printed in the Journal. I am going to vote "No" on House Bill No. 156 for the reason that I believe that any sport or amusement that is clean six days of the week is also clean on the seventh

day. And for the further reason that I believe legislation of this sort is an unwarranted interference with the personal liberty of the individual.

Mr. Miller moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 172 be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Anderson moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 172 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the State Hospital for the Insane at Jamestown, North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 106, nays 3, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larson	Rustad
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Frandsen	Levin	S. thre, Williams
Sargent	Fredrickson	Link	Sims
Arduser	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lynch	Starke
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Streich
Bratsberg	Helerow	Maddock	Shurr
Brown	Hanson	Martin	Sweet
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Traynor
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Tweten
Burns	Haugland	Miller	Twichell
Carr	Heaton	Morton	Ulland
Cart	Helbling	Muus	Veitch
Cole	Hempel	Martin	Vogel
Craig	Henne	Norden	Walker
Currie	Hodges	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	We'd
Dougherty	Iverson	Olsen, Towner	Yeater
Durkee	Jackson	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Jardine	Orange	
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Elmer	Jones	Quade	
Erickson	Kellogg	Oram	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe	
	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Patterson	Sproul	Steen

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Olson, Traill	Lackie	Olson, Ransom	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of One Hundred Seventy-Six Thousand Dollars

for Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Dunseith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 106, nays none, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kopp Lackey	Rabe Radcliffe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Larkin Larson	Root Rustad
Anderson Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Lazier Levin	Sagen Sathre, Steele
Arduser Bollinger	Freeman Geiszler	Link Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams Sims
Boyd Bratsberg	Goranson Halcerow	Lynch McManus	Slominski Sprout
Brown Bryans	Hanson Hardy	Maddock Martin	Starke Steen
Burk Burkhart	Harrington Hart	McDowell McGauvran	Streich Shurr
Burns Carr	Haugland Helbling	Miller Morton	Swett Traynor
Cart Cole	Hempel Henne	Muus. Norden	Trubshaw Tweten
Craig Currie	Hodges Hoople	Oberg Olafson	Twichell Ulland
Coyle Dougherty	Iverson Jackson	Olson, Towner Opland	Veitch Vogel
Durkee Ehr	Jardine Johnson, Nelson	Orange Patterson	Walker Weisbeck
Ellingson Elmer	Johnson, Pembina Jones	Peters Piath	Weld Yeater
Erickson 26th Dist.	Kellogg Kelly	Quade Quam	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert Heaton	Johnson, Traill Lackie	McCay Olson, Ransom	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act to appropriate One Thousand and Forty Dollars (\$1,040.00) for the Payment of \$10.00 Once Each Week During the Biennium 1923, 1924, as an Aid to the Society for the Friendless Authorized Under Chapter 46 of the North Dakota Session Laws of 1911.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 106, nays none, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lackey Larkin	Rustad Sagen
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Larson Lazier	Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Anderson Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Levin Link	Sims Slominski

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bratsberg	Geiszler	McManus	Streich
Boyd	Goranson	Maddock	Steen
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Martin	Shurr
Brown	Hanson	McCay	Swett
Bryans	Hardy	McDowell	Traynor
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Hart	Miller	Tweten
Burns	Haugland	Morton	Twichell
Carr	Heibling	Muus	Ulland
Cart	Hempel	Norden	Veitch
Cole	Henne	Oberg	Vogel
Craig	Hodges	Olafson	Walker
Currie	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Opland	Weld
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Yeater
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Ellingson	Jones	Quam	
Elmer	Kellogg	Rabe	
Erickson	Kelly	Radcliffe	
26th Dist.	Kopp	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Heaton	Lakle	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Johnson, Traill	Lynch	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$3,450.00 for the Payment of the Per Diem and Expenses of the Board of Experts; and the Salary, and Other Expenses of the Field Officer to be Incurred Under Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, for the Biennial Period.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 80, nays 26, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Kelly	Plath
Burleigh	Erickson	Lackey	Quade
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Larkin	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Root
Anderson	Frandsen	Lazier	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geiszler	Lynch	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McManus	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	Maddock	Sproul
Bryans	Harrington	McCay	Starke
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Steen
Burkhart	Heaton	McGauvran	Streich
Burns	Hempel	Miller	Swett
Carr	Hodges	Morton	Traynor
Currie	Hoople	Muus	Tweten
Dougherty	Iverson	Norden	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Olafson	Ulland
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Goranson	Kopp	Shurr
Cart	Hardy	Link	Trubshaw
Cole	Haugland	Martin	Vogel
Doy'e	Hel'bing	Oberg	Walker
Erickson	Henne	Orange	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Jones	Quam	Yeater
Fedge	Kellogg	Rabe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Iackie	Patterson	Watt
Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.
House Bill No. 119. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$63,000.00 for the Care of Insane Patients Whose Residence Can not be Determined and Whose Care Must be Borne by the State.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 106, nays none, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson, 10th Dist.	Lackey	Root
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson, Bergent	Flom	Larson	Sahre, Steele
Arduser	Frandsen	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Frederickson	Levin	Sims
Boyd	Freeman	Link	Slominski
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bryans	Goranson	Lynch	Starke
Bark	Ha'crow	McManus	Steen
Burkhardt	Hanson	Maddock	Streich
Carr	Hardy	Martin	Shurr
Cart	Harrington	McCay	Sweet
Cole	Hart	McDowell	Traynor
Craig	Haugland	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Currie	Heaton	Mil'er	Tweten
Doy'e	Hel'bing	Morton	Twichell
Daugherty	Hempel	Muus	Ulland
Durkee	Henne	Norden	Veitch
Eckert	Hodges	O'afson	Vogel
El	Hoople	O'afson, Towner	Walker
Ellingson	Jackson	Opland	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Yeater
26th Dist.	Jones	16th	Mr. Speaker
	Kellogg	Quade	
	Kelly	Quam	
	Kopp	Rabe	
		Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Fardine	Iackie	Patterson	Watt
Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:

House Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Reporting at the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Contracts Involving Labor Entered Into by All Political Subdivisions of the State.

House Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Keeping Open, Running, or Permitting the Running of Any Place for Public Dancing on the First Day of the Week, Commonly Called the Sabbath, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

House Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the State Hospital for the Insane at Jamestown, North Dakota.

House Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of One Hundred Seventy-Six Thousand Dollars for Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Dunseith.

House Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand and Forty Dollars (\$1,040.00) for the Payment of \$10.00 Once Each Week During the Biennium 1923, 1924, as an Aid to the Society for the Friendless Authorized Under Chapter 46 of the North Dakota Session Laws of 1911.

House Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$3,450.00 for the Payment of the Per Diem and Expenses of the Board of Experts; and the Salary, and Other Expenses of the Field Officer to be Incurred Under Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, for the Biennial Period.

House Bill No. 119. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$63,000.00 for the Care of Insane Patients Whose Residence Can not be Determined and Whose Care Must Be Borne by the State.

Upon the request of Mr. Jackson the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Jackson moved that the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges be granted an extension of time for the consideration of Senate Bills Nos. 200, 226, 233.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 8, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No 119. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 341 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Manner Common School Lands and Other Public Lands Shall be Leased.

Senate Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1147 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended by Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 197 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Organization of New School Districts.

Senate Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act Granting to and Imposing Upon the Board of Administration Certain Powers and Duties with Reference to the Welfare of Children and the Administration and Enforcement of Laws Relating Thereto.

Senate Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Care and Treatment of Indigent, Crippled or Deformed Children.

Senate Bill No. 173. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the Appointment of County Child Welfare Boards and to Define their Powers and Duties, and to Repeal Section 19, Chapter 177, Laws of 1919.

Senate Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Bringing of Children into the State, or Taking Children Therefrom, for Placement in Family Home, for the Licensing or Regulation of Persons and Corporations Engaged in that Work; and for the Repeal of Sections 5107 and 5108, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 8, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has refused to concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 34 and the President has chosen on a Conference Committee Senators Hamilton, Kaldor and Martin.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 34: Messrs. Twichell, Orange and Eckert.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 8, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has refused to concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 61 and the President has chosen on a Conference Committee Senators Van Camp, Atkins and Gross.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 61: Messrs. Starke, Sathre and Sagen.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 8, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has refused to concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 72 and the President has appointed on a Conference Committee Senators Murphy, Ingerson and Hamilton.

Very respectfully,
W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 72: Messrs. Peters, Arduser and Carr.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 8, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit a Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Gardiner, which the Senate has adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,
W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Senator Gardiner.

Whereas, both the Popular and the Authenticated editions of the 1919 Session Laws, have been exhausted, and,

Whereas, there is a great demand for this publication of session laws, by the people of our own state, as well as people of neighboring states, because of their peculiar importance.

Therefore be it Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly, that the Secretary of State, be authorized to re-published the 1919 Session Laws in Popular Edition form, to the number of five hundred copies, and that these books shall be sold to the public at as near the cost of production, as will recompense the State for the publication cost, and be it further resolved, that the cost of re-publishing these laws, shall be paid out of the Legislative Expense Fund.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 8, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution introduced by Senator Ployhar.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Senator Ployhar

Whereas, The service rendered to the United States by our American homes is the supreme course of our country's strength and inspiration; and

Whereas, we honor ourselves, our homes, state and nation when we do anything to give emphasis to the home as the fountainhead of the state; and

Whereas, the American mother has done, and is doing, so much for the home, the moral and industrial uplift and religion, hence so much for good government, patriotism, humanity and religion; therefore,

Be it Resolved, that the Governor of this state is hereby authorized and requested to issue annually a proclamation calling upon our state officials to display the United States flag on all state and school buildings, and the people of the state to display the flag at their homes, lodges, churches, places of business and other suitable places on the

Second Sunday in May, known as Mother's Day founded by Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia, Pa., as a public expression of love and reverence for the homes of our state, especially for their mothers and other patriotic women therein, and that the Governor urge the celebration of Mother's Day in said proclamation in such a way as will deepen home ties, and inspire better homes and closer union between the commonwealth, its homes, and their sons and daughters.

Be it Further Enacted, that this Act shall take effect from and after its adoption.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 119. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 341 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Manner Common School Lands and Other Public Lands Shall be Leased.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on School and Public Lands.

Senate Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1147 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended by Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 197 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Organization of New School Districts.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act Granting to and

Imposing Upon the Board of Administration Certain Powers and Duties with Reference to the Welfare of Children and the Administration and Enforcement of Laws Relating Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 173. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the Appointment of County Child Welfare Boards and to Define their Powers and Duties, and to Repeal Section 19, Chapter 177, Laws of 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Care and Treatment of Crippled Children.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Bringing of Children into the State, or Taking Children Therefrom, for Placement in Family Home; for the Licensing or Regulation of Persons and Corporations Engaged in that Work; and for the Repeal of Sections 5107 and 5108, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following committee on behalf of the House, to act with a like committee from the Senate in arranging an appropriate program for Lincoln's birthday.

Committee: Trubshaw, Miller and Jackson.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Bryans moved that the House resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Bryans to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6750 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Standardized Form of Mortgage.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

1. By inserting on the blank line in line 22 of the printed bill, the following: "(Leave ample space for description)"

2. By inserting on the blank space on line 32, the same characters and words.

3. By striking out the word "its" on line 20, 26, 28, 33, 42, 54, 70, 93 of the printed bill and also on the first line of the last page of the original bill and in lieu thereof insert the following ".....heirs, executors, administrators," (Reference is made to the original bill on account of an omission in the printed bill.) (The following words should appear between lines 83 and 84 of the printed bill: "second part, its successors or assigns, to sell the said hereby")

4. Strike out the word "its" on line 67, 71 and 93 of the printed bill and insert a blank space "....."

5. Strike out all of line 23 of the printed bill.

6. At the end of the bill strike out the period, insert a semicolon and add the following: "provided further, that the form hereinbefore provided shall not preclude the use of any other form."

And the further amendment: to strike out the words "and legal."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

E. E. BRYANS,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors:

S. W. Croftree, Ellendale, N. D.; L. A. Washburn, Edgeley, N. D.; A. Bloomquist, Kulm, N. D.; Fred Strobel, Kulm, N. D.; Jacob Amen, Goodrich, N. D.; J. J. Adams, Anamoose, N. D.; S. O. Allen, Jamestown, N. D.; B. M. Normn, Aberdeen, S. D.; F. R. Jones Starkweather, N. D., B. F. Mermicki, Fargo, N. D., Josephine Fogerty, Edna Rust, Bismarck, N. D.; F. B. Lambert, Minot, N. D.

Mr. Hanson moved that the House do now recess until one o'clock P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND
THIRTY-NINTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 9, 1923.

The House reassembled at 1 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess. Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Kelly moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders, which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Kelly to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to High Schools and Tuition Fees.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

After the figure "1921" in the title of said bill, strike out the remainder of said title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Providing for the Payment of Non-resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid; Repealing Acts or Parts of Acts in so far as They Conflict with This Act."

Insert after the word "resides" in line 8 of Section 2 of printed bill the following:

"Provided, however, that such tuition shall not be paid to any such school outside the state if there is within the state a standardized graded school or standard high

school nearer to the said district and more accessible thereto than any such school outside the state."

Strike out the period at the end of Section 3, substitute therefor a semicolon, and then add the following:

"Provided, however, that if the school board of the district from which such tuition fees are due shall fail or neglect to pay the same within sixty days from the date of the mailing of a sworn statement as herein provided, the clerk of the district wherein such student attended high school shall send a duplicate of such statement to the county superintendent of the proper county, who shall ascertain the correctness of the same, and if found to be correct, shall forthwith notify the county treasurer of the proper county thereof, and thereupon such county treasurer shall be authorized to pay such tuition fees out of the funds in his hands, or that may thereafter come into his hands, belonging to the district from which such tuition fees are due, taking receipt therefor in duplicate, one of which said receipts shall be delivered to the clerk of the district required to pay such fees."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Maintenance of the State Capitol and for Improvements, Repairs and Equipment Thereof.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

That the figures in line 16 of Section 1 of the printed bill of "\$24,000.00" be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Completion and Furnishing of the Liberty Memorial Building.

And decided that when the committee arise it recommend the bill for passage as originally drawn.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Halcrow moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harrington moved that the House do now adjourn. Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 9, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. I. G. Monson.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Johnson of Traill, Lackey, Maddock and Olson of Ransom.

Mr. Hoople moved that all absentees be excused, which motion prevailed.

The committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Thirty-seventh Day After Recess and Thirty-eighth Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page three strike out the title of House Bill No. 163 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382 of the Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Defining School Year and School Week. Holidays."

The same correction applies to the bottom of the page. Also on page seven under House Bill No. 163.

On page twelve strike out line ten.

On page thirteen, first line after the word "recommend" add the following, "that the same do pass."

On page twenty-one, transpose line seventeen to line nineteen.

On page twenty-five under Senate Bill No. 204 insert the following: "Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass."

On page thirty-eight, just above General Orders, insert the following "committee Trubshaw, Miller, Jackson."

On page thirty-nine, line thirty-four, correct spelling of the word "prevailed."

On page six, in eighth line after the word "law" add the following: "that was meant."

At the bottom of page 22, insert the following: "Mr. Jackson made the point of order that the explanation made by the gentleman from Sheridan on the last roll call, together with his explanations appearing on page 31 of the Journal of February 7th, and on page 6 of the Journal of February 7th, are out of order; and requested the

Speaker to order the same omitted from the permanent Journal.

"The Speaker announced that the point of order would be taken under advisement.

"Mr. Hempel consented to having the explanations referred to omitted from the permanent Journal."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The Committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Communications to whom was referred the following communications:

A Resolution sent to Representative Vogel signed by nine residents of Wilton, N. D., relative to appropriation for the Board of Health.

Also,

A similar communication to Miss Dougherty from the Home Economics Club of Ryder, N. Dak.

Which the committee recommend be neither read nor printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 151. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Insurance of Employers with the Workmen's Compensation Fund Providing for Compensation for Injuries or Death of the Employer Himself, in Cases Where the Employer has Contracted for such Protection with the Bureau, also Providing for the Basis of Premium for such Protection.

Also,

House Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6750 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota

for 1913, Relating to Standardized Form of Mortgage.

Also,

House Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any County in North Dakota to Issue Funding or Refunding Bonds for the Purpose of Funding or Refunding Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Indebtedness.

Also,

House Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6790 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 179. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1506 of Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 140 of the Session Laws of 1915 and by Chapter 161 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Membership in the Teachers' Insurance and Retirement Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 202. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Teaching of Foreign Languages in the State of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Section 1, line 2, of the printed bill, strike out the words "private, denominational, parochial or."

On line three of the printed bill after the first word, "languages," insert the word "other."

Section 2, line 2, of the printed bill, after the word "languages" insert "in any public school."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Harrington moved as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 202 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Corporations Other Than Municipal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Corporations Other Than Municipal to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 203. A Bill for an Act to Empower Foreign Corporations to Exercise the Right of Eminent Domain.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

CLAUDE LACKEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Lackey moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that House Bill No. 203 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Live Stock made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Live Stock to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 36 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In Section 3, line 3, after the word "purposes" insert the words "or violating any of the provisions."

Add the following to Section 2. "Provided that in any circumscribed area as established by the State Live-stock Sanitary Board where all the cattle in said area have been tuberculin tested no other cattle shall enter said area unless tuberculin tested under the direction of the State Livestock Sanitary Board and are accompanied by proper tuberculin test health certificate."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

HUGH McDOWELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Hugh McDowell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that action on House Bill No. 199 be deferred until bill is printed.

Which motion prevailed.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 183. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4926, Compiled Laws 1913, Relating to Resident and Non-Resident Insurance Agents.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Highways & Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Highways & Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 174. A Bill for an Act Making it Unlawful to Drive a Closed Vehicle Without Windows.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOSEPH McGAUVREN,
Chairman.

Mr. McGauvren moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Lakie moved as a substitute motion that House Bill No. 174 be referred to General Orders. Which motion prevailed.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8325 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Actions Arising out of Personal Injury or Death Resulting from Wrongful Acts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 9 and 10 strike out the words "Code of Civil Procedure," and in lieu thereof insert "Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 106 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917."

Strike out the period following the figures "8323" in line 17 and add "of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 106 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act Relative to the Admission of Persons Under Eighteen Years of Age to Public Dances, and Requiring the Posting of a Copy of the Law and Prescribing Penalty for its Violation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The majority of your committee on Highways & Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act Restricting, Limiting, Fixing and Providing the Powers and Duties of the State Highway Commission and of the State Highway Department, with Respect to the Construction and Maintenance of Roads and Bridges Hereafter, and With Respect to Other Matters; Making Appropriations for the State Highway Commission and for Motor Vehicle Registration Expenses; Providing Method for the Making of Reports, by the Motor Vehicle Registration Clerk to the State Treasurer of Motor Vehicle Registration Fees Received and For Payment of all Funds Received, into the State Highway Fund; Providing for the Disposal and Distribution of the State Highway Fund by the State Treasurer; Providing for the Creation of "County-Federal Road Maintenance Fund" in the several counties, and the Rights and Duties of Boards of County Commis-

sioners with Respect Thereto; and Repealing Section Eleven (11) of Chapter 182 of the Session Laws of 1919 and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent With This Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In the 8th line of the title strike out the words "Registration Clerk" and insert word "Registrar." Also on lines 8 and 13 page 2 of printed bill make the same change, also on lines 21 and 22 page 2 of printed bill, make the same change, also insert after title of Section 3 the following, "The monies in the state highway fund heretofore by law prorated, and to which the several counties of the state are entitled, shall be paid to the said several counties by the State Treasurer out of the State Highway Fund, upon the taking effect of this Act.

Also, in last line of title of bill after the figures 1919 insert the following "as amended by Section 11 of Chapter 44 special Session Laws of 1919," also on page 7, line 2 after the comma, insert the following "as amended by Section 11 of Chapter 44 Special Session Laws of 1919.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
JOHN T. FREEMAN,
F. A. VOGEL,
J. A. JARDINE,
L. L. TWICHELL,
OSCAR S. OBERG,
ELMER W. CART,
J. K. OLAFSON,
E. R. HELBLING,

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

The minority of the committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act Restricting, Limiting, Fixing and Providing the Powers and Duties of the State Highway Commission and of the State Highway Department, with Respect to the Construction and Maintenance of Roads and Bridges Hereafter, and With Respect to Other Matters; Making Appropriations for the State Highway Commission and for Motor Vehicle Registration Expenses; Providing Method for the Making of Reports, by the Motor Vehicle Registration Clerk to the State Treasurer of Motor Vehicle Registration Fees Received, and For Payment of all Funds Received, into the State Highway Fund; Providing for the Disposal and Distribution of the State Highway Fund by the State Treasurer; Providing for the Creation of "County-Federal Road Maintenance Fund" in the several counties, and the Rights

and Duties of Boards of County Commissioners with Respect Thereto; and Repealing Section Eleven (11) of Chapter 182 of the Session Laws of 1919 and all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent With This Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. H. STEEN,
C. H. GORANSON,

Mr. Freeman moved that the report of the majority be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved, as a substitute motion, that the minority report be adopted.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Freeman; the motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 153. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Payment of Compensation Out of the Workmen's Compensation Fund and Providing that Compensation Shall be Paid for Injuries and Deaths from Injuries Occurring Outside the State of North Dakota only Under Circumstances as Provided in the Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

At the end of the Bill add the following:

"Provided that no such contract shall be issued to any employer unless his principal plant and main or general office is located in North Dakota and at least two-thirds of whose entire payroll is used or expended for work performed in the State of North Dakota."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act entitled an Act Amend Sections 10, 14, 15, 17, 20 and 23 of Chapter 147,

Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Being an Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Banking Business and to Establish a System of Banking Under the Name of the Bank of North Dakota, Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; Making an Appropriation Therefor; and Providing Penalties for the Violations of Certain Provisions Thereof Approved February 25th 1919, as Amended by an Act, entitled an Act Amending the Bank of North Dakota Act, Providing for the Deposit of all State, County, Township, Municipal and School District Funds, and Funds of all Penal, Educational and Industrial Institutions and All Other Public Funds in the Bank of North Dakota, Passed at the Election November 2nd, 1920.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line seven of Section Six of the original Bill, being the second line from the bottom of page four of the printed Bill, insert the word "with" after the word "ascertain"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 869 and 983 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 119, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in Primary and General Elections.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 1 of the original bill strike out the word "AMENDED" and insert in lieu thereof the word "AMENDMENT."

In line 7 of the original bill following the words "seven o'clock p. m." insert the following "twenty minutes prior to the hour of closing the inspector shall proclaim to the electors outside, the number of minutes before the polls will be closed."

In line 5 of the original bill strike out the period following the word "When" and insert in lieu thereof the words, capitalized, "AT PRIMARY ELECTIONS."

In line 17 of the original bill strike out the word

"AMENDED" and insert in lieu thereof the word "AMENDMENT."

On page 2, line 1, of the original bill, capitalize the words "WHEN POLLS ARE TO BE OPENED OR CLOSED."

Strike out the period after the word "Closed" in line 1, page 2., of the original bill and insert in lieu thereof in capitals the words "AT GENERAL ELECTIONS."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3784 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 120 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Municipal Elections in Cities.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 8 of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nine."

In line 9 of the printed bill strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven."

In line 18 of the printed bill insert a comma after the word "shall."

In line 19 of the printed bill insert a comma after the word "held."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The majority of the committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 200. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Recall of County Commissioners.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

The minority of the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your Committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 200. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Recall of County Commissioners.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.
HERMAN RABE,

Mr. Jackson moved that the minority report be adopted.

Mr. Iverson moved, as a substitute motion, that the majority report be adopted.

Which motion was lost.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Jackson; the motion prevailed and the minority report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relating to What Cities and Villages Shall Register Before Any General Election or Annual City Election.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking their Ballots.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Capitalize the words "IN CASE OF DISABILITY OF ELECTOR," in line 4 of the printed bill.

Strike out the first word "or" in line 6 of the printed bill.

Strike out the words "Father," and "Mother," in line 8 of the printed bill.

Insert in line 9, following the word "Daughter" the following "any one of whom must be a duly qualified elector."

Strike out the word "and" following the semi-colon in line 9 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof "such voter may, if he prefers, receive the assistance of the two judges of election who must act together."

Capitalize the first letter of the word "One" at the end of line 9.

Strike out ", under this act," following the word "assisting" in line 10 of the printed bill, and insert the words ", under this act," following the word "ballot" in line 10 of the printed bill.

Strike out the words "may in their discretion" in lines 11 and 12 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof "shall, in all cases,"

Insert a comma after the word "disability" in line 15 of the printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3126, Compiled Laws, State of North Dakota for 1913; and Providing for a Shrinkage Allowance to Local Grain Buyers, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Larson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act Defining Persons who are authorized to Buy and Sell Grain Within the State of North Dakota, and Providing for a License for Such Grain Buyers and for Bond to be Furnished by Such Grain Buyers.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In Section 2, line 2 in the printed bill after the word "license" insert the following: "All moneys collected under the provisions of this Act, shall be paid to the State Treasurer and credited to the general fund.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Larson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3116 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 6 of the printed bill change the word "three" to "two".

In line "7" after the word "per" insert the words "bushel for."

In line "8" after the word "cents" insert the words "per bushel."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Larson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 149. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, to Empower the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to Classify Employments, Fix Rates for Premium, Provide for Reserves and Surplus, Provide for Establishment of a System of Merit Rating, and to Pro-

vide for the Payment of Premiums Into the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On Page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Bureau."

On page 3, line 33 strike out the words "at least" and capitalize the word "Ten."

In line 36 strike out the words "at least."

In line 67 change the word "early" to "earlier."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Maintenance of the State Capitol and for Improvements, Repairs and Equipment Thereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Completion and Furnishing of the Liberty Memorial Building.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Charman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

The Conference Committee appointed to consider Senate Bill No. 72 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Requiring All Agents Acting For or on Behalf of Any Life or Accident Insurance Company Doing Business in This State to Be Licensed, Regulating the Methods, Practices and Transactions of Such Agents in Conducting Such Insurance Business, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of Any of the Provisions of this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the Senate concur in the House Amendments.

For the Senate:

P. J. MURPHY,
RALPH INGERSON,
D. H. HAMILTON,

For the House:

D. L. PETERS,
J. C. ARDUSER,
JNO. W. CARR.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the House request the Senate to return Senate Bill No. 25.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Anderson moved that the House do now recess for ten minutes.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

AFTER RECESS.

House Bills Nos. 298 and 299 were filed and referred to the Committee on Delayed Bills.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 5205 of the Compiled Laws Relating to the Term of Existence of Certain Corporations.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 37. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1119 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Publication of the Proceedings of the State Education Association.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 33 of the Laws Enacted by the Special Session of the Legislature of 1919 Relating to the Formation and Division of Voting Districts.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 151. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Insurance of Employers with the Workmen's Compensation Fund Providing for Compensation for Injuries or Death of the Employer Himself, in Cases Where the Employer has Contracted for such Protection with the Bu-

reau, also Providing for the Basis of Premium for such Protection.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 2, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lackey Lakie	Rabe Radcliffe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Larkin Larson	Root Sagon
Anderson, Sargent	Franson Freeman	Lazier Levin	Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Gelszler	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bollinger	Goranson	McManus	Slominski
Brown	Halcrow	Maddock	Sproul
Bryans	Hanson	Martin	Starke
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Steen
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	Miller	Sweet
Cart	Heaton	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Helbling	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Kenne	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Doyle	Hoople	Olaison	Veitch
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Opland	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weld
Elmer	Jones	Peters	Yeater
Erickson 26th Dist.	Ke'logg	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Quade	
	Kopp	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Hempel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Jackson	Lynch	Traynor
Eckert	Johnson, Trail	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Fredrickson	Link	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6790 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 98, nays 12, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson Burleigh	Flom Franson	Levin Lynch	Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Anderson, Sargent	Fredrickson Freeman	McManus Maddock	Sims Slominski
	Gelszler	Martin	Sproul

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Goranson	McCay	Starke
Bollinger	Halcrow	McDowell	Steen
Boyd	Hanson	McGauvran	Streich
Brown	Hardy	Miller	Shurr
Bryans	Harrington	Morton	Sweet
Burk	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Burkhart	Haugland	Norden	Trubshaw
Burns	Henne	Oberg	Tweten
Carr	Hodges	Olarson	Twichell
Cart	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Cole	Iverson	Opiand	Veitch
Craig	Jardine	Orange	Walker
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Watt
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weisbeck
Durkea	Jones	Plath	Weid
Eckert	Kellogg	Quade	Yeater
Ehr	Kelly	Quam	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kopp	Rabe	
Erickson	Lackey	Radcliffe	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Root	
Erickson	Larson	Rustad	
16th Dist.	Lazier	Sagen	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Doyle	Helbling	Link
Burke-Divide	Elmer	Hempel	Loudenbeck
Bratsberg	Fedge	Jackson	
	Heaton	Lakie	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Johnson, Trail,	Olson,	Ransom
		Vogel

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 9, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued, or to be Issued, by Any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or Where by Such Vote Bonds Are Authorized to be Issued, Has Theretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in Such School District, Beyond the Five Per Cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and Where the Indebtedness of Such School District, but Does Not Exceed Ten Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 9, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act to Safeguard the Business of Beekeeping Against Contagious and Infectious Diseases; Defining Apiaries; Providing for State Inspection Under the Direction and Control of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor; Prohibiting the Sale, Barter, Offer of Sale or Barter, Moving, Transportation, Shipping or Offering for Shipping or Transportation, of any Bees, Brood, Comb or Beekeeping Appliances That are Infected; Providing for the Proper Certification of Shipments into the State, and the Reporting of Such Shipments by the Purchaser or Importer; Fixing Penalties for Violation.

Senate Bill No. 216. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Standard Provisions of Accident Insurance Policies Issued Within the State, and Providing a Penalty for Violation Thereof.

Senate Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 6624 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913. Valued Insurance Policy Act.

Senate Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acquiring by Condemnation of Roads so Located as to Interfere with the Working of Coal or Other Mines, and Providing the Compensation to be Made Therefor.

Senate Bill No. 182. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9607, and Section 9608, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Senate Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2263 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to the Levy of a Tax by County Commissioners to be Used in Carrying on Cooperative Agricultural Extension Work as Defined by this Act and Providing for Referendum by Ballot, Audit of Funds and Disposition of Accumulated Funds.

Senate Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the Institute for the Feeble Minded.

Senate Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 6072 and 6073 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended by Chapter 176 of the Session Laws of 1915 prescribing lawful rates of interest for any legal indebtedness, defining usury.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 9, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has refused to concur in the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 68 and the President has chosen on a Conference Committee Senators Steel, Peck and Rusch.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 68: Messrs. Twichell, Burkhart and Olafson.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 9, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 72.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 9, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 222 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Providing for a Tax on Shares of Stock and Bonds of Corporations Organized or Doing Business in this State.

Which the Senate has passed without emergency clause and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any County in North Dakota to Issue Funding or Refunding Bonds for the Purpose of Funding or Refunding Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Indebtedness.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays 1, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lakie	Root
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Frandsen	Lazler	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Frederickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Geisler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Bryans	Halcrow	McManus	Starke
Burk	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Swett
Cole	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Craig	Heaton	Norton	Twetén
Currie	Helbling	Erus	Twichell
Doyle	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Dougherty	Hodges	Oberg	Veitch
Durkee	Hoople	Olafson	Walker
Eckert	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Yeater
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Kellogg	Quade	
	Kelly	Quam	
	Kopp	Rabe	
	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Hempel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Jackson	Maddock	Trubshaw	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and request that my explanation be printed in the Journal. I am sorry to have to vote "No" on this bill; but I feel under this law the counties who will have to renew their seed bonds will probably be obliged to pay 7 per cent. And for the further reason as a protest because a law was repealed a few days ago—Section 3471, Special Session Laws of 1919—that would have made it possible for those to renew their bonds and to do so at 6 per cent. Therefore I vote "No."

House Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6750 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Standardized Form of Mortgage.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 13, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Larkin Larson	Rabe Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Fedze Flom	Lazier Levin	Root Rustad
Arduser Bollinger	Frandsen Fredrickson	Link Loudenbeck	Sagen Sathre, Steele
Boyd Bratsberg	Freeman Goranson	Lynch McCay	Sethre, Williams Sims
Brown Bryans	Halcrow Hanson	McDowell McGauvran	Slominski Sproul
Burk Burns	Harrington Helbling	Miller Morton	Starko Streich
Carr Cole	Hodges Hoople	Muus Norden	Shurr Traynor
Craig Currie	Iverson Jardine	Oberg O'afson	Trubshaw Tweten
Doyie Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	O'son, Towner Orange	Twichell Ulland
Durkee Eckert	Kellogg Kelly	Patterson Peters	vetch Watt
Ehr Ellingson	Kopp Lackey Lakie	Plath Quade Quam	Weld Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart Elmer	Geiszler Hardy	Henne Jones	Swett Vogel
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Hart Haugland	Martin Steen	Weisbeck Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Heaton Hempel	Johnson, Trail McManus	Olson, Ransom Orland
Cart	Jackson	Maddock	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Larkin asked unanimous consent to amend House Bill No. 81 by changing the figures \$24,000.00 in line 16 of the printed bill to read \$20,000.00, the figures \$38,000.00 in line 22 to read \$34,000.00, and the figures \$128,000.00 in line 24 to read \$124,000.00.

Which request was granted and the amendments made.

Mr. Larkin moved that the rules be suspended and that House Bill No. 81, as amended, be considered properly engrossed and placed upon third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Maintenance of the State Capitol and for Improvements, Re pairs and Equipment Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as

amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 106, nays 1, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lakie	Rustad
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Sims
Arduser	Freeman	Link	Slominski
Bollinger	Geisler	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Steen
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Maddock	Streleh
Brown	Hanson	Martin	Shurr
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Swett
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Trayner
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burns	Haugland	Miller	Tweten
Carr	Heaton	Morton	Twichell
Cole	Helbiting	Muus	Ulland
Craig	Hempel	Norden	Velteh
Currie	Hodges	Oberg	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	Walker
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Durkee	Jackson	Opland	Weisbeck
Eckert	Jardine	Orange	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Jones	Quade	
Erickson	Kellogg	Quam	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe	
	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.

Henne

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.

Cart

Johnson, Traill

Messrs.

McManus

Olson, Ransom

Messrs.

Patterson

Messrs.

Starke

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:
House Bills Nos. 151, 168, 176, 177, 81, 123.

House Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Completion and Furnishing of the Liberty Memorial Building.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 91, nays 16, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Peters
Burleigh	Erickson,	Johnson, Pembina	Peters
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Jones	Quam
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Kellogg	Root
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Kelly	Rustad
Sargent	Fedge	Kopp	Sagen
Arduser	Flom	Lakie	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Frandsen	Larson	Sethre, Williams
		Lazier	Sims

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Fredrickson	Levin	Slominaki
Bratsberg	Freeman	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Goranson	McManus	Streich
Bryans	Halcrow	Maddock	Shurr
Burkhart	Hanson	Martin	Swett
Burns	Hardy	McCay	Tweten
Carr	Harrington	McDowell	Twichell
Cole	Hart	McGauvran	Ulland
Currie	Haugland	Miller	Veitch
Currie	Heaton	Morton	Walker
Doyle	Helbling	Kopp	Watt
Dougherty	Hodges	Norden	Weld
Durkee	Hoople	Olafson	Yeater
Eckert	Iverson	Olson, Townner	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jackson	Opland	
Ellingson	Jardine		

Those voting in the negative were:

Burk	Larkin	Orange	Steen
Geiszler	Link	Quade	Trubshaw
Hempel	Loudenbeck	Rabe	Vogel
Henne	Oberg	Radcliffe	Weisbeck

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Lackey	Patterson	Starke
Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee appointed to confer with a like committee of the Senate on Senate Bill No. 61 begs leave to report that they have met with said committee and have agreed that the Senate shall adopt the bill as reported from the House.

C. H. STARKE,
C. A. SAGEN,
P. O. SATHRE,
Committee.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering Senate Bill No. 25.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that Senate Bill No. 25 be amended by striking out the words "such bonds," on page 2, line 19 of the printed bill.

Which motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 25 be considered properly engrossed and placed upon third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued, or to be Issued, by Any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or Where by Such Vote Bonds Are Authorized to be Issued, Has Theretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in Such School District, Beyond the Five Per Cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and Where the Indebtedness of Such School District, but Does Not Exceed Ten Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 9, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arderson,	Flom	Larkin	Quam
Burleigh	Frandsen	Larson	Rabe
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lazier	Radcliffe
Sargent	Goranson	Levin	Root
Arduser	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Rustad
Rollinger	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Boyd	Hardy	McManus	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Harrington	Martin	Sathre, Williams
Brown	Haugland	McCay	Sims
Bryans	Heaton	McDowell	Slominski
Burk	Henne	McCauvran	Sproul
Burkhart	Hodges	Miller	Steen
Burns	Hoople	Morton	Streich
Carr	Iverson	Muus	Shurr
Cole	Jackson	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Jardine	Oberg	Tweten
Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	O'son, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jones	Opland	Veitch
Fekert	Kellogg	Orange	Vogel
Ehr	Kelly	Patterson	Watt
Ellingson	Kopp	Peters	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Lackey	Peters	Weld
Fedge	Lakie	Currie	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Hjelbling	Yeater
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Link	
Craig	Hart	Swett	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Freeman	Maddock	Trubshaw
Erickson	Hempel	Otson, Ransom	Walker
16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Starke	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 25 was messaged to the Senate.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 6072 and 6073 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended by Chapter 176 of the Session Laws of 1915 prescribing lawful rates of interest for any legal indebtedness, defining usury.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 222 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Providing for a Tax on Shares of Stock and Bonds of Corporations Organized or Doing Business in this State.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 182. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9607, and Section 9608, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acquiring by Condemnation of Roads so Located as to Interfere with the Working of Coal or Other Mines, and Providing the Compensation to be Made Therefor.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Senate Bill No. 216. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Standard Provisions of Accident Insurance Policies Issued Within the State, and Providing a Penalty for Violation Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 6624 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913. Valued Insurance Policy Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2263 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to the Levy of a Tax by County Commissioners to be Used in Carrying on Cooperative Agricultural Extension Work as

Defined by this Act and Providing for Referendum by Ballot, Audit of Funds and Disposition of Accumulated Funds.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act to Safeguard the Business of Beekeeping Against Contagious and Infectious Diseases; Defining Apiaries; Providing for State Inspection Under the Direction and Control of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor; Prohibiting the Sale, Barter, Offer of Sale or Barter, Moving, Transportation, Shipping or Offering for Shipping or Transportation, of any Bees, Brood, Comb or Beekeeping Appliances That are Infected; Providing for the Proper Certification of Shipments into the State, and the Reporting of Such Shipments by the Purchaser or Importer; Fixing Penalties for Violation.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Eight Hundred Fifty-three Dollars and Sixty-one Cents (\$853.61) to Take Care of Deficit in Biennial Appropriation of Department of Insurance.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays 2, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Birke-Divide	Flom	Lakie	Radcliffe
Arduser	Frandsen	Larkin	Root
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Freeman	Lazier	Sagen
Bratsberg	Gelszler	Link	Sathre, Steele
Bryans	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Halcrow	Lynch	Sims
Burkhart	Hanson	McManus	Slominski
Burns	Hardy	Martin	Sproul
Carr	Harrington	McCay	Starke
Cart	Hart	McDowell	Steen
Craig	Hawcland	McGauvran	Streich
Currie	Helbling	Miller	Shurr
Doyle	Hempel	Morton	Swett
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Durkee	Hodges	Oberg	Trubshaw
Eckert	Hoople	Olafson	Ulland
Ehr	Iverson	O'son, Towner	Veitch
Ellingson	Jackson	Opland	Walker
Elmer	Jardine	Orange	Watt
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weld
Erickson,	Jones	Plath	Yeater
16th Dist.	Kelly	Currie	Mr. Speaker
	Kopp	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Vogel
Sargent	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burleigh	Cole	Levin	Tweten
Anderson,	Heaton	Maddock	Twichell
Brown	Johnson, Trail	Muus	
	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	

So the bill was passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit by Members of the State Canvassing Board.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays 1, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lakie	Root
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Franson	Laster	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Levin	Sathre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Geisler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Bryans	Halerow	McManus	Starke
Burk	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Swett
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Craig	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Doyle	Hoople	Oberg	Velte
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Walker
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail.	Patterson	Yeater
Elmer	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Kellogg	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kopp	Quade	
		Quam	
		Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Vogel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Harrington	Johnson, Trail.	Twichell
Burleigh	Heaton	Olson, Ransom	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 99. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit by the District Judges.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 14, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 26th Dist.	Jones Kellogg	Radeliffe Root
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly Kopp	Rustad Sagen
Arduser	Flom	Lackey	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Franson	Lakie	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Fredrickson	Larson	Sims
Bratsberg	Freeman	Lazier	Slominski
Brown	Geiszler	Levin	Sproul
Bryans	Goranson	Lynch	Starke
Burk	Halcrow	McManus	Steen
Burkhart	Hanson	McCay	Streich
Burns	Hardy	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Harrington	McGauvran	Swett
Cast	Hart	Morton	Traynor
Cole	Haugland	Muus	Trubshaw
Craig	Heaton	Norden	Tweten
Currie	Henne	Olafson	Ulland
Doyle	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Dougherty	Hoople	Opland	Walker
Durkee	Iverson	Orange	Watt
Eckert	Jackson	Peters	Weld
Ehr	Jardine	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Helbling Henne	Loudenbeck Martin	Patterson Vogel
Fedge	Larkin Link	Miller Oberg	Weisbeck Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Quam	Twichell
Maddock			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$2,000.00 Out of any Money in the State Treasury Not Otherwise Appropriated for the Purpose of Paying Premiums on State Official Bonds as Provided by Chapter 175 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays none, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lakie Larkin	Root Rustad

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Kopp	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Frandsen	Lazler	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Freeman	Link	Sims
Boyd	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Swett
Carr	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Cart	Heaton	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Heibling	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Hempel	Norden	Ulland
Currie	Henne	Oberg	Veitch
Doyle	Hodges	Olafson	Vogel
Dougherty	Hoople	Oison, Towner	Walker
Durkee	Iverson	Opiland	Watt
Eckert	Jardine	Orange	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Yeater
Elmer	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson,	Kellogg	Quade	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Fedge	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Jackson	Maddock		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 121. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Actions to Release Insane Patients.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays 1, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lakie	Root
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lazler	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Sims
Arduser	Freeman	Link	Slominski
Bollinger	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Starke
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McManus	Steen
Brown	Hanson	Martin	Streich
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Swett
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	Miller	Trubshaw
Cart	Heaton	Morton	Tweten
Cole	Heibling	Muus	Ulland
Craig	Hempel	Norden	Veitch
Currie	Henne	Oberg	Walker
Doyle	Hodges	Olafson	Watt
Dougherty	Hodges	Oison, Towner	Weisbeck
Durkee	Iverson	Opiland	Weld
Eckert	Jardine	Orange	Yeater
	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jones	Plath	
Elmer	Kellogg	Quade	
Erickson	Kelly	Quam	
26th Dist.	Kopp	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Vogel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jackson	Maddock	Rustad	Twichell
Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Treasurer's Office.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 96, nays 10, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson, 10th Dist.	Kopp	Rabe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Radcliffe
Arduser	Franson	Lakie	Root
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sagen
Boyd	Freeman	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Gelszer	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Goranson	Levin	Sims
Bryans	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Hanson	McManus	Sproul
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Starke
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Steen
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Streich
Cart	Haugland	Miller	Shurr
Cole	Heaton	Morton	Swett
Craig	Hempel	Muns	Traynor
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Tweten
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Ehr	Jardine	Opland	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Walker
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Watt
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jones	Peters	Weisbeck
	Kellogg	Plath	Weid
	Kelly	Quade	Yeater
		Quam	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Link	Oberg
Sargent	Helbling	Loudenbeck	Vogel
Doyle	Henne	Martin	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Hoope	Maddock	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

At the request of Mr. Twichell the House reverted to the Sixth Order of Business:

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Joint Conference to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1421 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 266 of the Session Laws for the Year 1915, Legalizing and Validating Certain indebtedness of School Districts in the Form of School Warrants and Negotiable Bonds Issued to Fund the Same.

Beg leave to report that the House has receded from its amendment of line twelve of the printed bill wherein was added after the word "percent" the words "or less"

And your conference committee concurs in the balance of the House amendments.

L. L. TWICHELL,
JOHN K. OLAFSON,
J. H. BURKHART,
House Conference Committee.

ALFRED STEEL,
T. J. KELSH,
A. A. PECK,
Senate Conference Committee.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the Joint Conference Committee be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1421 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 266 of the Session Laws for the Year 1915, Legalizing and Validating certain indebtedness of School Districts in the Form of School Warrants and Negotiable Bonds Issued to Fund the Same.

As amended by the Joint Conference Committee, was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays 8, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Flom	Lakle	Rabe
Burleigh	Frandson	Larkin	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larson	Root
Sargent	Freeman	Lazter	Rustad

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Geiszler	Levin	Sagen
Bollinger	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Hanson	McManus	Slominski
Brown	Hardy	Martin	Sproul
Bryans	Harrington	McCay	Starke
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Steen
Burkhart	Haugland	McGauvran	Streich
Burns	Heaton	Miller	Shurr
Carr	Henne	Morton	Traynor
Cole	Hodges	Muus	Trubshaw
Craig	Hoople	Norden	Tweten
Currie	Iverson	Oberg	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Jones	Patterson	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kellogg	Peters	Weld
16th Dist.	Kelly	Plath	Yeater
Fedge	Kopp	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Lackey	Quam	

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Doyle	Erickson	Helbling
Burke-Divide	Elmer	26th Dist.	Link
Cart			

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	Maddock	Sims	Veitch
Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Swett	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Executive Department.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 90, nays 11, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lakie	Radcliffe
Arduser	Frandson	Larson	Root
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lazier	Rustad
Boyd	Freeman	Levin	Sagen
Bratsberg	Geiszler	McManus	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Goranson	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Halcrow	McCay	Slominski
Burk	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Burkhart	Hardy	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Harrington	Miller	Steen
Carr	Hart	Morton	Starke
Craig	Haugland	Muus	Shurr
Currie	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Doyle	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Tweten
Durkee	Iverson	Opland	Twichell
Eckert	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Jardine	Patterson	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Helbling Henne Larkin	Link Loudenbeck Martin	Swett Vogel Weisbeck
Erickson 26th Dist.			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart Cole Hempel	Johnson, Traill Kellogg Lackey	Lynch Oberg Olson, Ransom	Sims Veitch Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried. Senate Bill No. 126. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Arrest and Return of Fugitives from Justice Fund.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays 4, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Larson Lazier Levin	Rustad Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Link Loudenbeck	Sims Slominski
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Lynch McManus	Sproul Starke
Arduser	Freeman	Snaddock Martin	Sagen Streich
Boyd	Goranson	McCay	Shurr
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McDowell	Swett
Brown	Hanson	McGauvran	Traynor
Bryans	Hardy	Miller	Trubshaw
Burk	Harrington	Morton	Tweten
Burkhart	Hart	Muus	Twichell
Burns	Haugland	Norden	Ulland
Carr	Heaton	Olafson	Watt
Cole	Helbling	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Craig	Hodges	Opland	Weld
Currie	Hoople	Orange	Yeater
Doyle	Iverson	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
Dougherty	Jackson	Peters	
Durkee	Jardine	Plath	
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Quam	
Ellingson	Jones	Rabe	
Elmer	Kelly	Radcliffe	
Erickson 26th Dist.	Kopp	Root	
	Lakie		
	Larkin		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Geisler	Henne	Oberg	Vogel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Cart	Kellogg	Steen	
Hempel	Lackey	Veitch	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to. The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

At the request of Mr. Watt the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Watt moved that Senate Bill No. 128 be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations for further consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that Senate Bill No. 71 be re-referred to the Committee on Education for further consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

The courtesies of the floor were extended to the following visitors: Alex Wright, Oakes, N. D.; John Keohane, Beach, N. D.; L. A. White, Minot, N. D.; Peter Fugelso, Minot, N. D.; C. W. Pollock, Valley City, N. D.; C. A. Berlumme, J. J. Weeks, Bottineau; Joe Page, Westhope; R. W. Frazier, A. O. Nabsath, Vanhook, N. D.; L. A. Washburn, Edgley, N. D.; A. F. Lehr, Gackle, N. D.; G. S. Woolledge, Minot, N. D.; L. J. Palda, Minot N. D.

Mr. Flom moved that the House do now recess until 1 o'clock P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND FORTIETH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 10, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 1 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

At the request of Mr. Twichell the House reverted to the Ninth Order of Business.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND MEMORIALS

House Bills Nos. 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, and 307 were filed and referred to the Committee on Delayed Bills.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate: Senate Bills Nos. 60, 95, 99, 109, 121, 123, 124, 126.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Carr moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for consideration of General Orders, which motion prevailed and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Carr to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out on line 5, Section 2189 of the original bill, the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5608 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

After the word "wife," in line 7 of the printed bill, strike out the balance of the line.

Strike out all of lines 8, 9 and 10 and the first four words in line 11.

Strike out all of Section 2.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also,

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 36 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In Section 3, line 3, after the word "purposes" insert the words "of violating any of the provisions"

Add the following to Section 2, the following sections changing their numbers accordingly: "Provided that in any circumscribed area as established by the State Livestock Sanitary Board where all the cattle in said area have been tuberculin tested no other cattle shall enter said area unless tuberculin tested under the direction of the State Livestock Sanitary Board and are accompanied by proper tuberculin test health certificate."

And the further amendment making the section numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4.

And when so amended recommend same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Legalizing Certain Acts of City, Village and School District Officials.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Amend the title by striking out the comma after the word "city" and inserting the word "and," and place a period after the word "village," and strike out the words "and" School District."

In the printed bill strike out the comma after the word

"city" in line 2 of page 1 and insert in lieu thereof the word "or." Strike out the comma and the words "or school district" in the same line.

Strike out the comma at the end of line 4, page 1, and insert the word "or."

Add a comma after the word "village" in line 5, page 1, and strike out the words "or school district for school or other buildings." Change the word "or" preceding the word "water" in the same line to "of."

In line 7, page 1, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert the word "or." After the word "village" in the same line and at the beginning of line 8 strike out the words "or school district."

In line 10, page 1, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert the word "or," and strike out the words "or school district" following the word "village."

In line 13, page 1, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert the word "or" and strike out the words "or school district" in the same line.

In line 14, page 2, strike out the comma after the word "commissioners" and insert "or."

In line 15, strike out "school board of education thereof."

In line 17, after the word "city" strike out the comma and insert the word "or" and at the end of such line and the beginning of line 18 strike out the words "or school district."

In line 18, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert "or."

In line 19, strike out the words "or school district."

At the end of line 21, strike out the comma and insert the word "or."

In line 22, strike out the words "or school district."

In line 31, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert "or"; and strike out the words "or school district."

In line 3, Section 2, printed bill, strike out the comma after the word "warrants" and insert "or."

In line 8, Section 2, strike out the comma after the word "city" and insert "or" and in the same line strike out the words "or school district."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also,

House Bill No. 174. A Bill for an Act Making it Unlawful to Drive a Closed Vehicle Without Windows.

And when the committee arises it recommends the bill for indefinite postponement.

JNO. W. CARR,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Vogel requested that the report of the Committee of the Whole be divided with respect to the report on House Bill No. 174.

Which request was granted.

Mr. Hanson moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with the exception of the report as to House Bill No. 174, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, as to House Bill No. 174, be adopted.

Mr. Larkin moved, as a substitute motion, that the motion of Mr. Peters be laid on the table.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Peters, the motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole as to Senate Bill No. 174 was adopted.

Mr. Hanson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FORTIETH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 10, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. I. G. Monson.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Boyd, Cole, Helbling, Johnson of Traill, Lynch, Olson of Ransom, Veitch and Weisbeck.

REVISION AND CORRECTION OF THE JOURNAL

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Thirty-eighth Day After Recess and the Thirty-ninth Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

.... On page 6, eighth line from bottom, strike out the word "as" and insert in lieu thereof the word "to." After Section 2 strike out everything up to "Provided" in seventh line from bottom of page.

On page 9, line 35, strike out the word "majority" and insert in lieu thereof the word "minority."

On page 12, line 7, correct the spelling of the word "so."

On page 13, after line 8, insert the following: "Senate Bill No. 200. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Recall of County Commissioners."

On page 14, line 1, strike out "o" and insert the word "or."

On page 17, line 4, correct the spelling of the name Murphy.

Top of page 31 in the second column, add the name Erickson, 16th.

On page 35, at bottom of Roll Call on Senate Bill 126, insert the following: "So the bill passed and the title was agreed to. The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The Committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Communications to whom was referred two petitions signed by 75 citizens of Kidder County favoring the passage of Senate Bill No. 25, have had the same under consideration and recommends that it be read but not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3126, Compiled Laws, State of North Dakota for 1913; and Providing for a Shrinkage Allowance to Local Grain Buyers, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 199. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Exemption Members of Faculties Higher Educational Institutions and Persons Employed as Superintendents, Principals and Teachers in the Public Schools from the Operations of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 200. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 8121, Code of Civil Procedure, Compiled Laws 1913 of North Dakota, Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts, Notice of Default in, Termination of Land Contracts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 211. A Bill for an Act to Require Insurance Companies to Make Prompt Settlement of Loss.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 167. A Bill for an Act Regulating Practice of Dental Hygiene and Providing for the Examination and Certification of Dental Hygienists and Regulating the Practice of Dental Hygiene.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Entitled, an Act Relating to Lophophora Williamsii or Peyote (Pellote) and Agava Americana (Commonly Known as Mescal); Prohibiting the Use of Possession Thereof, Traffic Therein, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 223. A Bill for an Act Providing for the examination and Certification of Dental Hygienists and Regulating the Practice of Dental Hygiene.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In the printed bill, Section 2, line 13, after the word "least" strike out the following: "one year course beyond."

Section 4, line 3, after the word "institutions" insert "period," and strike out balance of line 3 and all of line

4 and the first two words in line 5 and insert the following: "such certified dental hygienists."

In line 6, Section 4, strike out the word "such" as it first appears and in lieu thereof insert the word "the." After the word "supervision" in the same line, add the following: "of licensed dentist or dentists."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 188. A Bill for an Act Creating a Board of Dental Hygienist Examiners, Providing for the Examination, Registration and Regulation of the Practice of Dental Hygiene and Prescribing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1889 of the Compiled Laws of North

Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the State Census, and When to be Taken.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 218. A Bill for an Act to Empower the Board of County Commissioners to Provide for Not to Exceed Five Hundred Dollars in Annual Premiums for Poultry Show.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Concurrent Resolution Memorializing Congress to Loan from Available Funds Created by Profits of the U. S. Grain Corporation, Introduced by Mr. G. Patterson.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved the previous question.

Mr. Patterson requested a roll call on the motion for the previous question, which disclosed the following result:

Ayes 56, nays 47, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Jardine	Quade
Burleigh	Freeman	Johnson, Nelson	Radeliffe
Bollinger	Geiszler	Johnson, Pembina	Root
Boyd	Goranson	Kelly	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Halcrow	Kopp	Sims
Burk	Hanson	Larson	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Coie	Heaton	Muus	Trayno
Craig	Hempel	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie		Olafson	Twichell

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Dougherty	Henne	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Hodges	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Iverson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jackson	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Levin	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Link	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Steen
Sargent	Franson	McManus	Streich
Bryans	Fredrickson	Maddock	Shurr
Burkhardt	Hardy	Martin	Sweet
Cart	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Doyle	Hoople	Miller	Vogel
Eckert	Jones	Morton	Walker
Elmer	Kellogg	Oberg	Weisbeck
Erickson	Lakie	Opland	Weld
26th Dist.	Larkin	Patterson	Yeater
	Lazier	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Bratsberg	Lackey	Rustad	
Helbling	Lynch	Sagen	

So the motion prevailed.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I am going to vote "Aye" on the motion and I wish to explain my reason and ask that they appear in the Journal. I feel that the request for a roll call was a little premature. We hadn't taken the vote on the opposition side to the motion for the previous question. If we had taken that vote I believe it wouldn't have been necessary to have a roll call. If we had taken the opposition vote on the motion for the previous question I think the motion would have lost and the roll call would not have been necessary. For that reason I am going to vote "Aye."

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, the motion prevailed and the report of the committee was adopted.

The Committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1147 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended by Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 197 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Organization of New School Districts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 209. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1440 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 212 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to State Aid for Rural Schools.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Administration of Non-resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of Tuition of Such Non-resident Students by the County of Their Residence.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Survey of Coal Mines Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 155. A Bill for an Act Protecting Potato Growers and Sellers in Marketing Potatoes; Providing for Bonding Commission Merchants, Solicitors and Persons Buying Same on Consignment; Providing Penalties for Violation of this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows.

In Section 1, line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the figures "7,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof, "5,000.00."

In Section 2, line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the figures "7,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof "5,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Larson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 225. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4915 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 248 of Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act Permitting the Increase of the Limitation of Indebtedness of Common Special and Independent School Districts by an Additional Five Per Centum on the Assessed Value of the Taxable Property Therein, Beyond the Present Constitutional Limit of Five Per Centum, Providing a Method for Effecting Such Increase, and for Submitting the Question of Such Increase to the Electors of the School Districts at Annual or Special Elections, and Providing for Preserving a Record of Such Increase of the Limit of Indebtedness.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

First page, in fourth line from the bottom of the typewritten bill, strike out the word "now" and after the word "Constitution" in the same line insert "prior to the amendment thereof granting a maximum debt limit of ten per cent."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 164. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1303 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of the Amount of Bonds of Independent School Districts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In bottom line, page, 1, typewritten bill, strike out the word "five" and insert the word "seven."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1334 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 105, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Common School Districts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 167. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enacting Section 1275 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Special School Districts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 208. A Bill for an Act Relating to County Finances; Providing That all County Officials and All Officers in Charge of any Institution, Office or Undertaking Supported in Whole or in Part by the County Shall File an Itemized Statement of Amounts Necessary for Maintenance of Such Office or Institution; Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Annually Prepare a Budget Providing for Publication of Such Budget and of the Proposed Levy; Providing for a Public Hearing in Regard to the Proposed Expenditures and Levy; Fixing a Date for Levy; Providing That All Expenditures must Conform to the Budget as Adopted, and That all Unappropriated Balances in any Fund at the End of the Fiscal Year Shall Become a Part of the General Fund; Repealing Sections 3312, 3313, and 3314, of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 28. A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities, Villages, and Towns to Purchase, Sell, Construct, Rent, Lease, Extend, Connect, or Erect, High Tension Electric Transmission Lines and Electrical Equipment, Within and Without the Corporate Limits, and Necessary Secondary Transmission Lines and Distribution Systems Within the Corporate Limits, for the Purpose of Securing Light, Power and Electrical Energy for Municipal and Commercial use; and to Assess the Property Within the Corporate Limits, and to Provide for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof, and to Provide for the Issuance of Bonds.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 32. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4016 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Bonded Indebtedness of Cities, and Purposes for Which Incurred.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 11 of the printed bill after the word "a" insert the word "two-thirds" and that Section 3, Emergency Clause, be struck out.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 160. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 82, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, and to Empower Cities to Purchase or construct Plants, Including Gas Works for the Manufacture and Distribution of Light, Heat and Power for Municipal and Commercial Purposes, and to Assess Abutting Property in Accordance with the Benefits hereto by Reason of Such System of Distribution, and Providing for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 301, A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosures of Mortgages By Agent or Attorney and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgment in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 302. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Cancellation and Reissue of the Unsold Bonds of North Dakota Bank Series.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 303. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1951 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 72 of the Laws of 1919 Relating to the Construction of Bridges by County Commissioners.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 304. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 66 of the Laws of North Dakota, 1921, Pertaining to the Giving of Notices of Intention to Foreclose Real Estate Mortgages.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series"; Prescribing the Terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, and to Carry Into Effect the Provisions of this Act; and Declaring This Act to be an Emergency Measure.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Charman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 300. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Fixing Attorney Fees and Costs on the Foreclosure of Liens and Mortgages.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be not permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Charman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 298. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4565 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Manner of Keeping Record of Business Transactions, Stock Book, Publicity, by Corporation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be not permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Charman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

At the request of Mr. Hempel the House reverted to the Seventh order of business.

Mr. Hempel moved that the rules be suspended in order that House Bill No. 300 might be introduced.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Kelly moved that the Committee on Ways and Means be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bills Nos. 49, 276 and 289.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Larson moved that the Committee on Warehouse and Grain Grading be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bill No. 246.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the Committee on Education be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bill No. 140.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Anderson moved that the Committee on Agriculture be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bill No. 208.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bills Nos. 129, 130, 131, 132, 139 and 165.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carr moved that the vote by which the House adopted the minority committee report, for the indefinite postponement of Senate Bill No. 200, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carr moved that Senate Bill No. 200 be recalled from the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Mr. Trubshaw announced that the Joint Committee of the House and Senate had made suitable arrangements for the observation of Lincoln's birthday, and that appropriate exercises would be held in the House Chamber on Monday, February 12th, commencing at 2 o'clock P. M., Hon. A. M. Christianson being the speaker of the day.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Watt moved that the House do now recess for ten minutes.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

AFTER RECESS

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The Committee on Delayed Bills introduced:

House Bill No. 301, A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota

for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosures of Mortgages By Agent or Attorney and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgment in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Jackson introduced:

House Bill No. 302. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Cancellation and Reissue of the Unsold Bonds of North Dakota Bank Series.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Ulland introduced:

House Bill No. 303. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1951 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 72 of the Laws of 1919 Relating to the Construction of Bridges by County Commissioners.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Highways.

Mr. Olson of Towner introduced.

House Bill No. 304. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 66 of the Laws of North Dakota, 1921, Pertaining to the Giving of Notices of Intention to Foreclose Real Estate Mortgages.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Carr introduced:

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series"; Prescribing the terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, and to Carry Into Effect the Provisions of this Act; and Declaring This Act to be an Emergency Measure.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Banks and Banking.

House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The Speaker announced that House Bill No. 307 would be filed and referred to the committee on Delayed Bills.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 86 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

Also,

House Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Legalizing Certain Acts of City and Village Officials.

Also,

House Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 10, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 203. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 160 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 18 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Appointment of Regular and Special Assistant Attorneys General, and Repealing Chapter 20 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Senate Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Verdict in Civil Cases by Five-Sixths of the Jury After Twelve Hours Deliberation.

Senate Bill No. 39. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 287 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of 1915, and as Amended by Chapter 204 of the Session Laws of 1917, and as Amended by Chapter 198 of the Session Laws of 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 108 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Investment of University and School Land Funds.

Senate Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Place of Payment of all State Bonds of the State of North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption from Mortgage foreclosure or Execution Sales

and Providing for a Redemptioner Making a Credit on His Claim Against the Debtor as a Part of the Redemption.

Senate Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Appointment of Representatives on Behalf of the State of North Dakota to Negotiate a Compact and Agreement Between the States of North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana, and Between Said States and the United States of America, Respecting the Use and Distribution of the Waters of the Missouri River and the Rights of said States and the United States Thereto.

Senate Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Power of the Supreme Court in Civil Causes on Appeal, and the Extent of Review when Such Causes are Reversed by the Supreme Court and Remanded for a New Trial.

Senate Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the County Commissioners to Satisfy Judgments Against Sureties on Bail Bonds.

Senate Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Money for the Expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the State Government, and for Public Schools, Specifying the Amount and Time for Which Such Appropriations Shall be Available, and Repealing all Acts, or Parts of Acts, Insofar as the Same shall Relate to Appropriations Conflicting Herewith, or to Appropriations for the Same Matters or Purposes Provided for Herein.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 200. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Recall of County Commissioners.

Which the House has requested.

Very Respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Chief Clerk.

Senate Chamber,
Bsmarck, North Dakota,
February 10, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 338. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money to Reimburse the Common School Fund of the State of North Dakota for Losses Resulting From a Mis-

appropriation of Such Fund Occurring Previous to January 1, 1917.

Senate Bill No. 144. A Bill for an Act Relating to Deposits in Banks or Trust Companies and Making it Unlawful to Make a Charge Against the Same Without the Consent of the Depositor.

Senate Bill No. 162. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Certain "Securities" Herein Defined by Requiring an Inspection Thereof: Providing for Such Inspection, Supervision and Regulation of the Business of any Person, Association, Partnership, or Corporation, Engaged or Intending to Engage, Whether as Principal or Agent, May be Necessary to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Said Securities, and Repealing Chapter 91 of the Civil Code of the Compiled Laws of 1915.

Senate Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3890 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Publishing of Village Treasurer's Reports and Prescribing the Form Thereof.

Senate Bill No. 244. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4709 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Free Passes, Franks and Special Privileges Prohibited and Exceptions.

Senate Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the Hotel Inspection Department.

Senate Bill No. 158. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$9,900.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Expenses of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Mine Inspection.

Senate Bill No. 78. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Oil Inspection.

Senate Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$14,000.00 for the Maintenance of the Pure Seed Laboratory and Pure Seed Law Enforcement at the Agricultural College, Fargo.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3126, Compiled Laws, State of North Dakota for 1913; and Providing for a Shrinkage Allowance to Local Grain Buyers, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 98, nays 5, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	O'nam
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Itadeliffe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lakie	Root
Anderson	Fedge	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Fiom	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Frandsen	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Rollinger	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Link	Slominski
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Brown	Goranson	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Halcrow	Maddock	Steen
Burk	Hanson	Martin	Streich
Burkhardt	Hardy	McCay	Swett
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Traynor
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cole	Haugland	Miller	Tweten
Craig	Heaton	Morton	Ulland
Currie	Henne	Muus	Vogel
Doyle	Hodges	Norden	Walker
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Weisbeck
Durkee	Iverson	Opland	Weld
Eckert	Jackson	Orange	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Elmer	Jones	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jardine	Olafson	Shurr	Watt
Olson, Towner	Sims		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Hebling	Lackey	Patterson	
Hempel	Lynch	Twichell	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Twichell requested the unanimous consent of the House to amend House Bill No. 193.

Which request was granted.

Mr. Twichell moved that House Bill No. 193 be amended by striking out the words "twenty-one" on page one, line 20 of the original bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fourteen," and that when so amended the bill be considered properly engrossed and placed upon third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 258 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the

Year 1915, Relating to Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 104, nays none, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Fedge	Lazier	Sims
Burke-Divide	Flom	Levin	Slominski
Anderson	Frandsen	Link	Sproul
Sargent	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Arduser	Freeman	McManus	Steen
Bollinger	Geiszler	Maddock	Streich
Boyd	Goranson	Martin	Shurr
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McCay	Swett
Brown	Hanson	McDowell	Traynor
Bryans	Hardy	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burk	Harrington	Miller	Tweten
Burkhart	Hart	Morton	Twichell
Burns	Haugland	Muus	Ulland
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Vogel
Cart	Hempel	Oberg	Walker
Cole	Henne	O'afson	Watt
Craig	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Currie	Hoople	Opland	Weld
Doyle	Iverson	Orange	Yeater
Dougherty	Jackson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Jardine	Plath	
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Quam	
Ellingson	Jones	Rabe	
Elmer	Kelly	Radcliffe	
Erickson	Kopp	Root	
26th Dist.	Lakie	Rustad	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Lackey	Patterson	Veitch
Johnson, Traill	Lynch	Sagen	
Kellogg	Olson, Ransom		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Legalizing Certain Acts of City and Village Officials.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 42, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Frandsen	Kelly	Plath
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Lackey	Quade
Boyd	Freeman	Larkin	Radcliffe
Brown	Geiszler	Larson	Root
Bryans	Goranson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Halcrow	McManus	Slominski
Burkhart	Hanson	McCay	Sproul
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Heaton	Miller	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Dougherty	Hoople	Norden	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Watt
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jardine	Opland	
Fedge	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Kopp	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Lakie	Sims
Anderson	26th Dist.	Lazier	Steen
Sargent	Erickson	Link	Streich
Arduser	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Bollinger	Hardy	Maddock	Swett
Bratsberg	Haugland	Martin	Twichell
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Vogel
Craig	Henne	Oberg	Walker
Doyle	Jones	Quam	Weisbeck
Eckert	Kellogg	Rabe	Weld
		Rustad	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Lackey	Olson, Ransom	Sagen
Johnson, Traill	Lynch	Patterson	Veitch

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause lost.

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 36 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 96, nays 7, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Radeliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lakie	Root
Anderson	Fedje	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Flom	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Frandsen	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Levin	Sims
Boyd	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Geiszler	McManus	Sproul
Brown	Goranson	Martin	Starke
Bryans	Halcrow	McCay	Shurr
Burk	Hanson	McDowell	Swett
Burkhart	Hardy	McGauvran	Traynor
Burns	Harrington	Morton	Trubshaw
Carr	Hart	Muus	Tweten
Cart	Haugland	Norden	Twichell
Cole	Heaton	Oberg	Ulland
Craig	Henne	Olafson	Walker
Currie	Hodges	O'olson, Townner	Watt
Doyle	Hoople	Opland	Weisbeck

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Dougherty	Iverson	Orange	Weld
Durkee	Jackson	Patterson	Yeater
Eckert	Jardine	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Erickson	Jones	Quam	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were :

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Kellogg	Steen
Burke-Divide	Hempel	Link	Streich
Absent and not voting:			

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Lynch	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Johnson, Traill	Maddock	Sagen	
Lackey	Miller	Veitch	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

At the request of Mr. Cart, the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Carr moved that Senate Bill No. 200 be placed upon the Calendar of Senate Bills for third reading.

Which motion prevailed and Senate Bill No. 200 was placed upon the Calendar.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 10, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the Joint Conference Committee's report on Senate Bill No. 68.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate: House Bills numbered 184, 193, 128 and 168.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 39. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 287 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of 1915, and as Amended by Chapter 204 of the Session Laws of 1917, and as Amended by Chapter 198 of the Session Laws of 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 108 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Investment of University and School Land Funds.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 78. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Oil Inspection.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Money for the Expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the State Government, and for Public Schools, Specifying the Amount and Time for Which Such Appropriations Shall be Available, and Repealing all Acts, or Parts of Acts, Insofar as the Same Shall Relate to Appropriations Conflicting Herewith, or to Appropriations for the Same Matters or Purposes Provided for Herein.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$14,000.00 for the Maintenance of the Pure Seed Laboratory and Pure Seed Law Enforcement at the Agricultural College, Fargo.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the Hotel Inspection Department.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 144. A Bill for an Act Relating to Deposits in Banks, Declaring Same to Be Trust Funds, and Providing Penalties for Unlawful Removal of Same.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 158. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$10,540.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Expenses of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Mine Inspection.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 162. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Certain "Securities" Herein Defined by Requiring an Inspection Thereof: Providing for Such Inspection, Supervision and Regulation of the Business of any Person, Association, Partnership, or Corporation, Engaged or Intending to Engage, Whether as Principal or Agent, May be Necessary to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of

Said Securities, and Repealing Chapter 91 of the Civil Code of the Compiled Laws of 1915.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 203. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 160 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 18 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Appointment of Regular and Special Assistant Attorneys General, and Repealing Chapter 20 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Verdict in Civil Cases by Five-Sixths of the Jury After Twelve Hours Deliberation.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3890 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Publishing of Village Treasurer's Reports and Prescribing the Form Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption from Mortgage foreclosure or Execution Sales and Providing for a Redemptioner Making a Credit on His Claim Against the Debtor as a Part of the Redemption.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 244. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4799 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Free Passes, Franks and Special Privileges Prohibited and Exceptions.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Senate Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 6624 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913. Valued Insurance Policy Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Drainage and Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Appointment of Representatives on Behalf of the State of North Dakota to Negotiate a Compact and Agreement Between the States of North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana, and Between said States and the United States of America, Respecting the Use and Distribution of the Waters of the Missouri River and the Rights of said States and the United States Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Power of the Supreme Court in Civil Cases on Appeal, and the Extent of Review when Such Cases are Reversed by the Supreme Court and Remanded for a New Trial.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the County Commissioners to Satisfy Judgments Against Sureties on Bail Bonds.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 338. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money to Reimburse the Common School Fund of the State of North Dakota for Losses Resulting From a Misappropriation of Such Fund Occurring Previous to January 1, 1917.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, the Committee on Appropriations.

House Bill No. 308 will be filed and referred to the Committee on Delayed Bills.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit incurred in the State Auditor's Office.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 88, nays 8, absent and not voting 17.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath
Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Anderson	Elmer	Jones	Quam
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Kelly	Rabe
Anderson	26th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe
Sargent	Erickson	Lakie	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	16th Dist.	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Fedge	Larson	Sims
Boyd	Flom	Lazier	Sproul
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Levin	Starke
Bryans	Fredrickson	McManus	Steen
Burk	Freeman	Maddock	Streich
Burkhart	Goranson	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Hanson	McDowell	Swett
Carr	Hardy	McGauvran	Traynor
Cart	Harrington	Miller	Trubshaw
Cole	Hart	Morton	Tweten
Craig	Haugland	Muon	Twichell
Currie	Heaton	Norden	Ulland
Doyle	Hempel	Olson, Towner	Walker
Dougherty	Hoopel	Opland	Watt
Durkee	Iverson	Orange	Weid
Eckert	Jackson	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
		Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Geiszler	Link	Martin	Vogel
Henne	Loudenbeck	Oberg	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Johnson, Trail	Olafson	Sagen
Halcrow	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Slominski
Helbling	Lackey	Root	Veitch
Hodges	Lynch	Rustad	Weisbeck
Jardine			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Attorney General's Department.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 88, nays 11, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ellingson	Kelly	Plath
Burleigh	Elmer	Kopp	Quade
Anderson	Fedge	Lakie	Quam
Sargent	Flom	Larkin	Rabe
Arduser	Frandson	Larson	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lazier	Root
Boyd	Freeman	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Goranson	McManus	Sims
Bryans	Hanson	Maddock	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Cart	Heaton	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Hempel	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Hoople	O'afson	Ulland
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Dougherty	Jackson	Onland	Watt
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Weld
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Jones	Sethre, Williams	

Those voting in the negative were:

Anderson	Geiszler	Oberg	Weisbeck
Burke-Divide	Henne	Steen	
Erickson	Link	Swett	
26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Vogel	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Helbling	Lynch	Sagen
Erickson	Johnson, Trail	Martin	Slominski
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Halcrow	Lackey	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Repair of the Whitestone Battlefield Monument Located in the Whitestone Battlefield Park, in Dickey County, North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 2, absent and not voting 17.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ellingson	Jackson	Peters
Burleigh	Erickson	Jardine	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Sims
Sargent	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Sproul
Arduser	26th Dist.	Jones	Starke
Bollinger	Fedge	Kelly	Steen
Boyd	Flom	Kopp	Streich
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Larson	Shurr
Brown	Fredrickson	Lazier	Swett
Burk	Freeman	Levin	Traynor
Burkhart	Geisler	Link	Trubshaw
Burns	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Tweten
Carr	Hanson	Maddock	Twichell
Cart	Hardy	Martin	Ulland
Cole	Harrington	McCay	Vogel
Craig	Hart	McDowell	Walker
Currie	Haugland	McGauvran	Watt
Doyle	Heaton	Miller	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Hempel	Morton	Weid
Durkee	Henne	Muus	Yeater
Eckert	Hodges	Norden	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Hoople	Olson, Townner	
	Iverson	Orange	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Oberg
Burke-Divide	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Kellogg	McManus	Slominski
Elmer	Lackey	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Halcrow	Lackie	Rustad	
Helbling	Larkin	Sagen	
Johnson, Traill	Lynen	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 158 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Attorney General's Report.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 1, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedre	Lackie	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Brandson	Larson	Sims
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Levin	Sprul
Anderson,	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Starke
Sargent	Geiszler	McManus	Steen
Arduser	Garanson	Martin	Streich
Bollinger	Halcrow	McCay	Shurr
Boyd	Hanson	McDowell	Traynor
Bratsberg	Hardy	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Brown	Harrington	Miller	Tweten
Bryans	Hart	Morton	Twichell
Burkhart	Macglad	Muus	Ulland
Burns	Heaton	Norden	Vogel
Carr	Henne	Oberg	Walker
Cart	Hedres	Olafson	Watt
Craig	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Opland	Weld
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Yeater
Durkee	Jardine	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Ellingson	Jones	Quade	
Erickson	Kellogg	Quam	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe	
	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Lazier

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Helbling	Rustad	Veitch
Cole	Johnson, Traill	Sagen	
Ermer	Jackey	Sathre, Steele	
Erickson	Lynch	Slominski	
16th Dist.	Olson, Ransom	Swett	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act Relative to the Admission of Persons Under Eighteen Years of Age to Public Dances and Requiring the posting of a Copy of the Law and Prescribing Penalty for its Violation.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 82, nays 20, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ehr	Jardine	Orange
Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Plath
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Kelly	Quade
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Rabe
Sargent	16th Dist.	Lakie	Radcliffe
Arduser	Flom	Larkin	Root
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Lazier	Sprul
Bratsberg	Garanson	Levin	Starke
	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Steen

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Swett
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Traynor
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Haugland	McGauvran	Twetn
Burns	Heaton	Miller	Ulland
Carr	Hempel	Morton	Vogel
Cole	Henne	Muus	Walker
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Watt
Currie	Hoople	Olafson	Weld
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Durkee	Jackson	Opland	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Frandsen	Link	Quam
Doyle	Geiszler	Martin	Sims
Eckert	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Oberg	Twichell
Fedge	Jones	Patterson	Weisbeck

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hebling	Lynch	Sagen	Shurr
Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	Veitch
Lackey	Rustad	Slominski	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Paul Johnson, Pembina: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote. I am not much for dancing, but I think this bill is pretty strong, so I vote "No."

Senate Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relating to What Cities and Villages Shall Register Before Any General Election or Annual City Election.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 53, nays 47, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Cole	Heaton	Peters
Burleigh	Craig	Hodges	Plath
Anderson	Currie	Iverson	Quace
Foster	Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Rabe
Anderson,	Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Redcliffe
Sargent	Erickson	Kellogg	Root
Arduser	16th Dist.	Kelly	Sproul
Bollinger	Frandsen	Larson	Starke
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	McManus	Traynor
Brown	Freeman	McCay	Ulland
Bryans	Goranson	Miller	Walker
Burk	Halcrow	Morton	Weisbeck
Burns	Hanson	Muus	Weld
Cart	Harrington	Norden	
	Hart	Olafson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Geiszler	Levin	Quam
Burkhart	Hardy	Link	Sethre, Williams
Carr	Haugland	Loudenbeck	Sims
Doyle	Hempel	Maddock	Steen
Dougherty	Henne	Martin	Swett

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Hoople	McDowell	Trubshaw
Ehr	Jackson	McGauvran	Tweten
Elmer	Jardine	Oberg	Twichell
Erickson	Jones	Olson, Towner	Vogel
26th Dist.	Lakie	Opland	Watt
Fedge	Larkin	Orange	Yeater
Flom	Lazier	Patterson	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Lynch	Sagen	Streich
Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele	Shurr
Ropp	Rustad	Slominski	Veitch
Lackey			

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Patterson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 67 was lost be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion was lost.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate: Senate Bills Nos. 129, 130, 168, 204 and 35.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 10, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit by Members of the State Canvassing Board.

Senate Bill No. 122. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Training School.

Senate Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Supreme Court.

Senate Bill No. 105. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$18,825.00 for the Purpose of Paying Per Diem, Clerk Hire, Traveling Expenses, etc., in Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 126 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relative to the Depositors Guarantee Fund Commission.

Senate Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act Rebating to the White Stone Hills Battlefield Grounds in Dickey County, and Vesting the Care, Custody, Control and Maintenance of the Same in the State Historical Society of North Dakota, as Trustee for the State.

Senate Bill No. 287. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 157 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to the Penalty for Larceny of Automobiles and Motorcycles.

Senate Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 24 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the

Year 1919, Providing for the Issuance of Bonds of the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Two Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Home Building Series."

Senate Bill No. 241. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7036 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Protesting Negotiable Instruments.

Senate Bill No. 246. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1218 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to Report and Annual Statement of School Districts, as Amended by Chapter 50 of the Special Session Laws of 1918.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Watt moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Watt to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8325 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Actions Arising out of Personal Injury or Death Resulting from Wrongful Acts.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In lines 9 and 10 strike out the words "Code of Civil Procedure," and in lieu thereof insert "Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 106 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917."

Strike out the period following the figures "8323" in line 17 and add "of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 106 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 153. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Payment of Compensation Out of the Workmen's Compensation Fund

and Providing that Compensation Shall be Paid for Injuries and Deaths from Injuries Occurring Outside the State of North Dakota only Under Circumstances as Provided in the Act.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

At the end of the bill add the following:

"Provided that no such contract shall be issued to any employer unless his principal plant and main or general office is located in North Dakota and at least two-thirds of whose entire payroll is used or expended for work performed in the State of North Dakota."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Fred Taber, Valley City, N. D.; Anthony Marsh, Valley City, N. D.; Earl Ployhar, Valley City, N. D.; Mrs. Jno. W. Carr, Jamestown, N. D.; C. A. Klaus, Jamestown, N. D.; Emma Taubert, Bismarck; Belle Engen, Bismarck; Gladys Plath, Bismarck; L. R. Nostdal, Rugby, N. D.

Mr. Carr moved that the House do now recess until 10 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, February 13, 1923.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FORTIETH DAY AFTER RECESS AND FORTY-THIRD
DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 13, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Jackson moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Jackson to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act, Entitled an Act to Amend Sections 10, 14, 15, 17, 20 and 23 of Chapter 147, Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Being an Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Banking Business and to Establish a System of Banking Under the Name of the Bank of North Dakota, Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; Making an Appropriation Therefor; and Providing Penalties for the Violations of Certain Provisions Thereof Approved February 25th 1919, as Amended by an Act, entitled an Act Amending the Bank of North Dakota Act, Providing for the Deposit of all State, County, Township, Municipal and School District Funds, and Funds of all Penal, Educational and Industrial Institutions and All Other Public Funds in the Bank of North Dakota, Passed at the Election November 2nd, 1920.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line seven of Section Six of the original bill, being the second line from the bottom of page four of the printed

Bill, insert the word "with" after the word "ascertain."

Section 20, line two, strike out "deposited with" and insert in lieu thereof "assigned to."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking their Ballots.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Capitalize the words "in case of disability of elector," in line 4 of the printed bill.

Strike out the first word "of" in line 6 of the printed bill.

Strike out the words "Father" and "Mother," in line 8 of the printed bill.

Insert in line 9, following the word "Daughter" the following: "any one of whom must be a duly qualified elector."

Strike out the word "and" following the semi-colon in line 9 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof "such voter may, if he prefers, receive the assistance of the two judges of election who must act together."

Capitalize the first letter of the word "No" next to end of line 9.

Strike out, "under this act," following the word "assisting" in line 10 of the printed bill, and insert the words, "under this act," following the word "ballot" in line 10 of the printed bill.

Strike out the words "may in their discretion" in lines 11 and 12 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof "shall, in all cases."

Insert a comma after the word "disability" in line 15 of the printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Mr. Twichell requested that the report be divided with respect to House Bill No. 169.

Which request was granted.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Jackson, the report of the Committee of the Whole, with the exception of the report as to House Bill No. 169, was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 169, be not adopted.

Mr. Miller moved, as a substitute motion, that action on the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 169, be deferred until a quorum shall be present.

Which substitute motion prevailed and action on the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 169, was deferred.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do now adjourn. Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FORTY-THIRD DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 13, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. C. R. Verry.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Bollinger, Boyd, Bratsberg, Doyle, Ellingson, Elmer, Fedge, Flom, Geiszler, Hanson, Hart, Heaton, Helbling, Hodges, Iverson, Johnson of Traill, Kellogg, Kopp, Lakie, Larson, Lazier, Martin, Morton, Olson of Ransom, Olson of Towner, Opland, Patterson, Plath, Rabe, Radcliffe, Rustad, Sathre of Steele, Sims, Slominski, Sproul, Starke, Streich, Shurr, Tweten, Ulland and Yeater.

Mr. Root moved that all absentees be excused. Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. President: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Thirty-ninth Day After Recess and the Fortieth Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page one, under introduction of bills and memorials, after House Bill No. 306 add "307." Correct the spelling of the word "committee" wherever it is misspelled.

On page 5, under "Petitions and Communications," the name "P. M. Sproul" should read "R. M. Sproul."

On page 13, under the name "Peters" insert the word "Chairman."

On page 16, under House Bill No. 301, the word "mortgages" is incorrectly spelled.

On page 18, under House Bill No. 300, after the words "that the same be" add the word "not."

On page 20, correct the spelling of the words "mortgages," "introduced," "bill" and "commissioners." On the same page, after House Bill No. 305, insert: "House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest. Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary."

On following line House Bill No. 305 should be House Bill No. 307.

On page 29 strike out all concerning Senate Bill No. 224.

On bottom of page 29, strike out Senate Bill No. 228, and insert in lieu thereof: "Senate Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Appointment of Representatives on Behalf of the State of North Dakota to Negotiate a Compact and Agreement Between the States of North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana, and Between Said States and the United States of America, Respecting the Use and Distribution of the Waters of the Missouri River and the Rights of Said States and the United States There-to. Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Irrigation."

On page 37, strike House Bill No. 115 from the Calendar.

On page 39, insert "Senate Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Entitled an Act Relating to Lophophora Williamsii or Peyote (Pellote) and Agava Americana (Commonly Known as Mescal), Prohibiting the Use or Possession Thereof, Traffic Therein, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of This Act."

On page 19, under reports of Select Committees, correct the spelling of the name "Christianson."

On page 24, line 5, the word "negative" should be "affirmative." On the same page, under roll call, Olafson is reported as voting "aye"; should be "no."

On page 30, in lines 2 and 3, correct the spelling of "cases."

On page 32, the names of Peters and Orange are not reported and should be reported as voting "aye."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

At the request of Mr. Twichell, the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Twichell moved that the work of the House this afternoon be confined solely to the consideration of motions and resolutions, reports of special and standing committees, the first and second reading of Senate Bills and to the consideration of measures in Committee of the Whole House; provided that the report of the Committee of the Whole House shall not be adopted until the convening of the House tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 166 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that House Bill No. 166 be recalled from the Senate and re-referred to the Committee on Education.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson, on behalf of the Committee on Employments, nominated Clarence Register, of Bismarck, as an additional Page for the House.

The roll being called, disclosed the election of Clarence Register by the following vote:

Ayes 65, nays none, absent and not voting 48.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Durkee Eckert	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Orange Peters
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Ehr Erickson	Kelly Larkin	Quade Quam
Anderson, Sargent	16th Dist. Frandsen	Levin Link	Root Sagen
Brown	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Freeman	Lynch	Steen
Burkhart	Goranson	McManus	Traynor
Burns	Halerow	Maddock	Trubshaw
Carr	Hardy	McCay	Twitchell
Cart	Harrington	McDowell	Veitch
Cole	Haugland	McGauvran	Walker
Craig	Heaton	Miller	Watt
Currie	Henne	Muus	Weld
Dougherty	Hoople	Norden	Mr. Speaker
	Jackson	Oberg	
	Jardine	Olafson	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Hart	Morton	Streich
Bollinger	Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Shurr
Boyd	Hempel	Olson, Townner	Swett
Bratsberg	Hodges	Opland	
Bryans	Iverson	Sproul	
Doyle	Martin	Starke	

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Tweten
Elmer	Jones	Plath	Ulland
Erickson	Kellogg	Rabe	Vogel
26th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe	Weisbeck
Fedre	Lackey	Rustad	Yeater
Tom	Lackte	Sathre, Steele	
Geiszler	Farson	Sims	
Hanson	Lazier	Slominski	

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 67 was indefinitely postponed, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved that Senate Bill No. 67 be placed on the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed and Senate Bill No. 67 was placed on the Calendar.

Mr. Hempel moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of introducing House Bill No. 300.

Mr. Jackson moved that the motion of the gentleman from Sheridan be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Cole moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 35 was passed be reconsidered.

Mr. Jackson moved the previous question.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Cole, the motion was lost.

Mr. Peters moved that the Committee on Insurance be granted an extension of time for the consideration of bills before that committee.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Olafson moved that the Committee on Drainage and Irrigation be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bill No. 284, and the Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Brown.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McDowell moved that the Committee on Live Stock be granted an extension of time for the consideration of bills before that committee.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the Committee on Highways be granted an extension of time for the consideration of bills before that committee.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

Also,

House Bill No. 153. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Payment of Compensation Out of the Workmen's Compensation Fund and Providing that Compensation Shall be Paid for Injuries and Deaths from Injuries Occurring Outside the State of North Dakota only Under Circumstances as Provided in the Act.

Also,

House Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8325 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Actions Arising out of Personal Injury or Death Resulting from Wrongful Acts.

Also,

House Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Also,

House Bill No. 211. A Bill for an Act to Require Insurance Companies to Make Prompt Settlement of Loss.

Also,

House Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1889 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the State Census, and When to be Taken.

Also,

House Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Administration of Non-resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of Tuition of Such Non-resident Students by the County of Their Residence.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act to Make Appropriation for Postage, Office Supplies, Furniture and Fixtures, Printing, Miscellaneous Expenses, Traveling Expense, Maintenance of Game Farms, Salary and Expenses of Fish Commissioner and Deputy Fish Commissioner, and Expenses and Maintenance of Fish Hatchery.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

At line 9 the figures "\$24,000.00" be stricken out and that in lieu thereof the figures "\$21,500.00" be inserted.

That between lines 10 and 11 there be inserted line number 10-A and following same "Clerk Hire for Wardens and Secretary of Game Board at \$2500.00."

At line 23 the figures "\$6,800.00" be stricken out and the figures "\$5,000.00" be inserted in lieu thereof.

At line 27 the following to be inserted: "Auditing books of Game and Fish Board once a year by State Auditing Board, \$1,800.00."

That the figures "\$85,500.00" in total at line 28 be stricken out and that the figures "\$85,100.00" be inserted in lieu thereof.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making Appropriations for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Penitentiary and for Making of Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

At line 7 strike out the figures "\$48,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$35,000.00."

At line 11 strike out the figures "\$4,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,000.00."

At line 13 strike out the figures "\$4,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2500.00."

At line 14 strike out the figures "\$7,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4,000.00."

At line 19 strike out the figures "\$3,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,000.00."

At line 21 strike out the figures "\$289,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$260,000.00."

At lines 27 and 29 strike out the figures "\$7,500.00."

At line 32 strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4,000.00."

At line 34 strike out the figures "\$14,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$13,000.00."

At line 37 strike out the figures "\$320,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$282,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 287. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 12 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919 as amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws for the Year 1919, and Amended by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 220. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 11 and 12 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921 Relating to State Hail Insurance and to Repeal All Acts and Provisions in Conflict with the Sections as so Amended and Re-enacted.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend

that the same be considered in Committee of the Whole House.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 219. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6 of Chapter 77 of Session Laws for the Year 1921, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 160 of the 1919 Session Laws, as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 219 be recommended for passage.

Which motion was lost.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Peters, the motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use and Benefit of the North Dakota Firemen's Association for the Purpose of Promoting the Efficiency and Growth of its Different Departments, and the Holding of an Annual Tournament, According to the Rules and Regulations of Such Associations.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) to Provide Funds for the Maintenance of the North Dakota National Guard, or State Militia, as Provided for Under Chapter 35 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota, and to Meet Other Requirements Prescribed by the Federal Statutes.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 127. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$3,000.00 to the North Dakota Firemen's Association as Provided by Sections 1839, 1940 and 1941 of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1574 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections

2545 and 2546 of Article 3 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1571 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved as a substitute motion, that the committee report be not adopted and that House Bill No. 191 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Watt; which motion prevailed and the report of the committee was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 35 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to Militia Grounds.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 250 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Watt; which motion prevailed and the report of the Committee was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 1631 and 1638 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Stations.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 252. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1621 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Stations at Fargo.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1623 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1923, Relating to Demonstration Farms.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1839 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to North Dakota Firemen's Association.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 264. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to North Dakota Live Stock Association.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to North Dakota Poultry Association.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshall's Department.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

At line 3 after the word "sum of" the figures "\$1,000.00" be stricken out and the figures "\$200.00" be inserted in lieu thereof.

At line 5 the figures "\$1,000.00" be stricken out and the figures "\$200.00" be inserted in lieu thereof.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 175. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 56, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Legal Depositories for the Funds of Public Corporations and Providing for the Procedure and Regulation Under Which Such Funds Shall be Deposited.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act Designating the Depositories of Public Funds and Fixing the Minimum Rate of Interest; Requiring Competitive Bids for Such Deposits; Providing for Publicity with Reference to Such Funds and Depositories; Prescribing Penalties for Violation of this Act; Defining Terms used Herein, and Repealing Sections 147, 147a, 147b and Sections 370 to 374, Inclusive, Sections 1472 to 1478, Inclusive, Sections 3315 to 3329, Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 59 Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 56 Session Laws of 1921.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On page 3, in line 2, change the word "Depositors" to "Depositories." On Page 4 in line 3 of Section 3, strike out the words "banks located within the State of

North Dakota and," and in lieu thereof insert "the Bank of North Dakota or in banks," on page 5, in line 2 of Section 5, insert an "a" before the word "depository." On page 8, in line 5 of Section 9, after the word "depository" insert the words "or depositories," on page 11 in line 22 of Section 12, change the word "by" to "be." In the same Section, line 24, insert a "comma" after the word "institutions," On the same page change a number of section from "15" to "13."

On page 12, in line 4 of Section 14, change the word "depository" to "deposits." On page 14, line 12 of Section 19, change the word "by" to "be." On page 15, line 23 of Section 19 change the word "include" to "including."

On page 15, line 28 of Section 19 change the word "provisions" to "previous."

On page 5 at end of top line, place a "comma."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 153 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Bonds of North Dakota, Mill and Elevator Series.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 280. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 565 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Registration of Barbers and Fee Thereon.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore or Hereafter Issued by the State of North Dakota, in any Case Where Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing, Negotiating or Delivering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; and Providing for the Re-issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of one Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit incurred by the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Supreme Court.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 105. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$18,825.00 for the Purpose of Paying Per Diem, Clerk Hire, Traveling Expenses, etc., in Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 126 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relative to the Depositors Guarantee Fund Commission.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 122. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Training School.

Was read the first and second time and referred to Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 241. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7036 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Protesting Negotiable Instruments.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 246. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1218 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to Report and Annual Statement of School Districts, as Amended by Chapter 50 of the Special Session Laws of 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act Rebating to the White Stone Hills Battlefield Grounds in Dickey County, and Vesting the Care, Custody, Control and Maintenance of the Same in the State Historical Society of North Dakota, as Trustee for the State.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 24 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Issuance of Bonds of the

State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Two Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Home Building Series."

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State With Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for the Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court With Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation Proceedings, and Requesting it to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner, Fixing His Compensation, and Defining His Powers and Authority,

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mrs. Craig moved that the House do now recess until 12:30 P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FORTY-THIRD DAY AFTER RECESS AND
FORTY-FOURTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 14, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 12:30 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Freeman moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Freeman to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act Defining Persons who are authorized to Buy and Sell Grain Within the State of North Dakota, and Providing for a License for Such Grain Buyers and for Bond to be Furnished by Such Grain Buyers.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

In Section 2, line 2 in the printed bill after the word "license" insert the following: "All moneys collected under the provisions of this Act, shall be paid to the State Treasurer and credited to the general fund.

And when so amended recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

Also,

House Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3116 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

In line 6 of the printed bill change the word "three" to "two."

In line "7" after the word "per" insert the words "bushel for."

In line "8" after the word "cents" insert the words "per bushel."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also,

House Bill No. 149. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, to Empower the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to Classify Employments, Fix Rates for Premium, Provide for Reserves and Surplus, Provide for Establishment of a System of Merit Rating, and to Provide for the Payment of Premiums Into the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

On page 2, line 10, of the printed bill, strike out the word "commission" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Bureau."

On page 3, line 33, strike out the words "at least" and capitalize the word "Ten."

In line 36 strike out the words "at least."

In line 67 change the word "early" to "earlier."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 223. A Bill for an Act Providing for the examination and Certification of Dental Hygienists and Regulating the Practice of Dental Hygiene.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

In the printed bill, Section 2, line 13, after the word "least" strike out the following: "one year course beyond."

Section 4, line 3, after the word "institutions" insert "period," and strike out balance of line 3 and all of line 4 and the first two words in line 5 and insert the following: "such certified dental hygienists."

In line 6, Section 4, strike out the word "such" as it first appears and in lieu thereof insert the word "the." After the word "supervision" in the same line, add the following: "such certified dental hygienists."

And when so amended recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

Also,

House Bill No. 155. A Bill for an Act Protecting Potato Growers and Sellers in Marketing Potatoes; Providing for Bonding Commission Merchants, Solicitors and Persons Buying Same on Consignment; Providing Penalties for Violation of this Act.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

In Section 1, line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the figures "7,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof, "5,000.00."

In Section 2, line 5 of the printed bill, strike out the figures "7,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof "5,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JNO. T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking their Ballots.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

Capitalize the words "in case of disability of elector," in line 4 of the printed bill.

Strike out the first word "or" in line 6 of the printed bill.

Strike out the words "Father" and "Mother," in line 8 of the printed bill.

Insert in line 9, following the word "Daughter" the following: "any one of whom must be a duly qualified elector."

Strike out the word "and" following the semi-colon in line 9 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof "such voter may, if he prefers, receive the assistance of the two judges of election who must act together."

Capitalize the first letter of the word "No" at the end of line 9.

Strike out "under this act," following the word "assisting" in line 10 of the printed bill, and insert the words "under this act," following the word "ballot" in line 10 of the printed bill.

Strike out the words "may in their discretion" in lines 11 and 12 of the printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof "shall, in all cases."

Insert a comma after the word "disability" in line 15 of the printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of Committee of the Whole of Tuesday, with respect to House Bill No. 169, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Sagen moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 14, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Thomas Homer.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Anderson of Burleigh, Boyd, Helbling, Kopp, Lackey, Levin, McGauvran, Morton, Olson of Ransom, Slominski and Tweten.

Mr. Kelly moved that all absentees be excused.
Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. President: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Fortieth Day After Recess and the Forty-third Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 3, under roll call, Hempel reported as absent, should be present.

On page 7, under House Bill No. 213, the word "taken" is misspelled.

On page 8, line 11, the figures "\$24,400.00" should be "\$24,000.00."

On page 18, after Senate Bill No. 122, insert the following: "Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations."

On page 18, under Senate Bill No. 246, the last figures "1918" should be "1919."

On page 19, House Bill No. 226, the following title should be inserted: "For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Admission of Non-resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of Tuition to such Non-residence Students by the County of Their Residence."

On page 5, line 15, the word "House" should be changed to "Senate."

On page 22, correct the title to Senate Bill No. 200.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use and Benefit of the North Dakota Firemen's Association for the Purpose of Promoting the Efficiency and Growth of its Different Departments, and the Holding of an Annual Tournament, According to the Rules and Regulations of Such Associations.

Also,

House Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1574 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the State Geological Survey.

Also,

House Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 2545 and 2546 of Article 3 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; Providing for Relief of Needy Settlers.

Also,

House Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1571 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the Biological Stations

Also,

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore, or Hereafter Issued by the State of North Dakota, in Any Case Where Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing, Negotiating or Delivering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; and Providing for the Re-issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

Also,

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 153 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Bonds of North Dakota, Mill and Elevator Series.

Also,

House Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 35 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to Militia Grounds.

Also,

House Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 1631 and 1638 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Stations.

Also,

House Bill No. 252. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1621 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

Also,

House Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1623 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Demonstration Farms.

Also,

House Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1839 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota, Relating to North Dakota Firemen's Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 264. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Live Stock Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Poultry Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act entitled an Act Amend Sections 10, 14, 15, 17, 20 and 23 of Chapter 147, Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Being an Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Banking Business and to Establish a System of Banking Under the Name of the Bank of North Dakota, Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; Making an Appropriation Therefor; and Providing Penalties for the Violations of Certain Provisions Thereof Approved February 25th 1919, as Amended by an Act, entitled an Act Amending the Bank of North Dakota Act, Providing for the Deposit of all State, County, Township, Municipal and School District Funds, and Funds of all Penal, Educational and Industrial Institutions and All Other Public Funds in the Bank of North Dakota, Passed at the Election November 2nd, 1920.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 14, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 69. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two and 3-100 Dollars (\$2,882.03) for the Purpose of Charging Off Losses Resulting to the State on Account of the Failure, in the Year 1909, of the First National Bank of Rugby, Rugby, North Dakota, and the Barton State Bank, Barton, North Dakota.

House Bill No. 79. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Purpose of Paying Insurance Tax to the Various Fire Departments of the State.

House Bill No. 73. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Election of Directors of Building and Loan Association for the Term of Three Years.

House Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 147 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 and Repealing Section 147a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; Providing for Publicity of State Finances.

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Also,

I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1147 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended by Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 197 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Organization of New School Districts.

Which the House has requested returned.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Minot, North Dakota, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 181. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, Supervising and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxi Cab or Auto Livery, Places Where Soft Drinks are Sold or Where Cigars and Tobacco are sold, or Public Halls Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes, Providing the Licensing Fees Therefor and Repealing Chapter 84 of the Session Laws of 1921 and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On page 5, in Section 6, line 11 of the printed bill, after the word "livery" and before the "comma" following, insert "operated in cities."

In line 12 of the same section, after the word "thereafter," insert "for taxi cab or auto livery operated in villages or townships \$5.00 for each car."

On page 6, at the end of Section 6, add the following: "Provided, further, that it shall be the duty of the sheriff in any county in which any public bowery or public barn dance or other public dance, is held outside of a city or village, where the dance is so held for profit or a charge for dancing is made, to police such dance so that law and order is there maintained; and the person or persons conducting any such dance are hereby required before any such dance shall be held, to pay to such sheriff the expense of any deputy sheriff or special officer required to the proper policing of such dance. The holding of such dance without the giving of notice to the sheriff of the county and the making of such provision for the policing thereof is hereby declared to be misdemeanor."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted.

A minority of the Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 181. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, Supervising and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxi Cab or Auto Livery, Places Where Soft Drinks are Sold or Where Cigars and Tobacco are sold, or Public Halls Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes, Providing the Licensing Fees Therefor and Repealing Chapter 84 of the Session Laws of 1921 and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. H. BURKHART,
E. E. BRYANS,
FRED ECKERT,
CHAS. F. STREICH,
E. E. IVERSON,
WALTER MADDOCK.

Mr. Burkhart moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the minority be adopted.

Mr. Hempel moved the previous question.

Mr. Larkin raised a point of order against Mr. Twichell, who had spoken twice previously on the bill, being allowed to make any further statement after the previous question had been moved.

The Speaker announced that he would be guided by the Rules of Congress, which permitted the chairman of the committee having the bill under consideration to make a final statement in regard to the bill after the previous question had been moved, and overruled the point of order.

Mr. Larkin appealed from the decision of the Chair.

Mr. Jackson moved the previous question regarding the appeal from the decision of the Chair.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being shall the decision of the Chair stand as the decision of this Assembly on the point of order raised by Mr. Larkin, the Chair was sustained by a vote of 67 ayes and 27 nays.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Hempel for the previous question, a vote was taken and the motion prevailed.

The question being on the substitute motion of Mr. Burkhart, for the adoption of the minority report, a demand for a roll call was granted. The roll was called and the result announced as 53 ayes and 54 nays.

Upon request being made, a verification of the roll call was taken.

Mr. Goranson advised the Speaker that the verification of the roll call disclosed him as having been absent and not voting, and requested that he be correctly recorded as voting in the negative.

The Speaker ordered the correction made.

The roll call on the substitute motion of Mr. Burkhart was then announced as follows:

Ayes 54, nays 54, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sims
Anderson,	Fedge	Lewin	Starke
Sargent	Frandsen	Link	Steen
Arduser	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Streich
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McManus	Shurr
Bryans	Hardy	Maddock	Swett
Burkhart	Haugland	Martin	Tweten
Cart	Heaton	McCay	Vogel
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Walker
Doyle	Hoople	Oberg	Weisbeck
Eckert	Iverson	Opland	Weid
Elmer	Jones	Patterson	Yeater
Erickson	Kellogg	Quam	
26th Dist.	Lackie	Sathre, Steele	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Kelly	Rabe
Burleigh	Freeman	Lackey	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Geiszler	Larson	Root
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Rustad
Brown	Hanson	McDowell	Sagen
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Burns	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Dougherty	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Morton	Olson, Ransom	Slominski
Kopp			

So the motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, for the adoption of the majority report, a demand for a roll call was granted.

Mr. Miller moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll was called and disclosed 103 members present and 10 absent, as follows:

Present:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 26th Dist.	Jones Kellogg	Quam Rabe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly Lakie	Radcliffe Root
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge	Larkin Larson	Rustad Sagen
Arduser	Flom	Lazier Levin	Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Frandsen	Link Loudenbeck	Sproul Starke
Boyd	Fredrickson	Lynch	Steen
Brown	Freeman	McManus	Streich
Bryans	Geizler	Maddock	Shurr
Burk	Goranson	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Halcrow	McCay	Traynor
Burns	Hanson	McDowell	Trubshaw
Carr	Hardy	McGauvran	Tweten
Cart	Harrington	Miller	Twichell
Cole	Hart	Muus	Ulland
Craig	Haugland	Norden	Veitch
Currie	Hempel	Oberg	Vogel
Doyle	Henne	Olafson	Walker
Dougherty	Hodges	Opland	Watt
Durkee	Hoople	Orange	Weisbeck
Eckert	Iverson	Patterson	Weld
Ehr	Jackson	Peters	Yeater
Ellingson	Jardine	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina Jonsson, Trail.	Quade	

Absent:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Kopp	Olson, Ransom	Slominski
Heaton	Lackey	Olson, Towner	
Helbling	Morton	Sims	

The Speaker instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to call the absentees to the House.

Mr. Jardine moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, the roll was called and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 53, nays 55, absent and not voting 5.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Flom	Kelly	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Freeman	Lackey	Root
Boyd	Geizler	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Sagen
Burk	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Harrington	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Hart	Muus	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Trail.	Plath	
		Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
	Frandsen	Levin	Sims
		Link	Starke

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich
Bryans	Halerow	Maddock	Shurr
Burkhart	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Cart	Haugland	McCay	Twcten
Craig	Heaton	Miller	Vogel
Doyie	Hempel	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Hoople	Opland	Welsbeck
Elmer	Iverson	Patterson	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Quam	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Rabe	
Erickson	Lackie		
16th Dist.			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Morton	Olson, Ransom	Slominski
Kopp			

So the motion was lost.

Mr. Watt moved that House Bill No. 181 be re-referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion, that further consideration of House Bill No. 181 be indefinitely postponed.

Which substitute motion prevailed.

Mr. Vogel moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 181 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered, and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that when the House was ready to recess, such recess be taken until seven o'clock this evening.

Mr. Peters moved, as a substitute motion, that such recess be taken until ten o'clock tomorrow morning.

Which substitute motion prevailed.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 14, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 197. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 146 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Office of Commissioner of Immigration, Prescribing His Powers and Duties, and Making an Appropriation Therefor, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Senate Bill No. 211. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3451, Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to County Bonds, Rate of Interest and Mode of Issue.

Senate Bill No. 175. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Examination, Commitment, Care and Maintenance, Release and Discharge of Persons Alleged or Found to be Feeble Minded.

Senate Bill No. 174. A Bill for an Act Providing for Juvenile Courts, Defining Their Powers over Dependent, Neglected and Delinquent Children and Over Persons Contributing to Such Neglect, Dependency or delinquency, and for the Repeal of Sections 11402 to 11428, Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, and Chapter 179, Laws of 1915, and Chapter 83, Laws of 1921.

Senate Bill No. 266. A Bill for An Act Providing for the Assessment of Shares of Stock in Banking Associations Organized Under the Laws of this State.

Senate Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Assessment of Telephone Property, Providing for a Tax on Gross Earnings of Telephone Companies in Lieu of the General Property Tax on the Property of Such Companies Used Exclusively in Connection with the Operation of Their Telephone Business, and in Lieu of Any Franchise, Excise or Income Tax, upon Such Companies; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Senate Bill No. 170. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred by the Flood Control Commission.

Senate Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 7660, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 7660, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 131, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Causes for a New Trial in Civil Actions.

Senate Bill No. 304. A Bill for an Act to Permit Mutual Insurance Companies to Classify Their Business by Trades, Occupations or Professions, and to Pay Dividends to Policyholders Based Upon Each Trade, Occupation or Professions Proportion of Losses Received to the Premiums Paid by Them; and Providing the Method of Determining Such Dividends.

Senate Bill No. 375. A Bill for an Act Validating Taxes Assessed Against Bank Stocks in the Years 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners and the Tax Commissioners to Compromise Such Taxes Upon Bank Stock for 1919, 1920, and 1921, as Have Not Been Paid, and Confirming and Ratifying Such Settlements as Have Been Made.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February, 14, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bill:

House Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1154 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in School Elections.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 242. A Bill for an Act Designating the Legal Holidays in the State of North Dakota and to Amend and Re-enact Section 7297 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 143 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and Chapter 74 of the Session Laws of 1921.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. Holidays. Holidays are every Sunday; the first day of January, which is New Years Day; the Twelfth day of February, which is the birthday of Abraham Lincoln; the twenty-second day of February, which is the birthday of George Washington; the fourth day of July which is the anniversary of the Declaration of Independence; the twenty-fifth day of December, which is Christmas day; the thirtieth day of May which is Memorial day; the first Monday in September, which is Labor day; the twelfth day of October which is Discovery day; the eleventh day of November which is Armistice day; The Friday before Easter Sunday, which is Good Friday, and the First day of April which is April Fool's day.

And when so amended recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 296. A Concurrent Resolution Agreeing to a Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the State

of North Dakota, by Changing Section 63 Thereof; Providing that Bills Introduced in Either House of the Legislative Assembly shall be Read Twice.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

After the sentence "The second reading shall be at length." add the sentence "The first and second reading shall not be on the same day."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STRAKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Watt moved, as a substitute motion, that further consideration of House Bill No. 296 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Starke, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 14, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1398 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Free Text Books in Public Schools.

Senate Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 4424, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Custody, Service and Earnings of Minor Children.

Senate Bill No. 186. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Abandonment or Neglect of Wife or Child, and the Desertion and Non-support of Family, and for the Repeal of Sections 9589 and 9603 Inclusive. Compiled Laws of 1913.

Senate Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act Concerning the Transfer of Rights in Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 77 of the Laws of 1919.

Senate Bill No. 188. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the placing of Children, Either for Temporary or Permanent Care, in Almshouses, or in Institutions, Charitable, Penal or Reformatory, Where Delinquent Children are Kept.

Senate Bill No. 192. A Bill for an Act Relating to Indecent Liberties.

Senate Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Exclusion of Spectators from the Trial of Minors.

Senate Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act to Amend and re-enact Sections 5109 and 5110 of the Compiled Laws for 1913.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 271. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5 of Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Conciliation of Controversies.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STRAKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Hempel moved as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 271 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Starke: which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 140. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 107 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to Non-resident Tuition Fees and Providing a Method for the Collection Thereof.

Have had the some under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Speaker called Mr. Watt to the chair.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Withdrawal of Pupils From the Public Schoolse for Two Hours per Week for Religious Instruction and Giving Pupils Credit for Such Instruction.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1176 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Employing Public School Teachers and the Liability of School Officers.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A majority of the committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 292. A Bill for an Act Establishing an Educational Commission Defining Its Purpose, Powers and Duties and Presenting a Method of Organization, and Fixing Times of Meeting.

Have had the some under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted.

A minority of the committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 292. A Bill for an Act Establishing an Educational Commission, Defining its Purpose, Powers and Duties and Prescribing a Method of Organization and Fixing Times of Meeting:

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be recommended to the Committee of the Whole.

G. H. HOOPLE,
MINNIE D. CRAIG,
P. O. SATHRE,
J. C. MILLER,

Mr. Burkhart moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the minority be adopted.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Trubshaw, a request for a roll call was granted, which disclosed the following result:

Ayes 59, nays 48, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe
Burleigh	Flom	Johnson, Traill	Redcliffe
Anderson,	Freeman	Kelly	Root
Sargent	Getzler	Lackey	Rustad
Bollinger	Goranson	Larkin	Sagen
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Franson	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Twitchell
Curria	Hodges	Olson, Towner	U'land
Dougherty	Iverson	Orange	Veitch
Durkee	Jackson	Peters	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Arduser	Fedge	Link	Steen
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Streich
Bryans	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Swett
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Craig	Hempel	McCay	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Miller	Walker
Eckert	Jones	Oberg	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Lakie	Patterson	Yeater
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Morton	Olson, Ransom	Slominski
Kopp			

So the motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 237. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Dissolution of Consolidated School Districts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was re-referred:

Senate Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to High Schools and Tuition Fees.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That the amendment offered to Section 2 on line 8 of the printed bill after the word "resides," be stricken out, and that section 2 remain as originally printed.

That the Amendment to Section 3 of the printed bill be stricken off and that Sec. 3 of the original bill be allowed to stand as printed.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Sproul moved, as a substitute motion, that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 71 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Trubshaw, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 217. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 21 of Chapter 5 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 71 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Consolidation or Merger of Banking Associations Regulating the Procedure and Providing for Supervision Thereof, and Providing a Limitation of Actions.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The majority of the committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 144. A Bill for an Act Relating to Deposits in Banks or Trust Companies and Making it Unlawful to Make a Charge Against the Same Without the Consent of the Depositor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted.

A minority of the committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 144. A Bill for an Act Relating to Deposits in Banks, Declaring Same to Be Trust Funds, and Providing Penalties for Unlawful Removal of Same.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. VOGEL,
O. E. ERICKSON,
P. W. WEISBECK,

Mr. Vogel moved that the minority report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the minority report was adopted..

The committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 294. A Bill for an Act Relating to De-

posits in Banks, Declaring same to be trust funds and Providing Penalties for Unlawful Removal of Same.

Same had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 6072 and 6073 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended by Chapter 176 of the Session Laws of 1915 prescribing **lawful rates of interest** for any legal indebtedness, defining usury.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted.

A minority of the committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 6072 and 6073 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended by Chapter 176 of the Session Laws of 1915 prescribing **lawful rates of interest** for any legal indebtedness, defining usury.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

Mr. Weld moved that the minority report be adopted, which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Carr; which motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 299. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2835, 2836 as Amended by Section 1 of Chapter 81 of the Session Laws of 1915, and Section 2837 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the

Year 1913 Relating to the Establishment of a Dairy Department, the Appointment of a Dairy Commissioner and Assistant Dairy Commissioners, Defining their Qualification and Fixing their Compensation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be not permitted to be introduced.

JOHN PLATH,
Charman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

At the request of Mr. Twichell the House proceeded to the Ninth order of business.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND MEMORIALS

House Bills Nos. 309, 310, 311, 312 were filed and referred to the committee on Delayed Bills.

At the request of Mr. Maddock the House reverted to the Seventh order of business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Maddock moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 175 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Lynch moved that the Committee on Military Affairs be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bill No. 278.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Halcrow moved that the committee on Temperance be granted an extension of time for the consideration of House Bill No. 239.

Which motion prevailed.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following: A. P. Benton, Fargo; Mr. A. Waddington, Wilton, N. D.; Mr. Geo. Coles, Wilton, N. D.; G. A. Brown, Underwood, N. D.; B. B. Boyd, Fargo, N. D.; Mrs. Jacobson, Northgate; Mrs. McCann, Woburn; Mrs. Weinberger, Kenmare Elizabeth Ehr, Minot; Mary Kelsh, Fullerton; Mrs. Geo. M. McKenna, Napoleon.

Mr. Kelly moved that the house do now recess until tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

Which motion prevailed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND
FORTY-FIFTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 15th, 1923.

The house re-assembled to 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken.

Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 211. A Bill for an act to Require Insurance Companies to Make Prompt Settlement of Loss.

Was read the third time.

The question being on final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 0, absent and not voting 19.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lackie	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Ralc
Anderson	Flom	Larson	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Lazier	Root
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Levin	Sagen
Sargent	Freeman	Link	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Bryans	Halcrow	McManus	Starke
Burk	Hanson	Maddock	Steen
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Tweten
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Ulland
Craig	Henne	Muus	Veitch
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Oberg	Walker
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Watt
Durkee	Jackson	O'son, Ransom	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Weld
El'ingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Jones	Peters	
26th Dist.	Kelly	P'ath	
		Quade	

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hart	Lackey	Slominski
Boyd	Heaton	Martin	Shurr
Bratsberg	Jardine	Patterson	Swett
Eckert	Kellogg	Rustad	Twichell
Fedge	Kopp	Sims	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 0, absent and not voting 18.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Orange
Burleigh	Erickson	Johnson, Trail	Peters
Anderson	26th Dist.	Jones	Quade
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Kely	Quam
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Lakie	Rabe
Sargent	Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe
Arduser	Frandson	Larson	Root
Boyd	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sagen
Bratsberg	Freeman	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Geiszler	Link	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Geranson	Londonbeck	Sornol
Burk	Halerow	Lynch	Starke
Burkhart	Hanson	McManus	Steen
Burns	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Carr	Harrington	McCay	Traynor
Cart	Haugland	McDowell	Trimbshaw
Cole	Heaton	McGauvran	Ulland
Craig	Hobling	Miller	Veitch
Currie	Hommel	Morton	Vogel
Doyle	Henne	Muus	Walker
Dougherty	Hodges	Norden	Watt
Durkee	Hoople	Oberg	Woisbeck
Ehr	Johnson	Olafson	Weld
Ellington	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Yerter
	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Mr. Speaker
		Opland	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Kellogg	Plath	Swett
Federt	Kopp	Rustad	Tweten
Fedje	Lackey	Sims	Twichell
Hart	Martin	Slominski	
Jardine	Patterson	Shurr	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1889 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the State Census, and When to be Taken.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, the as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 64, nays 39, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Rabe
Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Radeliffe
Anderson,	Flom	Johnson, Trail	Root
Sargent	Fredrickson	Kellogg	Sagen
Bollinger	Freeman	Kelly	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Geiszler	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	McDowell	Traynor
Burk	Hanson	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burns	Harrington	Muus	Twichell
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Ulland
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Veitch
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Watt
Dougherty	Hoople	Opland	Yeater
Durkee	Iverson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Jackson	Peters	
	Jardine	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Levin	Sims
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Link	Starke
Arduser	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Haugland	Maddock	Swett
Cart	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Doyle	Jones	Morton	Walker
Elmer	Lakie	Oberg	Weisbeck
Erickson	Larkin	Olson, Ransom	Weld
26th Dist.	Lezier	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Pedge	Lackey	Plath	Shurr
Hart	Martin	Rustad	
Kopp	Patterson	Slominski	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, as I did not have an opportunity to speak on this bill before the roll call was started I desire to explain my vote now and have it printed in the Journal. This measure looks to me as though it represents taxation without proper representation; therefore, I vote no.

Mr. Goranson asked unanimous consent of the House to amend House Bill No. 226, by striking out the words "first day of July," on page 3, line 42 of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirtieth day of June."

Which request was granted and the amendment was made.

Mrs. Craig moved that the rules be suspended, House Bill No. 226 be considered properly enrolled and engrossed and placed upon third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Admin-

istration of Non-Resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of Tuition of Such Non-Resident Students by the County of Their Residents.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 85 nays 21, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Larkin	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larson	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lazier	Root
Sargent	Franson	Link	Sagen
Arduser	Frdrickson	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Freeman	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Sims
Bratsberg	Halerow	Maddock	Starke
Brown	Hanson	McCay	Steen
Burk	Hardy	Miller	Streich
Burkhart	Harrington	Morton	Shurr
Burns	Hart	Mus	Swett
Carr	Haugland	Norden	Traynor
Cole	Heaton	Oberg	Trubshaw
Craig	Hempel	Olafson	Tweten
Currie	Hedges	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Durkee	Jackson	Op'and	Walker
Fekert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Yeater
Elmer	Jones	Peters	
Erickson	Kelly	Quade	
26th Dist.	Lakde		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	F'om	Kellogg	Veitch
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Ievin	Watt
Bryans	H'bling	McDowell	Weisbeck
Cart	Henne	McGarvran	Mr. Speaker
Doyle	Hoople	Sproul	
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Ulland	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jardine	Jackey	Rabe	Slominski
Kopp	Martin	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

Was read the third time.

The question being on final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 106, nays 0, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Quam
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lakie	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larkin	Root
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Frandsen	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Freeman	Link	Sims
Boyd	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Starke
Brown	Halerow	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Hanson	Martin	Streich
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Swett
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	Miller	Trubshaw
Cart	Heaton	Morton	Tweten
Cole	Helbling	Muus	Twichell
Craig	Hempel	Norden	Ulland
Currie	Henne	Oberg	Veitch
Doyle	Hodges	Olafson	Vogel
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Eckert	Jackson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weid
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Jones	Plath	
		Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Fedge	Kopp	Maddock	Slominski
Jardine	Lackey	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8325 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Actions Arising out of Personal Injury or Death Resulting from Wrongful Acts.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 66, nays 42, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Quade
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Anderson,	Erickson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Flom	Levin	Sims
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Link	Starke
Bryans	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Burkhart	Goranson	McManus	Streich
Burns	Halerow	Maddock	Shurr
Carr	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Cart	Hart	McCay	Vogel
Cole	Haugland	Miller	Walker
Craig	Heaton	Morton	Weisbeck
Doyle	Helbling	Muus	Weid
Durkee	Hempel	Oberg	Yeater
Eckert	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	
Ehr	Hoople	Opland	
Elmer	Iverson	Patterson	
	Jones	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Harrington	McDowell	Sagen
Burleigh	Heaton	McGauvran	Sproul

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Boyd	Jackson	Olafson	Trubshaw
Brown	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Tweten
Burk	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Twichell
Currie	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Ulland
Dougherty	Johnson, Trail	Rabe	Veitch
Ellingson	Kelly	Radcliffe	Watt
Geiszler	Lakie	Root	Mr. Speaker
Hanson	Lynch	Rustad	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Fedge	Kopp	Lackey	Slominski
Freeman			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and request that the explanation appear in the Journal. In my opinion this is one of the most vicious and dangerous bills I have seen in the legislature. For every worthy case which it will meet I predict there will be a thousand cases of fraud and attempted fraud. Therefore, I vote no.

House Bill No. 153. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Payment of Compensation Out of the Workmen's Compensation Fund and Providing that Compensation Shall be Paid for Injuries and Deaths from Injuries Occurring Outside the State of North Dakota only Under Circumstances as Provided in the Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 2, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Quam
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Lackey	Robe
Anderson	Erickson	Lakie	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larkin	Root
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Larson	Rustad
Arduser	Frandsen	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geiszler	Link	Sims
Brown	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bryans	Halcrow	Lynch	Starke
Burk	Hanson	McManus	Steen
Burkhardt	Hardy	Martin	Streich
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Swett
Cart	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Cole	Helbling	Morton	Trubshaw
Craig	Hempel	Muus	Tweten
Currie	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Doyle	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Olafson	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Weld
	Jones	Plath	Yeater
		Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Jackson

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Fedge	Kelly	McCay	Slominski
Freeman	Kopp	Patterson	
Heaton	Maddock	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act, entitled an Act, to Amend Sections 10, 14, 15, 17, 20 and 23 of Chapter 147, Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Being an Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Banking Business and to Establish a System of Banking Under the Name of the Bank of North Dakota, Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; Making an Appropriation Therefor; and Providing Penalties for the Violations of Certain Provisions Thereof Approved February 25th 1919, as Amended by an Act, entitled an Act Amending the Bank of North Dakota Act, Providing for the Deposit of all State, County, Township, Municipal and School District Funds, and Funds of all Penal, Educational and Industrial Institutions and All Other Public Funds in the Bank of North Dakota, Passed at the Election November 2nd, 1920.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 53, absent and not voting 3.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Sagen
Lawson	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Patth	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Ievin	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Link	Sims
Anderson,	Frandsen	Idénbeck	Steen
Sarcent	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich
Arduser	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Bratsberg	Haueland	Martin	Sweet
Bryans	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Burkhart	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Cart	Hoople	Merton	Walker

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Eckert	Kellogg	Opland	Yeeter
Elmer	Lakie	Patterson	
Erickson	Larkin	Quam	
26th Dist.	Lazier	Sathre, Steele	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Fedge	Kopp	Slominski

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I vote no for the reason that this is one of the fundamental laws passed two years ago for the purpose of allowing the state to go into the banking business for the purpose of making farm loans. After we had passed this law we were thrown into court and it took us two years to find out if these laws were good and legal. Therefore, I vote no on this bill for fear that if we start changing the old law we will have another time of it with a lot of court procedure that might tie us up for another two years. Therefore, I vote no.

Mr. Maddock: Mr. Speaker, I vote no because I realize that the only way to make the Bank of North Dakota a sound, perfect institution is by an initiated law placing it back on the solid foundation on which it was originated as a financial institution, owned by the whole people, for the benefit of the whole people of the whole state.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I vote aye on this bill in order to be recorded with the majority, although I do not approve the policy of tinkering up league legislation nor do I think this bill goes far enough to redeem the pledges and platform, with reference to the Bank of North Dakota, upon which pledges and platform I and other independent members ran for office.

Mr. Traynor: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have my explanation recorded in the Journal. I vote aye, not for the reason that I approve of this bill in its present form. I believe that we should have gone much farther, but inasmuch as the independent members have seen fit to go only this far I vote for the bill. I would gladly have voted for a bill that would have gone much farther.

Mr. Vogel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded in the Journal. I vote no on this bill for the reason that I feel its passage would be a step backward. I feel that it is an effort on the part of the administration following out a certain and sure system to gradually do away with the farm loan department of the Bank of North Dakota as it now stands. I vote no.

Mr. Watt: Mr. Speaker, I want to vote aye on this bill because it strengthens the farm loan department of the Bank of North Dakota. It is a measure in favor of rural credits and I have always been in favor of rural

credits. I was in favor of rural credits long before the Nonpartisan League was ever born. I vote aye.

House Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use and Benefit of the North Dakota Firemen's Association for the Purpose of Promoting the Efficiency and Growth of its Different Departments, and the Holding of an Annual Tournament, According to the Rules and Regulations of Such Associations.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays 9, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kelly	Plath
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Quade
Anderson	Flom	Lazier	Quam
Burke-Divide	Frandson	Larkin	Rabe
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larson	Radcliffe
Sargent	Freeman	Lazier	Root
Arduser	Geisler	Levin	Rustad
Bollinger	Goranson	Link	Sagen
Boyd	Halcrow	Lordenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Hanson	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Sims
Burk	Harrington	Maddock	Sproul
Burkhart	Hart	Martin	Starke
Burns	Haugland	McDowell	Steen
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Streich
Carr	Helbling	Miller	Shurr
Craig	Henne	Morton	Treynor
Currie	Hedges	Muus	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Twetten
Dougherty	Jackson	Oberg	Twichell
Durkee	Jardine	Olafson	Ulland
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Op'land	Walker
Elmer	Jones	Orange	Watt
	Kellogg	Peters	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Hempel	Swett	Yeater
Erickson	McCay	Weisbeck	
26th Dist.	Patterson	Weld	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Iverson	Slominski
Fedge	Kopp	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote on this bill also, and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote no on this bill for the reason that the old law provides only for half of this amount, which I think is sufficient. Therefore, I vote no.

House Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1574 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the State Geological Survey.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 92, nays 10, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jones	Orange
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Kellogg	Peters
Anderson,	Flom	Kelly	Plath
Sargent	Frandson	Lackey	Quade
Arduser	Fredrickson	Lakie	Quam
Bollinger	Freeman	Larkin	Rabe
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Larson	Root
Brown	Goranson	Lazier	Rustad
Bryans	Halcrow	Levin	Sagen
Burk	Hanson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Burns	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Carr	Harrington	McManus	Sproul
Cole	Hart	McCay	Starke
Craig	Heaton	McDowell	Swett
Currie	Helbling	McGauvran	Traynor
Doyle	Hempel	Miller	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Henne	Morton	Twichell
Durkee	Hodges	Muus	Ulland
Eckert	Hoople	Norden	Veitch
Ehr	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
E'lingson	Jackson	Olafson	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Yeater
26th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Opland	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Haugland	Sims	Shurr	Weld
Maddock	Steen	Tweten	
Patterson	Streich	Walker	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Burkhart	Jardine	Martin
Burleigh	Cart	Kopp	Radeliffe
Boyd	Fedge	Lynch	Slominski

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 2545 and 2546 of Article 3 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Relief of Needy Settlers.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 61, nays 41, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Kelly	Rustad
Arduser	Fredrickson	Lackey	Sagen
Bollinger	Freeman	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Geiszler	McDowell	Sproul
Bryans	Goranson	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Halcrow	Muus	Steen
Carr	Hanson	Norden	Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Harrington	Olafson	Trubshaw
Cole	Hart	Olson, Townner	Twichell
Currie	Henne	Orange	Ulland
Dougherty	Hodges	Peters	Veitch
Durkee	Jackson	Plath	Watt
Eckert	Jardine	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Røbe	
Ellingson	Jhnsn, Pembina	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Frandsen	Link	Streich
Burke-Divide	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Anderson,	Haugland	McManus	Swett
Sargent	Helbling	Martin	Walker
Bratsberg	Hempel	McCay	Weisbeck
Burkhart	Hoople	Miller	Weld
Craig	Iverson	Morton	Yeater
Doyle	Jones	Oberg	
Erickson	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	
26th Dist.	Lakie	Opland	
Erickson	Larkin	Quam	
16th Dist.	Lazier	Sims	
	Levin	Sethre, Williams	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Heaton	Maddock	Tweten
Burk	Kopp	Patterson	Vogel
Fedge	Lynch	Slominski	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I vote no for the reason that I can see from the title of this bill that this measure is for the relief of needy settlers, and I am against repealing any law of this kind and I therefore vote no.

House Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1571 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the Biological Stations

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 7, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Flom	Lakie	Root
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sims
Bollinger	Geiszler	Link	Sproul
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McManus	Streich
Bryans	Hanson	McCay	Shurr
Burk	Hardy	McDowell	Swett
Burkhart	Harrington	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burns	Hart	Miller	Tweten
Carr	Haugland	Morton	Twichell
Cart	Helbling	Muus	Ulland
Cole	Hempel	Norden	Veitch
Craig	Henne	Oberg	Vogel
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Walker
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Watt
	Iverson	Olson, Townner	Weisbeck

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Weld
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Yeater
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Plath	
Ellingson	Jones	Quade	
Elmer	Kellogg	Quam	
Erickson	Kelly	Rabe	
26th Dist.			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Jackson	Sagen	Steen
16th Dist.	Levin	Sathre, Steele	Traynor

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Heaton	Maddock	Slominski
Burke-Divide	Kopp	Martin	
Brown	Lynch	Patterson	

So the ball passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 35 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to Militia Grounds.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 68, nays 34, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath
Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Anderson,	Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Quam
Sargent	Flom	Jones	Rabe
Arduser	Frandsen	Kelly	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lackey	Rustad
Bryans	Freeman	Lakie	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Geiszler	Larson	Sims
Burkhart	Halerow	McManus	Sproul
Burns	Hanson	McCay	Starke
Carr	Hardy	McDowell	Tweten
Cart	Hart	McGauvran	Twichell
Cole	Haugland	Miller	Ulland
Currie	Henne	Norfen	Veitch
Dougherty	Hodges	Olafson	Vogel
Durkee	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Watt
Eckert	Iverson	Opland	Mr. Speaker
	Jardine	Orange	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Martin	Swett
Burke-Divide	Goranson	Morton	Traynor
Boyd	Harrington	Muns	Trubshaw
Bratsberg	Helbling	Oburg	Walker
Craig	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Doyle	Kellogg	Sagen	Weld
Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams	Yeater
26th Dist.	Levin	Steen	
Erickson	Link	Streich	
16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Shurr	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Kopp	Maddock	Root
Heaton	Larkin	Patterson	Slominski
Hempel	Lynch	Peters	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 1637 and 1638 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 80, nays 19, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Jones	Orange
Burleigh	Frandsen	Kellogg	Plath
Arduser	Fredrickson	Kelly	Quade
Bollinger	Freeman	Lackey	Quam
Boyd	Geiszler	Larkin	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Burk	Halcrow	Levin	Sagen
Burns	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Carr	Harrington	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Cart	Hart	McCay	Sims
Cole	Helbling	McDowell	Sproul
Craig	Hempel	McGauvran	Traynor
Currie	Henne	Miller	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Dougherty	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Oberg	Ulland
Eckert	Jardine	Olafson	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Watt
Fedge	Johnson, Trail	Opland	Weisbeck
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Lazier	Streich
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Link	Shurr
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Morton	Sweett
Sargent	Hardy	Rabe	Weld
Bryans	Haugland	Starke	Yeater
	Lakie	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Heaton	Maddock	Root
Burkhart	Iverson	Martin	Slominski
Erickson	Kopp	Patterson	Vogel
16th Dist.	Lynch	Peters	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 252. For an Act to Repeal Section 1621 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were 95 ayes, nays 3, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson
Burleigh	Erickson,	Johnson, Trail	Plath
Anderson	16th Dist.	Jones	Quade
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Kellogg	Rabe

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Kelly	Radcliffe
Arduser	Frandsen	Lackey	Rustad
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Freeman	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Lazier	Sims
Bryans	Goranson	Levin	Sproul
Burk	Halcrow	Link	Starke
Burns	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Carr	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Cart	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Cole	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Craig	Haugland	Miller	Trubshaw
Currie	Heaton	Morton	Twichell
Doyle	Helbling	Muus	Ulland
Dougherty	Hempel	Norden	Veitch
Durkee	Henne	Oberg	Vogel
Eckert	Hodges	Olafson	Walker
Ehr	Hoopie	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Ellingson	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
	Jackson	Opland	Weld
	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Swett	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Lakie	Martin	Sagen
Burkhart	Lynch	Peters	Slominski
Jardine	McManus	Quam	Twetn
Kopp	Maddock	Root	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1623 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Demonstration Farms.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 5, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Plath
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Johnson, Trail	Quade
Arduser	Flom	Jones	Quam
Bollinger	Frandsen	Kelly	Rabe
Boyd	Fredrickson	Lackey	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Freeman	Larkin	Sagen
Bryans	Geiszler	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Goranson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burns	Halcrow	Link	Sims
Carr	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Cart	Harrington	Martin	Starke
Cole	Hart	McCay	Steen
Craig	Haugland	McDowell	Streich
Currie	Heaton	McGauvran	Shurr
Doyle	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Dougherty	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Durkee	Henne	Muus	Twetn
Ehr	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Ellingson	Hoopie	Oberg	Ulland
Elmer	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
		Orange	Weisbeck
		Patterson	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Swett	Yeater
Hardy	Weld	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Kellogg	Lynch	Root
Sargent	Kopp	McManus	Rustad
Brown	Lakie	Maddock	Slominski
Eckert	Levin	Peters	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1839 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota, Relating to North Dakota's Firemen's Association.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 3, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Plath
Burleigh	Erickson	Jones	Quade
Anderson	16th Dist.	Kelly	Quam
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Radcliffe
Sargent	Frandsen	Lazier	Sagen
Arduser	Fredrickson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Freeman	Link	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	Martin	Starke
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Steen
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Streich
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Shurr
Burns	Haugland	Miller	Trubshaw
Carr	Heaton	Morton	Tweten
Cole	Helbling	Muus	Twichell
Craig	Hempel	Norden	Ulland
Currie	Henne	Oberg	Veitch
Doyle	Hodges	Olafson	Vogel
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson, Eansom	Walker
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Opland	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Swett	Yeater
26th Dist.		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Kellogg	Lynch	Rustad
Eckert	Kopp	Maddock	Slominski
Hanson	Lakie	Patterson	Traynor
Jackson	Larkin	Root	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 264. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Live Stock Association.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 3, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kellogg Kelly	Quade Quam
Anderson Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Lackey Larkin	Rabe Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Larson Lazier	Root Sagen
Arduser Bollinger	Freeman Geiszler	Levin Link	Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Boyd Brown	Goranson Halcrow	Loudenbeck McManus	Sims Sproul
Bryans Burk	Hardy Harrington	Martin McCay	Steen Streich
Burkhart Burns	Hart Haugland	McDowell McGauvran	Shuri Trubshaw
Carr Cart	Heaton Helbling	Miller Morton	Tweten Twichell
Cole Craig	Hempel Henna	Muus Norden	Ulland Veitch
Currie Doyle	Hodges Hoople	Oberg Olafson	Vogel Walker
Dougherty Durkee	Iverson Jackson	Olson, Ransom Olson, Townner	Watt Weisbeck
Eckert Ehr	Jardine Johnson, Nelson	Opland Orange	Weld Mr. Speaker
Ellingson Elmer	Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Trail	Patterson Peters	
	Jones	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson 26th Dist.	Swett	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg Hanson Kopp	Lakie Lynch Maddock	Rustad Slominski Starke	Traynor

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Poultry Association.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 4, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Ellingson Elmer	Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Trail	Peters Plath
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Jones Kellogg	Quade Rabe
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Flom	Kelly Larkin	Radcliffe Root
Arduser	Frandsen Fredrickson	Larson Lazier	Sagen Sathre, Steele

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geiszler	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	McCay	Steen
Bryans	Hanson	McDowell	Streich
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Shurr
Burkhardt	Haugland	Miller	Trubshaw
Burns	Heaton	Morton	Tweten
Carr	Helbling	Muus	Twichell
Cole	Hempel	Norden	Ulland
Craig	Henne	Oberg	Veitch
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Townner	Watt
Durkee	Jackson	Opland	Weisbeck
Eckert	Jardine	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Swett	Weld	Yeater
26th Dist.			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Lackey	Maddock	Slominski
Hardy	Lakie	Martin	Starke
Harrington	Loudenbeck	Quam	Traynor
Kopp	Lynch	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 153 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Bonds of North Dakota, Mill and Elevator Series.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 53, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Burns	Hart	Muus	Starke
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Levin	Steen
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Link	Streich
Anderson,	Edre	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Sargent	Frandsen	McManus	Swett
Arduser	Fredrickson	Maddock	Tweten
Bratsberg	Hardy	Martin	Vogel
	Haugland	McCay	Walker

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Helbling	Miller	Weisbeck
Burkhardt	Hempel	Morton	Weld
Cart	Hoople	Oberg	Yeater
Craig	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	
Doyle	Jones	Opland	
Eckert	Kellogg	Patterson	
Elmer	Lakie	Quam	
Erickson	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	
26th Dist.	Lazier	Sims	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Kopp	Slominski

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I am going to vote no on this bill for the reason that the present law which we have, Chapter 153 of the 1919 Session Laws, permits us to bond up to five million dollars. If we pass House Bill No. 245, and also House Bill No. 243, it will destroy this old law under which we can issue these bonds.

Mr. Maddock: Mr. Speaker, I vote no on this bill for the reason that the old law was ample and sufficient and far superior to anything that could be accomplished by the passage of this measure.

Mr. Sagen: Mr. Speaker, I wish to vote aye on this measure because I feel that as long as we have the Mill and Elevator we should give it a fair trial. I believe we should provide the necessary money for the operation of the Mill and to buy the supplies and materials that it uses. This will be accomplished under the terms of the measure here proposed, and I vote aye.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 245 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

A roll call being demanded, disclosed the following result: Ayes 58, nays 53, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anders	Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe
Burleigh	Flom	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Freeman	Lackey	Root
Boyd	Geiszler	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Sagen
Burk	Halcrow	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Burns	Hanson	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Harrington	Muus	Starke
Cole	Hart	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Heaton	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Irenne	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Durkee	Hodges	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Jackson	Peters	Veitch
	Jardine	Plath	Watt
	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Steen
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Streich
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Swett
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Tweten
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Walker
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	
Erickson	Lakie	Patterson	
16th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Kopp	Slominski

So the motion prevailed.

SENATE CHAMBER

Bismarck,, N. D., Feb. 15, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 57. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Range Stock and Where Listed for the Purpose of Taxation.

Also:

House Bill No. 40. A Bill for an Act to Cancel Uncollected Personal Property Taxes Assessed for 1913 and Prior Years.

Also:

House Bill No. 143. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Transcripts of Judgments of the United States Courts and Notices of Taxes Due the United States, with Certain County Officers.

Which the senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds, and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore or Hereafter, Issued by the State of North Dakota, in any Case Where Such Bonds have Matured and Have Been Paid or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing, Negotiating or Delivering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; and Providing for the Re-Issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated

or Defaced Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 59, nays 51, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Freeman Geiszler	Johnson, Traill Kelly	Rabe Radcliffe
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Starke
Cole	Hempel	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Loudenbeck McManus	Shurr Swett
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge	Maddock	Twetten
Arduser	Frandson	Martin	Vogel
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	McCay	Walker
Bryans	Hardy	Miller	Weisbeck
Burkhart	Haugland	Morton	Weid
Cart	Helbling	Oberg	Yeater
Craig	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	
Doyle	Jones	Opland	
Eckert	Kellogg	Patterson	
Elmer	Lakie	Quam	
Erickson 26th Dist.	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	
	Lazier	Sims	
	Levin	Steen	
	Link	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hoople	Kopp	Slominski	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to. The emergency clause was lost.

Mr. Twichell moved that Mr. Maddock be required to retract his statement in regard to the governor of this state.

Mr. Jackson moved the previous question.

A demand for a roll call on the motion for the previous question disclosed the following result:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Freeman Geiszler	Johnson, Traill Kelly	Radcliffe Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Starke

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Cote	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Twitchell
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Lakie	Rabe
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sims
Sargent	16th Dist.	Link	Steen
Arduser	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Streich
Bratsberg	Frandsen	McManus	Shurr
Bryans	Fredrickson	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Tweten
Cart	Haugland	Miller	Vogel
Currie	Helbling	Oberg	Walker
Doyle	Hempel	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Eckert	Hoople	Opland	Weld
Elmer	Jones	Patterson	Yeater
	Kellogg		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Kopp	Maddock	Morton	Slominski

So the motion prevailed.

Ayes 58, nays 51, absent and not voting 4.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Twitchell the roll was called and disclosed the following result.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Kelly	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Henne	Olafson	Twitchell
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kellogg	Quam
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe
Anderson,	Erickson	Lakie	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	16th Dist.	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fedge	Lazier	Sims
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Levin	Steen
Bryans	Fredrickson	Link	Streich
Burkhart	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	McManus	Swett
Cole	Helbling	Martin	Tweten
Craig	Hempel	McCay	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Miller	Walker
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weld
		Opland	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Kopp	Morton	Patterson	Slominski
Maddock			

So the motion was lost.

Ayes 54, nays 54, absent and not voting 5.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote on this motion and request that it be recorded in the Journal. I vote no for the reason that I do not consider the present governor, any better than the previous governor, and for the further reason that there were remarks made on the floor of this House two years ago that were much more degrading than the remarks of the gentleman from Mountrail, and for the further reason that I read in the papers that after the election the governor wired back home that he had been elected king of North Dakota.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I desire to follow the example of the illustrious gentleman from Sheridan and explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote aye on this motion, not because of any personality involved but because I believe in orderly, representative government and I do not believe it lies within the province of one department of government to go on record discourteously against another department of government or official. My position and vote is entirely without reference to the department or official involved.

Mr. Iverson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion was lost.

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of one Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 54, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geisler	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lynch	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Burk	Hart	Muu	Starke
Burns	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Flora	Johnson, Traill	Rabe	
Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lakte	Patterson
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Arduser	Fedge	Link	Steen
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Streich
Bryans	Fredrickson	HcManus	Shurr
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Swett
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Tweten
Cole	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Walker
Doy'e	Hoople	Morton	Weisbeck
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
Elmer	Jones	O'son, Ransom	Yeater
	Kellogg	Opland	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Kopp	Slominski

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Burkhart: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and request that the explanation be recorded in the Journal. I vote no on this bill because I believe the mill and elevator bond issue gives the Industrial Commission ample authority to issue bonds in a sufficient amount to provide for the operation of the mill and elevator.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I vote no on House Bill No. 243 for the same reason that I voted no on House Bill No. 245.

Mr. Bryans: Mr. Speaker, I vote no for the reason that the law is now ample to provide for the issuance of bonds.

Mr. Patterson: Mr. Speaker, I vote no on House Bill No. 243 for the reason that the law has already made provision for the operating of this mill and elevator. This is simply an effort to destroy the mill and elevator and make it confusing in the minds of the people. There is two million dollars in bonds now that can't be sold, to operate the mill and elevator and carry on the revolving fund. I vote no.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded in the Journal. I vote aye, not because I believe in the theory that a republican government should enter into the milling or any other private business, but because as an independent representative I am pledged to the policy of giving the nonpartisan mill a fair trial in good faith, and the passage of this measure is necessary to do so.

Mr. Sagen: Mr. Speaker, I wish to vote aye on this measure for the reason that there seems to be a question as to whether the mill and elevator law fully covers the subject. I vote aye on this bill for the further reason that as long as we have started to experiment with a state owned mill and elevator I am in favor of at least giving it a fair trial. We cannot give it a fair trial

without furnishing it an operating or working capital. This bill provides a revolving fund to pay for the raw material that the mill must buy to manufacture into a finished produce. I want to give the mill and elevator a fair trial and I don't want to put any hinderance in the way of making it a success. Therefore, I vote aye.

Mr. Vogel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and request that it be recorded in the Journal. I vote no on this bill because I do not believe that increasing the bonded indebtedness of North Dakota is going to have anything to do in making that mill and elevator a success. I vote no for the further reason that this administration have issued twenty million dollars worth of bonds of the real estate series and have been unable to sell them, so I see no benefit in issuing any more bonds. The Industrial Commission already has ample authority to finance the mill and elevator. I vote no.

Mr. Walker: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and request that it be recorded in the Journal. I vote no because with all due respect to the gentleman who introduced this bill I believe both this bill and House Bill No. 245 would militate against the success of the mill and elevator project. Therefore I vote no.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 243 passed be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider laid on the table.

A demand for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 55, nays 48, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Johnson, Traill	Quade
Burleigh	Gelszter	Kelly	Rabe
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Radcliffe
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Root
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Rustad
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sagen
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Currie	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazler	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Frandson	Link	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Haugland	McManus	Streich
Cart	Helbling	Maddock	Shurr
Cole	Hempel	Martin	Swett
Craig	Hoopie	Morton	Tweten
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Eckert	Jones	O'son, Ransom	Walker
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	Weisbeck
	Lakie	Patterson	Weld

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Erickson	Kopp	Slominski
Burkhart	26th Dist.	McCay	Starke
	Hardy	Miller	Yeater

So the motion lost.

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Bismarck, N. D.
February 15, 1923.

The following bills were messaged to the senate:

House Bill No. 211. A Bill for an act to Require Insurance Companies to Make Prompt Settlement of Loss.

House Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Daota for 1915.

House Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1889 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the State Census, and When to be Taken.

House Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Administration of Non-Resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of Tuition of Such Non-Resident Students by the County of their Residence.

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

House Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8325 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Actions Arising out of Personal Injury or Death Resulting from Wrongful Acts.

House Bill No. 153. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Payment of Compensation Out of the Workmen's Compensation Fund and Providing that Compensation Shall be Paid for Injuries and Deaths from Injuries Occurring Outside the State of North Dakota only Under Circumstances as Provided in the Act.

House Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use and Benefit of the North Dakota Firemen's Association for the Purpose of Promoting the Efficiency and Growth of its Different Departments, and the Holding of an Annual Tournament, According to the Rules and Regulations of Such Associations.

House Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1574 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the State Geological Survey.

House Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 2545 and 2546 of Article 3 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Relief of Needy Settlers.

House Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1571 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the Biological Stations

House Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 35 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to Militia Grounds.

House Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 1631 and 1638 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

House Bill No. 252. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1621 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

House Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1623 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Demonstration Farms.

House Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1839 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota, Relating to North Dakota's Firemen's Association.

House Bill No. 264. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Live Stock Association.

House Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Poultry Association.

House Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 153 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Bonds of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Series.

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore or Hereafter, Issued by the State of North Dakota, in any Case Where Such Bonds have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of issuing, Negotiating or Delivering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; and Providing for the Re-Issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,00) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FORTY-FIFTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 15th, 1923.

The House met at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain Rev. Thomas Homer.

Roll call: All members present except Messrs: Elmer, Fedge, Henne, Jackson, Kopp, Lazier, Opland, Patterson, Slominski, Swett, Weisbeck.

Mr. Hoople moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATION OF COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS.

The committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on communications have had the following communications under consideration:

One to Representative Steen from LaMoure, N. D., opposing House Bill 248 in its present form.

Also a petition, having 36 signers from Dickey, N. D., sent to Mr. Steen asking his support of H. B. 206 and opposition to S. B. No. 202.

Also a protest sent Representative Steen against the discontinuance of the Appropriation for Geological Survey.

Also a petition to Representative Steen having 17 signers asking opposition to House Bill No. 248.

Also two petitions to Representative Arduser having 104 signers requesting their representatives to vote against House Bill No. 248, which the committee ask be read but not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Maintenance of the State Capitol and for Improvements, Repairs and Equipment Thereof.

House Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3116 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

House Bill No. 149. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, to Empower the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to Classify Employments, Fix Rates for Premium, Provide for Reserves and Surplus, Provide for Establishment of a System of Merit Rating; and to Provide for the Payment of Premiums Into the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking their Ballots.

House Bill No. 271. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5 of Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Conciliation of Controversy.

House Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1178 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Employing Public School Teachers and the Liability of School Officers.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact, Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of 1919 pertaining to Attorney's Fees and Sheriff's Fees in Connection With Foreclosure Conducted by Advertisement.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced:

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

House Bill No. 307. A Bill for an Act compelling Telephone Companies to Cut Weeds Around all Telephone Poles and Prescribing a Penalty for Failure so to do.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced:

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:
Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 309. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Act Approved November 2nd, 1920, Relating to the Duty of the State Board of Auditors to Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers, and Ascertain the Assets and Liabilities of the State Treasurer, Bank of North Dakota, and all Other Industrial Institutions of the State, and Make Report Thereof to the Governor, and Make the Same Public.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced:

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Department, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amounts and Conditions of the Assets and Liabilities of each Department so Examined and Audited and Make Report Thereof to the Governor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced:

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 312. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Number of Senators and Representatives Which Shall Compose the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, to Define the Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to Prescribe the Number of Senators and Representatives Therein.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced:

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Plath moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Counties made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on counties to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 221. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3241 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the removal of county seats.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. L. QUADE,
Chairman.

The minority of the Committee on Counties made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your committee on Counties to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 221. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3241 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the removal of county seats.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out everything after "A Bill" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2334 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and to Amend and Re-enact Section 3236 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota as Amended by Chapter 116 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, and to Amend and Re-enact Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, as Amended by Chapter 102 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917, Relating to the Removal of County Seats.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1. Amendment. That Section 3234 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, be amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

Section 3234. Commissioners to Submit Question to Vote. When. If the petition is signed by qualified electors equal to more than half of all the votes cast in the county at the last general election for the office of governor, the board must, at the next primary or general election, submit the question of removal to the electors of the county. Such petition shall be filed with the County Auditor, and by him presented to the Board of County Commissioners at the first meeting of the Board of County Commissioners thereafter, and no elector shall be permitted to remove or cause his name to be removed from the said petition after the name has been filed with the county auditor.

Section 2. Amendment. That Section 3236 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 116 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, be amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

Section 3236. Ballots. How Marked. Notice of Results. In voting upon the question each elector must vote for the place in the County which he prefers by placing opposite the name of said place the mark (X). When the returns have been received and compared and the result ascertained by the Board, if sixty per cent or more of all the legal votes cast at such election on the question of county seat removal are in favor of any particular place the Board must give notice of the result by publishing the same in the official newspaper published in the County, at least once a week for four weeks.

Section 3. Amendment. Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as amended by Chapter 102 of the session laws of 1917 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

Section 3239. When an election has been held and at least sixty per cent of the votes cast at such election on the question of county seat removal, are not cast for

some other place than that fixed by law as the former county seat, no second election for the removal thereof must be held for four years thereafter.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. T. TWETEN,
ELMER W. CART,
G. PATTERSON,

Mr. Cart moved that the minority report be adopted: Mr. Quade moved, as a substitute motion, that the majority report be adopted.

Mr. Trubshaw moved the previous question.
Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the substitute motion of Mr. Quade, which motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

The committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 276. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Misbranding of Goods, Wares and Merchandise and the Selling of Substitute Articles for the Original and Prescribing Penalty for Failure to Comply with the Provisions of This Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 249. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3012 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Establishing Legal Weights for Bread and the Weight Units in which Bread Shall Be Sold, Manufactured for Sale, Offered or Exposed for Sale, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 289. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Payment of Interest on Money Deposited With Public Utilities for the Installation of Gas, Light, Water, Telephone or Other Services into the Homes and Places of Business of its Patrons.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Re-enacting Section 2125 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for the Year 1913, to Read as follows:

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 234. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 570 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to the Powers of The Barbers' Examining Board.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Purchase by the Industrial Commission of Claims Against the Returned Soldiers' Fund and For the Financing of Such Purchase of Such Commission, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 238. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10, 21, and 23 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In the title change the word "sections" to "section" and strike out the numerals "10" and "21" and the word "and."

Strike out all of sections 1 and 2.

In line 1, page 4, change the numeral "3" to "1."

In line 1, page 6, change the numeral "4" to "2." Strike out the words "section or."

In line 2, strike out the words "section or."

In line 3, strike out all of the line after the word "and."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That the word "Six" in the first line of the title be stricken out and that the word "Three" be inserted in lieu thereof.

That in line three of the printed bill the word "Six" be stricken out and the word "three" be inserted in lieu thereof.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$10,000.00 for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Free Employment Service Under Chapter 117, Session Laws of 1921.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 96 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Watt, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senate Chamber,
February 15, 1922.
Bismarck, N. D.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate requests the return of Senate Bill No. 275.

Also

The Senate requests the return of Senate Bill No. 245.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

At the request of Mr. Sproul the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Sproul moved that the House comply with the

request of the Senate for the return of Senate Bills Nos. 275 and 245.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller moved that the words "and the First Day of April which is April Fool's Day," appearing on lines 36 and 37, page 15 of the House Journal of February 14th. be omitted from the permanent Journal.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Benefit of the North Dakota Dairymen's Association, for the Purpose of Promoting and Encouraging the Dairying Interests of the State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to State Fish Hatchery.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 11 of Chapter 31 of the Session Laws of Special Session of 1919, Relating to Appropriation to State Dairy Commissioner.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 262. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1661 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Serum Institute.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to North Dakota Dairymen's Association.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 813 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota, Relating to Disbarment Proceedings.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 269. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter

16 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Special Session of 1919, Relating to Testing Dairy Products.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Game and Fish made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Game and Fish to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 154. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 121 Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Issuance of Permits for Breeding or Domestication of Certain Fur Bearing Animals.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

H. B. DURKEE,
Chairman.

Mr. Durkee moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Game and Fish made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Game and Fish to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act Giving the North Dakota Game and Fish Commission Power to Make Rules and Regulations in Addition to Those Already Provided by Law, for the Protection of the Fish in the Lakes and Rivers of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

H. B. DURKEE,
Chairman.

Mr. Durkee moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act Establishing a Closed Season on Frogs.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

H. B. DURKEE,
Chairman.

Mr. Durkee moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Game and Fish made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Game and Fish to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 155. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 4, 6, 8, 34, 35 and 65, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, and Section 27, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Section 2, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 36, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Section 5, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 46, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919 and as Amended by Chapter 68, Session Laws of 1921 and Section 80 Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Game and Fish.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

H. B. DURKEE,
Chairman.

Mr. Durkee moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Game and Fish made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Game and Fish to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 241. A Bill for an Act to Prevent the Entering Upon Thin Ice for the Purpose of Shooting, Killing or Taking of Wild Birds and Providing Penalty Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

Mr. Durkee moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

H. B. DURKEE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 33. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended by Chapter No. 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be considered in Committee of the Whole House.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 6624 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913. Valued Insurance Policy Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Carr moved a substitute motion that H. B. No. 228 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Chamber,,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 15, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 34.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Concerning Declaratory Judgments and Decrees and to Make Uniform the Laws Relating Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

House Bill No. 274. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2093 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Providing for the Forfeiture of the Certificate of an Abstracter.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 281. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties and for Other Purposes.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Swett moved as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 281, be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion was lost.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Starke, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 286. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 69 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Creation of a State Bar Board, Its Membership and Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties, and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and Issuance of Licenses.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 293. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Forfeiture to the State of Real Property Upon Which Taxes Are Delinquent; Fixing the Period of Such Delinquency, the Notice to be Given and the Method of Service; and for Proceedings for a Sale of Such Property and the Disposition of the Proceeds.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Counties made the following report:
Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Counties to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Consolidation of Counties, or Portions Thereof into a New County; Organization Thereof and Disposal of Any Portions of Such Counties Not Included Therein.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

At the end of line 4 in the title of the bill, change the period to semicolon and add the following: "Providing for apportionment of liabilities and assets and appointment of county officers."

In line 4 of the printed bill, after the word "township" insert a comma.

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

A. J. QUADE,
Chairman.

Mr. Quade moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Twichell moved that every chairman of every committee in the House report to the desk tomorrow when we convene the number of House Bills in their possession which have not been definitely acted upon. Which motion prevailed.

At this time the Speaker administered the oath of office to Clarence Register, a page for the House.

The House reverted to the Third Order of Business.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 43rd day after recess and the 44th day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 13 at bottom of first column under the name Erickson add "16th District."

Bottom of same page strike out Senate Bill 221, including the first two lines on page 14.

On page 7 resumed is misspelled in 28th line.

On page 21 under Senate Bill No. 141 add the following: "Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed."

On page 24 under House Bill No. 226 the word "Administration" should be struck out, and the word "admission" substituted.

On page 26, line 1, change \$1,000,00 to "\$1,000,000.00."

Bottom of page 26,, insert the following: Senate Bill 152, A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Consolidation or Merger of Banking Associations, Regulating the Procedure and Providing for Supervision Thereof, and Providing a Limitation of Actions.

On page 27 under Senate Bill No. 200 strike out the entire title and in lieu thereof insert, "For an Act Providing for the recall of county commissioners."

On page 29, strike out Senate Bill 152.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

House Bill No. 313 was filed and referred to the Committee on Delayed Bills.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SCOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Watt introduced:

House Bill No. 307. A Bill for an Act Compelling Telephone Companies to Cut Weeds Around All Telephone Poles and Prescribing a Penalty for Failure So To Do.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Sathre introduced:

House Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact, Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of 1919 pertaining to Attorney's Fees and Sheriff's Fees in Connection With Foreclosure Conducted by Advertisement.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Watt introduced:

House Bill No. 309. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 ,as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Act Approved November 2nd, 1920, Relating to the Duty of the State Board of Auditors to Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers, and Ascertain the Assets and

Liabilities of the State Treasurer, Bank of North Dakota, and all Other Industrial Institutions of the State, and Make Report Thereof to the Governor, and Make the same Public.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Mr. Watt introduced:

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Department, State Highway Department, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amount and condition of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department so Examined and Audited, and Make Report Thereof to the Governor.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

The State Affairs Committee introduced:

House Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Quade introduced:

House Bill No. 312. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Number of Senators and Representatives Which Shall Compose the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, to Define the Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to Prescribe the Number of Senators and Representatives Therein.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appointment.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 59, nays 53 absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Johnson, Trail.	Rabe
Burleigh	Geisler	Kelly	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Goranson	Kopp	Root
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Starke
Cole	Hempel	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Steen
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Streich
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Bratsberg	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Bryans	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Burkhart	Helbling	Miller	Vogel
Cart	Hoople	Morton	Walker
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weid
Eckert	Kellogg	Opland	Yeater
Elmer	Lackey	Patterson	
Erickson,	Lakie	Quam	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Sathre, Steele	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.
Maddock

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3116 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays 11, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Quam
Burleigh	Flom	Lakie	Rabe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larson	Root
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Rustad
Boyd	Gelszler	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Halerow	McManus	Sims
Bryans	Hanson	Martin	Slominski
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Sproul
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Steen
Carr	Heaton	Miller	Streich
Cart	Helbling	Morton	Shurr
Cole	Henne	Muus	Swett
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Traynor
Doyle	Hoople	Oberg	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Weid
Erickson,	Kellogg	Peters	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kelly	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Kopp	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent Arduser	Craig Erickson 16th Dist.	Haugland Hempel Jones	Lazier Link Maddock Sagen

Those voting nay were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Tweten	Vogel	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 149. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, to Empower the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to Classify Employments, Fix Rates for Premium, Provide for Reserves and Surplus, Provide for Establishment of a System of Merit Rating, and to Provide for the Payment of Premiums Into the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 5, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson Burleigh Anderson, Burke-Divide Anderson, Sargent Arduser Bollinger Boyd Bratsberg Bryans Burk Burkhart Burns Carr Cart Cole Craig Currie Doyle Dougherty Durkee Ehr Ellingson Elmer Erickson 26th Dist.	Erickson 16th Dist. Fedge Flom Frandsen Fredrickson Freeman Geiszler Goranson Halcrow Hanson Hardy Harrington Hart Haugland Heaton Helbling Hempel Henne Hodges Hoople Iverson Johnson, Johnson, Johnson, Traill Jones Kellogg	Kelly Kopp Lackey Lakie Larkin Larson Lazier Levin Link Loudenbeck Lynch McManus Maddock Martin McDowell McGauvran Miller Morton Muus Norden Oberg Olafson Olson, Ransom Pembina Olson, Towner Opland Orange Patterson	Peters Plath Quade Quam Rabe Radcliffe Root Rustad Sagen Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams Sims Sproul Steen Streich Shurr Swett Traynor Trubshaw Veitch Watt Weisbeck Weld Yeater Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jackson Jardine	McCay	Slominski	Ulland

Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown Eckert	Starke Tweten	Twichell Vogel	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking Their Ballots.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 54, nays 58, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hardy	Lazier	Slominski
Burke-Divide	Hart	Levin	Starke
Bryans	Helbling	Link	Streich
Cart	Hempel	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Cole	Henne	Maddock	Swett
Eckert	Hodges	McCay	Twitchell
Ehr	Hoople	Miller	Ulland
Elmer	Jackson	Morton	Vogel
Erickson	Jardine	Oberg	Walker
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Opland	Watt
Fedge	Kelly	Rabe	Weisbeck
Frandsen	Kopp	Root	Weld
Fredrickson	Lackie	Sagen	Yeater
Hanson	Larkin	Sims	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Orange
Burleigh	Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson
Anderson,	Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Peters
Sargent	Ellingson	Jones	Plath
Arduser	Erickson	Lackey	Quade
Bollinger	16th Dist.	Larson	Quam
Boyd	Flom	McManus	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Freeman	Martin	Rustad
Brown	Geiszler	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Goranson	McGauvran	Sethre, Williams
Burkhart	Halcrow	Muus	Sproul
Burns	Harrington	Norden	Steen
Carr	Haugland	Olafson	Traynor
Craig	Heaton	Olson, Ransom	Trubshaw
Currie	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Twetten
			Veitch

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.
Lynch

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Haugland: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and request that the explanation be recorded in the Journal. I'm compelled to vote "No" on this measure, as amended, is too indefinite and must act as a handicap rather than a help to the voter. I regret that this amendment has compelled the withdrawal of my otherwise sincere support of House Bill No. 169. I vote "No."

At the request of Mr. Jackson the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 297 was passed be reconsidered, and that the bill be

re-referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Which motion prevailed and House Bill No. 297 was re-referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

House Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Minot, North Dakota, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays 2, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge	Kopp	Quam
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen	Lakie	Root
Arduser	Fredrickson	Larkin	Rustad
Bollinger	Freeman	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Geiszler	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Goranson	Levin	Sims
Brown	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	McManus	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	Maddock	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Burns	Hart	McCay	Streich
Carr	Haugland	McDowell	Shurr
Cart	Heaton	McGauvran	Sweet
Cole	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Craig	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Currie	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Doyle	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ellingson	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Erickson 16th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Yeater
	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Kellogg	Plath	
	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson 26th Dist.	Lynch

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Rabe	Sagen	Twichell

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 271. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section Five of Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Conciliation of Controversies.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 55, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson	Lackey	Plath
Burleigh	Erickson	Larson	Quade
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Lazier	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Levin	Rustad
Anderson,	Flom	Link	Sagen
Sargent	Goranson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Hanson	Maddock	Slominski
Boyd	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Bratsberg	Hempel	McCauvran	Traynor
Brown	Hodges	Morton	Trubshaw
Burk	Iverson	Muus	Twichell
Burns	Jackson	Norden	Walker
Carr	Jardine	Oberg	Mr. Speaker
Cole	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	
Currie	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	
Durkee	Johnson, Trail	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Freeman	Lakie	Sathre, Steele
Bryans	Geiszler	Larkin	Sims
Burkhart	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Cart	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Craig	Hart	Martin	Streich
Doyle	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Dougherty	Heaton	Miller	Sweet
Eckert	Feibling	O'afson	Tweten
Ehr	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Elmer	Hodges	Opland	Veitch
Erickson,	Jones	Patterson	Vogel
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quam	Weisbeck
Franson	Kelly	Radcliffe	Weld
Fredrickson	Kopp	Root	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.
Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1178 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Employing Public School Teachers and the Liability of School Officers.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 84, nays 24, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kelly	Quam
Burleigh	Flom	Lackey	Root
Anderson,	Franson	Lackie	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lazier	Sims
Bratsberg	Goranson	Levin	Slominski
Bryans	Halcrow	Link	Starke
Burk	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Burkhart	Hardy	McManus	Streich
Burns	Harrington	Maddock	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McCay	Sweet
Cole	Heaton	Miller	Trubshaw
	Hempel	Morton	Twichell

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Henne	Muus	Veitch
Doyle	Hodges	Norden	Vogel
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Iverson	Olafson	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	O'ison, Ransom	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Orange	
Erickson	Jones	Peters	
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Helbling	McGauvran	Rustad
Sargent	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Sproul
Boyd	Jardine	Patterson	Traynor
Currie	Kopp	Plath	Ulland
Durkee	Lynch	Rabe	Watt
Hart	McDowell	Radcliffe	Weld
			Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Erickson	Martin	Tweten
Cart	26th Dist.		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:
House Bills Nos. 133, 149, 82, 271, 277.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 15, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Livery Allowed Sheriffs.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In line 2 of the title of the bill, strike out the word "the."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Peters moved that the House concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 34.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hempel moved a suspension of the rules, that House Bill No. 34 be considered properly engrossed and placed upon third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Livery Allowed Sheriffs.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays 6, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Lackie	Rabe
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe
Arduser	Frandsen	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sims
Bratsberg	Freeman	Levin	Slominski
Erown	Geisler	Link	Sproul
Bryans	Goranson	Lynch	Starke
Burk	Halcrow	McManus	Shurr
Burkhart	Hanson	Maddock	Sweet
Burns	Hardy	Martin	Traynor
Carr	Harrington	McCay	Trubshaw
Cart	Hart	McDowell	Tweten
Cole	Haugland	McGauvran	Twichell
Craig	Heaton	Miller	Uland
Currie	Helbling	Morton	Veitch
Doyle	Hempel	Muus	Walker
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Watt
Durkee	Hodges	Olafson	Weisbeck
Eckert	Hoopel	Olson, Ransom	Weid
Ehr	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Ellingson	Jardine	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	
Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	
	Johnson, Traill	Peters	
	Jones	Plath	
	Kellogg	Quade	
	Kelly		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jackson	Oberg	Steen	Streich
Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Root	Rustad	Sagen	Bollinger

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 15, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Examination and Certification of Dental Hygienists and Regulating the Practice of Dental Hygiene.

Senate Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acceptance of the Provisions of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Making an Appropriation to Meet the Allotments of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Authorizing State Department of Health to Accept Funds for Infant and Maternal Hygiene Work.

Senate Bill No. 295. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 211 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Supreme Court Reporter and State Law Librarian.

Senate Bill No. 347. A Concurrent Resolution to Amend and Re-enact Section 173 of Article 10 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Election of County Officials.

Senate Bill No. 252. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9235 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Sabbath Breaking.

Senate Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 24 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Issuance of Bonds of the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Two Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Home Building Series."

Senate Bill No. 355. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 375 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 21 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the State Auditing Board, its Duties and the Membership Thereof.

Senate Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1, of Chapter 242, Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Bounty on Wolves and Coyotes.

Senate Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act Defining and Regulating Maternity hospitals and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Senate Bill No. 179. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Placement of Children in Family Homes for Temporary or Permanent Care, and Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Persons or Corporations Engaged in that Work, and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws for 1915.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 14, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following Concurrent Resolution, relating to state parks, introduced by Senator Whitmer:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The State of North Dakota has a number of State Parks and there are other places where such parks might properly be located; and

WHEREAS, The Legislative Assembly from time to time has been called upon to make, and has made, appropriations for such State Parks; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED By the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring, that the directors of the State Historical Society be, and they are hereby required to submit to the next Legislative Assembly of this state, a report and survey of the existing state parks, with any suggestions or recommendations they may have for maintenance and improvement thereof, and a like report and survey of any proposed additional state parks.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 14, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following Concurrent Resolution, introduced by Senators Magnuson and Kaldor:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives Concurring Therein:

WHEREAS, The report of the Secretary of the Interior shows that there has been accumulated from the sale of public lands in the State of North Dakota and assigned to the Reclamation Fund up to June 30th, 1921, the sum of \$12,211,135.71; and

WHEREAS, Only a small portion of this fund has been expended for reclamation and drainage projects in the State of North Dakota; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That this Legislature send a memorial to the President of the United States, the Senate and the House of Representatives at Washington, asking that this fund be restored to the State of North Dakota to be expended for the development of irrigation and drainage projects, and also for the control of the flood waters of our streams.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Was read and referred to the Committee on Irrigation.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 15, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In line 16 of Section 1 of Engrossed Bill after the word "the" where it appears the second time, strike out the word "first" and insert in lieu thereof "fifteenth."

In line 17 of Section 1 of the Engrossed Bill, after the word "of" strike out the word "November" and insert in lieu thereof "October."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Was read and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Larkin moved that the House do not concur in **the** Senate amendments to House Bill No. 13.

Mr. Jackson moved, as a substitute motion, that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 13.

Which substitute motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved a suspension of the rules, that House Bill No. 13 be considered properly engrossed and placed upon third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 104, nays 4, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Kopp	Root
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Sagen
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackie	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lazier	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Slominski
Arduser	Freeman	Link	Sproul
Bollinger	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Starke
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Maddock	Streich
Eryans	Hanson	Martin	Shurr
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Swett
Burkhardt	Harrington	McDowell	Traynor
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Carr	Haugland	Miller	Tweten
Cart	Heaton	Morton	Twichell
Cole	Helbling	Muus	Ulland
Craig	Henne	Norden	Veitch
Currie	Hodges	Oberg	Vogel
Doyie	Hoople	Olafson	Watt
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Eckert	Jackson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
26th Dist.	Jones	Rabe	
	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	Larkin	Olson, Ransom	Patterson

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Durkee	Lynch	Quam	Rustad
Kellogg			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and request that the explanation be recorded in the Journal. I still vote no on this House Bill No. 13 for the reason that I have not been able to get the penalty reduced on the first half of the tax. herefore I vote "no."

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 15, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower all Cities having a Population in Excess of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower such Cities by Ordinance, to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In title strike out "Twelve Thousand Five Hundred" and insert in lieu thereof "Six Thousand."

In Section 1, line 4 strike out "Twelve Thousand Five Hundred" and insert in lieu thereof "Six Thousand."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Jardine moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 8.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved a suspension of the rules, that House Bill No. 8 be considered properly engrossed and placed upon third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower Such Cities by Ordinances, to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 56, nays 50, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Hoople	Olson, Townner
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Iverson	Orange
Anderson,	Erickson	Jackson	Peters
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Jardine	Plath
Arduser	Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Rabe
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina	Radcliffe
Brown	Freeman	Kelly	Root
Dryans	Goranson	Lakie	Sagen
Burk	Halcrow	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Burkhart	Hanson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Cole	Harrington	Levin	Sims
Eckert	Hart	McDowell	Slominski
Ellingson	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor
Elmer	Hempel	Miller	Trubshaw
	Hodges	Oberg	Mr. Speaker
		Olafson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Sargent	Haugland	Morton	Swett
Burns	Helbling	Muus	Tweten
Carr	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Cart	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Craig	Jones	Opland	Veitch
Currie	Kellogg	Patterson	Vogel
Doyle	Kopp	Quade	Walker
Dougherty	Larkin	Quam	Watt
Durkee	Link	Sproul	Weisbeck
Ehr	Loudenbeck	Starke	Weld
Fedge	McManus	Steen	Yeater
Frandsen	Maddock	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Geiszler	Lynch	Rustad
Bratsberg	Lackey	Martin	

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Twichell: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote.

I vote no on House Bill No. 8 for the purpose of reconsidering the vote.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 14, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for Its Enforcement and Penalty.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In the engrossed bill after the words "liquor traffic" at end of Section 1-B insert the following paragraph:

"Section 2. Amendment). Section 2 of Chapter 97, Session Laws 1921 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:"

After the words "possessed and used" at end of Section 2-H insert the following:

"Section 3. Amendment.) Section 9 of Chapter 97 Session Laws 1921 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:"

In section 2B under Section 2 strike out "Alcohol" in title and insert "Intoxicating Liquors" in lieu thereof.

In lines 2 and 3 strike out "pure grain or ethyl alcohol" and insert in lieu thereof "intoxicating liquors."

In line 4 strike out "alcohol" and insert in lieu thereof "intoxicating liquors."

In line 5 strike out "alcohol" and insert in lieu thereof "intoxicating liquors."

In line 7 strike out "alcohol" and insert in lieu thereof "intoxicating liquors."

In line 8 strike out "one or more" and insert in lieu thereof "a" and strike the "s" off of "physicians."

In line 100 strike out "alcohol" and insert in lieu thereof "intoxicating liquors."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Halcrow moved that the House do concur in the Senate Amendment to House Bill No. 50.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peters moved a suspension of the rules, that House Bill No. 50 be considered properly engrossed and placed upon Third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same, Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for its Enforcement and Penalty.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 8, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Peters
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kellogg	Plath
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Radcliffe
Sargent	Flom	Lakie	Root
Arduser	Franson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Lazier	Sims
Bratsberg	Goranson	Levin	Slominski
Brown	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Starke
Burk	Hardy	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Harrington	Maddock	Shurr
Burns	Hart	McCay	Swett
Carr	Haugland	McDowell	Traynor
Cart	Heaton	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cole	Helbling	Miller	Tweten
Craig	Hempel	Morton	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Muus	Ulland
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Veitch
Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Durkee	Jardine	Olafson	Walker
Eckert	Johnson,	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Ehr	Nelson	Olson, Townner	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Trail,	Orange	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Henne Jackson	Messrs. Link Oberg	Messrs. Rabe Steen	Messrs. Weisbeck Yeater
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Absent and not voting:

Messrs. Gelszler Martin	Messrs. Patterson	Messrs. Rustad	Messrs. Sagen
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So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The courtesies of the floor were extended to the following visitors: John Hischof of Zeeland, N. D.; Isador Giedt, Lehr, N. D.; Jacob Bietner, Lehr, N. D.; John Mack, Lehr, N. D.; John Bellon, Lehr, N. D.; Miss Maud Bailey, Dunn Center, N. D.; K. G. A. Springer, Fargo, N. D.; R. B. Boyd, Fargo, N. D.

Mr. Walker moved that the House do now recess until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FOURTY-FIFTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND FORTY-SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 16, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 10 o'clock A. M., pursuant to recess taken; Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

Mr. Starke moved that the House resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Starke to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 233, A Bill for an Act Restricting, Limiting, Fixing and Providing the Powers and Duties of the State Highway Commission and of the State Highway Department, with Respect to the Construction and Maintenance of Roads and Bridges Hereafter, and With Respect to Other Matters; Making Appropriations for the State Highway Commission and for Motor Vehicle Registration Expenses; Providing Method for the Making of Reports, by the Motor Vehicle Registration Clerk to the State Treasurer of Motor Vehicle Registration Fees Received, and For Payment of all Funds Received, into the State Highway Fund; Providing for the Disposal and Distribution of the State Highway Fund by the State Treasurer; Providing for the Creation of "County-Federal Road Maintenance Fund" in the several counties, and the Rights and Duties of Boards of County Commissioners with Respect Thereto; and Repealing Section Eleven (11) of Chapter 182 of the Session Laws of 1919 and all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent with This Act.

• And recommended the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In the 8th line of the title strike out the words "Registration Clerk" and insert word "Registrar." Also on lines 8 and 13 page 2 of printed bill make the same change, also on lines 21 and 22 page 22 of printed bill, make the same change, also insert after title of Section

3 the following: "The monies in the state highway fund heretofore by law prorated, and to which the several counties of the state are entitled, shall be paid to the said several counties by the State Treasurer out of the State Highway Fund, upon the taking effect of this Act.

Also, in last line of title of bill after the figures 1919 insert the following "as amended by Section 11 of Chapter 44 Special Session Laws of 1919," also on page 7, line 2 after the comma, insert the following "as amended by Section 11 of Chapter 44 Special Session Laws of 1919.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 80. A Bill for an act to Make Appropriation for Postage, Office Supplies, Furniture and Fixtures, Printing, Miscellaneous Expenses, Traveling Expense, Maintenance of Game Farms, Salary and Expenses of Fish Commissioner and Deputy Fish Commissioner, and Expenses and Maintenance of Fish Hatchery.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

At line 9 the figures \$24,400.00 be stricken out and that in lieu thereof the figures \$21,500.00 be inserted.

That between lines 10 and 11 there be inserted line number 10a and following same "Clerk Hire for Wardens and Secretary of Game Board at \$2,500.00."

At line 23 the figures \$6,800.00 be stricken out and the figures \$5,000.00 be inserted in lieu thereof.

At line 27 the following to be inserted "Auditing Books of Game and Fish Board once a year by State Auditing Board, \$1,800.00."

That the figures \$85,000.00 in total at line 28 be stricken out and that the figures \$85,100.00 be inserted in lieu thereof.

At line 23, after the word "game," add the words "and fish."

At line 27, change the figures \$1,800.00 to \$600.00.

At line 28, change the total from \$85,100.00 to \$83,900.00.

Strike out all of lines 29, 30 and 31, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Provided that any surplus money accumulating to the credit of the Game and Fish Commission Fund may be used for the propagation of game and fish."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making Appropriations for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Penitentiary and for aking of permanent improvements and Additions Thereto.

And recommended the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

At line 7 strike out the figures \$48,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$35,000.00.

At line 11 strike out the figures \$4,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$3,000.00.

At line 13 strike out the figures \$4,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$2,500.00.

At line 14 strike out the figures \$7,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$4,000.00.

At line 19 strike out the figures \$3,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$2,000.00.

At line 21 strike out the figures \$289,500.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$260,000.00.

At line 27 and 29 strike out the figures \$7,500.00.

At line 32 strike out the figures \$5,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$4,000.00.

At line 34 strike out the figures \$14,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$13,000.00.

At line 37 strike out the figures \$320,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$282,000.00.

At line 8 of printed bill strike out \$92,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$82,000.00.

At line 21 of the printed bill strike out the figures \$289,500.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$282,000.00.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 220. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11 and 12 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance, and Repealing all Acts and Provisions in Conflict With the Sections as so Amended and Re-enacted.

And recommend it be indefinitely postponed.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

At line 3 after the word sum of the figures "\$1,000.00" be stricken out and the figures "\$200.00" be inserted in lieu thereof.

At line 5 the figures "\$1,000.00" be stricken out and the figures "\$200.00" be inserted in lieu thereof.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act Designating the Depositories of Public Funds and Fixing the Minimum Rate of Interest; Requiring Competitive Bids for Such Deposits; Providing for Publicity with Reference to Such Funds and Depositories; Prescribing Penalties for Violation of this Act; Defining Terms Used Herein, and Repealing Sections 147, 147a, 147b and Sections 370 to 374, inclusive; Sections 1472 to 1488, inclusive, and Sections 3315 to 3329, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws for 1913, and Chapter 59, Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 56, Session Laws of 1921.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

On page 3 of the printed bill, in line 3 of Section 2, change the word "depositors" to "depositories."

On page 4 in line 3 of Section 3 strike out the words "Banks located within the State of North Dakota and" and in lieu thereof insert "the Bank of North Dakota and in Banks." On page 5, in line 2, section 5, insert an "a" before the word "depositorly." On page 8, in line 5 of Section 9, after the word "depository" insert the words "or depositories." On page 11 in line 22 of section 12 change the word "by" to "be." On the same page change number of section from "15" to "13." On page 12, in line 4 of section 14, change the word "depository" to "deposits." On page 14, line 12 of section 19, change the word "by" to "be." On page 15, line 23 of section 19 change the word "include" to "including." On page 15, line 23 of section 19, change the word "provisions" to "previous." On page 5 at end of top line, place a "comma."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also,

House Bill No. 296 Concurrent Resolution. Agreeing to a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, by Changing Section 63 thereof; providing that bills introduced in either house of the Legislative Assembly shall be read twice.

And recommend it be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the Chair.

Mr. Jardine moved a call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

A roll call disclosed all members present except: Messrs. Doyle, Hoople, Johnson, of Nelson, Kellogg, McManus,, Opland, Quade, Sathre, of Steele, and Steen.

The Speaker instructed the Sergeant at Arms to call the absentees to the House.

Mr. Twichell moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Twichell moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

A request that the report of the Committee of the Whole be divided, was granted.

Mr. Hanson moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bills Nos. 80, 87 and 279, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report with respect to the three bills mentioned was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 233, be adopted.

A demand for a roll call was granted, and disclosed the following results: Ayes 58, nays 54.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Helbling	McGauvran	Slominski
Bryans	Hoople	Miller	Sproul
Carr	Jardine	Morton	Starks
Craig	Johnson, Traill	Oberg	Streich
Currie	Jones	Olafson	Shurr
Durkee	Kopp	Olson, Ransom	Trubshaw
Ellingson	Larkin	Olson, Towner	Tweten
Erickson	Larson	Orange	Twichell
16th Dist.	Lazier	Peters	Ulland
Flom	Levin	Plath	Veitch
Frandsen	Link	Quade	Vogel
Freeman	Loudenbeck	Radcliffe	Walker
Halcrow	Lynch	Rustad	Watt
Hanson	McManus	Sathre, Steele	Mr. Speaker
Hardy	McDowell	Sims	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Cole	Hempel	Norden
Burlleigh	Dougherty	Hoople	Opland
Anderson	Eckert	Hodges	Patterson
Burke-Divide	Ehr	Iverson	Quam
Anderson	Elmer	Jackson	Rabe
Sargent	Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Root
	26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Sagen
Arduser	Fedge	Kellogg	Sathre, Williams
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Kelly	Steen
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Lackey	Swett
Brown	Goranson	Lackie	Traynor
Burk	Harrington	Maddock	Weisbeck
Burkhart	Hart	Martin	Weld
Burns	Haugland	McCay	Yeater
Cart	Heaton	Muus	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.

Doyle

So the motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 233, was adopted.

A verification of the roll was had and disclosed the result correctly announced.

Mr. Hanson moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 220, be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 220 be recommitted to the Committee of the Whole.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Hanson; which motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 220, was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 194, be adopted.

A demand for a roll call was granted, and disclosed the following result:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kelly	Rabe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Kopp	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sprout
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Larkin	Patterson
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Furson	Lick	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Haugland	Meddock	Streich
Burkhart	Helbling	Martin	Shurr
Cart	Hempel	McCay	Sweet
Craig	Hoople	Miller	Tweten
Eckert	Iverson	Morton	Vogel
Elmer	Jones	Oberg	Walker
Erickson,	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Lakie	Opland	Weld
			Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Rustad

So the motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 194, was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 296, be adopted.

A demand for a roll call was granted, and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 57, nays 50, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Freeman	Lynch	Rustad
Bollinger	Gelszter	McDowell	Slominski
Boyd	Halerow	McGauvran	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	Miller	Swett
Burk	Henne	Muus	Traynor
Burns	Hodges	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Jackson	O'afson	Twetten
Cole	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Ulland
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Watt
Ehr	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Lackey	Rabe	
Flom	Larson	Radcliffe	
Fredrickson	Levin	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson	Kellogg	Opland
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Patterson
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Quam
Burke-Divide	Franson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Hardy	Lazter	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Harrington	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Hart	Loudenbeck	Starke
Burkhart	Haugland	McManus	Steen
Cart	Heaton	Maddock	Starke
Carter	Helbling	Martin	Shurr
Eckert	Hoople	McCay	Vogel
Erickson	Hoople	Morton	Walker
26th Dist.	Iverson	Oberg	We'd
	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Elmer	Sagen	Weisbeck
Doyle	Goranson		

So the motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 296, was adopted.

Mr. Haugland: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and request that the explanation be recorded in the Journal. I vote no, Mr. Speaker, that the people of North Dakota may have a chance to answer this question for themselves at the next election, and I feel that their judgment will be final.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House

Bill No. 296 was adopted, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Geiszler moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 16, 1923.

The House met at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Earnest Glammeier.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Anderson of Burleigh, Currie, Doyle, Loudenbeck, Traynor and Watt.

Mr. Kopp moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$10,000.00 for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Free Employment Service Under Chapter 117, Session Laws of 1921.

House Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Benefit of the North Dakota Dairymen's Association, for the Purpose of Promoting and Encouraging the Dairying Interests of the State.

House Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Concerning Declamatory Judgments and Decrees and to Make Uniform the Laws Relating Thereto.

House Bill No. 241. A Bill for an Act to Prevent the Entering Upon Thin Ice for the Purpose of Shooting, Killing or Taking Any Kind of Wild Birds and Providing Penalties for the Laws Relating Thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to State Fish Hatchery.

Also,

House Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section

11 of the Session Laws of Special Session of 1919, Relating to Appropriation to State Dairy Commissioner.

Also,

House Bill No. 262. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1661 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Serum Institute.

Also,

House Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to North Dakota Dairymen's Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 813 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota, Relating to Disbarment Proceedings.

Also,

House Bill No. 269. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 16 of the Session Laws of North Dakota of the Special Session in 1919, Relating to Testing Dairy Products.

Also,

House Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Purchase by the Industrial Commission of Claims Against the Returned Soldiers' Fund and for the Financing of Such Purchase by Such Commission, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Also,

House Bill No. 281. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties and for Other Purposes.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Bringing of Children into the State, or Taking Children Therefrom, for Placement in Family Home; for the Licensing or Regulation of Persons and Corporations Engaged in that Work; and for the Repeal of Sections 5107 and 5108, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

By supplying in Section 1, line 8, of the original bill, after the word "into" the following words: "the state who."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

The Committee on Railroads made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Railroads to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 291. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Assistance by Taxation and Assessment of Benefits to Domestic Railroad Corporations, Having Their Entire Line of Railway as Surveyed Within the State of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. D. ROOT,
Chairman.

Mr. J. D. Root moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Railroads made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Railroads to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 244. A Bill for an Act Relating to Intra-state Freight Rates in North Dakota, Fixing the Maximum Rates and Charges for Transportation of Freight Intra-state, Providing Penalties and Punishment for the Violation Thereof, and Defining the Duties and Powers of the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be thrown into the Committee of the Whole House.

J. D. ROOT,
Chairman.

Mr. J. D. Root moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 303. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1951 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 72 of the Laws of 1919, Relating to the Construction of Bridges by County Commissioners.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. K. OLAFSON,
Acting Chairman.

Mr. J. K. Olafson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 230. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3785, 3786 and 3788 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Election, the term of Office and the Beginning of Such Terms of Office of the City Commissioners and the Police Magistrate of Cities Operating Under the Commission Form of Government.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 231. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Signing of Recall Petitions; Preventing Fraud and Corruption and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Provisions of This Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:
Section 1 of the Printed Bill:

In line 2, strike out the word "in" and insert in lieu thereof the word "within."

In line 3, after the word "elector" strike out the comma and insert a period.

Strike out everything in line 3 following the word "elector."

Strike out everything in line 4 preceding the word "such."

In line 5 strike out the word "when" and insert in lieu thereof the words "in which case."

In line 6 insert a comma after the word "name."

In line 6 strike out the word "signed" and insert in lieu thereof the word "written."

In line 8 insert the word "one" before the word "official."

In line 9 insert a comma after the word "shall."

In line 9 insert the word "his" after the word "signs."

In line 10 insert a comma after the word "name."

In line 10 strike out the word "him" and insert in lieu thereof the words "such elector."

In line 11 insert a comma ahead of the word "and."

In line 13 strike out the word "name" and insert in lieu thereof the word "same."

Section 2 of the Printed Bill:

In line 1 insert a comma following the word "petition."
Section 3 of the Printed Bill:

In line 1 insert the word "wilfully" following the word "who."

In line 2, following the word "once," insert ", for the recall of any one official."

In line 2 insert a comma following the word "petition."

In line 4 insert a comma following the first word "person."

In line 5 insert a comma following the word "mark."

In line 6 insert a comma following the word "name."

In line 6 insert a comma following the word "forgery."

In line 7 insert the word "thereof" preceding the word "shall."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 313. A Bill for an Act to Eliminate the word "North" from the Name and Title of the State of North Dakota, so the name "North Dakota" is hereafter changed to "Dakota."

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be not permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

The Committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 314. A Bill for an Act to Require the Teaching of the Constitution of the United States and of This State Including the Study of the Devotion to American Institutions and Ideals in All the Public Schools and Colleges.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be permitted to be introduced.

JOHN PLATH,
Chairman.

The Committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 222. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Supervision and Regulation of the Transportation of Persons and Property for Compensation Over Any Public Highway by Motor Propelled Vehicles; Defining Transportation Companies; Providing for Supervision and Regulation Thereof by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of North Dakota; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of This Act and for the Punishment of the Violations Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 222 be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. McGauvran, the motion prevailed, and the report of the committee was adopted.

The Committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Destruction of Weeds on Public Highways by the Owner or Occupant of Land Abutting Thereon, Specifying Method of Procedure in Case of Failure to Do So and Assessment and Collection of Costs.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Sproul moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 187 be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Which motion prevailed.

A majority of the Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act Appropriating for the Payment to Bishop Brissman & Co. of the Sum Due Them for the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the majority report be adopted.

A minority of the Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Pay for the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries and for Other Services Rendered by Bishop Brissman & Co.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

O. H. OPLAND,
FRED E. SIMS,
J. F. ELMER,
GEO. LAKIE,
WALTER MADDOCK,
GEO. OLSON.

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the minority be adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved the previous question.

Which motion prevailed.

The question now being on the substitute motion of Mr. Vogel for the adoption of the minority report, a demand for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 51, nays 60, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lazier Levin Link	Quam Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Frandsen	Loudenbeck McManus	Sims Steen
Arduser	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Craig	Hoopie	Morton	Vogel
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Erickson, 20th Dist.	Kellogg Lakie Larkin	Opland Patterson	Weld Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Freeman Geiszler	Kopp Lackey	Root Rustad
Bollinger	Goranson	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	
Fredrickson	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Doyle

So the motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Watt, the motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

The Committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acquiring by Condemnation of Roads so Located as to Interfere with the Working of Coal or Other Mines and Providing the Compensation to be Made Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A majority of the Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line three strike out the figures "\$159,200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$219,200.00."

At line 33 insert the following: "To complete new main building \$60,000.00."

In line 34 strike out the figures "\$21,800.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$81,800.00."

In line 40 strike out the figures "\$159,200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$219,200.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN HALCROW,
O. H. OPLAND,
GEO. LAKIE,
GUS OLSON,
WALTER MADDOCK.

A minority of the Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that House Bill No. 85 be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Bringing of Children into the State, or Taking Children Therefrom, for Placement in Family Home, for the Licensing or Regulation of Persons and Corporations Engaged in that Work; and for the Repeal of Sections 5107 and 5108, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

By supplying in Section 1, line 8, of the original bill, after the word "into" the following words: "the state who."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act Granting to and Imposing Upon the Board of Administration Certain Powers and Duties with Reference to the Welfare of Children and the Administration and Enforcement of Laws Relating Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 173. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the Appointment of County Child Welfare Boards and to Define Their Powers and Duties, and to Repeal Section 19, Chapter 177, Laws of 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 182. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9607, and Section 9608, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Drainage and Irrigation made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Drainage and Irrigation to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 284. A Bill for an Act to Promote the Development of Small Irrigation Projects and Authorizing the State Engineer to Provide Engineering Service Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. K. OLAFSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Olafson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Drainage and Irrigation made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Drainage and Irrigation to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Appointment of Representatives on Behalf of the State of North Dakota to Negotiate a Compact and Agreement Between the States of North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana, and between Said States and the United States of America, Respecting the Use and Distribution of the Waters of the Missouri River and the Rights of Said States and the United States Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and unani-
mously agree to report same in without recommendation.

J. K. OLAFSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Olafson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 214. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended, Providing for a Workmen's Compensation Bureau, the Number, Duties, Salaries and Term of Office of the Workmen's Compensation Commissioners; the Organization of the Bureau and Establishing Rules of Procedure and Investigation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on County Library made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on County Library to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 229. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Establishment, Maintenance and Supervision of County Libraries.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same go into General Orders.

E. O. ELLINGSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Ellingson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$18,000.00 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line one of the title strike out the figures "\$18,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$12,000.00."

In line three strike out the figures "\$18,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$12,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Appropriating for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the School for the Deaf at Devils Lake, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line three strike out the figures "\$128,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$145,900.00."

In line eight strike out the figures "\$63,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$80,000.00."

In line 13 strike out the figures "\$500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$750.00."

In line fifteen strike out the figures "\$600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$850.00."

In line 23 strike out the figures "\$108,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$126,000.00."

In line 44 strike out the figures "\$128,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$145,900.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Minimum Wage, Health and Morals of Women Workers, for Salary, Postage, Office Supplies, Printing, Traveling Expenses, Hearings, Conferences, Witness Fees, Legal Fees and Office Rent.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line three strike out the figures "\$11,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$9,100.00."

In line six strike out the figures "\$3,600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,000.00."

In line seven strike out the figures "\$600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00."

In line eight strike out the figures "\$400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$300.00."

In line nine strike out the figures "\$800.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00."

In line ten strike out the figures "\$3600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,400."

In line fifteen strike out the figures "\$11,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$9,100.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The House reverted to the Third Order of Business.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Forty-fourth Day After Recess and the Forty-fifth Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 18, strike out lines 15, 16 and 17. Between 36 and 37 insert the following: "Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 245 passed be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table."

In line 38, following the word "result" insert the following: "Ayes 58, nays 53, absent and not voting 2."

On page 18, line 21, change 1917 to 1919.

On page 19, House Bill No. 40 change 1915 to 1913.

On page 20 after Roll Call following "So the bill passed and the title was agreed to" add "The emergency clause was declared lost."

On page 20 correct spelling of the name Twichell.

On page 22 under House Bill 243 strike out the entire title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "For an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof."

On page 24 under remarks by Mr. Walker, change the word "do" to "due."

On page 34, line 7, strike out "be indefinitely postponed" and in lieu thereof insert the words "do pass."

On page 41, line 18, correct the spelling of the word "motion."

On page 48, strike out "House Bill 85" and insert in lieu thereof "House Bill 82."

On page 54 under line 5 insert the following: "Was read and referred to the Committee on Drainage and Irrigation."

On page 54 following the signature of Chief Clerk insert the following: "Was read and referred to Committee on Ways and Means."

On page 59 under calendar strike out everything pertaining to House Bill 137.

On page 60 under House Bills insert the following: "For an Act to Control the Possession, Sale and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties and for Other Purposes."

On page 61 strike out title of Senate Bill No. 200 and insert the following: "For an Act Providing for the Recall of County Commissioners."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Watt moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 110 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered; that the rules be suspended and House Bill No. 110 be placed on the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burkhart moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 169 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered and the bill referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Ehr moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 8 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House reconsider the vote by which it concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 8.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carr moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 8.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which House Bill 271 was passed be reconsidered, and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Jardine, Walker and Carr, as a Conference Committee on behalf of the House, on House Bill No. 8.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST AND SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Harrington introduced:

House Bill No. 314. A Bill for an Act to Require the Teaching of the Constitution of the United States and of This State, Including the Study of and Devotion to American Institutions and Ideals in All the Public Schools and Colleges.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Purchase by the Industrial Commission of Claims Against the Returned Soldiers' Fund and for the Financing of Such Purchase by Such Commission, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Also,

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays none, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Plath
Burleigh	Flom	Lakte	Quade
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Quam
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larson	Rabe
Anderson	Freeman	Lazier	Radcliffe
Sargent	Geiszler	Levin	Root
	Goranson	Link	Rustad
Arduser	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Hanson	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Hardy	McManus	Sims
Bratsberg	Harrington	Maddock	Slominski
Brown	Haugland	Martin	Sproul
Bryans	Heaton	McCay	Starke
Burk	Helbling	McDowell	Steen
Burkhart	Hempel	McGauvran	Streich
Burns	Henne	Miller	Shurr
Carr	Hodges	Morton	Traynor
Cart	Hoople	Muus	Trubshaw
Cole	Jackson	Norden	Tweten
Craig	Jardine	Oberg	Twichell
Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	O'son, Towner	Vogel
Fhr	Jones	Opland	Walker
Ellingson	Kellogg	Orange	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kelly	Patterson	Weld
Erickson	Kopp	Peters	Yeater
26th Dist.			Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Erickson	Hart	Sagen
Eckert	16th Dist.	Iverson	Swett
			Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

House Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$10,000.00 for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Free Employment Service Under Chapter 117, Session Laws of 1921.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 80, nays 30, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Jones	Patterson
Burleigh	Erickson	Kellogg	Peters
Anderson	26th Dist.	Kelly	Plath
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Lackey	Quam
Anderson	16th Dist.	Lackie	Radeliffe
Sargent	Fedge	Larkin	Sagen
Arduser	Flom	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Franson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bryans	Freeman	McManus	Slominski
Burk	Halcrow	Maddock	Starke
Burkhart	Hanson	Martin	Streich
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Swett
Cart	Heaton	Miller	Veitch
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Vogel
Craig	Hoople	Muus	Walker
Currie	Iverson	Norden	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Ellington	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Towner	Mr. Speaker
		Opland	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Henne	Oberg	Traynor
Dougherty	Hodges	Orange	Trubshaw
Ehr	Jackson	Quade	Twetten
Geiszler	Kopp	Rabe	Twitchell
Goranson	Levin	Root	Ulland
Hardy	Link	Rustad	Weld
Hart	Lynch	Sproul	
Helbling	McCay	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Doyle	Jardine

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Benefit of the North Dakota Dairymen's Association, for the Purpose of Promoting and Encouraging the Dairying Interests of the State.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 9, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jones	Plath
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade
Anderson	Erickson	Kelly	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larkin	Radeliffe
Anderson	Fedge	Larson	Root
Sargent	Flom	Lazier	Rustad
Arduser	Frandsen	Levin	Sagen
Bollinger	Fredrickson	McGauvran	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Freeman	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Geiszler	McManus	Sims
Bryans	Goranson	Maddock	Slominski
Bryans	Halcrow	Martin	Starke
Burk	Hanson	McCay	Steen
Burkhart	Hardy	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Harrington	McGauvran	Swett
Carr	Hart	Miller	Traynor
Cart	Haugland	Morton	Twitchell
Cole	Heaton	Muus	Veitch
Craig	Helbling	Norden	Vogel
Dougherty	Hodges	Oberg	Walker
Durkee	Hoople	Olafson	Watt
Ehr	Iverson	O'son, Ransom	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Jackson	O'son, Townner	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Yeater
	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Henne	Orange	Sproul	Tweten
Kopp	Rabe	Trubshaw	Ulland
Link			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Hempel	Lackey	Shurr
Doyle	Jardine	Lakie	
Eckert	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to State Fish Hatchery.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 83, nays 19, absent and not voting 11.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Geiszler	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Goranson	Martin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Halcrow	McCay	Slominski
Sargent	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Arduser	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Bollinger	Heaton	Miller	Steen
Boyd	Hempel	Morton	Streich
Bryans	Henne	Muus	Traynor
Burk	Hodges	Norden	Trubshaw
	Hoople	Oberg	Twitchell

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland
Cole	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Craig	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Walker
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Kelly	Peters	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Kopp	Plath	Weld
Elmer	Lackey	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Larkin	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Larson	Radcliffe	
Frandsen	Levin	Root	
Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Rustad	
Freeman	Lynch	Sagen	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Johnson	Cart	Hardy	McManus
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Haugland	Sims
Bratsberg	26th Dist.	Helbling	Swett
Burkhart	Fedge	Jones	Tweten
Burns	Hanson	Lazier	Yeater
		Link	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Eckert	Kellogg	Quam
Currie	Flom	Lakie	Shurr
Doyte	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 11 of Chapter 31 of the Session Laws of Special Session of 1919, Relating to Appropriation to State Dairy Commissioner.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 5, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Larkin	Rabe
Burleigh	Frandsen	Larson	Radcliffe
Arduser	Fredrickson	Lazier	Root
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Rustad
Boyd	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sagen
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynca	Sathre, Steele
Bryans	Halcrow	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Hanson	Maddock	Sims
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Slominski
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Sproul
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Starke
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Streich
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Swett
Cole	Henne	Morton	Traynor
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Trubshaw
Currie	Hoople	Muus	Tweten
Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg	Twitshell
Durkee	Jardine	Olafson	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Walker
Erickson	Jones	Peters	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Plath	Weld
Erickson,	Kelly	Quade	Yeater
16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Anderson	Fedge	Link
Burke-Divide	Sargent	Helbitng	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyte	Jackson	Opland	Shurr
Eckert	Lackey	Patterson	Watt
Heaton	Lakie	Steen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

At the request of Mr. Jardine, the House reverted to the Fifth Order of Business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 58 of the Special Session of North Dakota for 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Corporations Other Than **Municipal** made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Corporations Other Than Municipal to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Powers of Stockholders and Management of Co-operative Corporations and Associations.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLAUDE LACKEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Lackey moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Levy in Incorporated Villages for the Purpose of

Purchasing and Maintaining Adequate Apparatus for the Extinguishment of Fires, and Maintaining a Fire Department.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 6, Section 4 of the printed bill, strike out the words "from aid" and insert in lieu thereof "from said."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 262. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1661 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Serum Institute.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 108, nays none, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kellogg Kelly	Quade Quam
Anderson Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Kopp Lackie	Rabe Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Larkin Larson	Root Rustad
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sagen
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Goranson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Halerow	Loudenbeck	Sims
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	Maddock	Steen
Burkhardt	Hart	Martin	Streich
Burns	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Carr	Heaton	McDowell	Swett
Cart	Helbling	McGauvran	Traynor
Cole	Hempel	Miller	Trubshaw
Craig	Henne	Morton	Tweten
Currie	Hodges	Muus	Twichell
Dougherty	Hoople	Norden	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Oberg	Veitch
Eckert	Jackson	Olafson	Vogel
Ehr	Jardine	O'son, Ransom	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jonsson, Trail.	Patterson	Yeater
	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
		Plath	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Orland	Watt
Lackey	Starke	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to North Dakota Dairymen's Association.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 109, nays none, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kopp Lackey	Quade Quam
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Lackie Larkin	Rabe Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Larson Lazier	Root Rustad
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sagen
Bollinger	Geiszler	Link	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lynch	Sims
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Slominski
Bryans	Hardy	Maddock	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Burkhart	Hart	McCay	Streich
Burns	Haugland	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Sweet
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Craig	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Weld
Erickson 26th Dist.	Jones	Patterson	Yeater
	Kellogg	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Plath	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Jardine	Stark	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 813 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota, Relating to Disbarment Proceedings.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays none, absent and not voting 6.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly Kopp	Quade Quam
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Lackey Lakie	Rabe Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Larkin Larson	Root Rustad
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sagen
Boyd	Geiszler	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Goranson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
	Hardy	McManus	Sproul

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Harrington	Maddock	Starke
Burkhardt	Hart	McCay	Steen
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Streich
Cart	Heaton	Miller	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	Morton	Sweet
Cole	Hempel	Muus	Traynor
Craig	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Oberg	Tweten
Dougherty	Hoople	Olafson	Twitchell
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Walker
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Weisbeck
Erickson	Jones	Peters	Weld
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Plath	Yeater
			Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Rollinger	Jardine	McDowell	Watt
Doyle	Martin		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 269. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 16 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Special Session of 1919 Relating to Testing Dairy Products.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 2, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Quam
Burleigh	Flom	Lackie	Rabe
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen	Larktn	Radcliffe
Arduser	Fredrickson	Larson	Ro t
Boyd	Freeman	Lazier	Rustad
Brown	Geiszler	Levin	Sagen
Bryans	Goranson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Burkhardt	Hanson	Lynch	Sims
Burns	Harrington	McManus	Slominski
Carr	Hart	Maddock	Sproul
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Starke
Cole	Heaton	McCay	Steen
Craig	Helbling	McGauvran	Streich
Currie	Hempel	Miller	Shurr
Dougherty	Henne	Morton	Traynor
Durkee	Hodges	Muus	Trubshaw
Eckert	Hoople	Norden	Tweten
Ehr	Iverson	Oberg	Twitchell
Ellingson	Jackson	Olafson	Ulland
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Townner	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Patterson	Yeater
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Plath	
	Ropp	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Swett
Burke-Divide	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hardy	Orange	Watt
Bratsberg	Jardine	Vogel	
Doyle	McDowell	Walker	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 241. A Bill for an Act to Prevent the Entering Upon Thin Ice for the Purpose of Shooting, Killing or Taking of Wild Birds and Providing Penalty Therefor.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 36, nays 68, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Durkee	Lakie	Morton
Burke-Divide	Elmer	Larkin	Opland
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Radcliffe
Sargent	26th Dist.	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Goranson	Link	Sims
Bryans	Harrington	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Helbling	Maddock	Sweet
Burns	Henne	Martin	Weisbeck
Cole	Iverson	McCay	Weld
	Johnson, Pembina	Miller	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Hanson	Loadenbeck	Sagen
Boyd	Hardy	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Slominski
Carr	Haugland	Muus	Sproul
Cart	Heaton	Norden	Starke
Craig	Hempel	Oberg	Steen
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Shurr
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Traynor
Fckert	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Trubshaw
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Tweten
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Twichell
Erickson,	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Ulland
16th Dist.	Jones	Plath	Veitch
From	Kellogg	Quade	Vogel
Frandsen	Kelly	Quam	Mr. Speaker
Freeman	Kopp	Rabe	
Geiszler	Lackey	Root	
Halcrow	Larson	Rustad	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Me
Anderson,	Burk	Frydrickson	Watt	
Burleigh	Doyle	McDowell		
Bollinger	Fedge	Walker		

So the bill was lost.

House Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Concerning Declamatory Judgments and Decrees and to Make Uniform the Laws Relating Therto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 92, nays 12, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Link	Sagen
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Freeman	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Goranson	McManus	Sims
Anderson,	Halcrow	Maddock	Slominski
Sargent	Hanson	Martin	Sproul
Bollinger	Hardy	McCay	Starke
Boyd	Harrington	McDowell	Steen
Bratsberg	Hart	Miller	Streich
Brown	Heaton	Morton	Shurr
Bryans	Hodges	Mus	Swett
Burk	Hoople	Norden	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Iverson	Oberg	Tweten
Burns	Johnson, Ne'son	Olafson	Ulland
Carr	Johnson, Pembina	O'son, Towner	Veitch
Cart	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Walker
Cole	Jones	Orange	Watt
Craig	Kellogg	Patterson	Watt
Dougherty	Kelly	Peters	Weisbeck
Durkee	Kopp	Plath	Weld
Eckert	Lackey	Quade	Yeater
Erickson	Lackie	Quam	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Larson	Pabe	
Fedge	Lazier	Radcliffe	
	Levin	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Erickson	Haugland	Jackson
Ellingson	26th Dist.	Hobbling	Larkin
Elmer	Frandsen	Kenne	O'son, Ransom
			Root

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Geiszler	Jardine	Traynor
Doyle	Hempel	McGauvran	Vogel
Ehr			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 281. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties and for Other Purposes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 91, nays 14, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lakie	Quade
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Quam
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larson	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Lazier	Root
Anderson	Goranson	Link	Rustad
Sargent	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Hanson	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Hardy	McManus	Sims
Boyd	Harrington	Martin	Slominski
Bratsberg	Hart	McCay	Sproul
Brown	Heaton	McDowell	Starke
	Hempel	McGauvran	Streich

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Henne	Miller	Shurr
Burk	Hodges	Morton	Traynor
Burkhart	Hoople	Muus	Trubshaw
Carr	Iverson	Norden	Tweten
Cart	Jackson	Oberg	Twichell
Cole	Jardine	Olafson	Ulland
Craig	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Currie	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Vogel
Durkee	Jones	Orange	Watt
Erickson	Togg	Patterson	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Kelly	Peters	Ycater
Erickson	Lackey	Plath	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Turns	Frandsen	Johnson, Nelson	Swett
Dougherty	Geizler	Levin	Weld
Ellingson	Haugland	Olson, Ransom	
Elmer	Helbling	Rabe	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Ehr	Maddock	Steen
Eckert	Kopp	Sagen	Waiker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Twichell moved a suspension of the rules, that House Bill No. 110 be considered properly engrossed and passed upon third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) to Provide Funds for the Maintenance of the North Dakota National Guard, or State Militia, as Provided for Under Chapter 35 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota, and to Meet Other Requirements Prescribed by the Federal Statutes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 5, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Badcliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Levin	Reot
Anderson,	Flom	Link	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sagen
Anderson	Fredrickson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Freeman	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Geizler	Maddock	Stominski
Bollinger	Goranson	Martin	Sproul
Boyd	Halcrow	McCay	Starke
Bratsberg	Hanson	McDowell	Streich
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Shurr
Bryans	Hart	Morris	Swett
Burk	Haugland	Morton	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Helbling	Muus	Tweten
Burns	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Carr	Iverson,	Oberg	Ulland
Cole	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
Craig	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
		Olson, Towner	Watt

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Johnson,	Nelson	Opland
Dougherty	Johnson,	Pembina	Orange
Durkee	Johnson,	Trail.	Patterson
Ehr	Ketjogg		Peters
Ellingson	Kelly		Plath
Elmer	Lackey		Quade
Erickson	Larkin		Quam
26th Dist.	Larson		Rabe
			Weisbeck
			Weld
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hardy	Hodges	Yeater
Henne	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Fedge	Kopp	Trayner
Doyle	Hempel	Lakie	Walker
Eckert	Jones	Sims	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The House messaged the following bills to the Senate:

House Bills Nos. 275, 96, 115, 260, 261, 262, 266, 268, 269, 210, 281.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 16, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Powers of Certain Societies for the Care and Placement of Dependent Children, and to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5100 and 5101, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act Relating to Children Born out of Wedlock and to Make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto, and for the Repeal of Sections 19483 to 10500 Inclusive, Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 70. Laws of 1917.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 181. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Homes and Institutions Caring for Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 381. A Bill for an Act Providing for Assistant States Attorneys in Counties with a Population Exceeding Thirty-five Thousand.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 4444 and 4446 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Adoption of Minor Children.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal and Industrial School at Ellendale, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Mayville and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 199. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use of the Board of Administration in Administering Child Welfare Laws.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3718 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Extension of Water Main Assessments.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Peters moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Peters to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 238. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10, 21 and 23 of Chapter 77 of the Ses-

sion Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In the title change the word "sections" to "section" and strike out the numerals "10" and "21" and the word "and" and strike out all of sections 1 and 2.

In line 1, page 4, change the numeral "3" to "1."

In line 1, page 6, change the numeral "4" to "2." Strike out the words "section or."

In line 2, strike out the words "section or."

In line 3, strike out all of the line after the word "and."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

That the word "six" in the first line of the title be stricken out and that the word "three" be inserted in lieu thereof.

That in line 3 of the printed bill the word "six" be stricken out and the word "three" be inserted in lieu thereof.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 33. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 169 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended by Chapter No. 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to State Hail Insurance.

And recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the Chair.

A request that the report of the Committee of the Whole be divided, with respect to House Bill No. 33, was granted.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill Nos. 238 and 91, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hempel moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 33, be adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved a Call of the House.

The roll call disclosed all members present except Messrs. Kelly and Lackey.

The Speaker instructed the Sargeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Peters moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Hempel for the adoption of the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 33, a demand for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following results.

Ayes 57, nays 54, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Levin	Sathre, Stee'e
Burke-Divide	Frandson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sim
Sargent	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Arduser	Haugland	Maddock	Streich
Beatsberg	Heaton	Martin	Shurr
Bryans	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Burkhart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Cart	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Craig	Iverson	Muus	Walker
Eckert	Jones	Oberg	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Weid
Erickson	Kopp	Opland	Yeater
26th Dist.	Lakie	Patterson	
Erickson	Larkin	Quam	
16th Dist.	Lazier	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Johnson, Trail	Root
Burleigh	Freeman	Kelly	Rustad
Bollinger	Geiszler	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Halcrow	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Hanson	McCauvran	Starke
Burns	Harrington	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Hart	Olafson	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Olson, Townner	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Orange	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Peters	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Plath	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.
Doyle
Lackey

So the motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 33, was adopted.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have my remarks recorded in the Journal. If I voted "no" on this proposition it would be to my advantage personally, but I know the people at home do not want me to vote "no," and therefore I vote "aye."

A verification of the roll call was requested and disclosed the result as correctly announced.

Mr. Miller moved that the vote by which the report of the Committee of the Whole was adopted, with respect to House Bill No. 33, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do now adjourn. Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Miller, a demand for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 56, nays 55, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Steen
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	McManus	Streich
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Maddock	Shurr
Sargent	Hardy	Martin	Sweet
Arduser	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Eratsberg	Heaton	Miller	Vogel
Bryans	Helbling	Morton	Walker
Burkhart	Hempel	Muus	Weisbeck
Cart	Hoopel	Oberg	Weld
Craig	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Eckert	Jones	Opland	
Elmer	Kellogg	Patterson	
Erickson	Lakle	Quam	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Rabe	
Erickson	Lazter	Sathre, Steele	
16th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams	
	Link	Sims	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Freeman	Kelly	Root
Bo'linger	Geisler	Kopp	Rustad
Boyd	Goranson	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Carr	Hart	Norden	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Vetch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Lackey

So the motion prevailed.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: C. E. Allen, A. G. Bonhus, L. S. Ward, Valley

City; Paul E. Brady, Bowman, N. D.; Geo. E. Kremer, Bismarck, N. D.; Mrs. Lindgren, Minot, N. D.; Miss Hall, Fargo, N. D.; A. M. Greenfield.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do now recess until 10 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed, and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND FORTY-SEVENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. D.,
February 17, 1923.

The house re-assembled at 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

The House referred to the Fifth order of business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 236. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Joining of Territory to Consolidated Schools.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out everything after "a Bill" and insert in lieu thereof:

For an Act to Provide for the Joining of Territory to Consolidate Schools.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1. When any person having land not more than two and one-half miles from a Consolidated School House, but lying in another school district, and which is not a Consolidated School desires to leave his school and join the Consolidated School, he may, by a notice in writing to the President of the School of which he is a member, give notice of intention to separate from such School and join the Consolidated School, unless the officers of the Consolidated School should refuse to permit him to join.

Every person separating from the School, except a Consolidated School to join a Consolidated School, shall, before being allowed to separate from his school, pay

his proportionate share of the debt, other than bonded, of such school, and said proportion being arrived at by determining the ratio which the assessed valuation of the land that he desires to have removed from said School District bears to all the land of the School District.

Section 3. The President and Clerk of the Consolidated School, which the person seeks to join, shall permit the person's children of school age to attend said Consolidated School and for all purposes, including taxation, said land joined to district shall be considered part of said Consolidated School.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

The committee on Railroads made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Railroads to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 288. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Assistance by Taxation and Assessment of Benefits to Domestic Railroad Corporations Having Their Entire Line of Railway as Surveyed Within the State of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. D. ROOT,
Chairman.

Mr. J. D. Root moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Counties made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Counties to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 667 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1923, Relating to County Commissioners furnishing Bonds.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line two of the title of original bill change the figures 1923 to 1913.

In line 5 of printed bill after the word "person" insert the word "hereafter."

In line 10 after the word "true" insert the word "accurate."

In line 13 after the word "bond" insert the following "shall include all the business of the county done by him and protect the county against all acts of omission as well as commission including all errors caused by

carelessness or inattention in office; such bond."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. J. QUADE,
Chairman.

The committee on Agriculture made the following report:

House Bill No. 208. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2846 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 104 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to Annual Cream Station Reports and Price Discrimination, Prescribing Penalties for Violations of this Act, and Making Certain Acts Prima Facie Evidence of Violation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

VICTOR L. ANDERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Anderson of Burleigh moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A majority of the committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1147 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended by Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 197 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Organization of New School Districts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted.

A minority of the committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Education to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1147 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended by Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1915, and Chapter 197 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Organization of New School Districts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. C. MILLER,
J. H. BURKHART,
L. L. BROWN,
MINNIE D. CRAIG,

Mr. Brown moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the minority be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the minority report was adopted.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 192. A Bill for an Act Creating a Workmen's Compensation Commission; Prescribing the Liability of an Employer to Make Compensation by Way of Damages for Injuries Due to Accident or Occupational Disease Received by an Employee Arising out of and in the Course of Employment; Modifying Common Law and Statutory Remedies in Such Cases; Establishing an Alternative Elective Schedule of Compensation; Regulating Procedure for the Determination of Liability and Compensation Thereunder in Certain Cases; Repealing Chapter 162, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, and Acts Amendatory Thereof, and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent with this Act, and Defining Terms Used Therein and Prescribing Penalties and Forfeitures for the Violation Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Ware House and Grain Grading made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Ware House and Grain Grading to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 246. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 241, Session Laws 1919, Designating the State Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, Sealer and Inspector of Weights and Measures; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Providing Penalties and Repealing Sections 2998, 3001 and 3002 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to the Inspection and Sealing of Weights, Fixing Fees, Authorizing the Appointment of Deputy Inspectors and Providing for Their Compensation and Regulating the Use and Sale of Weights and measures.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Larson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Carr moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Carr to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Consolidation of Counties, or Portions Thereof into a New County; Organization Thereof and Disposal of Any Portions of Such Counties Not Included Therein.

and recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

At the end of line 3 in the title of the bill, change the period to semicolon and add the following: "Providing for apportionment of liabilities and assets and appointment of county officers."

In line 4 of the printed bill, after the word "township" insert a comma.

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

Also

House Bill No. 244. A Bill for an Act Relating to Intra-state Freight Rates in North Dakota. Fixing the Maximum Rates and Charges for Transportation of Freight Intra-state, Providing Penalties and Punishment for the Violation Thereof, and Defining the Duties and Powers of the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

And recommend the adoption of the following amendments:

In line 1 of the title, after the word "freight" insert the words "and express."

In line 1, Section 1, of the printed bill, after the word "freight," insert the words "and express."

In line 3, Section 2, of the printed bill after the word "freight," insert the words "and express."

And when so amended recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

Also

House Bill No. 231. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Signing of Recall Petitions; Preventing Fraud and Corruption and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Provisions of this Act.

and recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

Section I of the printed bill:

In line 2 strike out the word "in" and insert in lieu thereof the word "within."

In line 3, after the word "elector" strike out the comma and insert a period.

Strike out everything in line 3 following the word "elector."

Strike out everything in line 4 preceding the word "such."

In line 5 strike out the word "when" and insert in lieu thereof the words "in which case."

In line 6 insert a comma after the word "name."

In line 6 strike out the word "signed" and insert in lieu thereof the word "written."

In line 8 insert the word "one" before the word "official."

In line 9 insert a comma after the word "shall."

In line 9 insert the word "his" after the word "signs."

In line 10 insert a comma after the word "name."

In line 10 strike out the word "him" and insert in lieu thereof the words "such elector."

In line 11 insert a comma ahead of the word "and."

In line 13 strike out the word "name" and insert in lieu thereof the word "same."

Section 2 of the printed bill:

In line 1 insert the word "willfully" following the word "who."

In line 2, following the word "once," insert "for the recall of any one official."

In line w insert a comma following the word "petition."

In line 4 insert a comma following the first word "person."

In line 5 insert a comma following the word "mark."

In line 6 insert a comma following the word "name."

In line 6 insert a comma following the word "forgery."

In line 7 insert the word "thereof" preceding the word "shall."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also

The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Destruction of Weeds on Public Highways by the owner or occupant of Land Abutting Thereon, Specifying the Method of Procedure in Case of Failure to do So and Assessment and Collection of Costs.

And recommend the adoption of the Committee's amendment as follows:

After the word "Cost" in line 4 of the title, insert a semi-colon and add the following: "and to repeal Chapter 70 of the Session Laws of 1919, Special Session."

After Section 4, insert the following: "Section 5. Chapter 70 of the Session Laws of 1919, Special Session, is hereby repealed."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line three strike out the figures "\$159,200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$219,200.00."

At line 33 insert the following: "To complete New Main Building \$60,000.00."

In line 34 strike out the figures "21,800.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "81,800.00."

In line 40 strike out the figures "159,200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$219,200.00."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 229. A Bill For an Act Providing for the Establishment, Maintenance, and Supervision of County Libraries.

And recommend the same for passage.

Also,

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the sum of \$18,000 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line one of the title strike out the figures "\$18,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$12,000.00."

In line three strike out the figures "\$18,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$12,000.00."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the School for the Deaf at Devils Lake, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

In line three strike out the figures "\$128,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$145,900.00."

In line eight strike out the figures "\$63,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the figures \$80,000.00" In line 13 strike out the figures "\$500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$750.00." In line fifteen strike out the figures "\$600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$850.00." In line 23 strike out the figures "\$108,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$126,000.00."

In line 44 strike out the figures "\$128,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$145,900.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

House Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Minimum Wage, Health and Morals of Women Workers, for Salary, Postage, Office Supplies, Printing, Traveling Expenses, Hearings, Conferences, Witness Fees, Legal Fees and Office Rent.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

In line three strike out the figures "\$11,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$9,100.00."

In line six strike out the figures "\$3,600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$300.00." In line nine strike out the figures "\$800.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00." In line ten strike out the figures "\$3600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,400.00."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

Also,

The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota

for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking their Ballots.

And recommend the same for passage.

Also,

The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Levy in Incorporated Villages for the Purpose of Purchasing and Maintaining Adequate Apparatus for the Extinguishment of Fires, and Maintaining a Fire Department.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 6, Section 4 of the printed bill, strike out the words "from aid" and insert in lieu thereof "from said."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report of the Committee of the whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

House Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Livery Allowed Sheriffs.

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for its Enforcement and Penalty.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 147 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 and Repealing Section 147a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; Providing for Publicity of State Finances.

House Bill No. 69. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two and 3-100 Dollars (\$2,882.03) for the Purpose of Charging Off Losses Resulting to the State on Account of the Failure, in the Year 1909, of the First National Bank of Rugby, Rugby, North Dakota, and the Barton State Bank, Barton, North Dakota.

House Bill No. 73. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Election of Directors of Building and Loan Association for the Term of Three Years.

House Bill No. 79. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Purpose of Paying Insurance Tax to the Various Fire Departments of the State.

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

House Bill No. 40. A Bill for an Act to Cancel Uncollected Personal Property Taxes Assessed for 1915 and Prior Years.

House Bill No. 57. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Range Stock and Where Listed for the Purpose of Taxation.

House Bill No. 143. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Transcripts of Judgments of the United States Courts and Notices of Taxes Due the United States, with Certain County Officers.

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for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for its Enforcement and Penalty.

And find the same correctly enrolled.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

House Bill No. 40. A Bill for an Act to Cancel Uncollected Personal Property Taxes Assessed for 1915 and Prior Years.

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House Bill No. 143. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Transcripts of Judgments of the United States Courts and Notices of Taxes Due the United States, with Certain County Officers.

Senate Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Requiring All Agents Acting for or on Behalf of Any Insurance Company Doing Business in this State to be Licensed, Regulating the Methods, Practices and Transactions of Such Agents in Conducting Such Insurance Business, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of any of the Sections of this Act.

Senate Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued, or to be Issued, by any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or where by Such Vote Bonds are Authorized to be Issued, has Theretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five per cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in such School District, Beyond the Five per cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and where the Indebtedness of Such School District, but Does Not Exceed Ten per cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of such School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

Senate Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act Relative to the Admission of Persons Under Eighteen Years of Age to Public Dances, and Requiring the Posting of a Copy of the Law and Prescribing Penalty for Its Violation.

Senate Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 187 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Qualifications of Official and Legal Newspapers and Providing for the Method of Selection of Official Newspapers.

Senate Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Eight Hundred Fifty-three Dollars and Sixty-one Cents (\$853.61) to Take Care of Deficit in Biennial Appropriation of Department of Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act amending Sections 728 and 729 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 relating to fees in the Supreme Court and their coverage into the State Treasury.

Senate Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit by Members of the State Canvassing Board.

Senate Bill No. 99. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit **by the District Judges.**

Senate Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$2,000.00 out of any monies in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying premiums on state official bonds as provided by Chapter 175 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917.

Senate Bill No. 121. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Actions to Release Insane Patients.

Senate Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Treasurer's Office.

Senate Bill No. 126. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Arrest and Return of Fugitives from Justice Fund.

Senate Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Executive Department.

Senate Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit incurred in the State Auditor's Office.

Senate Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Attorney General's Department.

Senate Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Repair of the Whitestone Battlefield Monument Located in the Whitestone Battlefield Park, in Dickey County, North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 158 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Attorney General's Report.

House Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

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House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

Mrs. Craig moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FORTY-SEVENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 17, 1923.

The house re-assembled at 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Envoy Walter Jeffery.

Roll call: All members present except Messrs. Lynch, Shurr, Vogel, Watt.

Mr. Frandson moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 16, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 70. A Bill for an Act to Incorporate and Establish the North West Agricultural, Live Stock and Fair Association, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Senate Bill No. 2. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Storing of Grain in Store Rooms or Granaries on Farms, the Loaning of Money on the Same and the Manner of Collecting Said Loans.

Senate Bill No. 256. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties, and for other Purposes.

Senate Bill No. 315. A Bill for an Act Defining Carnivals; Prohibiting Itinerant Carnivals and Declaring the Same a Public Nuisance and Providing Penalties for the Participation Therein.

Senate Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2360a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Section 2360a of Chapter 4 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Senate Bill No. 321. A Bill for an Act Providing that Discharged Soldiers Shall Receive Credit for Their Military Service in the Particular Profession, Vocation or Trade in which They Were Engaged at the Time of Their Entrance Into the Military Service of the United States.

Senate Bill No. 344. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3294 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Erection, Repair and Maintenance of Buildings.

Senate Bill No. 319. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 973 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Filing of Certificates of Nomination.

Senate Bill No. 317. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1003 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 6 of the Special Session Laws of 1918. Relating to the Printing of Absent Voter Ballots.

Senate Bill No. 318. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 974 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Certification of Nominations.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The committee on Revision and Corection of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Revision and Correcion of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the forty-fifth day after recess and forty-sixth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 2 in line 15 correct the spelling of the word "consideration."

On page 5 in line 5 correct spelling of "instructed."

On page 5 above roll call insert the following "ayes 58, nays 54."

On page 7 above roll call insert the following: "ayes 57, nays 50, absent and not voting 6."

On page 8 under house bill No 210 correct the spelling of the word "thereto."

On page 16, line 5 correct spelling of the word "majority."

On page 23 under House bill No. 275 correct spelling of "Industrial."

At bottom of page 31 correct spelling of word "thereto."

On page 42 at bottom of calendar strike out everything pertaining to Senate Bill No. 258 and insert the same at bottom of page 44 under General Orders.

On page 11, line 11th from bottom of page insert the word "second" after the word "in."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

PRESENTATIONS OF PETITIONS

The committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Communications to whom was referred:

Two petitions to Representative Steen from La Moure, N. Dak., signed by 15 citizens opposing House Bill No. 248 which the committee has recommended to be read but not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 80. A Bill for an act to Make Appropriation for Postage, Office Supplies, Furniture and Fixtures, Printing, Miscellaneous Expenses, Traveling Expense, Maintenance of Game Farms, Salary and Expenses of Fish Commissioner and Deputy Fish Commissioner, and Expenses and Maintenance of Fish Hatchery.

House Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making Appropriations for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Penitentiary and for Making of Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

House Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act Designating the Depositories of Public Funds and Fixing the Minimum Rate of Interest; Requiring Competitive Bids for Such Deposits; Providing for Publicity with Reference to Such Funds and Depositories; Prescribing Penalties for Violation of this Act; Defining Terms Used Herein, and Repealing Sections 147, 147a, 147b and Sections 370 to 374, Inclusive, Sections 1472 to 1488, Inclusive, Sections 3315 to 3329, Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 59 of the Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 56 Session Laws of 1921.

House Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act Restricting, Limiting, Fixing and Providing the Powers and Duties of the State Highway Commission and of the State Highway Department, with Respect to the Construction and Maintenance of Roads and Bridges Hereafter, and With Respect to Other Matters; Making Appropriations for the State Highway Commission and for Motor Vehicle Registration Expenses; Providing Method for the Making of Reports, by the Motor Vehicle Registration Clerk to the State Treasurer of Motor Vehicle Registration Fees Received, and For Payment of all Funds Received, into the State Highway Fund; Providing for the Disposal and Distribution of the State Highway Fund by the State Treasurer; Providing for the Creation of "County-Federal Road Maintenance Fund" in the several counties, and the Rights and Duties of Boards of County Commissioners with Respect Thereto; and Repealing Section Eleven (11) of Chapter 182 of the Session Laws of 1919 and all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent with This Act.

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshall's Department.

House Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Twelve Thousand Sixty-five and 15-100 Dollars (\$12,065.15) for the Payment to Bishop Brissman & Co. of the Sum Due them for the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, and for other Services rendered.

House Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 58 of the Special Session of North Dakota for 1919.

House Bill No. 303. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1951 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 72 of the Laws of 1919 Relating to the Construction of Bridges by County Commissioners.

House Bill No. 238. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10, 21 and 23 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

And find the same correctly engrossed:

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The majority of the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 117 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Nomination and Election of all Elective County Officers, Judges of the Supreme and District Courts, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and County Superintendent of Schools, without requiring a Declaration as to Party Affiliation, and a Separate Ballot for County Officials and Extending the Law so as to Apply to all State Officials and Members of the Legislature; Changing Petition Requirement and Providing for Filling of Vacancies and for Designation of Principles Supported by Candidates for State and Legislative Office.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Amend the title of the printed bill as follows:

In line 7, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon (;). At the end of line 8, after the word "requirement" insert a semicolon (;). In line 9, before the word "providing," strike out the word "and." In line 11, after the word "office," strike out the period and add the following: "and repealing sections 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 917, 918 and 919 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 and Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of 1919."

On page 3 of the printed bill, section 3, line 17, strike out at the end of the word "surveyors" the letter "s" and insert at the end of the word "Justice" the letter "s."

On page 4 of the printed bill, section 6, line 5, insert after the word "line," the following: "a statement." After the word "in" in the same line, strike out the comma. In section 6, line 6, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five." Strike out all of line 6 after the word "words." In line 7, strike out all of line 6 after the word "words." In line 7, strike out at the beginning of the line the letters "ters."

On page 4, Section 6, line 4, after the word "office" insert the words "and candidates for Judge of the District or Supreme Court." In line 11, after the word "Democrat" insert the following "shall not be permitted except in combination with another word or words which shall correctly indicate the faction, within either of such parties with relation to state issues, to which the candidate belongs; provided that the words Republican and Democrat may be so used co-jointly." In line 11 strike out the words "or any combination of words that" and strike out all of lines 12, 13 and 14 of Section 6.

On page 5, strike out lines 15 to 25 inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "No such designation or indication of political principles shall be printed on the ballot following the name of any candidate for any state office or for the legislative assembly or for any other office, unless such designation or indication shall have been adopted and its use authorized by a state wide delegate convention, composed of delegates from at least two thirds of the counties in the state. The right to adopt a designation or indication of principles and to authorize its use may be delegated to a campaign committee organized by such convention; provided, that any legislative district convention, held pursuant to a call issued by any such state wide campaign committee operating under this act and authorized by such state wide convention so to do, may itself determine, or it may delegate to a district campaign committee, which it may create, the right to determine which candidate or candidates for legislative office in such district, shall have the right to use the designation or indication of principles adopted by such state wide convention or by such state wide campaign committee."

On page 5 line 28 after the word "not" strike out the words "more than sixty or."

On page 6 line 43 at the end of the word "Candidates" strike out the letter "s." In line 43 after the word "for" strike out the words "such offices" and insert in lieu thereof "Superintendent of Public Instruction." In the same line strike out the word "their" and insert the word "the." In the same line after the word "approval" insert the words "of such candidate."

On page 7, section 7, line 16, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five."

On page 9, section 10, line 12, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five." Add to section 10 at the end of the section, as a separate paragraph, the following:

"If any section, provision, clause, sentence or part of this Act shall be declared violative of any constitutional provision, the Act shall be deemed and held to have been enacted independent of the part so declared unconstitutional, and any operative part thereof that may remain shall, nevertheless, be given full force and effect, to the end that the ultimate purpose of the Act shall, as far as possible, be accomplished."

On page 10 in Section 11, strike out the word "three" in all 6 pt type lines and insert in lieu thereof the word "five."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

The minority of the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 117 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Nomination and Election of all Elective County Officers, Judges of the Supreme and District Courts, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and County Superintendent of Schools, without Requiring a Declaration as to Party Affiliation, and a Separate Ballot for County Officials and Extending the Law so as to Apply to all State Officials and Members of the Legislature: Changing Petition Requirement and Providing for Filling of Vacancies and for Designation of Principles Supported by Candidates for State and Legislative Office.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

Messrs. Streich, Haugland and Weisbeck.

Mr. Frandson moved that the report of the minority of the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges, recommending Senate Bill No. 233 for indefinite postponement, be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present except Messrs. Freeman and Schurr.

The Speaker instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Vogel moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Flom moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Franson, for the adoption of the minority report, a request for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result: ayes 54, nays 58, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Levin Link Londenbeck	Sethre, Williams Sims Steen
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Frandsen Fredrickson	McManus Maddock Martin	Streich Swett Tweten
Arduser Bratsberg	Hardy Haugland Helbling	McCay Miller Morton	Vogel Walker Weisbeck
Bryans Burkhart	Hempel Hoople Iverson	Oberg Olson, Ransom Opland	Weid Yeater
Cart Craig Doyte	Jones Kellogg Lackie	Ratterson Quam Rabe	
Eckert Elmer Erickson, 26th Dist.	Larkin Lazier	Sathre, Steele	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Freeman Geiszler	Kelly Kopp Lackey	Radcliffe Root Rustad
Bollinger Boyd	Goranson Halcrow Hanson	Larson Lynch McDowell	Sagen Slominski Sproul
Brown Burk Burns	Harrington Hart Heaton	McGauvran Muus Norden	Starke Traynor Trubshaw
Carr Cole Currie	Hedges Jackson Jardine	Olafson Olson, Towner Orange	Twichell Ulland Veitch
Dougherty Durkee	Johnson, Johnson, Pembina	Peters Plath Quade	Watt Mr. Speaker
Ehr Ellingson Flom	Johnson, Traill		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.
Shurr

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and request that my explanation be recorded in the Journal. I am going to vote "aye" to kill Senate Bill No. 233, for the reason that at the recall election, October 28, 1921, the same law was referred to the people and thirty-five counties had majorities against that law which is now being attempted to be passed

here in Senate Bill 233, and yet only about one third of the counties had majorities for such a measure. The total number of Representatives represented here today on the floor of the House from such counties where they had a majority for such a law is only about forty, while the total number of Representatives here on the floor of the House now from such counties who had majorities against such a law are more than seventy. Therefore, I feel—and know—the vast majority of the people of North Dakota do not want such a law as is proposed by Senate Bill No. 233, and I vote “aye” to help kill this bill.

Mr. Burkhart moved that before further action be taken on Senate Bill No. 233, the bill should be printed with the proposed amendments and placed before the members of this House.

Mr. Starke moved, as a substitute motion, that copies of the proposed amendments to Senate Bill No. 233 be drawn up by the House stenographers and each member be given a copy as soon as possible.

Which motion prevailed.

The majority of the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That lines 23 and 22 of the printed bill be transposed so as to come in their regular order and that the spelling of the word “Wednesday” be corrected in line 26.

In the printed bill, page 2, line 16, before the word “each” insert the following: “Provided further that in all counties that are entitled to more than one member the number of members to which the county is entitled shall be equitably distributed among the several commissioner’s districts within the county.”

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

The minority of the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

Messrs. Sterich, Haugland, Weisbeck and Frandson.

Mr. Frandson moved that the report of the committee on Elections and election Privileges, recommending House Bill No. 204 for indefinite postponement, be adopted.

Which motion was lost.

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 959 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Preparation of Ballots for Constitutional Amendments and Extending the Same to Cover Initiated and Referred Measures.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Live Stock made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Live Stock to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 32. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921; Relating to County Brand Inspectors of Live Stock, their Duties, etc.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

HUGH McDOWELL,
Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Live Stock made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Live Stock to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 136. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Providing for the Appointment of County Brand Inspectors; Defining the Duties of Railways in the Shipment of Certain Stock; With Penalty for Violation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

HUGH McDOWELL,
Chairman.

Mr. McDowell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The majority of your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 309. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Act Approved November 2nd, 1920, Relating to the Duty of the State Board of Auditors to examine and audit the accounts, books and vouchers, and ascertain the assets and liabilities of the State Treasurer, Bank of North Dakota, and all other industrial institutions of the State, and make report thereof to the Governor, and make the same public.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted.

The minority of your committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

House Bill No. 309. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Act Approved November 2nd, 1920, Relating to the Duty of the State Board of Auditors to examine and audit the accounts, books and vouchers, and ascertain the assets and liabilities of the State Treasurer, Bank of North Dakota, and all other industrial institutions of the State, and make report thereof to the Governor, and make the same public.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. M. WEISBECK,
F. A. VOGEL,
ROY B. WELD,
O. E. ERICKSON,
H. H. STEEN,

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the minority be adopted.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Carr, the motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

The majority of the Committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 162. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Certain "Securities" Herein Defined by Requiring an Inspection Thereof: Providing for Such Inspection, Supervision and Regulation of the Business of any Person, Association, Partnership, or Corporation, Engaged or Intending to Engage, Whether as Principal or Agent, May be Necessary to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Said Securities, and Repealing Chapter 91 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Have had the saem under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the majority report be adopted.

The minority of the committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your Committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 162. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Certain "Securities" Herein Defined by Requiring an Inspection Thereof: Providing for Such Inspection, Supervision and Regulation of the Business of any Person, Association, Partnership, or Corporation, Engaged or Intending to Engage, Whether as Principal or Agent May be Necessary to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Said Securities, and Repealing Chapter 91 of the Civil Code of the Compiled Laws of 1915.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. A. VOGEL,
ROY B. WELD,
P. M. WEISBECK,
O. E. ERICKSON,
H. H. STEEN.

Mr. Vogel moved as a substitute motion that the report of the minority be adopted.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Carr, the motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

tion and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Member of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and for the Apportionment and Term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Sections 857, 859, 901a, 910, 912, 917, **918, 919 and 971a** of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and All Other Acts or Parts of Acts That Are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Amend the title of the printed bill as follows:

In line 3, pluralize the word "member." In line 4, strike out the word "committeemen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "committeeman." In line 6 insert in front of the word "for" the words "to provide." Strike out the "F" in the word "Forms" and insert in lieu thereof "f." In line 8, after the word "sections" insert "501 of the Revised Code of 1899, Section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905 and Sections." In line 8, strike out the figures "901a." In line 9, strike out the word and figures "and 971a."

Section 1, line 8, before the word "party" strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof the word "and." In line 11, after the word "of" insert the word "national." Add at the end of section 1: "Provided, that in the event this act should, because of the referendum or for other cause, not become operative until after the holding of the presidential primary election to be held in March 1924, then the precinct committeemen to be elected for the term ending on the third Tuesday in March 1928, shall be elected at the state-wide primary election to be held on the last Tuesday in June, 1924."

In section 2, line 26, after the word "law" insert a comma.

In section 3, line 19, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five."

In section 4, line 23, after the word "of" insert the word "each." In line 24, strike out the word "committeemen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "committeeman." In line 32, begin a new paragraph. In line 33, correct the spelling of the word "provided." In line 35 insert a comma after the word "election." In line 38, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five."

In section 5, line 5, insert a comma after the word "nomination."

In section 6, line 11, insert a comma after the word "elected." In section 6, line 22, after the word "place" strike out the comma.

In section 8, line 17, correct the spelling of the word "provided."

Add at the end of section 10, "If any section, provision, cause, sentence or part of this Act shall be declared violative of any constitutional provision, the Act shall be deemed and held to have been enacted independent of the part so declared unconstitutional, and any operative part thereof that may remain shall be, nevertheless, given full force and effect, to the end that the ultimate purpose of the Act shall be, as far as possible, accomplished."

In section 11, in line 1, after the word "section" insert "501 of the Revised Code of 1899, section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905 and Sections." In line 1, strike out "901a." In line 2, strike out "and 971a."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

The minority of the committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Member of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and for the Apportionment and Term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Sections 857, 859, 889, 901a, 910, 912, 917, 918, 919, and 971a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and all Other Acts or Parts of Acts that Are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

Messrs. Streich, Haugland, Weisbeck, Frandson.

Mr. Vogel moved that the report of the minority of the committee on Elections and Election Privileges, recommending House bill No. 285 for indefinite postponement be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

A roll call disclosed all members present except Messrs. Kellogg, Maddock, Miller, Rustad and Shurr.

The Speaker instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Walker moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Jackson moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Vogel, a request for a Roll Call was granted and disclosed the following result: ayes 54, nays 58, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Lazier	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Twetten
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Craig	Hoopie	Morton	Walker
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Elmer	Kellogg	Opiland	Yeater
Erickson	Lakie	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Kelly	Radeliffe
Burleigh	Geisler	Kopp	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Carr	Heaton	Etus	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Twitchell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Trail.	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.
Shurr

So the motion was lost.

The committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series"; Prescribing the Terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for

a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, and to Carry Into Effect the Provisions of this Act; and Declaring This Act to be an Emergency Measure.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 7 of Section 2 of original bill, change the word "Delivered" to "assigned;" Strike out the semi-colon after the words "State Treasurer" in line 8, and insert a "period" and insert following such period, "The assignment of each such mortgage and obligation shall be executed by the Manager of the Bank of North Dakota and shall recite that it is made to 'The State Treasurer of North Dakota, and his successors in office in trust, as security for bonds to be issued under the designation of Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series, as provided by law' and it shall be duly recorded by said Manager in each County in which the lands affected by the mortgage are situated. As soon as such assignments are recorded, they with the instruments assigned shall be delivered to the State Treasurer."

In line 7 of Section 8 of the original bill, strike out the word "said" preceding the word "Board."

In the tenth line from the bottom of page in Section 8 of the original bill strike out the words "or as much thereof as may be necessary" and insert in lieu thereof the words "except an administration fee of one-half of one per cent hereinafter required to be paid to the Bank of North Dakota."

In Section 9 of original bill on second line from top of page, after the word "Proceed" strike out the words "to exercise the rights conferred upon him as holder of said mortgage and proceed" and insert in lieu thereof the words "as agent of the 'State Treasurer as Trustee for the State of North Dakota.'"

In Section thirteen, in the third line from the end of the Section in original bill, strike out all of the sentence following the word "him."

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

The minority of the Committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your Committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series"; Prescribing the Terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, and to Carry Into Effect the Provisions of this Act; and Declaring This Act to be an Emergency Measure.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. A. VOGEL,
L. H. STEEN,
P. M. WEISBECK,
ROY B. WELD,
O. E. ERICKSON,
L. E. HEATON.

Mr. Vogel moved that the minority report be adopted. Which motion was lost.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 17, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Retention of Certain Part of the Salary of Teachers in the Public Schools of North Dakota.

House Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2212 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 252 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to the Duty of the County Auditor and the Requirements of the Transfer of Real Property as to Taxes, Deeds and Other Instruments of Conveyance.

Which the senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT AND ENGROSSMENT.

The committee on Enrolment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 13. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Penalty and Interest Thereon.

House Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Livery Allowed Sheriffs.

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9, and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manu-

facture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for Its Enforcement and Penalty.

House Bill No. 40. A Bill for an Act to Cancel Uncollected Personal Property Taxes Assessed for 1915 and Prior Years.

House Bill No. 57. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Range Stock and Where Listed for the Purpose of Taxation.

House Bill No. 143. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Transcripts of Judgments of the United States Courts and Notices of Taxes Due the United States, with Certain County Officers.

House Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 147 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 and Repealing Section 147a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; Providing for Publicity of State Finances.

House Bill No. 69. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two and 3-100 Dollars (\$2,882.03) for the Purpose of Charging Off Losses Resulting to the State on Account of the Failure, in the Year 1909, of the First National Bank of Rugby, Rugby, North Dakota, and the Barton State Bank, Barton, North Dakota.

House Bill No. 73. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Election of Directors of Building and Loan Association for the Term of Three Years.

House Bill No. 79. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Purpose of Paying Insurance Tax to the Various Fire Departs of the State.

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

Were delivered to the governor for his approval at the hour of 3:30 o'clock P. M.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 198. A Bill for an Act to Amend Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 73 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, and by Chapters 141, 142, 143, 144 and 145 of the

Session Laws of 1921, by Adding Section 41, Relating to the Taxation of Insurance Companies and Self-Insurers for the Support of the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. O. FREDRICKSON,
J. C. ARDUSER,
F. E. LAZIER,
PIUS KOPP,
EINAR MUUS.

Mr. Fredrickson moved that the report be adopted.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 198. A Bill for an Act to Amend Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 73 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, and by Chapters 141, 142, 143, 144 and 145 of the Session Laws of 1921, by Adding Section 41, Relating to the Taxation of Insurance Companies and Self-Insurers for the Support of the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

The question being on the adoption of the majority report, a demand for a roll call was granted, which disclosed the following result: Aye 61, nays 50, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Berleigh	Elmer Erickson 26th Dist.	Kopp Lakie Larktn Lazier Levin Link	Patterson Quam Rabe Sagen Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Anderson Barth-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arderson, Sargent	Fedze	McManus	Starke
Arduser	Frandsen	Maddock	Steen
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Martin	Streich
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Swett
Burkhart	Harrington	Miller	Tweten
Burns	Haugland	Merton	Vogel
Carr	Helbling	Muus	Walker
Craig	Hempel	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Weld
DeCherty	Iverson	Opland	Yeater
Eckert	Jones		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Twitchell
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Freeman	Johnson, Trail	Quade	
Geiszler	Kelly	Radcliffe	
Messrs.	Messrs.		
Kellogg	Shurr		

So the motion prevailed and House Bill No. 198 was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Vogel moved that the vote by which the minority report on House Bill No. 198 was adopted be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 196. A Bill for an Act to Amend Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and as Further Amended by Chapters 141, 142, 143, 144 and 145 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, by Adding Sections 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39, Relating to and for the Benefit of Employees Injured and the Dependents of Employees Killed in Hazardous Employment, Fixing the Duties and Liabilities of Employers and Employees, and Providing Additional Methods of Securing the Payment of Obligations Arising in Favor of Injured Employees and Their Dependents.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. O. FREDRICKSON,
J. C. ARDUSER,
F. E. LAZIER,
PIUS KOPP,
EINAR MUUS.

The minority of the Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 196. A Bill for an Act to Amend Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and as Further Amended by Chapter 141, 142, 143, 144, and 145 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921,

by Adding Sections 29, 30, 31, 32., 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39, Relating to and for the Benefit of Employees Injured and the Dependents of Employees Killed in Hazardous Employment, Fixing the Duties and Liabilities of Employers and Employees, and Providing Additional Methods of Securing the Payment of Obligations Arising in Favor of Injured Employees and Their Dependents.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the minority report be adopted. Which motion was lost.

Mr. Fredrickson moved that the majority report be adopted, which motion prevailed and House Bill No. 196 was indefinitely postponed.

The Committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

A Concurrent Resolution Introduced by O. C. Martin.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the further consideration of the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 302. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Cancellation and Reissue of the Unsold Bonds of North Dakota Bank Series.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Buildings (Joint) made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Buildings to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 273. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the State Board of Administration of the State of North Dakota to Accept for the State of North Dakota the Tender,

Without Consideration, of a Deed to the Brick Veneer Court House Building at Pembina, Pembina County, North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

PIUS KOPP,
Chairman.

Mr. Kopp moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Halcrow moved, as a substitute motion that House Bill No. 273 be recommended for passage.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Kopp; which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Agriculture made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your committee on Agriculture to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

V. L. ANDERSON,
Chairman.

The Committee on Agriculture made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Minority of your Committee on Agriculture to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

D. L. ORANGE,
CARL E. JOHNSON,
CHRIST GEISZLER,
FRANK SLOMINSKI,
HUGH McDOWELL,
J. K. OLAFSON,
T. W. RADCLIFFE,
EDWIN TRAYNOR.

Mr. Traynor moved that the report of the minority be adopted.

Mr. Anderson moved as a substitute motion, that the report of the majority be adopted.

Mr. Peters moved the previous question.
Which motion prevailed.

The question now being on the substitute motion of Mr. Anderson, a vote was had and the motion was lost.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Traynor; which motion prevailed and the minority report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 118. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the sum of Fourteen Thousand, Five Hundred and Eight Dollars and 66-100 (\$14,508.66) or so much thereof as may be needed, for the purpose of paying the per diem and expenses of employees, the per diem and mileage of witnesses and expenses for printing and supplies, incurred by the special audit committee appointed by the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in considering the audit of and investigating the State Bank and State Industries as authorized and directed by said House of Representatives.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In lines one and two of the title strike out "\$14,508.66 and insert in lieu thereof "\$14,626.41."

In lines three and four strike out "\$14,508.66 and insert in lieu thereof \$14,626.41."

In line 60 add the following: "Grand Pacific Hotel \$117.75."

In line 61 change the figures "\$14,508.66" to "\$14,626.41."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Agriculture made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The majority of your Committee on Agriculture to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 290. A Bill for an Act providing a farm for the county agent for the purpose of demonstration.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

VICTOR L. ANDERSON,
Chairman.

The committee on Agriculture made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your Committee on Agriculture to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 290. A Bill for an Act Providing a Farm for the County Agent for the Purpose of Demonstration.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 2 after the word "farm" strike out "on crop contract" and insert in lieu thereof "and equipment."

Section 2, line 7 add the following "and the salary of the county agent shall be paid out of the proceeds of said farm, after five per cent interest has been paid on the investment."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

O. C. MARTIN,
JOHN QUAM,
SOREN FRANDSON,
L. O. FREDRICKSON.

Mr. Frandson moved that the report of the minority be adopted.

Mr. Anderson moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the majority be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved the previous question.
Which motion prevailed.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Anderson, which motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

The Committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4989, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Filing of Statements by Mining Corporations.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Agriculture made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Agriculture to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act to Safeguard the Business of Beekeeping Against Contagious and Infectious Diseases; Defining Apiaries; Providing for State Inspection Under the Direction and Control of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor; Prohibiting the Sale, Barter, Offer of Sale or Barter, Moving, Transportation, Shipping or Offering for Shipping or Transportation, of any Bees, Brood, Comb or Beekeeping Appliances That are Infected; Providing for the Proper Certification of Shipments into the State, and the Reporting of Such Shipments by the Purchaser or Importer; Fixing Penalties for Violation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In section 5, line (2) two, the word "breed" should be "brood."

VICTOR L. ANDERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Anderson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 272. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11291, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota 1913, as Amended by Chapter 86 of the Session Laws of 1917, Authorizing and Allowing the Parole of Inmates of the State Training School.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 287. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 12 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919 as amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws for the Year 1919, and Amended by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 301, A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosures of Mortgages By Agent or Attorney and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgment in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Section 2, line 1 of the printed bill, strike out "January 1st, 1923," and in lieu thereof insert the words "the passage and approval of this act."

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Board of Pardons.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 304. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 66 of the Laws of North Dakota, 1921, Pertaining to the Giving of Notices of Intention to Foreclose Real Estate Mortgages.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 241. A Bill for an Act to Prevent the Entering Upon Thin Ice for the Purpose of Shooting, Killing or Taking of Wild Birds and Providing Penalty Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 307. A Bill for an Act Compelling Telephone Companies to Cut Weeds Around All Telephone Poles and Prescribing a Penalty for Failure So to Do.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 314. A Bill for an Act to Require the Teaching of the Constitution of the United States and of This State, Including the Study of and Devotion to American Institutions and Ideals in All the Public Schools and Colleges.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed for the reason that the subjects mentioned are now being taught and are required to be taught by the school laws of the state.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A majority of the Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of 1919 Pertaining to Attorneys' Fees and Sheriffs' Fees in Connection with Foreclosures Conducted by Advertisement.

Have had the same under consideration and the majority recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion was lost.

A minority of the Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of 1919 Pertaining to Attorneys' Fees and Sheriffs' Fees in Connection with Foreclosures Conducted by Advertisement.

Have had the same under consideration and the minority recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out everything after the words "A Bill," and insert in lieu thereof "For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Fixing Attorney Fees and Costs on the Foreclosure of Liens and Mortgages. Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota: The

foreclosure of any liens or mortgages shall be by advertisement, and the attorney's fees shall not exceed 10% of the principal sum actually due and shall in no case exceed \$50.00, and the sheriff's fees shall not exceed \$3.00; provided that in case where it becomes necessary to foreclose by action the attorney fees shall be the same as herein above stated. (Repeal.) All Acts and parts of Acts in so far as they are in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

B. C. LARKEN.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the County Commissioners to Satisfy Judgments Against Sureties on Bail Bonds.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Amend the title by inserting in line 1 thereof, after the word "repeal" the words "Sections 70A, 70B, 70C and 70D of."

Amend the body of the bill by inserting in the first line thereof after the word "Repeal" and before the word "Chapter" the words and figures "Sections 70A, 70B, 70C and 70D of."

In the second line of the body of the bill strike out the word "is" and insert in lieu thereof the word "are."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 216. A Bill for an Act to Authorize and empower the State Auditing Board to Borrow Money to Meet the Appropriations, to Provide for the Re-payment thereof with Interest, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Furnishing by the Register of Deeds of Each County to Elevators Making Application and Paying the Fee Provided Therefore, of an Abstract of all Mortgages and Liens upon Grain Grown During Each Year, and filed in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1421 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 266 of the Session Laws for the year 1915, Legalizing and Validating Certain Indebtedness of School Districts in the Form of School Warrants and Negotiable Bonds Issued to Fund the Same.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 122. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Maintenance of the Office of Commissioner of Immigration for the Biennial Term Ending June 30, 1925, in Order to Comply with the Provisions of Chapter 146 of the Session Laws of 1919, Restricting its use to that office; for Collecting Material and Making Certain Exhibits and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 134. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money to Be Expended by the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor for Immigration Purposes as Defined by Chapter 147 Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 256. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 65 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Assistant Attorney General for the Board of University and School Lands.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 107. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Payment of the Expenses to be Incurred by the North Dakota Live Stock Association as Prescribed by Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Forestry State Normal School, at Bottineau, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 105. An Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line three strike out the figures "\$94,220.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$78,220.00."

In line forty strike out the figures "\$36,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,000.00."

In line forty-two strike out the figures "\$40,900.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$24,900.00."

In line forty-four strike out the figures "\$94,220.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$78,220.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota Relating to Board of Administration.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line one of the title after the word "Repeal" add the following: "Section Eleven."

Also in line one, after the word "that" insert the following: "Section Eleven."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act for an Appropriation to the Board of Auditors as Provided for in Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Law Approved November 2, 1920.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 2 of Section one strike out the figures "\$30,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$15,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 48. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 15 of Chapter 154 of the Laws of 1919 as Amended by Initiated Measure, so as to Increase the Amount for Which Such Bonds May be Issued From a Sum Not Exceeding \$20,000,000.00 to a Sum Not Exceeding \$40,000,000.00.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the majority report be adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 48. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 15 of Chapter 154 of the Laws of 1919 as Amended by Initiated Measure, so as to Increase the Amount for Which Such Bonds May be Issued From a Sum Not Exceeding \$20,000,000.00 to a Sum Not Exceeding \$40,000,000.00.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

CHAS. F. STREICH,
E. E. BRYANS,
WALTER MADDOCK,
FRED ECKERT,
E. E. IVERSON.

Mr. Kellogg moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the minority be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved the previous question.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the substitute motion of Mr. Kellogg, the request for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 54, nays 57, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Frandsen	Link	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Haugland	Maddock	Swett
Cart	Heaton	Martin	Twoten
Cole	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Walker
Doyle	Hoople	Morton	Weisbeck
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Erickson	Kellogg	Opland	
26th Dist.	Lakie	Patterson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Gelszler	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lynch	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	McDowell	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Spreul
Burk	Hart	Muus	Starke
Burns	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Dougherty	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Kelly	Rabe	
Freeman	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Shurr

So the motion was lost.

Mr. Hempel explained his vote and requested that it be recorded in the Journal: Mr. Speaker, I introduced House Bill No. 48 for the reason that I am reliably informed that the Farm Loan Department now holds applications for farm loans in an amount more than twenty million dollars, or more than the bond limit now allowed the department to loan. I am going to vote "aye" because I feel that long before this legislative body assembles again, in two years from now, the Farm Loan Department will have reached its maximum limit and will again be in the position that they were a year ago, at which time they wrote letters all over North Dakota to farmers saying that there were not sufficient funds available to supply the demand and they must go very slow in making loans. I am further going to vote "aye" on this bill for the reason that an initiated measure which was put before the people by the Independents in the June, 1922, Primary election which provided to increase the bond limit from ten million to twenty million, but leaving the balance of the law as it stands, was upheld by a large majority vote of two to one, in twenty-four counties and by a majority vote in all except two counties, showing that the vast majority of the people wanted the Farm Loan Department put in position where they could expend and not have their hands tied. The Bank of North Dakota can sell Farm Loan Bonds for less than 5% while farmers all over North Dakota are forced to pay 9 and even 10 per cent on farm loans. I want the Farm Loan Department to speed up, and every member here who has the farmers' interest at heart will support this bill.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act to authorize the County Commissioners to Sell Certain Lots or Premises Bid in by the County for Delinquent Taxes Without Giving Notice of the Expiration of Redemption.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 246. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1218 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to Report and Annual Statement of School Districts, as Amended by Chapter 50 of the Special Session Laws of 1918.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Department, State Highway Department, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amount and Condition of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department so Examined and Audited and Make Report Thereof to the Governor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved the previous question.

A request for a roll call on the motion for the previous question was granted.

The roll being called disclosed the following result:

Ayes 64, nays 48, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Goranson	Larson	Root
Burleigh	Halcrow	Lynch	Rustad
Bollinger	Hanson	McManus	Sagen
Boyd	Harrington	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Slominski
Burk	Heaton	Miller	Sproul
Burns	Henne	Muus	Starke
Carr	Hodges	Norden	Traynor
Cole	Hoopie	Olafson	Trubshaw
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flora	Kelly	Quade	
Freeman	Kopp	Rabe	
Geiszler	Lackey	Radeliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Kellogg	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lakie	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Sims
Sargent	26th Dist.	Lazier	Steen
		Levin	Streich

Messrs.

Arduser
Bratsberg
Bryans
Burkhart
Cart
Craig
Doyte
Eckert
Elmer

Messrs.

Fedge
Frandsen
Fredrickson
Hardy
Haugland
Helbling
Hempel
Iverson
Jones

Messrs.

Link
Loudenbeck
Maddock
Martin
McCay
Morton
Oberg
Olson, Ransom
Patterson

Messrs.

Swett
Tweten
Vogel
Walker
Weisbeck
Weld
Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.

Shurr

So the motion prevailed.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, the motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Military Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Military Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act Rebating to the White Stone Hills Battlefield Grounds in Dickey County, and Vesting the Care, Custody, Control and Maintenance of the Same in the State Historical Society of North Dakota, as Trustee for the State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

M. H. LYNCH,
Chairman.

Mr. Lynch moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Military Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Military Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

M. H. LYNCH,
Chairman.

Mr. Lynch moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 186. A Bill for an Act Relating to the

Time of Payment of Subsequent Taxes and holders of Unredeemed Tax Sale Certificates and Rate of Interest Such Payments Shall Bear.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

Chairman.
J. A. JARDINE,

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 295. A Bill for an Act Relating to Payment of Taxes and Abolishing Penalties.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the County Commissioners to Sell Certain Lots or Premises Bid in by the County for Delinquent Taxes Without Giving Notice of the Expiration of Redemption.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 195. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to Interest to be Charged upon Delinquent Inheritance Taxes.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the **Levying of a Tax** to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating and Winding up the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Grand Forks for the Years 1923 and 1924, as Provided for in Section 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line one of the title strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten."

In line two of the title strike out the following: "and 1924," also the letter "s" on the word "years" in the same line.

In line three strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line five strike out the letter "s" on the end of the word "years" and also strike out in the same line "and 1924."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Fargo for the Years 1923 and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line one of the title strike out the words "Five Thousand Dollars" and insert in lieu thereof "\$10,000.00."

In line two strike out the figures "1923 and."

In line three strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line five strike out the letter "s" on "years" and also the figures "1923 and."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$5,000.00 to the Missouri Slope Agricultural and Fair Association at Mandan for the Fairs to be Held in the Years 1923 and 1924, as Authorized by Sections 1860 to 1866, Both Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line one of the title strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line two strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line four strike out the figures "\$2,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,000.00."

In line five strike out the figures "\$2,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 162. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Collection of Such Taxes by the State Treasurer and Providing a Method of Apportionment and Distribution Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the majority report be adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 162. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Collection of Such Taxes by the State Treasurer and Providing a Method of Apportionment and Distribution Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the word "such" and insert in lieu thereof "certain."

In line 7, page 1, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "not."

On page 2, line 4 of Section 3, strike the words "fifteen per cent per annum" and insert in lieu thereof "one per cent per month."

On page 3, line 38, after the first "the" insert "within the state, the State Board of Equalization shall take into consideration."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

SWETT,
LARKIN,
KELLOGG,
JONES,
PATTERSON.

Mr. Kelly moved the previous question.

A request for a roll call was granted on the motion for the previous question and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 62, nays 50, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina	Quado
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Johnson, Trall	Radeliffe
Anderson,	Geiszler	Kelly	Root
Sargent	Goranson	Kopp	Rustad
Bollinger	Halerow	Lackey	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Harrington	Lynch	Siominski
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Heaton	McGauvran	Starke
Carr	Henne	Muus	Traynor
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hoople	Olafson	Twichell
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Ehr	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Ellingson	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Anderson	Erickson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Fedge	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Hardy	Martin	Strett
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Vogel
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Walker
Craig	Jones	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Eckert	Lakie	Opland	Yeater
Elvaer	Larkin	Patterson	
Erickson	Lazier	Quam	
26th Dist.	Levin	Rabe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.
Shurr

So the motion prevailed.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Jardine, the motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote, but I do not ask it to be put in the Journal. However, as some of the members seem to think that I am afraid to have it put in, I will request that my explanation be recorded in the Journal. I am voting "no" at this time for the reason that this is not a bill to be laughed about at all. This is something the people are going to vote on some time, and when they do they will vote so overwhelmingly that you will all be scared,—

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I rise to a point of order.

The Speaker: Mr. Hempel, your remarks are out of order; you are not explaining your vote.

Mr. Hempel: I believe that on such an important bill as this the previous question should not be moved until at least every member has had an opportunity to be heard on the bill. It is not a matter to be laughed about—nothing to be laughed about—and I vote "no."

The following members also explained their votes: Messrs. Kellogg, Maddock, Miller, Patterson and Rabe.

At this time the Speaker announced he was informed the Senate had recessed until 7:30 P. M. today.

Mr. Twichell moved that when the House was ready to recess, it take such recess until 7:30 P. M. today.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line three strike out the words "Three Hundred Thirty-two Thousand Ninety Dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$290,710.00."

In line nine strike out the figures "\$35,760.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$38,200.00."

In line fifteen strike out the figures "\$16,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,000.00."

In line eighteen strike out the figures "\$1,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,500.00."

In line twenty-one strike out the figures "\$8,720.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00" In line twenty-four strike out the figures "\$135,280.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$140,680.00."

In line thirty-two strike out the figures "\$12,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,000.00." In line 37 strike out the figures "\$48,700.00." and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$41,200.00." In line 39 strike out the words "Boys Cottage, Older Boys" and also the figures "\$30,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof "Boys Cottages \$60,000.00."

Strike out all of lines 40, 41 and 42.

In line 44 insert the following: "Purchase of Land \$19,200.00."

In line 45 strike out the figures "\$123,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$82,200.00."

In line 57 strike out the figures "\$5,150.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,350.00."

In line 62, strike out the figures "\$6,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,700.00."

In line 64 strike out the figures "\$332,090.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2790,710.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 6, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Special Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 84 Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, and Supervising the Licensing and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxicab or Auto Liveries, Places Where Soft Drinks Are Retailed or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls, Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes; Providing Fees Therefor, Inspectors, Office Help and Supplies Thereof; Defining Powers and Duties and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 3, section 4, page 1 of the printed bill, insert the words "and investigators" after the word "inspectors." In the same line strike out the word "one" and insert the letter "a." In the same line after the word "clerk," strike out the words "the latter to" and insert the words "who shall."

In section 1, page 2, line 11, strike out the figures "\$3,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2400.00." After the word "inspector" insert the words "and investigator." In line 12, same section, same page, strike out the figures "\$2400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,000.00." In line 13, same section, same page, strike out the sentence beginning with the word "one" and strike out the balance of the same sentence in line 14. In line 19, same section, same page, after the word "inspectors" insert "and investigators and each such inspector and investigator." Strike out all of said line 19 after the word "inspectors." Beginning in line 26, same section, same page, with the words "The State" strike out everything down to the end of line 30. In section 2, page 3 of the printed bill, in line 15, after the word "cities" insert "and villages." In line 16, same page, same section, strike out the words "one-half" and insert "70 per cent." In line 17, same page, same section, after the word "city" insert the word "or "village." In line 20, same page, same section, and at the end of the line, insert "and villages." In section 3, page 4, of the printed bill, in line 2, after the word "inspector" strike out the comma and insert the word "and."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

The committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 215. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1921, Relating to Enforcement of Payment of Premiums to the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 38, page 2 of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "10" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "5."

In line 39, after the word "or" insert the word "major."

In line 40, page 3, strike out the numeral "10" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "5".

In line 41, strike out "\$50.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$25.00."

In line 41a, strike out "\$50.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$25.00."

In line 42 after the word "or" insert the word "major."

In line 43 strike out the numeral "10" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one."

In line 43a after the word "or" insert the word "major."

In line 49 change comma after the word "General" to a period. Strike out balance of line 49 and all of lines 50 and 51.

Between lines 49 and 52 insert the following: "If upon final hearing of said cause, it is found and determined that the defendant is an employer within the meaning of this act, the court shall render judgment against said defendant for the amount of said premium, with interest and penalties from the date of the determination of said amount by the Bureau, together with costs, which judgment shall be paid into the Workmen's Compensation Fund. The payment of such judgment shall entitle such employer and employees to the benefits of this act from the date said notice is issued by this Bureau notifying such employer of the amount of premium due. If the judgment cannot be paid in full, the Bureau shall determine the date upon which said employees' right to participate in the fund shall cease."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

House Bill No. 315 will be filed and referred to delayed bills.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acceptance of the Provisions of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Making an Appropriation to Meet the Allotments of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Authorizing State Department of Health to Accept Funds for Infant and Maternal Hygiene Work.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or so Much Thereof as may be Necessary for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Mileage of Witnesses Incurred by the Special Investigating Committee of the Senate, in Considering the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, During the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 170. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred by the Flood Control Commission.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 174. A Bill for an Act Providing for Juvenile Courts, Defining Their Powers over Dependent, Neglected and Delinquent Children and Over Persons Contributing to Such Neglect, Dependency or delinquency, and for the Repeal of Sections 11402 to 11428, Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, and Chapter 179, Laws of 1915, and Chapter 8, Laws of 1921.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 175. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Examination, Commitment, Care and Maintenance, Release and Discharge of Persons Alleged or Found to be Feeble Minded.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 179. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Placement of Children in Family Homes for Temporary or Permanent Care, and Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Persons or Corporations Engaged in that Work, and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws for 1915.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act Defining and Regulating Maternity hospitals and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 186. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Abandonment or Neglect of Wife or Child, and the Desertion and Non-support of Family, and for the Repeal of Sections 9589 and 9603 Inclusive. Compiled Laws of 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 188. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the placing of Children, Either for Temporary or Permanent Care, in Almshouses, or in Institutions, Charitable, Penal or Reformatory, Where Delinquent Children are Kept.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act Concerning the Transfer of Rights in Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 77 of the Laws of 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Exclusion of Spectators from the Trial of Minors.

Senate Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 4424, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Custody, Service and Earnings of Minor Children.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 192. A Bill for an Act Relating to Independent Liberties.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act to Amend and re-enact Sections 5109 and 5110 of the Compiled Laws for 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 197. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 146 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Office of Commissioner of Immigration, Prescribing His Powers and Duties, and Making an Appropriation Therefor, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 207: A Bill for an Act Providing for the Examination and Certification of Dental Hygienists and Regulating the Practice of Dental Hygiene.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Printing.

Senate Bill No. 211. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3451, Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to County Bonds, Rate of Interest and Mode of Issue.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act Amending Section 4571 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Providing for the Assessment of Shares of Stock in Corporations.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 268: A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 7660, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 131, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Causes for a New Trial in Civil Actions.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 24 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Issuance of Bonds of the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Two Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota Home Building Series."

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 295: A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 211 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Supreme Court Reporter and State Law Librarian.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 304. A Bill for an Act to Permit Mutual Insurance Companies to Classify Their Business by Trades, Occupations or Professions, and to Pay Dividends to Policyholders Based Upon Each Trade, Occupation or Professions Proportion of Losses Received to the Premiums Paid by Them; and Providing the Method of Determining Such Dividends.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1, of Chapter 242, Session Laws of North

Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Bounty on Wolves and Coyotes.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 347. A Concurrent Resolution to Amend and Re-enact Section 173 of Article 10 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Election of County Officials.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Senate Bill No. 352. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9235 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Sabbath Breaking.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 355. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 375 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 21 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the State Auditing Board, Its Duties and the Membership Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 375. A Bill for an Act Validating Taxes Assessed Against Bank Stock in the Years 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners and the Tax Commissioners to Compromise Such Taxes Upon Bank Stock for 1919, 1920 and 1921, as Have Not Been Paid, and Confirming and Ratifying Such Settlements as Have Been Made.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 2. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Storing of Grain in Store Rooms or Granaries on Farms, the Loaning of Money on the Same and the Manner of Collecting Said Loans.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Warehouse and Grain Grading.

Senate Bill No. 70. A Bill for an Act to Incorporate and Establish the North West Agricultural, Live Stock and Fair Association, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expense of the State Normal and Industrial School at Ellendale, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Mayville and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Powers of Certain Societies for the Care and Placement of Dependent Children, and to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5100 and 5101, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 181. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Homes and Institutions Caring for Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act Relating to Children Born out of Wedlock and to Make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto, and for the Repeal of Sections 10483 to 10500 Inclusive, Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 70. Laws of 1917.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 4444 and 4446 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Adoption of Minor Children.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 199. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use of the Board of Administration in Administering Child Welfare Laws.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 256. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties, and for other Purposes.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2360a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Section 2360a of Chapter 4 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3718 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Extension of Water Main Assessments.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 315. A Bill for an Act Defining Carnivals; Prohibiting Itinerant Carnivals and Declaring the Same a Public Nuisance and Providing Penalties for the Participation Therein.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 317. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1003 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 6 of the Special Session Laws of 1918. Relating to the Printing of Absent Voter Ballots.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Election and Election Privileges.

Senate Bill No. 318. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 974 of the the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Certification of Nominations.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Election and Election Privileges.

Senate Bill No. 319: A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 973 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Filing of Certificates of Nomination.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Election and Election Privileges.

Senate Bill No. 321. A Bill for an Act Providing that Discharged Soldiers Shall Receive Credit for Their Military Service in the Particular Profession, Vocation or Trade in which They Were Engaged at the Time of Their Entrance Into the Military Service of the United States.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 344. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3294 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Erection, Repair and Maintenance of Buildings.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Counties.

Senate Bill No. 381. A Bill for an Act Providing for Assistant States Attorneys in Counties with a Population Exceeding Thirty-five Thousand.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mrs Craig moved that the House do now recess until 7:30 o'clock P. M., which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

AFTER RECESS

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the School for the Deaf at Devils Lake, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

House Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Minimum Wage, Health and Morals of Women Workers, for Salary, Postage, Office Supplies, Printing, Traveling Expenses, Hearings, Conferences, Witness Fees, Legal Fees and Office Rent.

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the sum of \$12,000 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

House Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Levy in Incorporated Villages for the Purpose of Purchasing and Maintaining Adequate Apparatus for the Extinguishment of Fires, and Maintaining a Fire Department.

House Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Destruction of Weeds on Public Highways by the Owner or Occupant of Land Abutting Thereon, Specifying Method of Procedure in Case of Failure to do so and Assessment and Collection of Costs; and to Repeal Chapter 70 of the Session Laws of 1919, Special Session.

House Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Consolidation of Counties, or Portions Thereof into a New County; Organization Thereof and Disposal of Any Portions of Such Counties Not Included Therein; Provided for the Appointment of County Officers.

House Bill No. 229. A Bill For an Act Providing for the Establishment, Maintenance, and Supervision of County Libraries.

House Bill No. 231. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Signing of Recall Petitions; Preventing Fraud and Corruption and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Provisions of this Act.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking Their Ballots.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

T. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report was adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved the previous question, regarding House Bill No. 233.

A request for a roll call on the motion of Mr. Twichell was granted, and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 38, nays 67, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Freeman	Lynch	Rustad
Brown	Goranson	McDowell	Slominski
Burk	Halcrow	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Hanson	Morton	Trubshaw
Currie	Hoople	Olafson	Twichell
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Veitch
Erickson	Kopp	Plath	Watt
16th Dist.	Lackey	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Levin	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom
Burleigh	Erickson	Jones	Patterson
Anderson	26th Dist.	Kellogg	Peters
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Kelly	Quam
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lakie	Rabe
Sargent	Geiszler	Larkin	Roct

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Hardy	Larson	Sagen
Bratsberg	Harrington	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bryans	Hart	Link	Sims
Burkhart	Haugland	Loudenbeck	Starke
Burns	Heaton	McManus	Steen
Cart	Helbling	Maddock	Streich
Cole	Hempel	Martin	Traynor
Craig	Henne	McCay	Tweten
Doyle	Hodges	Miller	Vogel
Dougherty	Iverson	Muus	Walker
Eckert	Jackson	Norden	Weisbeck
	Johnson, Nelson	Oberg	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Frandsen	Sethre	Williams Swett
Elmer	Opland	Shurr	Weid

So the motion was lost.

House Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act Restricting, Limiting, Fixing and Providing the Powers and Duties of the State Highway Commission and of the State Highway Department, with Respect to the Construction and Maintenance of Roads and Bridges Hereafter, and With Respect to Other Matters; Making Appropriations for the State Highway Commission and for Motor Vehicle Registration Expenses; Providing Method for the Making of Reports, by the Motor Vehicle Registration Clerk to the State Treasurer of Motor Vehicle Registration Fees Received, and For Payment of all Funds Received, into the State Highway Fund; Providing for the Disposal and Distribution of the State Highway Fund by the State Treasurer; Providing for the Creation of "County-Federal Road Maintenance Fund" in the several counties, and the Rights and Duties of Boards of County Commissioners with Respect Thereto; and Repealing Section Eleven (11) of Chapter 182 of the Session Laws of 1919 and all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent with This Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 42, nays 66, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Jardine	Miller	Sproul
Craig	Johnson, Trail	Morton	Starke
Currie	Kopp	Oberg	Tweten
Durkee	Lackey	Olson, Townner	Twichell
Ellingson	Larkin	Orange	Ulland
Erickson	Larson	Peters	Veitch
16th Dist.	Levin	Plath	Vogel
Flom	Loudenbeck	Quade	Walker
Freeman	Lynch	Radeliffe	Watt
Hanson	McDowell	Rustad	Mr. Speaker
Hoople	McGauvran	Slominski	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Doyle	Hodges	Olafson
Burleigh	Eckert	Iverson	Olson, Ransom
Anderson,	Dougherty	Jackson	Opland

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burke-Divide	Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson
Anderson,	Fedge	Johnson, Pembina	Quam
Sargent	Frandsen	Jones	Rabe
Arduser	Fredrickson	Kellogg	Root
Bollinger	Geiszler	Kelly	Sagen
Boyd	Goranson	Lakie	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lazier	Sims
Brown	Hardy	Link	Steen
Bryans	Harrington	McManus	Streich
Burk	Hart	Maddock	Sweet
Burkhart	Haugland	Martin	Traynor
Burns	Heaton	McCay	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	Muus	Weisbeck
Cole	Henne	Norden	Weld
			Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Elfner	Erickson,	Helbling	Shurr
	26th Dist.	Sethre, Williams	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Harrington moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 233 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Haugland: Mr. Speaker, I'm mindful of the load carried by the taxpayers of this state and I would gladly do anything in my power to make this load a little lighter. But, I also feel, that a change of this kind, throwing the machine out of gear, so to speak, would be far more costly in the years that are to come, than if we complete our projects now with the help of "federal aid"; therefore, I must vote "no."

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 17, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 292. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2141 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 35, Special Session Laws of 1919; Providing for the Substitution of the State Auditor and State Tax Commissioner as Members of the State Board of Equalization Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Attorney General; Providing that the Tax Commissioner Shall Be Secretary Thereof Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Prescribing the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Equalization in Regard to the Equalization and Assessment of Property.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 229. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota

for the Year 1913, Relating to the Publication of Delinquent Tax List, as Amended by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 185 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Support of Needy Women who are the Mothers of and Who are Compelled to Support one or More Children Under Sixteen Years of Age.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 350. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1333 and Section 1337 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Common School Districts, and Declaring an Emergency.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 378. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7741 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 156 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to Partnership Exemptions.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 299. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 62 of the Laws of North Dakota Enacted at the Special Session of 1919, and Declaring that an Emergency Exists, and that This Act Shall Become Effective Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relating to the Assessment of the Capital Stock of Banks, Loan and Trust Companies and of Moneyed Capital Entering Into Competition Therewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 302. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Gross Earnings Tax on Certain Freight Line and Car Equipment Companies Owning and Operating or Leasing and Operating Over Railroad Lines Within the State for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of State Government; Repealing Sections 2 to 11 Inclusive, of Chapter 59, Special Session Laws of 1919 and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 341. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Tax Upon Gasoline, Stored, Shipped, Distributed or Held for Sale Within this State, for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying the Expenses of the State Government; Providing for the Administration of the Same; Repealing

Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1919 as Amended by Chapter 64 of the Special Session Laws of 1919.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401, and 403, Compiled Laws of 1913, Declaring Emergency.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

At the request of Mr. Walker, the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Walker moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 222 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harrington moved that House Bill No. 222 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 166 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Mr. Starke moved that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 80. A Bill for an act to Make Appropriation for Postage, Office Supplies, Furniture and Fixtures, Printing, Miscellaneous Expenses, Traveling Expense, Maintenance of Game Farms, Salary and Expenses of Fish Commissioner and Deputy Fish Commissioner, and Expenses and Maintenance of Fish Hatchery.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 89, nays 14, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anders	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackey	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lakie	Radeliffe
		Larkin	Rustad

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Flom Fredrickson	Larson Lazier Levin Loudenbeck McManus Maddock	Sathre, Steele Sims Slominski Sproul Starke Steen Streich Sweet Traynor Trubshaw Tweten Twichell Ulland Veitch Vogel Watt Weisbeck Yeater Mr. Speaker
Arduser Bollinger Boyd Bratsberg Brown Bryans Burk Burns Carr Cole Currie Doyle Dougherty Durkee Eckert Ehr Ellingson	Halcrow Hanson Hardy Harrington Heaton Hoople Iverson Jackson Jardine Johnson, Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Traill Kellogg	Martin McCay McDowell McGauvran Muus Oberg Olafson Olson, Towner Opland Orange Patterson Peters Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig Frandsen Hart Haugland	Helbling Hempel Henne Hodges	Jones Link Lynch Olson, Ransom	Root Weid

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart Cart Elmer	Miller Morton Norden	Sagen Sethre, Williams Snurr	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making Appropriations for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Penitentiary and for Making of Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 2, absent and not voting 16.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh Anderson, Burke-Divide Anderson, Sargent Arduser Bollinger Boyd Bratsberg Brown Bryans Burk Burns Carr Currie Doyle Dougherty Eckert Ehr Ellingson	Flom Frandsen Fredrickson Freeman Goranson Halcrow Hanson Hardy Harrington Hart Haugland Helbling Hempel Hodges Hoople Iverson Jackson Jardine Johnson, Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Traill Jones	Lackey Lackie Larkin Larson Lazier Link Loudenbeck Lynch McManus Maddock Martin McCay McDowell McGauvran Morton Muus Norden Oberg Olafson Olson, Ransom Olson, Towner Opland	Plath Quade Quam Rabe Radcliffe Root Rustad Sagen Sathre, Steele Sims Slominski Sproul Steen Streich Sweet Trubshaw Tweten Twitchell Ulland Veitch Watt Weisbeck

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson, 16th Dist.	Kellogg Kelly Kopp	Orange Patterson Peters	Weld Yeater Mr. Speaker
Fedge			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Geiszler	Henne

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart Cart Cole Craig	Durkee Elmer Erickson, 26th Dist.	Heaton Levin Miller Sethre,	Williams Stärke Shurr Traynor Vogel Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 4, absent and not voting 22.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge Flom Frandsen Fredrickson Freeman Geiszler Goranson Halcrow Hanson Harrington Hart Haugland Heaton Helling	Kelly Lackey Lakie Larkin Larson Lazier Levin Loudenbeck Lynch McManus McCay McGauvran Miller Muus Norden Oberg Olafson Olson, Ransom Opland Orange Patterson Peters Plath Quade	Quam Rabe Radcliffe Root Rustad Sathre, Steele Sims Slominski Sproul Steen Streich Swett Traynor Tweten Twichell Ulland Veitch Weisbeck Weld Mr. Speaker
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Heaton Hempel Henne Hodges Hoope Iverson Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Trail Jones Kellogg		
Anderson, Sargent			
Arduser Bollinger Boyd Bratsberg Brown Eryans Burk Burns Carr Doyle Dougherty Durkee Ellingson Erickson, 26th Dist.			
Erickson, 16th Dist.			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hardy Link	Martin	Trubshaw	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart Cart Cole Craig Currie Eckert	Ehr Elmer Jackson Jardine Kopp Maddock	McDowell Morton Olson, Towner Sagen Sethre, Williams Starke	Shurr Vogel Walker Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Hanson moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present except: Messrs. Cole, Elmer, Sagen, Sethre of Williams, and Shur.

The Speaker instructed the Sargeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Jackson moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that third reading and final passage of House Bills Nos. 194 and 124 be deferred until the next legislative day.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 303. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1951 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 72 of the Laws of 1919 Relating to the Construction of Bridges by County Commissioners.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 69, nays 33, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters
Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Plath
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Sargent	16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Boyd	Fredrickson	Larson	Slominski
Brown	Freeman	Lazier	Sproul
Bryans	Geiszler	Levin	Starke
Burk	Goranson	Lynch	Trulshaw
Burkhart	Halcrow	McManus	Tweten
Burns	Harrington	McCay	Twichell
Cart	Hart	McDowell	Ulland
Cart	Heaton	McGauvran	Veitch
Craig	Henne	Miller	Vogel
Currie	Hoople	Muus	Watt
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Weisbeck
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Weld
Eckert	Johnson,	Opland	Mr. Speaker
	Nelson		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Frandsen	Kopp	Orange
Burke-Divide	Hardy	Lakie	Quam
Arduser	Haugland	Link	Rabe
Bratsberg	Helbling	Loudenbeck	Sims
Doyle	Hempel	Martin	Steen
Erickson	Hodges	Morton	Streich
26th Dist.	Iverson	Norden	Swett
Fedge	Jones	Oberg	Traynor
	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Yenter

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Maddock	Sagen	Shurr
Elmer	Patterson	Sathre, Steele	Walker
Hanson	Root	Sethre, Williams	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 58 of the Special Session of North Dakota for 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 77, nays 21, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Durkee	Henne	Norden
Burleigh	Eckert	Hodges	Oberg
Anderson,	Ehr	Hoople	Oison, Ransom
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Jardine	Opland
Anderson	26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Peters
Sargent	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Arduser	16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail.	Quam
Boyd	Fedge	Jones	Rabe
Bratsberg	Frandson	Kellogg	Radcliffe
Brown	Fredrickson	Kelly	Rustad
Bryans	Freeman	Kopp	Sims
Burk	Halerow	Lackey	Starke
Burkhardt	Hanson	Larkin	Streich
Burns	Hardy	Larson	Swett
Carr	Harrington	Levin	Tweten
Cart	Hart	Link	Twichell
Craig	Haugland	Maddock	Ulland
Currie	Heaton	Martin	Vogel
Doyle	Helbling	McCay	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Hempel	Miller	Weid
		Muus	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Jackson	Slominski	Watt
Ellingson	Lynch	Sproul	Mr. Speaker
Flom	McDowell	Steen	
Geiszler	McGauvran	Traynor	
Goranson	Orange	Trubshaw	
Iverson	Plath	Veitch	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Loudenbeck	Patterson	Sethre, Williams
Elmer	McManus	Root	Shurr
Lackie	Morton	Sagen	Walker
Lazier	Olson, Towner	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 85, nays 11, absent and not voting 17.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Orange
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Johnson, Traill	Peters
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Jones	Plath
Arduser	Frandsen	Lakie	Quam
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larkin	Rabe
Boyd	Geiszler	Larson	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Goranson	Levin	Root
Bryans	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sims
Burk	Hanson	McManus	Sproul
Burns	Hardy	Maddock	Starke
Carr	Harrington	Martin	Streich
Cart	Hart	McGay	Traynor
Craig	Haugland	McDowell	Twitchell
Currie	Heaton	McGauvran	Ulland
Dougherty	Helbling	Miller	Veitch
Durkee	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Eckert	Hodges	Muus	Walker
Ehr	Jackson	Norden	Watt
Ellingson	Jardine	Oberg	Weisbeck
	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Weld
		Olson, Ransom	Yeater
		Opland	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Henne	Kopp	Rustad	Steen
Iverson	Lazier	Lynch	Swett
Hempel	Link	Slominski	Trubshaw

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Erickson 26th Dist.	Lackey	Sagen
Burkhart		Olson, Towner	Sathre, Steele
Cole	Kellogg	Patterson	Sethre, Williams
Doyle	Kelly	Quade	Shurr
Elmer			Twetten

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Consolidation of Counties, or Portions Thereof into a New County; Organization Thereof and Disposal of Any Portions of Such Counties Not Included Therein.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 11, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 26th Dist.	Kellogg	Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly	Root
Bollinger	Fedge	Kopp	Rustad
Boyd	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sims
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Larson	Slominski
Brown	Goranson	Lazier	Sproul
Bryans	Halcrow	Levin	Starke
Burk	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Streich
		McManus	Swett
		Martin	Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Trubshaw
Burns	Haugland	Miller	Tweten
Carr	Heaton	Morton	Twichell
Cart	Hempel	Muus	Ulland
Cole	Henne	Norden	Veitch
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Vogel
Currie	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Doyle	Iverson	Opland	Watt
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Weld
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Quam	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jones	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Hanson	Link
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Hart	McCauvran
Arduser	Freeman	Helbling	Steen

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Elmer	Lynch	Olson, Towner	Sathre, Steele
Jardine	Maddock	Patterson	Sethre, Williams
Lackey	McDowell	Quade	Shurr
Lakie	Olafson	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 231. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Signing of Recall Petitions; Preventing Fraud and Corruption and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Provisions of this Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays none, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Patterson
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kellogg	Peters
Anderson,	Fedge	Kelly	Plath
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kopp	Quade
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lackey	Quam
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lakie	Rabe
Arduser	Freeman	Larkin	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Geiszler	Larson	Root
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lazier	Rustad
Brown	Halcrow	Levii	Sims
Bryans	Hanson	Link	Slominski
Burk	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Burkhart	Harrington	Lynch	Starke
Burns	Hart	McManus	Steen
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Streich
Cart	Heaton	McCay	Sweet
Cole	Helbling	McDowell	Trubshaw
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Currie	Henne	Morton	Twichell
Dougherty	Hodges	Muus	Ulland
Durkee	Hoople	Norden	Veitch
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Ehr	Jardine	Olafson	Walker
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Weld
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Yeater
			Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Maddock	Sethre, Williams	Watt
Doyle	McGauvran	Sethre, Steele	
Ellingson	Olson, Towner	Shurr	
Jackson	Sagen	Traynor	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Destruction of Weeds on Public Highways by the Owner or Occupant of Land Abutting Thereon, Specifying Method of Procedure in Case of Failure to Do So and Assessment and Collection of Costs.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Jackson moved the previous question on House Bill No. 187.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 44, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Johnson, Traill	Rabe
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Kellogg	Radcliffe
Arduser	Freeman	Kelly	Root
Boyd	Gelszter	Lackey	Slominski
Brown	Goranson	Larson	Sproul
Burk	Halcrow	Lynch	Starke
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Trubshaw
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Tweten
Carl	Heaton	Miller	Twichell
Cole	Hoople	Muns	Ulland
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Veitch
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Watt
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Olson, Ransom
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lakre	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Frandsen	Lazier	Sims
Bollinger	Hanson	Levin	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Link	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Loudenbeck	Swett
Burkhart	Helbling	McManus	Vogel
Craig	Hempel	Martin	Walker
Eckert	Hoople	McCay	Weisbeck
Erickson	Iverson	Morton	Yeater
26th Dist.	Jones	Oberg	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Olson, Ransom	Quade	Sethre, Williams
Elmer	Opland	Sagen	Shurr
Maddock	Patterson	Sathre, Steele	Traynor

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The following members explained their votes: Messrs. Anderson, Laskie, Sproul and Lewis.

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 90, nays 10, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Quam
Burleigh	Frandsen	Lackey	Rabe
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Laskie	Radcliffe
Boyd	Freeman	Larkin	Root
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Goranson	Lazier	Sims
Bryans	Halcrow	Levin	Slominski
Burk	Hanson	Link	Sproul
Burkhardt	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Starke
Burns	Harrington	McManus	Streich
Carr	Haugland	Martin	Swett
Cole	Heaton	McCay	Traynor
Craig	Helbling	McDowell	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	McGauvran	Tweten
Dougherty	Hoople	Miller	Twichell
Eckert	Iverson	Morton	Ulland
Ehr	Jackson	Muus	Vetich
Ellingson	Jardine	Norden	Vogel
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Walker
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Weld
16th Dist.	Jones	Orange	Yeater
	Kellogg	Peters	
	Kelly	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Arduser	Henne	Watt
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lynch	Mr. Speaker
Anderson	Hempel	Steen	
Sargent			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Maddock	Quade	Shurr
Durkee	Oberg	Sagen	
Elmer	Olson, Towner	Sathre, Steele	
Hart	Patterson	Sethre, Williams	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 229. A Bill For an Act Providing for the Establishment, Maintenance, and Supervision of County Libraries.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 42, nays 51, absent and not voting 20.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Johnson, Nelson	Muus
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom
Burk	Freeman	Johnson, Trail	Quam
Burkhart	Halcrow	Kellogg	Radcliffe
Burns	Hardy	Lakie	Root
Carr	Harrington	Larkin	Sims
Cart	Heaton	Martin	Streich
Craig	Hodges	McDowell	Swett
Dougherty	Hoople	McGauvran	Traynor
Ehr	Iverson	Miller	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jackson	Morton	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Lynch	Starke
Sargent	Goranson	McManus	Steen
Arduser	Hart	McCay	Trubshaw
Bollinger	Haugland	Norden	Tweten
Boyd	Helbling	Oberg	Twichell
Bratsberg	Hempel	Olafson	Veitch
Cole	Henne	Opland	Vogel
Currie	Jones	Orange	Walker
Eckert	Kopp	Peters	Watt
Erickson	Lackey	Plath	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Larson	Rabe	Weld
Flom	Lazier	Rustad	Yeater
Frandsen	Link	Slominski	
	Loudenbeck	Sproul	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Erickson	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Brown	26th Dist.	Olson, Towner	Shurr
Bryans	Hanson	Patterson	Ulland
Doyle	Jardine	Quade	
Durkee	Kelly	Sagen	

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Starke explained that he changed his vote from aye to no for the purpose of reconsidering the vote.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 229 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the sum of \$18,000.00 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 60, nays 42, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson
Burleigh	Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Ransom

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson,	Johnson,	Nelson Opland.
Barke-Divide	Erickson,	Johnson, Pembina	Peters
Adusier	4th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Quam
Bolinger	Erickson,	Kelly	Sims
Boyd	16th Dist.	Lackey	Slominski
Bratsberg	Fedge	Larkin	Starke
Brown	Fredriksen	Larson	Steen
Bryans	Freeman	Levin	Streich
Burk	Goranson	Kretschmar	Traynor
Burkhart	Halcrow	Miller	Twichell
Burns	Harrington	Morton	Watt
Carr	Haugland	Mirus	Weisbeck
Cart	Heston	Norden	Yeater
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	HeBling	Lynch	Rustad
Sargent	Hempel	McManus	Sprohl
Cole	Penne	Martin	Swett
Currie	Hodges	McCay	Trubshaw
Durkee	Iverson	McDowell	Tweten
Eckert	Jones	McGaurran	Ulland
Flom	Kellogg	Orange	Veitch
Franson	Kopp	Plath	Vogel
Hanson	Lake	Rabe	Walker
Hardy	Laater	Radcliffe	Weid
Hart	Link	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Maddock	Quade	Sethre, Williams
Elmer	Olsen, Towner	Sagen	Shurr
Geiszler	Patterson	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarek, North Dakota,
February 17, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 198. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, for the Purpose of Carrying Out, Maintaining General Supervision and Regulation of Grain Grading, Elevator Accounting and Inspection of Elevators, aWarehouses and Flour Mills in Handling of all Agricultural Products.

Senate Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Biennium, to the Humane Society for Office Supplies, Printing, Office Phone, and Traveling Expense.

Senate Bill No. 242. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1342 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 141 of the Session Laws of 1915 and by Chapter 206 of the Session Laws of 1917 and Section 1345 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Compulsory School Attendance and Providing for the Enforcement Thereof.

Senate Bill No. 288. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Upon Reserves of Coal and Minerals, Providing for

the Obtaining of Tax Titles to Such Reserves When Taxes Thereon Remain Unpaid and Repealing Section 2119, Section 2120 and Section 2121, Compiled Laws of 1913, and All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

Senate Bill No. 336. A Concurrent Resolution for an Amendment to Section 182, Article 12 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, as Amended by Article 31 of the Amendments Thereof, Relating to Issuing or Guaranteeing of Bonds by the State and Providing that Such Bonds in Excess of Two Million Dollars Shall be Secured by First Mortgage on Certain Classes of Property; and Providing for the Submission of this Amendment to the Voters of the State for Rejection or Approval as Provided Section 292, as Amended, of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 316. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7625 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to a Trial Jury in Civil Cases.

Senate Bill No. 370. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5626 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Senate Bill No. 326. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 3711 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and to Provide for Special Assessment Funds, the Issuance and Payments of Warrants.

Senate Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact 7644 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the year 1919, (Regular Session) and Chapter 129 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to Change of Judges in Civil and Criminal Actions in the District Court, for Prejudice or Bias of Judge Thereof; Providing for the Calling of Another Judge of Another Judicial District, and Therein, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict with the Payment of his Expenses, and the Discharge of Jurors Herein.

Senate Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Traveling Expenses and Propagation of Game Departments of the State Game and Fish Board.

Senate Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Use of War History Commission Between the Following Dates: June 30th, 1923, to July the 1st, 1925.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Walker moved that the House do now recess until 10 A. M., Monday, February 19th.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

The courtesy of the floor were extended to the following visitors:

Mr. W. P. Chesnut, Fargo, N. D.

Mr. D. L. Vail, Milnor, N. D.

Forty-seventh day after recess and forty-ninth day

FORTY-SEVENTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND FORTY-NINTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 19, 1923.

The house re-assembled at 10 o'clock a. M. Pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate.

House Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) to Provide Funds for the Maintenance of the North Dakota National Guard, or State Militia, as Provided for Under Chapter 35 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota, and to Meet Other Requirements Prescribed by the Federal Statutes.

House Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act to Make Appropriation for Postage, Office Supplies, Furniture and Fixtures, Printing, Miscellaneous Expenses, Traveling Expense, Maintenance of Game Farms, Salary and Expenses of Fish Commissioner and Deputy Fish Commissioner, and Expenses and Maintenance of Fish Hatchery.

House Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making Appropriations for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Penitentiary and for Making of Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

House Bill No. 303. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1951 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 72 of the Laws of 1919, Relating to the Construction of Bridges by County Commissioners.

House Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 58 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919.

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

House Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Consolidation of Counties, or Portions Thereof into a New County; Organization Thereof and Disposal of Any Portions of Such Counties Not Included Therein.

House Bill No. 231. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Signing of Recall Petitions; Preventing Fraud and Corruption and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Provisions of this Act.

House Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Destruction of Weeds on Public Highways by the Owner or Occupant of Land Abutting Thereon, Specifying Method of Procedure in Case of Failure to do so and Assessment and Collection of Costs.

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the sum of \$18,000.00 for the Purpose of Carrying out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Mr. Carr moved that the house resolve itself into a committee on the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Carr to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 236. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Joining of Territory to Consolidated School Districts. And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out everything after a bill and insert in lieu thereof:

For an Act to Provide for the Joining of Territory to Consolidated Schools.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1. When any person having land not more than two and one-half miles from a Consolidated School house, but lying in another school district, and which is not a Consolidated School desires to leave his school and join the Consolidated School, he may, by a notice in writing to the President of the School of which he is a member, give notice of intention to separate from such school and join

the Consolidated School, unless the officers of the Consolidated School should refuse to permit him to join.

Section 2. Every person separating from the school, except a Consolidated School to join a Consolidated School, shall, before being allowed to separate from his school, pay his proportionate share of the debt other than banded, of such school, and said proportion being arrived at by determining the ratio which the assessed valuation of the land that he desires to have removed from said school district bears to all the land of the School District.

Section 3. The President and Clerk of the Consolidated School, which the person seeks to join, shall permit the person's children of school age to attend said Consolidated School and for all purposes, including taxation, said land joined to district shall be considered part of said Consolidated school.

Also,

The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 117 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Nomination and Election of all Elective County Officers, Judges of the Supreme and District Courts, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and County Superintendent of Schools, without Requiring a Declaration as to Party Affiliation, and a Separate Ballot for County Officials and Extending the Law so as to Apply to All State Officials and Members of the Legislature and County Official Newspapers; Changing Petition Requirement and Providing for Filling of Vacancies and for Designation of Principles Supported by Candidates for State and Legislative Office.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Amend the title of the printed bill as follows: In line 7, strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon (;) At the end of line 8, after the word "requirement", insert a semicolon (;). In line 9, before the word "providing," strike out the word "and." In line 11, after the word "office," strike out the period and add the following: "and repealing sections 904-905-906-907-908-909-917-918 and 919 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 and Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of 1919."

On page 3 of the printed bill, section 3, line 17, strike out at the end of the word "surveyors" the letter "s" and insert at the end of the word "Justice" the letter "s".

On page 4 of the printed bill, section 6, line 5, insert after the word "line", the following: " , a statement,". After the word "in" in the same line, strike out the comma. In section 6, line 6, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five." Strike out all of line 6 after the word "words". In line 7, strike out at the beginning of the line the letters "ters."

On page 4, Section 6, line 4, after the word "office" insert the words "and candidates for Judge of the District or Supreme Court." In line 11, after the word "Democrat" insert the following "shall not be permitted except in combination with another word or words which shall correctly indicate the faction, within either of such parties with relation to state issues, to which the candidate belongs; provided that the words Republican and Democrat may be so used co-jointly." In line 11 strike out the words "or any combination of words that" and strike out all of lines 12, 13, 14 of Section 6.

On page 5, strike out lines 15 to 25 inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "No such designation or indication of political principles shall be printed on the ballot following the name of any candidate for any state office or for the legislative assembly or for any other office, unless such designation or indication shall have been adopted and its use authorized by a state wide delegate convention composed of delegates from at least two thirds of the counties in the state. The right to adopt a designation or indication of principles and to authorize its use may be delegated to a campaign committee organized by such convention; Provided, that any legislative district convention, held pursuant to a call issued by any such state wide campaign committee operating under this act and authorized by such state wide convention so to do, may itself determine, or it may delegate to a district campaign committee, which it may create, the right to determine, which candidate or candidates for legislative office in such district, shall have the right to use the designation or indication of principles adopted by such state wide convention or by such state wide campaign committee.

On page 5, line 28, after the word "not" strike out the words "more than sixty or".

On page 6, line 43, at the end of the word "Candidates" strike out the letter "s". In line 43 after the word "for" strike out the words "such offices" and insert in lieu thereof "Superintendent of Public Instruction." In the same line strike out the word "their" and insert the word "the." In the same line after the word "approval" insert the words "of such candidate."

On page 7, section 7, line 16, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five." On page 9, section 10, line 12, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five." Add to section 10 at the end of the section, as a separate paragraph, the following: "If any section, provision, clause, sentence, or part of this Act shall be declared violative of any constitutional provision, the Act shall be deemed and held to have been enacted independent of the part so declared unconstitutional, and any operative part thereof that may remain shall, nevertheless, be given full force and effect, to the end that the ultimate purpose of the Act shall, as far as possible, be accomplished." On page 10 in section 11, strike out the word "three" in all 6 pt. type lines and insert in lieu thereof the word "five."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also,

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Member of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and for the Apportionment and Term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Sections 857, 859, 889, 9011a, 910, 912, 917, 918, 919, and 971a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and All Other Acts or Parts of Acts that are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Amend the title of the printed bill as follows:

In line 3, pluralize the word "member." In line 4, strike out the word "committeemen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "committeeman." In line 6 insert in front of the word "for" the words "to provide." Strike out the "F" in the word "Forms" and insert in lieu thereof "P." In line 8 after the word "section" insert "501 of the Revised Code of 1899, Section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905 and Sections." In line 8, strike out the figures "901a." In line 9, strike out the word and figures "and 971a".

Section 1, line 8, before the word "party" strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof the word "and". In line 11, after the word "of" insert the word "national." Add at the end of Section 1: "Provided, that in the event this act should because of the referendum or for other cause, not become operative until after the holding of the presidential primary election to be held in March, 1924, then the precinct committeemen to be elected for the term ending on the third Tuesday in March, 1928, shall be elected at the state-wide primary election to be held on the last Wednesday in June, 1924."

In Section 2, line 26, after the word "law" insert a comma.

In Section 3, line 19, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five."

In section 4, line 23, after the word "of" insert the word "each." In line 24, strike out the word "committeemen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "committeeman." On line 32, begin a new paragraph. In line 33, correct the spelling of the word "provided". In line 35 insert a comma after the word "election". In line 38, strike out the word "election".

In Section 5, line 5, insert a comma after the word "nomination".

In Section 6, line 11, insert a comma after the word "elected".

In Section 6, line 22, after the word "place" strike out the comma.

In Section 8, line 17, correct the spelling of the word "provide."

Add at the end of Section 10, if any section, provision, clause, sentence or part of this act shall be deemed violatory of any constitutional provision, the act shall be deemed and held to have been enacted independent of the thereof that may remain shall be, nevertheless, given full force and effect, to the end that the ultimate purpose of the act shall be, as far as possible, accomplished.

In Section 11, in line 1, after the word "section" insert "501 of the Revised Code of 1899, Section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905 and Sections." In line 1, strike out "901a". In line 2 strike out "and 971a."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 282: A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time, and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

That lines 23 and 23 of the printed bill be transposed so as to come in their regular order, and that the spelling of the word "Wednesday" be corrected in line 26.

In the printed bill, page 2, line 16, before the word "each" insert the following: "Provided further that in all counties that are entitled to more than one member the number of members to which the county is entitled shall be equitably distributed among the several commissioner's districts within the county."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 240: A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 667 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1923, Relating to County Commissioners Furnishing Bonds.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's amendment as follows:

In line two of the title of original bill change the figures "1923" to "1913."

In line 5 of printed bill after the word "person" insert the word "hereafter".

In line 10, after the word "true" insert the word "accurate".

In line 13, after the word "bond" insert the following "shall include all the business of the county done by him and protect the county against all acts of omission as well as commission including all errors caused by carelessness or inattention in office; such bond"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series"; Prescribing the Terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, and to Carry Into Effect the Provisions of This Act; and Declaring this Act to Be an Emergency Measure.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 7 of Section 2 of the Original Bill, change the word "delivered" to "Assigned"; strike out the semi-colon after the words "State Treasurer" in line 8, and insert a "period" and insert following such period, "The assignment of each such mortgage and obligation shall be executed by the Manager of the Bank of North Dakota and shall recite that it is made to 'The State Treasurer of North Dakota, and his successors in office in trust, as security for bonds to be issued under the designation of Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series, as provided by law, and it shall be duly recorded by said Manager in each County in which the lands affected by the mortgages are situated. As soon as such assignments are recorded, they with the instruments assigned shall be delivered to the State Treasurer."

In line 7, Section 8, of the original bill, strike out the word "said" preceding the word "Board." m

In the tenth line from the bottom of page in Section 8 of the original bill strike out the words "or as much thereof as may be necessary" and insert in lieu thereof the words "except an administration fee of one-half of one per cent hereinafter required to be paid to the Bank of North Dakota."

In Section 9 of the original bill on second line from top of page, after the word "Proceed" strike out the words

"to exercise the rights conferred upon him as holder of said mortgage and proceed" and insert in lieu thereof the words "as agent of the 'State Treasurer as Trustee for the State of North Dakota'".

In Section 13, in the third line from the end of the Section in original bill, strike out all of the sentence following the word "him".

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 118. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Fourteen Thousand, Five Hundred and Eight Dollars and 66-100 (\$14,508.66) or so Much Thereof as May Be Needed, for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Expenses of Employees, the Pier Diem and Mileage of Witnesses and expenses for Printing and Supplies, Incurred by the Special Audit Committee Appointed by the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in Considering the Audit of and Investigating the State Bank and State Industries as Authorized and Directed by Said House of Representatives.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In lines 1 and 2 of the title strike out "\$14,508.66" and insert in lieu thereof "\$14,626.41."

In lines 3 and 4 strike out "\$14,508.66" and insert in lieu thereof "\$14,626.41."

In line 60 add the following: "Grand Pacific Hotel \$117.75."

In line 61 change the figures "\$14,508.66" to "\$14,626.41."

Also on third page of printed bill, below "E. L. Faoulds, Valley City, N. D. \$96.00" insert "R. E. Swendseid, Stanley, N. D." and "John A. Johnson, Parshall, N. D., \$60.00."

Also change total from \$14,626.41 to \$14,686.41 in the title, and also in lines 3 and 4, and line 61 of the printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JNO. W. CARR,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the Chair.

A request that the report of the Committee of the Whole be divided, was granted.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bills Nos. 236, 240 and 305, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to the three bills mentioned, was adopted.

Mr. Miller moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 118, be not adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 118, be adopted.

A demand for a roll call was granted.

Mr. Jackson moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll was called and disclosed all members present except: Messrs. Bratsberg, Erickson of Kidder, Patterson, Rabe and Yeater.

The Speaker instructed the Sargeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

The Speaker announced that as all members were now present the Call of the House would be dissolved.

The question now being on the substitute motion of Mr. Jackson, that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 118, be adopted; the roll was called and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 57, nays 56, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geisler	Lacker	Rustad
Burleigh	Geranion	Larson	Sagen
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Hanson	McDowell	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Sprou
Burk	Hart	Muss	Starke
Burns	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Orange	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Peters	Ulland
Durfee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Flop	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe	
Fresman	Kelby	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Laxler	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Steen
Sargeant	Brandson	Loudenbeck	Streich
Arduer	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Swett
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Tveten
Beckhart	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Bart	Hempel	Miller	Walker
Cole	Hoople	Morton	Wesbeck
Craig	Iverson	Olson	Weld
Doyle	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Eckert	Kellogg	Opland	
Elmer	Kopp	Patterson	
Erickson	Lakie	Quam	
20th Dist.	Larkin	Rabe	

So the motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded in the Journal. I do not believe the State of North Dakota, or its House of Representatives, desires to go on record as favoring a policy of repudiation. Therefore, I vote "Aye."

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 233, be adopted.

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 233, be not adopted.

A demand for a roll call was granted.

The question being on the substitute motion of Mr. Vogel, the roll was called and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 54, nays 59, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Rabo
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Ancerson,	Feece	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sergeant	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Walker
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Wisbeck
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Nansom	Weld
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	Yeater
Erickson	Lakke	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Gefszler	Kopp	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Sagea
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Tweten
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Floam	Johnson, Trail	Quade	Mr. Speaker

So the motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Peters; which motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 233, was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 233, was adopted, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 285, be adopted.

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 285, be not adopted.

Which substitute motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Jackson, which motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 285, was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 285, was adopted, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 282, be adopted.

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 282, be not adopted.

A demand for a roll call was granted.

The question being on the substitute motion of Mr. Vogel, the roll was called and disclosed the following result: Ayes 53, nays 59, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Sims
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Steen
Arduser	Frederickson	McManus	Streich
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Walker
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
Eckert	Jones	Oison, Ransom	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	
Erickson	Lakie	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Kopp	Gelszfer	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Kelly	Freeman	Root

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Stominski
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Tweten
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twitchell
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting

Messrs.
Rabe

So the motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Peters, that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 282, be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Twitchell moved that the vote by which the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to House Bill No. 282, was adopted, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion was lost.

At the request of Mr. Twitchell, the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Twitchell moved that Senate Bill No. 233, and House Bills Nos. 282, 285, 305 and 318 be placed at the head of the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harrington moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 196 was indefinitely postponed, be reconsidered.

Mr. Starke moved that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Eckert moved that the House revert to the Fifth Order of Business.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FORTY-NINTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 19, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. S. F. Halfyard.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Bollinger, Cole, Craig, Hoople, McGauvran, Peters, Rustad, Sims, Swett and Watt.

Mr. Rabe moved that all the absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The Committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Communications to whom was referred:

A petition sent Representative Arduser signed by fifteen citizens opposing House Bill No. 248, have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be neither read nor printed in the Journal.

Also,

A resolution to Representative P. G. Hanson, and recommend that same be read and not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Senator Kaldor of Traill County has introduced a bill relating to the assessment of telephone property providing for a gross earnings tax; and

WHEREAS, This bill provides for the payment of all taxes paid by the telephone companies in the state direct to the state and no part of such taxes shall be apportioned to the political sub-divisions wherein such telephone property is located; and

WHEREAS, The provisions of this bill will in this manner unjustly divert the revenues of the school district as now derived through the present mode of assessment and tax collection; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED By the Board of Education of the City of Northwood that the Senators and Representatives of Grand Forks County use their best efforts towards securing an amendment to the bill providing for the apportioning of the taxes due the various sub-divisions as heretofore.

Dated at Northwood, N. Dakota, Feb. 10th, 1923.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

By G. P. Johnson, Board Member.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 197. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 122 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Limitation of tax Levies on All Taxable Property.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,

Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Board of Pardons.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,

Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 254. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2696 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2671 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Cruelty to Animals.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1624 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Enforcement, Beverage and Sanitary Laws.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 335 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Expenses, Sale of Land.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 270. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 17 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Artesian Waters, and to Repeal Section 9 of Said Chapter.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) for the Retirement of Part of the Bonds Issued Against the Present Bridge Across the Red River of the North from a Point in the County of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a Point in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota at Oslo, and That Such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Funds.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted; which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 3: A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 4 of the Laws Passed by the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in 1919, as Amended by Chapter 5 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to appropriate out of the State Highway Fund the Sum of \$35,000.00 for the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River at Pembina, Pembina County, North Dakota, and Kittson County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, approved March 5th, 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,

Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 51: A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North Dakota under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919 and that such and that such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,

Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$100,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River of the North, Between the City of Fargo, Cass County, North Dakota, and the City of Moorhead, Clay County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,

Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$200,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River, Between Williams County, North Dakota, and McKenzie County, North Dakota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In the title strike out the figures, \$200,000.00 and substitute therefor the figures \$86,500.00.

In line 5 of the printed bill strike out the figures, \$200,000.00 and substitute therefor the figures \$86,500.00.

In line 6 change the figures 31st and 30th.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 203. A Bill for an Act to Empower Foreign Corporations to Exercise the Right of Eminent Domain.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Public Printing made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Public Printing to whom was referred:

Joint Resolution by Senator Bond by request.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

After the word "copies" in line 9 in the original bill insert "250 copies which shall be of the popular edition and 250 copies of the permanent edition."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. C. MILLER,
Chairman.

The committee on Temperance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Temperance to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913 Relating to the selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of Other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Lease Hold Premises Held under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners may Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Providing the Breadth of the Operation in such Injunction by Making it Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include any Place Within the State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Page 2, line 10, after the word "as" cut out all of line 11 up to and including the word "chapter." and place the following: "Hereinafter provided, or where opium, cocaine, morphine, heroin or other narcotics are possessed, except as hereinafter provided."

On page 4, line 80 strike out the period after the word "prescribed" and insert a semi-colon (;) and add the following: "Provided that this section shall not apply to any room, building, cellar or other place or premises where said narcotic drugs are possessed, or possessed for sale, barter or delivery for medical purposes when the owner or keeper, or other person legally in charge and possession of such place or premises shall have registered and paid the special tax as required by the Federal Narcotic Drug Act of the United States. Provided further, that it shall not be necessary to negative any of the aforesaid exemptions in any complaint, information, indictment or proceeding laid or brought under this act, and the burden of the proof of any such exemption shall be upon the defendant.

On page 4 strike out Section 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following "(CUMULATIVE) This Act shall be held by the Courts to be cumulative to other laws already provided and shall repeal only such acts or parts of acts as are clearly in conflict with this act.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN HALCROW,
Chairman.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 99. A Bill For an Act Prescribing the Basis of Assessment of Property for Purposes of Taxation; Repealing Chapter 220, Laws of 1919, and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,
Charman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 247. A Bill for an Act Levying a Tax Upon Admissions; Providing for the Collection, Return, and Payment of the Tax Exempting Certain Classes of Admissions from the Tax Herein Levied; Providing for Credits and Refunds in Certain Cases; Providing Penalties for the Violation of This Act and for the Nonpayment of the Tax; Authorizing the Tax Commissioner to Require Assistance from Certain Officials in the Administration of the Tax; and Authorizing Him to Make Rules and Regulations for the Enforcement of the Provisions of this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 248. A Bill for an Act Imposing a Tax Upon the Sale Within the State of North Dakota, of Tobacco in Boxes or Containers and Upon Cigars for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying Cost of State Government; Providing for the Administration and Collection of the Same.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Apportionment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Apportionment to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 312. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Number of Senators and Representatives which Shall Compose the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota to Define the Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to Prescribe the Number of Senators and Representatives Therein.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

CARL E. JOHNSON,

Chairman.

Mr. Johnson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 315.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be not permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. BLATH,

Chairman.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Forestry State Normal School, at Bottineau, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereof.

House Bill No. 203. A Bill for an Act to Empower Foreign Corporations to Exercise the Right of Eminent Domain.

House Bill No. 107. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Payment of the Expenses to be Incurred by the North Dakota Live Stock Association as Prescribed by Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

House Bill No. 195. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, itaneé Taxes.

House Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 959 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Preparation of Ballots for Constitutional Amendments and Extending the Same to Cover Initiated and Referred Measures.

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Levying of a Tax to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating and Winding up the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

House Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the County Commissioners to Sell Certain Lots or Premises Bid in by the County for Delinquent Taxes Without Giving Notice of the Expiration of Redemption of the

House Bill No. 246. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 241, Session Laws 1919, Designing the State Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, Sealer and Inspector of Weights and Measures; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Providing Penalties and Repealing Sections 2998, 3001 and 3002 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to the Inspection and Sealing of Weights, Fixing Fees, Authorizing the Appointment of Deputy Inspectors and Providing for Their Compensation and Regulating the Use and Sale of Weights and Measures.

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest.

House Bill No. 309. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Act Approved November 2nd, 1920, Relating to the Duty of the State Board of Auditors to examine and audit the accounts, books and vouchers, and ascertain the assets and liabilities of the State Treasurer, Bank of North Dakota, and all other industrial institutions of the State, and make report thereof to the Governor, and make the same public.

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Department, State Highway Department, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amount and condition of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department so Examined and Audited, and Make Report Thereof to the Governor.

House Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Drainage and Irrigation made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Drainage and Irrigation to whom was referred:

Resolution introduced by L. L. Brown. A Concurrent Resolution Asking for the Return of Funds Derived From the Sale of Public Lands in North Dakota and that Such Funds be Expended for the Development of Irrigation and Drainage Projects Within the State of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

Mr. Brown moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Drainage and Irrigation made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Drainage and Irrigation to whom was referred:

Concurrent Resolution introduced by Senators Magnuson and Kaldor.

We recommend that the House do concur in the Senate Resolution.

J. K. OLAFSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Olafson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:
Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out everything after "a Bill" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "For an Act Relating to County

Commissioners' Powers and Duties with Regard to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1. **CONTRACTS LET ONLY ON COMPETITIVE BIDS.** The board shall cause an advertisement for bids for the erection of County buildings for the purchase of fuel, stationery, election ballots and supplies as provided in Article 13, Chapter 17 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, when the amount to be paid for the same during the current year shall exceed \$300.00, to be published for at least thirty days prior to the opening of bids by at least four publications in official newspaper published in the county, and such other newspapers as may seem to them advisable. Such advertisement shall state where the plans and specifications may be examined and the time allowed for the completion of the same, also the time when bids will be opened and passed upon by the board, which may be at regular or duly adjourned session of the board, or at a meeting duly called by the auditor, as provided in Section 3266 of this chapter. Such bid must contain a certified check in a sum equal to five per cent of the amount of the bid, made payable to the chairman of the board of county commissioners, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into contract should it be awarded to him, and furnish a bond as herein provided; and the lowest responsible bid must in all cases be accepted, and the contract for the same shall be so conditioned that not more than seventy per cent of the contract price for the same shall be paid until the contract shall be executed and completed to the satisfaction and acceptance of the board, their architect or authorized superintendent, and payments to the extent of the above mentioned per cent may be made from time to time during the process of construction and divided into such installments as the board may agree upon. In contracts for County buildings the board must further require a bond from the contractor in a sum equal to the contract price, conditioned, the contractor will execute his contract and complete the building according to the plans and specifications and to the full satisfaction of the board, and account for all moneys paid to him and pay all bills and claims on account of labor or materials furnished in and about the performance of said contract, including all demands of subcontractors, and said bond shall stand as security for all such bills, claims and demands. The sureties of such bond shall be as required in Section 4801 (6334) except, however, the board may demand a surety bond, in which case the expense of procuring such bond shall be paid for by the county requiring the same. Contracts for the furnishing of election ballots, election supplies and blank books and supplies generally as provided for herein for all county offices shall be let at the first regular meeting in April in each year to run for a period of one year. All contracts shall be made and set forth in writing and may be signed on behalf of the board by the chairman with the county seal affixed, after such contract has been voted upon and carried by a majority of the board. The board shall, by virtue of this section, be

empowered to engage some competent architect to prepare plans and specifications, details, etc., for county building, and for which services they shall pay a compensation in a sum not to exceed five per cent of the total of the building.

Section 2. REPEAL. All Acts and parts of Acts in so far as they are in conflict with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

House Bill No. 316 was introduced and referred to the committee on Delayed Bills.

Mr. Jackson moved a call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present.

The Speaker declared the call of the House dissolved.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 117 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Nomination and Election of all Elective County Officers, Judges of the Supreme and District Courts, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and County Superintendent of Schools, without requiring a Declaration as to Party Affiliation, and a Separate Ballot for County Officials and Extending the Law so as to Apply to all State Officials and Members of the Legislature; Changing Petition Requirement and Providing for Filling of Vacancies and for Designation of Principles Supported by Candidates for State and Legislative Office.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 55, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geisler	Kopp	Robt
Bollinger	Goranson	Ladkey	Rustad
Byrd	Halcrow	Lasson	Soren
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Hart	McGowan	Starke
Carroll	Heaton	Mohr	Traynor
Cole	Henna	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hedger	O'Alson	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towns	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson	Nelson Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flem	Johnson, Traill	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson	Fedge	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Frederickson	HcManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Swott
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Opfand	Weld
Erickson,	Lackie	Patterson	Yeater
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Bryans: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" on Senate Bill No. 233 for the reason that the people voted by a large majority against just such a bill in October, 1921.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. In addition to the reasons given on page 20 of the Journal of February 17th, I vote "no" for the further reason that this law would repeal the identical sections (904 to 909 and 917 to 919, Compiled Laws for the year 1913, and Chapter 117, Session Laws of 1919) that were attempted to be repealed in the referendum election of October 28, 1921, which the people refused to repeal. Therefore, I vote "no."

Mr. Rabe: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. Having been elected as an independent Republican, and having promised the voters of my territory that I would oppose all radical bills, no matter who may introduce them, and considering this a radical bill and believing that the majority of the people of North Dakota are opposed to this bill; therefore, I vote "no."

Mr. Sathre of Steele: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote on this bill, and I request that my explanation be printed in the Journal of the House. I vote "no" on this bill, because if it is enacted into law, it will destroy the principles of American government. The history of political parties in the United States begins with the Constitutional Convention at Philadelphia in 1787, and from that time until the present day the struggle and rivalry between the two dominant political parties have resulted in the legal enactments and the political reforms of which we, as American citizens, are proud; and the history of our political parties is the history of the progress of democracy in the administration of the affairs of government.

I vote "no" on this bill, because I am loath to sever the relations which still exist between the great parties of the past, the parties of Hamilton and Jefferson, Monroe and Jackson, and the parties of today, the parties of Lincoln, Grant, Garfield, McKinley, Cleveland and Wilson. I vote no on this bill, because the greatest issue that has ever

engrossed the attention of the people of any nation in the world, the question of abolition of human slavery, was settled in a contest between two mighty political parties, and because I believe that no political issue of any magnitude can be settled except through the instrumentalities of political parties. I vote "no," because I do not believe that political parties have as yet outlived their usefulness in preserving and propogating the idea of popular government in the state and in the nation, and because the will of the majority as well as minority can best be expressed through the solidarity of party affiliation. Lastly, I vote no, because I believe it to be the duty of every partisan, be he Republican or Democrat, Prohibitionist or Socialist, to uphold the party traditions and party principles which history has demonstrated to be the best safeguard of a just and impartial administration of our Republican form of government. Mr. Speaker, and members of this Assembly: it will be a sad day when we wipe out party distinction, party rivalry and party loyalty in the State and in the Nation. I vote no.

Mr. Vogel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote no on this bill because I still have some respect for the people, who by their votes have expressed themselves as opposed to measures of this character. I vote no because any bill proposed in this body, fathered by Two-bit Nelson, that required the pressure that this one has required, that required these amendments and required tactics such as we have witnessed here in the lobbies today, must be inimical to the best interests of the people of this state. I vote no because when any measure proposed in this House is so rotten that the majority of this House dare not argue or debate upon its merits, it smells to heaven with its rankness. I vote no because I know that while one or two political bosses in this House and out of this House—— I vote no because I am confident that the people have yet to speak and that they will speak in no uncertain terms, and when they are through speaking they will relegate these so-called Bosses to the political oblivion from whence they came.

Mr. Walker: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded. I wish to vote "no" on Senate Bill No. 233 because it perpetuates factional strife and substitutes government by factions for government by parties—will in fact destroy parties—under which form of government our country has reached the highest degree of efficiency of any nation in the world. I am further opposed to this bill because, if passed, its effect will be to annul the purpose of the direct primary.

Mr. Patterson also explained his vote.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 233 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

A demand for a roll call, on the motion of Mr. Jackson, was granted and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 59, nays 54.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kelly	Rabe
Burleigh	Geisler	Kopp	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Starke
Cole	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Sims
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Steen
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Swett
Burkhardt	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Walker
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weid
Ermer	Kellogg	Opland	Yeater
Erickson	Lakic	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Lerkin	Quam	

So the motion prevailed.

The House reverted to the Sixth Order of Business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 55, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Kopp	Root
Hollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	McDewell	Sproul
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olarson	Twichel
Dougerty	Jackson	Olson, Towne	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flem	Johnson, Traill	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson	Fedge	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Steen
Anduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Twete
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Craig	Hoopel	Morton	Walker
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Elmer	Kellogg	Op'and	Yeater
Erickson	Lakie	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 282 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The House reverted to the Fifth order of business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The House reverted to the Third order of business.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. President: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Forty-sixth Day After Recess and Forty-seventh Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 1 correct spelling of the words "Dakota" and "separate."

On page 2 strike out line 13.

Bottom of page 2, correct the spelling of the word "omission."

Top of page 5, correct spelling of word "general."

Top of page 15, correct spelling of word "revision."

On page 20, between lines 5 and 6 insert the following: "Mr. Vogel moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with."

On page 21 correct the spelling of the word "elections."

On page 28 correct the spelling of the word "referred."

On page 31, under "D. L. Peters, Chairman," strike out the word "minority" and insert in lieu thereof the word "majority."

On page 33, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following: "Which motion was lost."

On page 32 strike out the following: "Mr. Frederickson moved that the majority report be adopted, which motion prevailed and House Bill No. 196 was indefinitely postponed."

On page 33, preceding the report of the Committee on Banks and Banking, insert the following: "Mr. Frederickson moved that the majority report be adopted, which motion prevailed and House Bill No. 196 was indefinitely postponed."

On page 49 correct spelling of word "previous."

Bottom of page 49, Erickson of the "26th Dist." change to "16th Dist."

On page 60, under Senate Bill 190 insert the following: "Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary."

On page 61, line 7, strike out the word "health" and insert in lieu thereof the word "printing."

On page 62 correct the spelling of the word "privileges."

On page 75, under roll call, Hempel is reported as voting Aye and should be Nay.

On page 77 the following line: "Mr. Jackson moved the previous question on House Bill 187" should be inserted between lines 16 and 17.

On page 85 strike out "Senate Bill No. 200."

On page 86 strike out "Senate Bill No. 258."

On page 87, under Senate Bills, insert the following: "Senate Bill No. 241. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2036 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Protesting Negotiable Instruments."

On page 87, under General Orders, insert the following: "Senate Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act to Safeguard the Business of Beekeeping Against Contagious and Infectious Diseases; Defining Apiaries; Providing for State Inspection Under the Direction and Control of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor; Prohibiting the Sale, Barter, Offer of Sale or Barter, Moving, Transportation, Shipping or Offering for Shipping or Transportation, of Any Bees, Brood, Comb or Beekeeping Appliances That Are Infected; Providing for the Proper Certification of Shipments into the State, and the Reporting of Such Shipments by the Purchaser or Importer; Fixing Penalties for Violation."

On page 82 strike out everything pertaining to House Bills Nos. 85, 229, 97 and 241.

On page 90 at bottom of page insert "House Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of 1919 Pertaining to Attorneys' Fees and Sheriffs' Fees in Connection with Foreclosures Conducted by Advertisement."

On page 87 strike out everything pertaining to House Bill No. 164.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The House referred to the Fifth Order of Business.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Members of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and for the Apportionment and Term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; to Provide for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Section 501 of the Revised Code of 1899, Section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905 and Sections 857, 859, 889, 901a, 910, 912, 917, 918, 919 and 971a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and All Other Acts or Parts of Acts that Are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present except Messrs. Hempel and Kellogg.

The Speaker instructed the Sargeant-at-Arms to summon the absent members to the House.

Mr. Jardine moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Members of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and for the Apportionment and Term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; to Provide for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Section 501 of the Revised Code of 1899, Section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905 and Sections 857, 859, 889, 901a, 910, 912, 917, 918, 919 and 971a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and All Other Acts or Parts of Acts that Are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 55, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geisler	Kopp	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Cole	Tenne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Fedje	Link	Sims
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Sweet
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Lackie	Patterson	Yeater
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 285 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

A demand for a roll call, on the motion of Mr. Twichell, was granted, and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 59, nays 52, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kelly	Root
Burleigh	Geiszler	Kopp	Rustad
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Sagen
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Trubshaw
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Cole	Helbling	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Henne	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, owner	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
	Johnson, Traill	Radeliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Lazier	Quam
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Levin	Rabe
Anderson	16th Dist.	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Fransson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Sweet
Cart	Hoople	Miller	Tweten
Craig	Iverson	Morton	Vogel
Doyle	Jones	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Elmer	Lackie	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Larkin	Patterson	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Fedge	Hempel

So the motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. President: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series"; Prescribing the Terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, and to Carry into Effect the Provisions of This Act; and Declaring This Act to be an Emergency Measure.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series"; Prescribing the Terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, and to Carry into Effect the Provisions of This Act; and Declaring This Act to be an Emergency Measure.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 61, nays 52, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Kopp	Root
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Slominski
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Burns	Heaton	Muus	Starke
Carr	Hempel	Norden	Traynor
Cole	Henne	O'afson	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Twitchell
Doucerty	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Rabe	
Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Link	Steen
Anderson,	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Streich
Sargent	Frandsen	McManus	Shurr
Arduser	Fredrickson	Maddock	Swett
Eratsberg	Hardy	Martin	Twetten
Bryans	Raugland	McCay	Vogel

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Helbling	Miller	Walker
Cart	Hoople	Morton	Weisbeck
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
Doyle	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Eckert	Kellogg	Opland	
Elmer	Lakie	Patterson	
Erickson	Larkin	Quam	
26th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause lost.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "Aye" although I feel that this law will be declared unconstitutional. I vote "Aye" for the reason that I would not have my people at home believe I was against any law which would help the farm loan department to expand. I vote "Aye" in order not to hinder the farm loan department in its work. Nevertheless, I feel this law will be declared unconstitutional.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 305 was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 118. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Fourteen Thousand Six Hundred and Eighty-six and 41-100 Dollars (\$14,686.41), or so Much Thereof as May Be Needed for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Expenses of Employees, the Per Diem and Mileage of Witnesses and Expenses for Printing and Supplies, Incurred by the Special Audit Committee Appointed by the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in Considering the Audit of and Investigating the State Bank and State Industries as Authorized and Directed by Said House of Representatives.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 118 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 667 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to County Commissioners Furnishing Bonds.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 118. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Fourteen Thousand Six Hundred and Eighty-six and 41-100 Dollars (\$14,686.41), or so Much Thereof as May Be Needed for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Expenses of Employees, the Per Diem and Mileage of Witnesses and Expenses for Printing and Supplies, Incurred by the Special Audit Committee Appointed by the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in Considering the Audit of and Investigating the State Bank and State Industries as Authorized and Directed by Said House of Representatives.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 59, nays 54, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Geiszler	Kopp	Radcliff
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Sominski
Burns	Heaton	Muus	Sproul
Carr	Henne	Norden	Starke
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Traynor
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Trubshaw
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Twichell
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Quade	Watt
Freeman	Kelly	Rabe	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lakie	Patterson
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	16th Dist.	Levin	Steen
Arduser	Fedge	Link	Struch
Bratsberg	Frandson	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Bryans	Fredrickson	McManus	Swett
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Twetson
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Vogel
Cole	Helbling	McCay	Walker
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Weisbeck
		Morton	

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Hoople	Oberg	Weld
Eckert	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Elmer	Jones	Opland	
	Kellogg		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause lost.

Mr. Burkhart: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and request that it be recorded in the Journal. In the first place, I am against this bill because I believe it is unjust. I think that no attorney has any right to charge as much as four thousand dollars for the services that were rendered in this case. I am also against this bill because in section two it says, "Whereas, the above bills were justly, honestly and rightly incurred by the Special Audit Committee of the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in carrying out and conducting the investigation of the State Bank and State Industries, which the said Committee was authorized and directed to make by said House of Representatives." I was here at that time and I cannot subscribe to that statement. I am satisfied that this is not true. Therefore, I vote "no" on this bill for that reason. It also says here, "Whereas, the acts of said committee, including the contracting of the above items of expense, were in all things unanimously approved by the said House of Representatives." It was not unanimously adopted. Therefore, I vote "no" again for that reason.

Mr. Sims: Mr. Speaker, I think the charges of the attorneys, Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Murphy, included in this bill are too high, unreasonably high. For that reason I vote "no" and ask that my explanation be recorded in the Journal.

Mr. Hempel: I vote "no" for the same reason given by Mr. Miller and for the further reason that we have four attorneys here in the House whom I consider just as good as those other attorneys and they are working for five dollars a day, and I don't think these others are worth a hundred dollars a day. I vote "no" for the further reason that the audit was not legally made in accordance with the law initiated by the people on November 2, 1920, and carried by twenty thousand majority.

Mr. Kellogg: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on this bill on account of those staggering sums in lines 41 and 42 on page 3 of the bill. I feel that the people who were called to Bismarck two years ago should be fully paid, especially those who came in response to subpoena.

The following members also explained their votes: Messrs. Johnson, Lakie, Miller, Orange, Patterson.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 118 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

House Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 667 of the Compiled Laws of North

Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to County Commissioners Furnishing Bonds.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 84, nays 26, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Surieiga	Frandsen	Lackey	Root
Anderson, Sargent	Fredrickson	Lakie	Rustad
Bollinger	Freeman	Larkin	Sagen
Brown	Geisler	Larson	Sims
Bryans	Goranson	Lazier	Slominski
Burk	Halcrow	Levin	Sproul
Burkhardt	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Burns	Hardy	McDowell	Streich
Carr	Harrington	McGauvran	Shurt
Cart	Hart	Miller	Traynor
Cole	Heaton	Morton	Trubshaw
Craig	Hempel	Muus	Tweten
Currie	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Dougherty	Hedges	Otafson	Ulland
Durkee	Hoopel	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ehr	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ellingson	Iverson	Orange	Walker
Fedge	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Weisbeck
	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Weld
	Kelly	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jones	Patterson
Burke-Divld	26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quam
Arduser	Erickson,	Link	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Doy'e	Haugland	Martin	Steen
Eckert	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Oberg	Yeater
		Opland	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Lynch	Maddock

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act Designating the Depositories of Public Funds and Fixing the Minimum Rate of Interest; Requiring Competitive Bids for Such Deposits; Providing for Publicity with Reference to Such Funds and Depositories; Prescribing Penalties for iVolation of This Act; Defining Terms Used Herein, and Repealing Sections 147, 147a, 147b and Sections 370 to 374, Inclusive, Sections 1472 to 1488, Inclusive, Sections 3315 to 3329, Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 50 Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 56 Session Laws of 1921.

Was read the third time.

Mr. Freeman moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present except Mr. Sagen.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 59, nays 53, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Bollinger	Halerow	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Hanson	McDowell	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Burk	Hart	Muus	Starke
Burns	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Cole	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Currie	Jackson	Opland	Ulland
Dougherty	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
Flom	Kelly	Rabe	
Freeman	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Steen
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Streich
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Swett
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Tweten
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Walker
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Weid
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	
Erickson	Lackie	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.
Sagen

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Freeman moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 194 passed be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker declared the Call of the House dissolved.

House Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Twelve Thousand Sixty-five and 15-100 Dollars (\$12,065.15) for the Payment to Bishop Brissman & Co. of the Sum Due them for the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, and for other Services rendered.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 49, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Johnson, Traill	Rabe
Burleigh	Freeman	Kelly	Radeliffe
Bollinger	Geiszler	Kopp	Root
Boyd	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Brown	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Burk	Hanson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Starke
Cole	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Link	Sims
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Steen
Anderson	Fedge	McManus	Streich
Sargent	Frandsen	Maddock	Shurr
Arduser	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Bratsberg	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Bryans	Heibling	Miller	Vogel
Cart	Iverson	Morton	Walker
Craig	Jones	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Eckert	Lackie	Opland	Yeater
Elmer	Larkin	Patterson	
Erickson	Lazier	Quam	
26th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.
Hempel

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause lost.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 124 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Mrs. Craig: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have my remarks on record. I vote "no" on this bill because the Bishop-Brissman Company audit was taken immediately after the audit made by order of the Industrial Commission. I vote "no" because this audit the state is asked to pay for was a personal audit made for the purpose of creating political thunder. I vote "no" because this Legislature has no knowledge as to the status of the so-called Bishop-Brissman audit.

Mr. Martin: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded. I understand that the Bishop-Brissman Company was not licensed to do business in the state of North Dakota when this audit was made, nor do I understand that it is licensed to do business in the state of North Dakota at this time. Therefore, the audit was illegal. I vote "no."

Mr. Hanson: I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "aye" on this measure because I think it was money well spent. I think the audit was badly needed and has saved the people of this state a good deal of money.

Mr. Walker also explained his vote.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 124 was passed, be reconsidered, and the motion to reconsider laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 238. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 23 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 17, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Plath
Anderson, Sargent	Erickson 86th Dist.	Jones	Quade
Arduser	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelllogg	Rabe
Bollinger	Fedge	Kelly	Radcliffe
Boyd	Fredrickson	Kopp	Root
Bratsberg	Freeman	Lackey	Rustad
Brown	Geiszler	Lakie	Sagen
Bryans	Goranson	Larkin	Sathre, Steak
Burk	Halcrow	Larson	Sethre, William
Burkhart	Hanson	Larson	Sims
Burns	Hardy	Levin	Slominski
Carr	Harrington	Link	Sproul
Cart	Hart	Lynch	Starke
Cole	Heaton	McManus	Streich
Craig	Hempel	McCay	Swett
Currie	Henne	McGauvran	Traynor
Doyle	Hodges	Miller	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hoople	Morton	Tweten
Durkee	Iverson	Muus	Twichell
Eckert	Jackson	Norden	Ulland
Ehr	Jardine	Olson	Veitch
	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Walker
		Opland	Watt
		Orange	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Flom	Martin	Quam	Weld
Franson	McDowell	Steen	Yeater
Haugland	Oberg	Shurr	
Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Vogel	
Loudenbeck	Patterson	Weisbeck	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.
Maddock

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401, and 403, Compiled Laws of 1913, Declaring Emergency.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Traveling Expenses and Propagation of Game Departments of the State Game and Fish Board.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Biennium, to the Humane Society for Office Supplies, Printing, Office Phone, and Traveling Expense.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act Appropriating **Money for the Use of War History Commission Between the Following Dates: June 30th, 1923, to July the 1st, 1925.**

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 185 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Support of Needy Women who are the Mothers of and Who are Compelled to Support one or More Children Under Sixteen Years of Age.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 198. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, for the Purpose of Carrying Out, Maintaining General Supervision and Regulation of Grain Grading, Elevator Accounting and Inspection of Elevators, Warehouses and Flour Mills in Handling of all Agricultural Products.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact 7644 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the year 1919, (Regular Session) and Chapter 129 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to Change of Judges in Civil and Criminal Actions in the District Court, for Prejudice or Bias of Judge Thereof; Providing for the

Calling of Another Judge of Another Judicial District, and the Payment of his Expenses, and the Discharge of Jurors Therein, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 229. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Publication of Delinquent Tax List, as Amended by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 242. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1342 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 141 of the Session Laws of 1915 and by Chapter 206 of the Session Laws of 1917, and Section 1345 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Compulsory Attendance and Providing for the Enforcement Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 288. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Upon Reserves of Coal and Minerals, Providing for the Obtaining of Tax Titles to Such Reserves When Taxes Thereon Remain Unpaid and Repealing Section 2119, Section 2120 and Section 2121, Compiled Laws of 1913, and All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 292. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2141 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 35, Special Session Laws of 1919; Providing for the Substitution of the State Auditor and State Tax Commissioner as Members of the State Board of Equalization Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Attorney General; Providing that the Tax Commissioner Shall be Secretary Thereof Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Prescribing the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Equalization in regard to the Equalization and Assessment of Property.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 299. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 62 of the Laws of North Dakota Enacted at the Special Session of 1919, and Declaring that an Emergency Exists, and that This Act Shall Become Effective Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Assessment of the Capital Stock of Banks, Loan and Trust Companies and of Moneyed Capital Entering Into Competition Therewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 302. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Gross Earnings Tax on Certain Freight Line and Car Equipment Companies Owning and Operating or Leasing and Operating Over Railroad Lines Within This State for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of State Government; Repealing Sections 2 to 11 Inclusive, of Chapter 59, Special Session Laws of 1919 and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 316. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7625 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to a Trial Jury in Civil Cases.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 326. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 3711 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and to Provide for Special Assessment Funds, the Issuance and Payments of Warrants.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 336. Concurrent Resolution for an Amendment to Section 182, Article 12 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, as Amended by Article 31 of the Amendments Thereof, Relating to Issuing or Guaranteeing of Bonds by the State and Providing that Such Bonds in Excess of Two Million Dollars Shall Be Secured by First Mortgage on Certain Classes of Property; and Providing for the Submission of This Amendment to the Voters of the State for Rejection or Approval as Provided by Section 202, as Amended, of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 341. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Tax Upon Gasoline, Stored, Shipped, Distributed or Held for Sale Within this State, for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying the Expenses of the State Government; Providing for the Administration of the Same; Repealing Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1919 as Amended by Chapter 64 of the Special Session Laws of 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 350. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1333 and Section 1337 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Common School Districts, and Declaring an Emergency.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 370. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5626 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 378. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7741 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 156 of the Session Laws of 1915 Relating to Partnership Exemptions.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do now recess until 7:30 this evening.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed until 7:30 P. M.

FORTY-NINTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND
FIFTIETH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
Night Session, February 19, 1923.

NIGHT SESSION

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:
House Bills Nos. 282, 285, 305, 118, 240, 194, 124, 238.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Mr. Carr moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 246 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Appropriating for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the School for the Deaf at Devils Lake, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 1, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Rabe
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lakie	Foot
Anderson,	Franson	Larkin	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Geizler	Levin	Sims
Boyd	Goranson	Link	Slominski
Brown	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Starke
Burk	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Burkhart	Harrington	Maddock	Streich
Burns	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Cart	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Cole	Henne	McCauvran	Trubshaw
Craig	Hodges	Miller	Tweten
Doyle	Hoople	Morton	Twichell
Dougherty	Iverson	Muus	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Norden	Veitch
		Oberg	

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ehr	Jardine	Olafson	Vogel
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Yeater
26th Dist.	Jones	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
		Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Hempel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Helbling	Peters	Watt
Currie	Kellogg	Quam	Weisbeck
Elmer	Olson, Townser	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Minimum Wage, Health and Morals of Women Workers, for Salary, Postage, Office Supplies, Printing, Traveling Expenses, Hearings, Conferences, Witness Fees, Legal Fees and Office Rent.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 92, nays 10, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe
Anderson	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sims
Bollinger	Geiszler	LtnK	Slominski
Boyd	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bratsberg	Hanson	McManus	Steen
Brown	Hardy	Martin	Streich
Bryans	Harrington	McCay	Shurr
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Swett
Burkhart	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Burns	Heaton	Morton	Tweten
Carr	Hempel	Muus	Twichell
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Veitch
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Vogel
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Walker
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Peters	
Erickson	Jones	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Goranson	Lynch	Radcliffe	Ulland
Henne	McDowell	Rustad	
Jackson	Orange	Trubshaw	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Maddock	Watt
Cart	Elmer	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Currie	Helbling	Starke	
Doyle	Kellogg		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking Their Ballots.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 62, nays 44, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lackie	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larkin	Rabe
Anderson,	Erickson	Larson	Root
Sargent	26th Dist.	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Fedge	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Hardy	Link	Sims
Bryans	Harrington	Loudenbeck	Starke
Burkhart	Hart	McManus	Steen
Burns	Haugland	Maddock	Streich
Cert	Hempel	Martin	Shurr
Cole	Henne	McCay	Sweet
Craig	Hedges	Miller	Tweten
Doyle	Hoople	Morton	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ehr	Kelly	Opland	Weld
	Kopp	Patterson	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fredrickson	Johnson, Trail	Quade
Burleigh	Freeman	Lackey	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Geisler	Lynch	Rustad
Boyd	Goranson	McDowell	Sagen
Brown	Halerow	McGauvran	Slominski
Burk	Hanson	Muus	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Trynror
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Trubshaw
Ellingson	Jardine	Orange	Twichell
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Frandsen	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
			Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Helbling	Olafson	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Kopp moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 169 passed be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

House Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Levy in Incorporated Villages for the Purpose of Purchasing and Maintaining Adequate Apparatus for the Extinguishment of Fires, and Maintaining a Fire Department.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 89, nays 14, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Quade
Burleigh	20th Dist.	Lackey	Quam
Anderson	Fedge	Lakie	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Root
Anderson,	Franson	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geizler	McManus	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Maddock	Sproul
Bryans	Hanson	Martin	Starke
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Burns	Hart	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	Muus	Trubshaw
Cart	Heaton	Norden	Tweten
Cole	Hempel	Oberg	Twichell
Doyle	Henne	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ehr	Jardine	Opland	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Yeater
16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messr..
Bollinger	Jones	Morton	Steen
Craig	Link	Radcliffe	Swett
Goranson	Loudenbeck	Rustad	
Iverson	Lynch	Slominski	

Absent and not voting

Brown	Elmer	Kellogg	Weisbeck
Currie	Helbling	McGauvran	
Eckert	Jackson	Walker	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Jackson moved that House Bill No. 204 be re-committed to the Committee of the Whole for amendment.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 309. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Act Approved November 2nd, 1920, Relating to the Duty of the State Board of Auditors to Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers, and Ascertain the Assets and Liabilities of the State Treasurer,

Bank of North Dakota, and all Other Industrial Institutions of the State, and Make Report Thereof to the Governor, and Make the Same Public.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 62, nays 48, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlington	Freeman Geiszler	Johnson, Trail. Kelly	Rebo Radcliffe
Bollinger	Goranson	Kopp	Root
Boyd	Halcrow	Lackey	Rustad
Brown	Hanson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Harrington	Lynch	Slominski
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Starke
Cole	Hempel	Muus	Traynor
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Ehr	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Ellingson	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Flom	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Frederickson	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Plath Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Elmer Erickson	Lakie Larkin	Patterson Quam
Anderson, Sargent	16th Dist. Erickson	Lazier Levin	Sims Steen
Arduser	26th Dist. Fedge	Link Loudenbeck	Streich Shurr
Bratsberg	Frandsen	McManus	Swett
Bryans	Hardy	Martin	Tweten
Opland	Haugland	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Helbling	Morton	Walker
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Eckert	Kellogg	Burkhart	

Absent and not voting:

Currie	Maddock	Miller
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So the bill was lost.

At the request of Mr. Jackson the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Jackson moved that House Bill No. 204, which was recently committed to the Committee of the Whole, be now placed upon the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion was lost.

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays 30, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Larson	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Freeman	McManus	Slominski
Arduser	Geizler	Maddock	Sproul
Bollinger	Goranson	McCay	Starke
Boyd	Hanson	McDowell	Sweet
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Burk	Haugland	Muus	Trubshaw
Bryans	Henne	Norden	Tweten
Burns	Hoople	Olafson	Twitcheil
Carr	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Cart	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Cole	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Walker
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Trail.	Peters	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kellogg	Quade	
Erickson,	Kelly	Rabe	
26th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe	
Erickson	Lakre	Rustad	
	Larkin		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fodge	Link	Root
Burleigh	Franson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Martin	Steen
Burk	Harrington	Miller	Streich
Burkhart	Heaton	Morton	Shurr
Craig	Helbling	Oberg	Vogel
Doyle	Hodgea	Patterson	Yeater
Elmer	Iverson	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Hardy	Hempel	Lackey
Eckert			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 73, nays 33, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Durkee	McCay	Starke
Burleigh	Harrington	McDowell	Traynor
Boyd	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Brown	Heaton	Miller	Tweten
Bryans	Henne	Maus	Twichell
Burk	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Burkhart	Hoople	Olafson	Veitch
Burns	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Carr	Jackson	Orange	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Jardine	Peters	
Craig	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
Cole	Johnson, Pembina	Sproul	

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Weld
Ellingson	Kelly	Quam	Yeater
Flom	Kopp	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
Fredrickson	Lackey	Radcliffe	
Freeman	Lakie	Root	
Geiszler	Larson	Rustad	
Halcrow	Lynch	Sagen	
Hanson	McManus	Sathre, Steele	
Hardy	Maddock	Slominski	

Those voting in the negative were :

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Opland
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Patterson
Anderson,	Ellingson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Arduser	Fedge	Link	Steen
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Streich
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Doyle	Helbling	Morton	Swett
Elmer	Hempel	Oberg	
		Olson, Ransom	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Eckert	Kellogg	Walker
Currie	Goranson	Vogel	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 107. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Payment of the Expenses to be Incurred by the North Dakota Live Stock Association as Prescribed by Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 106, nays 3, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sims
Bollinger	Geiszler	Link	Slominski
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lynch	Starke
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Hart	McCay	Swett
Burns	Haugland	McDowell	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Cole	Henne	Morton	Twichell
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Ulland
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Veitch
Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Durkee	Jackson	Olafson	Walker
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Traill.	Patterson	
Erickson	Jones	Peters	
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Plath	
	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Weisbeck	Weld

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Olson, Towner	Quam	Sathre, Steele

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Forestry State Normal School, at Bottineau, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 85, nays 21, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Ellingson Erickson	Kelly Kopp Lackey	Quade Rabe Root
Anderson, Burke-Divide	26th Dist. Erickson	Lakie Larson	Kustad Sathre, Steele
Anderson Sargent	16th Dist. Fedge	Larson Lazier	Sethre, Williams Sims
Arduser Bollinger	Frandsen Fredrickson	Levin Loudenbeck	Slominski Starke
Boyd Bratsberg	Freeman Geisler	McManus Martin	Steen Streich
Brown Bryans	Halcrow Hanson	McCay McDowell	Shurr Swett
Burk Burkhart	Hardy Harrington	McGauvran Miller	Traynor Trubshaw
Burns Carr	Hart Haugland	Morton Muus	Tweten Ulland
Carr Cole	Heaton Hodges	Muus Olafson	Twichell Ulland
Doyle Dougherty	Hoople Jardine	Olafson Olson, Ransom	Watt Mr. Speaker
Durkee Eckert	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Traill	Olson, Towner Opland	
Ehr	Kellogg	Patterson Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Elmer Flom	Iverson Jackson	Norden Orange	Sproul Veitch
Goranson Helbling	Johnson, Pembina Jones	Peters Radcliffe	Walker Weisbeck
Henne	Lynch	Sagen	Weld Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig Currie	Hempel Link	Maddock Quam	Vogel

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93, Session Laws

of 1921, Relating to the Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 74, nays 31, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Freeman	Larkin	Root
Brown	Geiszler	Larson	Sagen
Bryans	Goranson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Halcrow	Link	Slominski
Burkhart	Hanson	McManus	Sproul
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Steen
Cole	Haugland	Miller	Sweet
Craig	Heaton	Morton	Traynor
Dougherty	Helbling	Muus	Twichell
Ehr	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Ellingson	Hodges	Olafson	Veitch
Elmer	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Erickson	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Weld
26th Dist.	Jackson	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	
16th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Peters	
Frandsen	Kelly	Plath	
		Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Cart	Lynch	Streich
Burke-Divide	Doyie	Martin	Shurr
Anderson	Fedge	McCay	Tweten
Sargent	Hardy	Oberg	Vogel
Arduser	Kellogg	Quam	Walker
Bollinger	Lackey	Rabe	Weisbeck
Boyd	Lackie	Rustad	Yeater
Bratsberg	Lazier	Sathre, Steele	
	Loudenbeck	Sims	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Eckert	Jardine	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hempel	Maddock	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause was lost.

Mr. Vogel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and request that it be recorded in the Journal. In view of the fact that the newspaper men of this state introduced bills in this House reducing, of their volition, the fees for public printing—and those bills were killed—and in view of the fact that there are a great many weekly papers in this state struggling for existence, I vote "no" on this bill.

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Department, and Workmen's

Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amounts and Conditions of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department So Examined and Audited and Make Report Thereof to the Governor.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 80, nays 28, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Flom	Jones	Quade
Anderson	Frandsen	Kellogg	Rabe
Sargent	Fredrickson	Kelly	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Freeman	Kopp	Roof
Boyd	Geiszler	Lackey	Rustad
Brown	Goranson	Larson	Sagen
Burk	Halcrow	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Burkhart	Hanson	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Burns	Harrington	McManus	Slominski
Carr	Hart	McCay	Sproul
Cart	Haugland	McDowell	Starks
Cole	Heaton	McGauvran	Shurr
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Swett
Doyle	Henne	Muus	Traynor
Dougherty	Hodges	Norden	Trubahaw
Ehr	Hoople	Oafson	Twichell
Ellingson	Iverson	O'son, Towner	Ulland
Erickson	Jackson	Opland	Veitch
16th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weld
	Jonsson, Trail	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Link	Sims
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Steen
Arduser	Fedge	Martin	Streich
Bratsberg	Hardy	Morton	Vogel
Bryans	Helbling	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Lakie	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Elmer	Larkin	Patterson	Yeater
	Lazier	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Jardine	Maddock	Tweten
Durkee			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 91, nays 8, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Kopp	Peters
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lackey	Plath
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larkin	Quade
Sargent	Freeman	Larson	Quam
	Geiszler	Lazier	Rabe
		Levin	Radcliffe

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Goranson	Link	Root
Bollinger	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Rustad
Bratsberg	Harrington	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Hart	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Slominski
Burk	Heaton	McCay	Sproul
Burkhart	Heibling	McDowell	Starke
Burns	Hempel	McGauvran	Steen
Carr	Hodges	Miller	Streich
Cart	Hoopie	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Iverson	Norden	Veitch
Craig	Jackson	Oberg	Walker
Doyle	Jardine	Olafson	Watt
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Weld
Heaton	Jones	Opland	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Kelly	Patterson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ellingson	Hanson	Johnson, Trail	Tweten
Flom	Henne	Swett	Ulland

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Hardy	Sagen	Twichell
Currie	Lakle	Sims	Vogel
Ehr	Maddock	Shurr	
Fedge	Muus	Traynor	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Emergency clause carried.

House Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act to authorize the County Commissioners to Sell Certain Lots or Premises Bid in by the County for Delinquent Taxes Without Giving Notice of the Expiration of Redemption.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays 1, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Kopp	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Lackey	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lakie	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Freeman	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Geisler	Link	Sims
Bollinger	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Sproul
Bratsberg	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Brown	Hardy	Martin	Steen
Bryans	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Burkhart	Haugland	Miller	Swett
Burns	Heaton	Morton	Trubshaw
Carr	Heibling	Muus	Tweten
Cart	Hempel	Norden	Twichell
Cole	Henne	Oberg	Ulland
Craig	Hodges	Olafson	Veitch
Doyle	Hoopie	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Durkee	Jackson	Opland	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Weisbeck
	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Weld

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
26th Dist.	Jones	Quam	
Erickson	Kellogg	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Kelly	Radeliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Lazier			
Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Levin	Patterson	Yeater
Eckert	Maddock	Traynor	
Elmer	McGauvran		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 19, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 233 and the President has appointed Senators Carey, Steel and Stevens to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Jackson Lynch and Twichell to serve with the Senate Conference committee.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 19, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$1,042,965.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Equipment, etc., of the State University at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Assessment of Telephone Property, Providing for a Tax on Gross Earnings of Telephone Companies in Lieu of the General Property Tax on the Property of Such Companies Used Exclusively in Connection with the Operation of their Telephone Business, and in Lieu of the Tax Upon the Shares of Stock of Such Companies; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Relating to School Finances; Providing that Each School Board or Board of Education of Any School District Shall Annually Prepare a Budget of Proposed Expenditures; Providing for Pub-

lication of Such Budget and of the Proposed Levy; Providing for a Public Hearing in Regard to the Proposed Expenditures and Levy; Fixing a Date for Levy; Providing that All Expenditures Must Conform to the Budget as Adopted, and that All Unappropriated Balances in Any Fund at the End of the Fiscal Year Shall Become a Part of the General Fund; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent With the Provisions of This Act.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 280. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7643 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 133, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Directed Verdicts.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act Amending and Repealing Chapter 153, Laws of 1909, the Same Being Sections 1404 to 1414 Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, Regulating the Employment of Child Labor and to Provide for the Enforcement Thereof, and to Prescribe Penalties for Violations of the Act.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 126 of the Laws of 1917, as Amended by Chapter 110 of the Laws of 1919 and as Further Amended by Chapter 21 of the Laws of 1921.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State with Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for the Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court with Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation Proceedings, and Requesting It to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner, Fixing His Compensation, and Defining His Powers and Authority, and Providing for the Appointment of Receivers of Insolvent Banks, and Making an Appropriation to Meet the Expenses Incident to Carrying Out the Purpose of the Act.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$117,238.00 as an Offset for Federal Aid in Extension Division Work of the Agricultural College.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 335. A Bill for an Act to Create the Office of State Food Commissioner and Chemist; Providing for His Appointment, Term of Office, Removal and Salary; Defining His Powers and Duties; Defining the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Administration Relating Thereto; Creating a State Regulatory Fund and

Providing for Payments Therefrom and Repealing Acts Parts of Acts in Conflict with this Act and Especially Repealing Sections Two and Five of Chapter Two Hundred of the Session Laws of 1915.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 373. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Fraud and Deception in the Manufacture and Sale of Beverages; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act and to Provide Penalties for Violations Thereof and to Repeal Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:

House Bills Nos. 84, 94, 169, 180, 205, 306, 107, 83, 311, 310.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 195. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to Interest to be Charged Upon Delinquent Inheritance Taxes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 62, nays 43, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hanson	Lackey	Sagen
Burleigh	Hardy	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Harrington	McManus	Sims
Brown	Hart	McDowell	Slominski
Burk	Heaton	Miller	Sproul
Burns	Hempel	Muns	Starke
Carr	Henne	Norden	Steen
Dougherty	Hodges	Olafson	Swett
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Traynor
Ehr	Jackson	Orange	Trubshaw
Ellingson	Jardine	Peters	Twetten
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Veitch
Freeman	Johnson, Pembina	Currie	Watt
Geiszler	Johnson, Traill	Quam	Weid
Goranson	Kelly	Radcliffe	Mr. Speaker
Halerow	Kopp	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Jones	Opland
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Lackie	Rabe
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Erickson	Lazler	Sethre, Williams
		Link	Streich

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Bratsberg	Fedge	Lynch	Twichell
Bryans	Frandsen	Martin	Ulland
Burkhart	Fredrickson	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Haugland	Morton	Walker
Craig	Helbling	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Eckert			
Erickson,			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Currie	Levin	McGauvran
Cole	Kellogg	Maddock	Patterson

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Twichell: Mr. Speaker, I desire to vote no and at this time serve notice of a motion for reconsideration of the vote.

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Levying of a Tax to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating and Winding up the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 45, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fredrickson	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Freeman	Kopp	Root
Bollinger	Geiszler	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Sagen
Brown	Halcrow	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Hanson	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Harrington	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Link	Shurr
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Swett
Anderson,	Fedge	McManus	Tweten
Sargent	Frandsen	Martin	Vogel
Arduser	Hardy	McCay	Walker
Bratsberg	Haugland	Miller	Weisbeck
Bryans	Helbling	Morton	Weld
Burkhart	Hoople	Oberg	Yeater
Cart	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	
Craig	Jones	Onland	
Doyle	Lackie	Quam	
Erickson	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	
26th Dist.	Lazier	Sims	
	Levin	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Hempel	Maddock	Srominski
Eckert	Kellogg	Patterson	Steen
Hart	Lackey	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:

House Bills Nos. 278, 224, 195, 212.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Watt moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Watt to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8067 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosure of Mortgages by Agent or Attorney, and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgments in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Section 2, line 1 of the printed bill, strike out "January 1st, 1923" and in lieu thereof insert the words "the passage and approval of this act."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Amend the title by inserting in line 1 thereof, after the word "repeal" the words "Sections 70A, 70B, 70C and 70D of."

Amend the body of the bill by inserting in the first line thereof the word "Repeal.)" and before the word "Chapter" the words and figures "Sections 70A, 70B, 70C and 70D of."

In the second line of the body of the bill strike out the word "is" and insert in lieu thereof the word "are."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 105. An Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 3 strike out the figures "\$94,220.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$78,220.00."

In line 40 strike out the figures "\$36,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,000.00."

In line 42 strike out the figures "\$40,900.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$24,900.00."

In line 44 strike out the figures "\$94,220.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$78,220.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota Relating to Board of Administration.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line one of the title, after the word "Repeal" add the following: Section "eleven."

Also in line one after the word "that" insert the following: "Section eleven of."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act for an Appropriation to the Board of Auditors as Provided for in Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Law Approved November 2nd, 1920.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 2 of Section 1 strike out the figures "\$30,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$15,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Grand Forks for the Years 1923 and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten."

In line two of the title strike out the following: "and 1924" also the letter "s" on the word "years" in the same line.

In line 3 strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line 5 strike out the letter "s" on the end of the word "years" and also strike out in the same line "and 1924."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Fargo for the Year 1923, and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the words "Five Thousand Dollars" and insert in lieu thereof "\$10,000.00."

In line 2 strike out the figures "1923 and."

In line 3 strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line 5 strike out the letter "s" on "years" and also the figures "1923 and."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$5,000.00 to the Missouri Slope Agricultural and Fair Association at Mandan for the Fairs to be Held in the Years 1923

and 1924, as Authorized by Sections 1860 to 1866. Both Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line 2 strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line 4 strike out the figures "\$2,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,000.00."

In line 5 strike out the figures "\$2,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 3 strike out the words "Three Hundred Thirty-two Thousand Ninety Dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$290,710.00."

In line nine strike out the figures "\$35,760.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$38,200.00."

In line fifteen strike out the figures "\$16,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,000.00."

In line 18 strike out the figures "\$1,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,500.00."

In line 21 strike out the figures "\$8,720.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line 24 strike out the figures "\$135,280.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$140,680.00."

In line 32 strike out the figures "\$12,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,000.00."

In line 37 strike out the figures "\$48,700.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$41,200.00."

In line 39 strike out the words "Boys Cottage—Older Boys—" and also the figures "\$30,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof "Boys Cottages, \$60,000.00."

Strike out all of lines 40, 41 and 42.

In line 44 insert the following: "Purchase of land, \$19,200.00."

In line 45 strike out the figures "\$123,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$82,200.00."

In line 57 strike out the figures "\$5,150.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,350.00."

In line 62 strike out the figures "\$6,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,700.00."

In line 64 strike out the figures "\$332,090.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$290,710.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re enact Chapter 6, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Special Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 84 Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, and Supervising the Licensing and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxicab or Auto Liveries, Places Where Soft Drinks are Retailled or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls, Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes; Providing Fees Therefor, Inspectors, Office Help and Supplies Thereof; Defining Powers and Duties and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 3, Section 4, page 1 of the printed bill, insert the words "and investigators" after the word "inspectors." In the same line, strike out the word "one" and insert the letter "a." In the same line after the word "clerk," strike out the words "the latter to" and insert the words "who shall."

In Section 1, page 2, line 11, strike out the figures "\$3,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2400.00." After the word "inspector" insert the words "and investigator."

In line 12, same section, same page, strike out the figures "\$2400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,000.00."

In line 13, same section, same page, strike out the sentence beginning with the word "one" and strike out the balance of the same sentence in line 14.

In line 19, same section, same page, after the word "inspectors" insert "and investigators and each such inspector and investigator." Strike out all of said line 19 after the word "inspectors."

Beginning in line 26, same section, same page, with the words "The State" strike out everything down to the end of line 30.

In Section 2, page 3 of the printed bill, in line 15, after the word "cities" insert "and villages."

In line 16, same page, same section, strike out the words "one-half" and insert "70%."

In line 17, same page, same section, after the word "city" insert the word "or village."

In line 20, same page, same section, and at the end of the line, insert "and villages."

In Section 8a, page 4, of the printed bill, in line 2, after the word "inspector" strike out the comma and insert the word "and."

Also on page 4, printed bill, after Section 8 insert the following: "Provided, further, that it shall be the duty of the sheriff in any county in which any public bowery or public barn dance or other public dance, is held outside of a city or village, where the dance is so held for profit or a charge for dancing is made, to police such dance so that law and order is there maintained; and the person or persons conducting any such dance are hereby required before any such dance shall be held, to pay to such sheriff the expense of any deputy sheriff or special officer required to the proper policing of such dance. The holding of such dance without the giving of notice to the sheriff of the county and the making of such provision for the policing thereof is hereby declared to be misdemeanor."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the Chair.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The courtesy of the floor were extended to the following visitors: Eno Gardner, Oakes, N. D.; Ned Lounsbury, Wahpeton, N. D.; Roy Bast, Oakes, N. D.; W. H. Shure, Fargo, N. D.; Chas. H. Roth, Mandan, N. D.; Mrs. W. R. Bond, Minot, N. D.; Atty. C. B. Bach, Minot, N. D.

Mr. Freeman moved that the House do now recess until 10:00 A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

AFTER RECESS

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 20, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Starke moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Starke to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 215. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1921, Relating to Enforcement of Payment of Premiums to the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 38, page 2 of the printed bill, strike out the numeral "10" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "5."

In line 39, after the word "or" insert the word "major."

In line 40, page 3, strike out the numeral "10" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "5."

In line 41, strike out "\$50.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$25.00."

In line 41a, strike out "\$50.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$25.00."

In line 42, after the word "or" insert the word "major."

In line 43 strike out the numeral "10" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one."

In line 43a, after the word "or" insert the word "major."

In line 49 change comma after the word "general" to a period. Strike out balance of line 49 and all of lines 50 and 51.

Between lines 49 and 52 insert the following: "If upon final hearing of said cause it is found and determined that the defendant is an employer within the meaning of this act, the court shall render judgment against said defendant for the amount of said premium, with interest and

penalties from the date of the determination of said amount by the Bureau, together with costs, which judgment shall be paid into the Workmen's Compensation Fund. The payment of such judgment shall entitle such employer and employees to the benefit of the act from the date said notice is issued by this Bureau notifying such employer of the amount of premium due. If the judgment cannot be paid in full, the Bureau shall determine the date upon which said employees' right to participate in the fund shall cease."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 222. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Supervision and Regulation of the Transportation of Persons and Property for Compensation Over any Public Highway by Motor Propelled Vehicles; Defining Transportation Companies; Providing for Supervision and Regulation Thereof by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of North Dakota; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of this Act and for the Punishment of the Violations Thereof.

And recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On page 3, line 11, change Section 2 to read Section 3.

On page 3, line 14, after the word "fix" strike out the words "alter and amend"; also the comma after the word "fix."

On page 3, line 16, after the word "company" and before the semi-colon, insert the words "and to alter rates, rules and regulations."

On page 3, line 17, after the word "service," insert a comma and follow with the words "rate of speed of such auto transportation."

On page 4, section 4, line 9, before the comma following the word "faith," insert the words "and in a manner deemed by the Commission adequate as to service, rates and the protection of the public."

On page 5, line 16, strike out the comma after the word "act" and the remainder of the line; also strike out all of lines 17 and 18 and 19, to and including the word "hearing," and the comma after the word "hearing."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of 1919 Per-

taining to Attorneys' Fees and Sheriffs' Fees in Connection with Foreclosures Conducted by Advertisement.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out everything after the words "A bill" and insert in lieu thereof "For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Fixing Attorney Fees and Costs on the Foreclosure of Liens and Mortgages. Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota: The foreclosure of any liens or mortgage shall be by advertisement, and the attorney's fees shall not exceed 10% of the principal sum actually due and shall in no case exceed \$50.00, and the sheriff's fees shall not exceed \$3.00; provided that in case where it becomes necessary to foreclose by action the attorney fees shall be the same as hereinabove stated. (Repeal.) All Acts and parts of Acts in so far as they are in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the **Sum of \$200,000.00**, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River, Between Williams County, North Dakota and McKenzie County, North Dakota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In the title strike out the figures "\$200,000.00" and substitute therefor the figures "\$86,500.00."

In line 5 of the printed bill strike out the figures "\$200,000.00" and substitute therefor the figures "\$86,500.00."

In line 6 change the figures 31st to 30th.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913 Relating to the Selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of Other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Leasehold Premises Held Under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners May Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Pro-

viding the Breadth of the Operation in Such Injunction by Making It Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include Any Place Within the State.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Page 2, line 10, after the word "as" place the following: "hereinafter provided, or where opium, cocaine, morphine, heroin or other narcotics are possesses, except as hereinafter provided."

On page 4, line 80, strike out the period after the word "prescribed" and insert a semi-colon and add the following: "Provided, that this section shall not apply to any room, building, cellar or other place or premises where said narcotic drugs are possessed, or possessed for sale, barter or delivery for medical purposes when the owner or keeper, or other person legally in charge and possession of such place or premises shall have registered and paid the special tax as required by the Federal Narcotic Drug Act of the United States. Provided, further, that it shall not be necessary to negative any of the aforesaid exemptions in any complaint, information, indictment or proceeding laid or brought under this act, and the burden of the proof of any such exemption shall be upon the defendant."

On page 4, strike out Section 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "(Cumulative) This Act shall be held by the courts to be cumulative to other laws already provided and shall repeal only such acts or parts of acts as are clearly in conflict with this act."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out everything after "A Bill" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"For an Act Relating to County Commissioners' Powers and Duties with Regard to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

"Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

"Section 1. CONTRACTS LET ONLY ON COMPETITIVE BIDS. The board shall cause an advertisement for

bids for the erection of county buildings, for the purchase of fuel, stationery, election ballots and supplies as provided in Article 13, Chapter 17 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, when the amount to be paid for the same during the current year shall exceed \$300.00, to be published for at least thirty days prior to the opening of bids by at least four publications in official newspaper published in the county, and such other newspapers as may seem to them advisable. Such advertisement shall state where the plans and specifications may be examined and the time allowed for the completion of the same, also the time when bids will be opened and passed upon by the board, which may be at regular or duly adjourned session of the board, or at a meeting duly called by the auditor, as provided in Section 3266 of this chapter. Such bid must contain a certified check in a sum equal to five per cent of the amount of the bid, made payable to the chairman of the board of county commissioners, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into contract should it be awarded to him, and furnish a bond as herein provided; and the lowest responsible bid must in all cases be accepted, and the contract for the same shall be so conditioned that not more than seventy per cent of the contract price for the same shall be paid until the contract shall be executed and completed to the satisfaction and acceptance of the board, their architect or authorized superintendent, and payments to the extent of the above mentioned per cent may be made from time to time during the process of construction and divided into such installments as the board may agree upon. In contracts for county buildings the board must further require a bond from the contractor in a sum equal to the contract price, conditioned, the contractor will execute his contract and complete the building according to the plans and specifications and to the full satisfaction of the board, and account for all monies paid to him and pay all bills and claims on account of labor or materials furnished in and about the performance of said contract, including all demands of subcontractors, and said bond shall stand as security for all such bills, claims and demands. The sureties of such bond shall be as required in Section 4801 (6834), except, however, the board may demand a surety bond, in which case the expense of procuring such bond shall be paid for by the county requiring the same. Contracts for the furnishing of election ballots, election supplies and blank books and supplies generally as provided for herein for all county offices shall be let at the first regular meeting in April in each year to run for a period of one year. All contracts shall be made and set forth in writing and may be signed on behalf of the board by the chairman with the county seal affixed, after such contract has been voted upon and carried by a majority of the board. The board shall, by virtue of this section, be empowered to engage some competent architect to prepare plans and specifications, details, etc., for county building, and for which services they shall pay a compensation in a sum not to exceed five per cent of the total of the building.

"Section 2. REPEAL. All Acts and parts of Acts in so far as they are in conflict with the provisions of this Act, are hereby repealed."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 959 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Preparation of Ballots for Constitutional Amendments and Extending the Same to Cover Initiated and Referred Measures.

And recommend the adoption of the report.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the Chair.

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

At the request of Mr. Hoople the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Heaton moved that the vote by which the report of the Committee of the Whole, recommending House Bill No. 246 for indefinite postponement, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hoople moved that House Bill No. 246 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

The House referred to the Eleventh Order of Business.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. President: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 70A, 70B, 70D of Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. President: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Grand Forks for the Years 1923 and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Also,

House Bill No. 105. An Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Fargo for the Year 1923, and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Also,

House Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$5,000.00 to the Missouri Slope Agricultural and Fair Association at Mandan for the Fairs to be Held in the Years 1923 and 1924, as Authorized by Sections 1860 to 1866. Both Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 6, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Special Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 84 Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, and Supervising the Licensing and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxicab or Auto Liveries, Places Where Soft Drinks are Retailled or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls, Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes; Providing Fees Therefor, Inspectors, Office Help and Supplies Thereof; Defining Powers and Duties and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Examination and Certification of Dental Hygienists and

Regulating the Practice of Dental Hygiene.

Also,

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 11 of Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota, Relating to Board of Administration.

Also,

House Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosure of Mortgages by Agent or Attorney, and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgments in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

Also,

House Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$100,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River of the North, Between the City of Fargo, Cass County, North Dakota, and the City of Moorhead, Clay County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1919.

Also,

House Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North Dakota under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919 and that such and that such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Fund .

Also,

House Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) for the Retirement of Part of the Bonds Issued Against the Present Bridge Across the Red River of the North from a Point in the County of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a Point in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota at Oslo, and That Such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Funds.

Also,

House Bill No. 254. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2696 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Also,

House Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1624 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Enforcement, Beverage and Sanitary Laws.

Also,

House Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2671 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Cruelty to Animals.

Also,

House Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Board of Pardons.

Also,

House Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 335 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Expenses, Sale of Land.

Also,

House Bill No. 270. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 17 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Artesian Waters, and to Repeal Section 9 of Said Chapter.

Also,

House Bill No. 312. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Number of Senators and Representatives Which Shall Compose the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, to Define the Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to Prescribe the Number of Senators and Representatives Therein.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Board of Pardons. Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays none, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackey	Plath
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackie	Quade
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Quam
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Larson	Rabe
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lazler	Root
Sargent	Freeman	Levin	Sagen
Arduser	Geiszler	Link	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Hanson	Lynch	Sims
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Slominski
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Sproul
Burk	Hart	Martin	Steen

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhardt	Haugland	McCay	Streich
Burns	Heaton	McDowell	Swett
Carr	Helbling	McGauvran	Traynor
Cart	Henne	Miller	Trubshaw
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Tweten
Currie	Iverson	Muus	Twichell
Doyle	Jackson	Norden	Ulland
Dougherty	Jardine	Oberg	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Vogel
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Trail.	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ellingson	Jones	Opland	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Orange	Weld
Erickson	Kelly	Patterson	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kopp	Peters	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Halerow	Radcliffe	Shurr
Cole	Hempel	Rustad	
Flom	Hodges	Starke	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 254. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2696 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 102, nays none, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Larkin	Root
Anderson Burke-Divide	Fedge	Larson	Sagen
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Franson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Link	Sims
Brown	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bryans	Geiszler	Lynch	Sproul
Burk	Goranson	McManus	Steen
Burkhardt	Hanson	Maddock	Streich
Burns	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Carr	Harrington	McDowell	Swett
Cart	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Cole	Haugland	Miller	Trubshaw
Craig	Helbling	Morton	Tweten
Currie	Hempel	Muus	Twichell
Doyle	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Johnson, Trail.	Patterson	Yeater
	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Kellogg	Plath	
	Kelly	Quade	
	Kopp	Quam	
		Rabe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Heaton	Lackie	Rustad
Boyd	Hodges	Martin	Starke
Halerow	Lackey	Radcliffe	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2671 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Cruelty to Animals.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 1, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Iarson	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Lazier	Sagen
Anderson,	Frandsen	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Link	Sathre, Williams
Anderson,	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sims
Sargent	Geiszler	Lynch	Slominski
	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Arduser	Hanson	Maddock	Steen
Boyd	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Bratsberg	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Brows	Hart	McGauvran	Swett
Bryans	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Burk	Helbling	Morton	Trubshaw
Burns	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Carr	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Cart	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Craig	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Doyle	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Walker
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Yeater
Ellingson	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Kellogg	Plath	
Erickson,	Kelly	Quade	
26th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	
Erickson,	Lakie	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Larkin	Radeliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.

Hempel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.

Bollinger
Burkhart
Cole

Messrs.

Durkee
Halcrow
Heaton

Messrs.

Lackey
Martin
Rustad

Messrs.

Starke
Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1624 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Enforcement, Beverage and Sanitary Laws.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 106, nays 2, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lackie	Quam
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Rabe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Root
Anderson	Freeman	Levin	Sagen
Sargent	Geiszler	Link	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sims
Bratsberg	Hardy	McManus	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	Maddock	Sproul
Bryans	Hart	Martin	Starke
Burk	Haugland	McCay	Steen
Burns	Helbling	McDowell	Streich
Carr	Hempel	McGauvran	Shurr
Cart	Henne	Miller	Swett
Cole	Hodges	Morton	Traynor
Craig	Hoople	Muus	Trubshaw
Currie	Iverson	Norden	Tweten
Doyle	Jackson	Oberg	Twichell
Dougherty	Jardine	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Walker
Ellingson	Jones	Patterson	Watt
Elmer	Kellogg	Peters	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kelly	Plath	Weid
16th Dist.	Kopp	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Lackey		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Yeater
26th Dist.	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Halcrow	Heaton	Rustad
Burkhart			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 335 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Expenses, Sale of Land.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays none, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Flom	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Frandsen	Link	Sims
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Anderson,	Freeman	Lynch	Sproul
Sargent	Geiszler	McManus	Starke
Arduser	Goranson	Maddock	Steen
Boyd	Hanson	Martin	Streich
Bratsberg	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Swett
Bryans	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Burk	Haugland	Miller	Trubshaw
Burns	Helbling	Morton	Tweten
Carr	Hempel	Muus	Twichell
Cart	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Cole	Hodges	Oberg	Veitch
Craig	Hoople	Olafson	Vogel
	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Doyle	Jardine	Opland	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Yeater
Eckert	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jones	Plath	
Ellingson	Kelly	Quade	
Elmer	Kopp	Quam	
Erickson,	Lackey	Rabe	
26th Dist.	Lakie	Radcliffe	
Erickson	Larkin	Root	
16th Dist.	Larson	Sagen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Halcrow	Kellogg	Rustad
Burkhart	Heaton		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 270. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 17 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Artesian Waters, and to Repeal Section 9 of Said Chapter.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 51, nays 58, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Sims
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Lynch	Slominski
Bollinger	Geiszler	McDowell	Sproul
Boyd	Hanson	McGauvran	Shurr
Brown	Harrington	Muus	Sweet
Burns	Hart	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Heaton	Olson, Ransom	Tweten
Craig	Henne	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Orange	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Peters	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Quade	Watt
Ehr	Kelly	Root	Weld
Ellingson	Lackey	Sathre, Steele	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Patterson
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Kellogg	Plath
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Quam
Sargent	Franson	Lakie	Rabe
Arduser	Geiszler	Larkin	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Halcrow	Levin	Starke
Burk	Hardy	Link	Steen
Burkhart	Haugland	Loudenbeck	Streich
Cart	Helbling	McManus	Traynor
Cole	Hempel	Maddock	Vogel
Doyle	Jackson	Martin	Walker
Eckert	Jardine	McCay	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Morton	Yeater
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Oberg	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Opland	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Miller	Olafson	Rustad	Sagen

So the bill was lost.

House Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) for the Retirement of Part of the Bonds Issued Against the Present Bridge Across the Red River of the North from a Point in the County of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a Point in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota at Oslo, and That Such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Funds.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 84, nays 11, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Eimer	Kellogg	Quam
Burleigh	Erickson	Lackey	Rabe
Anderson	16th Dist.	Lakie	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Larson	Root
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Halerow	McManus	Sims
Bratsberg	Hanson	Radcliffe	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Haugland	Morton	Streich
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Shurr
Cart	Hodges	Norden	Swett
Gole	Hoople	Olafson	Twichell
Craig	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Boyle	Jardne	Opland	Vogel
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weid
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jones	Plath	
		Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Trubshaw
Erickson	Heibling	Martin	Twetten
26th Dist.	Henne	McCay	Weisbeck
Geiszler	Kelly	Oberg	Yeater
Goranson	Link	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Frandsen	Lynch	Traynor
Burkhart	Hempel	Miller	Walker
Burkee	Kopp	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

House Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North

Dakota under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919 and that such and that such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Fund.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 69, nays 32, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Patterson
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quam
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackey	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lakie	Radeliffe
Bollinger	Fedge	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Fredrickson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Erataberg	Freeman	Lazier	Sims
Brown	Halerow	Levin	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	Link	Starke
Burns	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Streich
Cart	Harrington	Martin	Sweet
Craig	Haugland	McCoy	Tweten
Currie	Heaton	Miller	Twichell
Doyle	Hoople	Muus	Vogel
Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Jardine	Olafson	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hart	McDowell	Sproul
Sargent	Helbling	Norden	Steen
Arduser	Henne	Olson, Towner	Shurr
Carr	Hodges	Peters	Traynor
Cole	Jackson	Plath	Trubshaw
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Quade	Ulland
Geisler	Kelly	Root	Veitch
Goranson	McManus	Sagen	Weisbeck
			Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Elmer	Kopp	McGauvran
Burkhart	Frandsen	Lynch	Morton
Durkee	Hempel	Maddock	Orange
			Rustad

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause was lost.

House Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$100,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River of the North, Between the City of Fargo, Cass County, North Dakota, and the City of Moorhead, Clay County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as

amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 60, nays 48, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Levin	Root
Bollinger	Freeman	Lynch	Sagen
Boyd	Halcrow	McCay	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Hanson	McDowell	Sethre, Williams
Burkhart	Harrington	McGauvran	Slominski
Burns	Haugland	Morton	Sproul
Cart	Hodges	Muus	Starke
Currie	Jardine	Olafson	Streich
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Traynor
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Eckert	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Ulland
Ehr	Kellogg	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Lackey	Plath	Vogel
Fedge	Lakie	Rabe	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jones	Quade
Sargent	16th Dist.	Kelly	Quam
Arduser	Franson	Larkin	Sims
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Lazier	Steen
Bryans	Goranson	Link	Shurr
Burk	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Swett
Carr	Hart	McManus	Trubshaw
Cole	Heaton	Martin	Tweten
Craig	Helbling	Miller	Walker
Doyle	Hempel	Norden	Weisbeck
Elmer	Henne	Oberg	Weld
Erickson	Iverson	Orange	Yeater
26th Dist.	Jackson	Patterson	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hoople	Maddock	Watt
Burleigh	Kopp	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause lost.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 30 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The following bills were messaged to the Senate:

House Bills Nos. 259, 254, 258, 257, 263, 74, 30, 51.

Mr. Sproul moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTIETH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 20, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. S. F. Halfyard.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Martin and Olafson.

Mr. Sagen moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Forty-seventh Day After Recess and the Forty-ninth Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 1, bottom of House Bill No. 165, strike out the first line and insert the following: "House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Six."

On page 13 correct line 23.

On page 13 correct line 37.

On page 18 strike out all of Senate Bill 207 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Joint Resolution by Senator Bond, by request."

On page 19, line 17, after the word "as" strike out all of line 11 up to and including the word "chapter."

On page 26 under the roll call strike out Mr. Jackson's motion; also "which motion prevailed."

On page 27 between lines 3 and 4 from the bottom of page insert the following: "Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 233 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table. Which motion prevailed."

On page 28 following "So the motion prevailed" insert the following: "The House reverted to the Fifth Order of Business. Reports of Standing Committees. The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

"Mr. President: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

"House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

"And find the same correctly engrossed.

"L. E. COLE, Chairman.

"Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted."

On page 12, line 19, the name "Mr. Jackson" should read "Mr. Peters."

On page 10, line 6, strike out the word "No." and insert in lieu thereof the word "Aye."

At the bottom of page 35, between lines 2 and 3 insert the following: "Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 118 was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table."

On page 38, after the fourth line from the bottom insert the following: "Mr. Freeman moved a Call of the House; which motion prevailed. The roll call disclosed all members present except Mr. Sagen. The Speaker declared the Call of the House dissolved."

On page 39, after the words "which motion prevailed" strike out the five lines following.

At the bottom of page 40 after the word "therefore" insert the following: "The audit was illegal."

On page 45, in line 21, add the following: "until 7:30 P. M."

On page 46 add the following to the Journal:

"House Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 6, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Special Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 84 Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, and Supervising the Licensing and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxicab or Auto Liveries, Places Where Soft Drinks Are Retailed or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls, Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes; Providing Fees Therefor, Inspectors, Office Help and Supplies Thereof; Defining Powers and Duties and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith."

On page 46, under House Bill No. 267 the figures "71" should read "11."

On page 49 strike out all of Senate Bills Nos. 258 and 79.

On page 50 under "General Orders" strike out House Bill No. 206.

On page 52 strike out Senate Bill No. 248.

At the bottom of page 52 insert the following: "Senate Concurrent Resolution by Mr. Bond by request."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Communications to whom was referred a petition to the Ward County Representatives relative to Fish and Game Laws, signed by 55 citizens, recommend that the same be read but not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Delayed Bills made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Delayed Bills to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 316.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be not permitted to be introduced.

JOHN G. PLATH,
Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 20, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 374. A Bill for an Act to Establish a Uniform Egg Law Regulating the Handling of Eggs within This State; Preventing the Sale and Traffic in Eggs Unfit for Human Food; Requiring Labeling and Candling; Providing for Licenses for Dealers in Eggs and for the Collection and Disposition of License Fees; Providing for Rules and Regulations and the Enforcement of the Act and Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Acts Relating Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act Transferring to the Industrial Commission the Custody, Control and Management of the Property and Assets of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, for the Purpose of Liquidating and Winding Up the Business and Affairs of Said Home Building Association of North Dakota, Defining the Powers and Authority of the Industrial Commission with Reference Thereto, Defining the Rights and Liabilities of

Applicants for Homes and Purchasers, and Repealing Chapter 150 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and Chapter 39 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9367 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Prescribing of an Oath.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 236. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Cancellation, Conversion and Exchange of Bonds Issued Under and by Virtue of Chapter 128, Session Laws of 1919.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 289. A Bill for an Act Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Have Power to Abate Certain Assessments Levied by Boards of Irrigation Districts Upon Application of the District Board Approved by the Director of the Reclamation Service.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 371. A Bill for an Act for the Protection of Health and Prevention of Fraud and Deception in Articles of Food and Drugs; for the Prevention of Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; Requiring Labeling Thereof; Providing for Sales by Weight, Measure or Numerical Count; Providing for Fixing of Standards of Purity and Quality and Fitness of Consumption; Prescribing the Duties of the State Board of Administration and Providing for the Appointment of a State Food Commissioner and Chemist and Prescribing His Duties and Powers; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act; Defining Certain Offenses in Connection Therewith; Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Certain Acts Relating Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 183. A Bill for an Act to Regulate Certain Occupations of Children in Streets and Public Places.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 386. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 16, 33, 44, 49, 56, 62, 83, 88 and 89 of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Regulating the Operation of All Coal Mines in North Dakota; Providing for Their Inspection; Creating the Office of Coal Mining Inspector; Fixing His Qualifications, Duties, Powers and Compensation; Providing for His Appointment; Creating a Board of Examiners; Fixing Its Powers and Compensation; Providing the Method of Appointment Thereof; Providing for the Registry, Examination and Issuing of Certificates to Certain Employees of Coal Mines.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 342. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Subdivision 2 of Section 1 and Section 13a of Chapter 231 of the Session Laws of 1917 as Amended by Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, and to Amend Section 2 of Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Inheritance Taxes Upon Estates of Deceased Non-Residents.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 300. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2110 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 221 of the Session Laws of 1919 and Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Taxation of Corporate Excess.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act Authorizing Abatements to Purchasers of Certificates on State Land.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Amend the title by adding at the end thereof: "After Cancellation of Contracts."

Amend Section 1 by adding at the end thereof: "together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum; and if such land has been bid in by the county at tax sale, all taxes against such land shall be abated."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report of the Committee on taxes and Tax Laws be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jardine moved that the rules be suspended and House Bill No. 139 be placed on the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 227. A Bill for an Act Providing that Purchasers at Tax Sales of Lands upon Which the State Has a Mortgage Shall Take Certificates of Sale and Deeds, Subject to the Rights of the State Under Its Mortgage.

Amend the title of the act to read as follows: "An Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2186 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Tax Liens and Providing that the Lien of Taxes Upon Land Upon Which the State Has a Mortgage or Which the State Has Sold Upon Contract Shall Be Inferior to the Rights of the State."

Amend Section 1 to read as follows:

"Section 2186 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

"Section 2186. Taxes a Perpetual Lien. Vendor and Vendee. Taxes upon real property are hereby made a perpetual paramount lien thereupon against all persons and bodies corporate, except the United States and the state, and taxes due from any person upon personal property shall be a lien upon any and all real and personal property owned by him at the time the tax became due, or which may be subsequently acquired by him, and the title to any of which personal property so owned or subsequently acquired remains in him at the time of the yet decided, the lien of all taxes shall be inferior to and subject to the rights of the state."

Have had the same under consideration and recommend distraint. All taxes shall, as between vendor and purchaser, become a lien upon real estate on and after the first day of December in each year. As to land upon which the state of North Dakota holds a mortgage payable either to the Board of University and School Lands or to the Bank of North Dakota or the manager thereof, or land sold by the Board of University and School Lands and not that the same be amended as follows:

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended and House Bill No. 227 be placed on the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act to Limit the Aggregate Amounts that May Be Levied by Taxing Districts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended to read as follows:

"House Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act to Limit the Rate in Mills Which May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing a Method of Suspending Such Limitations in Certain Cases; Prescribing Penalties for Violations of This Act by County Auditors; and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With This Act.

"Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

"Section 1. CITY AND VILLAGE LEVIES. Except as otherwise provided in Section 6 of this act, no village shall levy taxes in excess of ten (10) mills on the dollar of its net taxable assessed valuation, and no city, whether organized under general law or special charter, shall levy taxes in excess of fourteen (14) mills on the dollar of its net taxable assessed valuation.

"Section 2. TOWNSHIP LEVIES. Except as otherwise provided in Section 6 of this act, no township shall levy taxes in excess of five (5) mills on the dollar of its net taxable assessed valuation.

"Section 3. SCHOOL DISTRICT LEVIES. Except as otherwise provided in Section 6 of this act, no school district, common, independent or special, shall levy taxes in excess of twelve (12) mills on the dollar of its net taxable assessed valuation, except that any school district giving two years of standard high school work may levy taxes not to exceed fourteen (14) mills, and any school district giving four years of standard high school work may levy not to exceed sixteen (16) mills, and any school district maintaining a standard four year high school and also maintaining a night school may levy not to exceed eighteen (18) mills on the dollar of its net taxable assessed valuation, and any school district maintaining a consolidated school may levy not to exceed fourteen (14) mills on the dollar of its net taxable assessed valuation.

"Section 4. PARK DISTRICT LEVIES. No park district shall levy taxes in excess of two (2) mills on the dollar of its net taxable assessed valuation.

"Section 5. COUNTY LEVIES. Except as otherwise provided in this section or in Section 6 of this act, the amount levied for road purposes in any county plus the amount levied for bridge purposes shall not exceed two and one-half (2½) mills on the dollar of the net taxable assessed valuation; provided, however, that in unor-

ganized township the board of county commissioners may levy, under the provisions of Chapter 231 of the Laws of 1919 not to exceed three (3) mills on the dollar of the net taxable assessed valuation of such unorganized townships for road purposes.

"Section 6. VOTERS MAY AUTHORIZE EXCESS LEVY. A county, city, town, village, township or school district may levy taxes in excess of the limitations prescribed by Section One to Five (1-5), inclusive, of this act when authorized so to do by a majority of the electors voting upon the question at an election. The tax levying board of the taxing district shall have power to call a special election for the purpose of voting upon the question of authorizing an excess levy, or in the case of counties, to submit the question to the voters either at a special election called for that purpose or at the regular primary election. Such elections shall be held not later than September first of the year in which the tax is to be levied, and shall be conducted as other elections of such taxing districts except as herein otherwise provided. The notice of election, in addition to the usual requirements, shall contain a statement of the question to be voted upon pursuant to the terms of this act, and shall also show the total amount of income and expenditures of such taxing district for the fiscal year immediately preceding; the estimated expenditures, for the year for which the taxes are to be levied; the aggregate amount of tax levies which the tax levying board seeks authority to make; the aggregate amount of tax levies permissible without special authority from the electors; and the amount of tax levy in excess of the statutory limit which the board seeks authority to make. A copy of the notice of election shall be mailed to the auditor or clerk of the taxing district to the tax commissioner at Bismarck, North Dakota, on or before the date of the posting or first publication of the notice and shall be open to public inspection in his office.

"In case the question is submitted by the county board at the regular primary election, the county auditor shall publish a notice of the submission of such question with the information above indicated, or shall embody such information in the usual notice of election. The question shall be submitted in the following form:

"Shall.....(naming the taxing district) levy taxes for the year.....(naming the current calendar year) which shall exceed the legal limit by.....dollars, so that the taxes levied instead of being.....dollars, which is the limit authorized by law, shall be.....dollars?

"Opposite to such question shall be printed the word "yes" and below it the word "no," and opposite each word there shall be a square in which the voter may indicate his intention by making a cross. If a majority of all votes cast upon the question are in favor of authorizing the excess levy, it shall thereby be authorized. In such case, the election board shall certify the result of such

election to the county auditor within ten days after such election, and in case of a county election the result shall be certified by the canvassing board within one day after it has completed canvassing the returns from the several precincts. The certificate shall include a statement of the question as the same appeared upon the ballot, together with the total number of votes cast upon the question, the number of votes cast in favor of it, and the number of votes cast against authorizing the excess levy. If a majority of the votes cast upon the question were in favor of authorizing such excess levy, the county auditor shall extend such excess levy upon the tax lists.

"Section 7. NOT APPLICABLE TO CERTAIN LEVIES. The foregoing limitations shall not apply to irrigation districts nor drainage districts nor to special assessments in cities and villages assessed by special assessment commissions against benefitted property; nor to levies for the purpose of paying bonded indebtedness or interest upon bonded indebtedness in any class of taxing districts; nor to the county tuition levy, provided for by Section 1224 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as amended by Chapter 66 of the Special Session Laws of 1919; nor to taxes levied pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 139, Session Laws of 1919, for the purpose of combating the grasshopper pest; nor to taxes levied pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 106 of the Session Laws of 1915 for the purpose of combating gophers and similar pests. In case revenue raised for the purpose of combating such pests is transferred to the road and bridge fund, the amount of the maximum legal limit of the levy for roads and bridges made next after such transfer shall be diminished from the maximum amounts permitted by the provisions of Section 5 of this act by the amount of such transfer or transfers.

"Section 8. SUPERSEDES OTHER LIMITATIONS. The limitations imposed by this act shall supersede and be substituted for all limitations upon the tax levying power imposed by statutes heretofore in effect as to taxes other than those excepted by Section 7 of this act, whether such former limitations be expressed in terms of the aggregate levy in mills or in terms of the levy for each individual purpose, or in whatever other manner expressed.

"Section 9. DEFINITIONS. The terms "net assessed valuation" or "assessed valuation," when used in this act, signify the valuation remaining after deducting exceptions and making other reductions from the original assessed valuation, and is the valuation upon which the rate of levy is finally computed and against which the taxes are finally extended. The terms "taxing district" or "taxing districts," when used in this act, mean counties and all other local districts which possess the power of levying taxes.

"Section 10. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION. Any county auditor who shall extend taxes in excess of the limitations

prescribed by the terms of this act shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars to be determined by the court in an action brought in district court by the state's attorney in the name of the state for the benefit of the county general fund, and if such action of the county auditor be willful he shall also be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and in addition to the usual penalty his office shall be deemed vacant and shall be filled according to law.

"Section 11. All acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the report of the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws, with reference to House Bill No. 131, and proposing amendments.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller moved that the words and numerals "sixty per cent (60%)" be stricken out wherever appearing in the bill, and the words "a majority" inserted in lieu thereof.

Mr. Starke moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 131, be recommended for passage as shown in the mimeographed copies of the bill furnished the members.

Which substitute motion was lost.

Mr. Starke moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 131 be amended by inserting on page 2, after the word "general" the words "or primary"; and in the following line by changing the date from September 15th to September 1st.

Which substitute motion was lost.

Mr. Starke moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 131 be amended, by changing the figures 18 to 20, in line 8 of Section 3.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Miller, the motion prevailed and the amendments were adopted.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report of the committee on House Bill No. 131, as amended by the motion of Mr. Miller, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended and House Bill 131 be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage, which motion prevailed.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Providing That Public Officials of Taxing Districts Issuing Certificates of Indebtedness or Bonds Shall Advertise for Bids in Certain Cases and Providing the Procedure to Be Followed in Connection Therewith, Prescribing Penalties for the Violation of this Act, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With This Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 130

Introduced by Mr. J. A. Jardine

A BILL

For an Act Providing that Public Officials of Taxing Districts Issuing Certificates of Indebtedness or Bonds Shall Advertise for Bids in Certain Cases and Providing the Procedure to be Followed in Connection Therewith, Prescribing Penalties for the Violation of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With This Act.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1. Except as hereinafter provided, no county, city, village, school district, township, or other taxing district shall sell, or enter into any contract for the sale of any issue of its bonds, for whatever purpose issued, without first advertising for bids in the manner prescribed by this act.

Section 2. A notice calling for sealed bids for each proposed issue of bonds shall be published at least once in the official newspaper of the county not less than fifteen days nor more than thirty days before the date specified therein for the opening of such bids. Such notice shall be prepared by the auditor, clerk, or secretary of the taxing district and shall appear over his signature and shall specify the amount of the bonds offered for sale, the date or dates of the maturity thereof, the rate of interest and the purpose for which issued, and shall contain a notice to the effect that no bids at less than par will be considered and that the district reserves the right to reject any and all bids. A copy of such notice shall be mailed to the tax commissioner at Bismarck not less than fifteen days before the date specified for the opening of bids, and the tax commissioner shall keep such notices on file for public inspection. Failure to publish such notices or to send a copy thereof to the tax commissioner shall not impair the validity of such bonds, but shall render unenforceable any executory contract entered into for the sale thereof, and the auditor, clerk, or secretary failing to publish or send such notice shall be liable to a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) at the discretion of the court to be recovered in an action brought by the state's attorney in the name of the state, and the fine, when collected, shall be paid into the general fund of the county. If such failure

to publish or send such notice is willful, the auditor, clerk, or secretary shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished accordingly.

Section 3. The notice shall specify a time and place at which the sealed bids will be opened. Except in the case of cities of over four thousand population or school districts situated in such cities, the notice shall specify that bids shall be filed in the county auditor's office, and that they will be opened at the county auditor's office on the date and at the hour specified in the notice, and it shall be the duty of the county auditor to make a permanent record in a book kept for that purpose of all bids filed in his office and of the terms of such bids, which entry shall be made at the time the bids are opened. After the bids have been opened and the contract shall be awarded to the bidder who agrees to purchase the bonds upon the terms most favorable to the taxing district and who is financially able to comply with the terms of his bid, unless the board determines to reject all bids .

Section 4. In case the governing board of any taxing district determines to borrow money in excess of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) upon certificates of indebtedness as provided by law, a similar notice shall be published and similar procedure followed and with like effect and subject to the same provisions as to penalties as in the case of issues of bonds. In case certificates of indebtedness can be sold at par to bear not more than five and one-half (5½) per cent interest per annum, the same may be sold without advertising for bids.

Section 5. The procedure prescribed in this act shall not be required in case bonds or certificates of indebtedness are sold to the state board of university and school lands, or in case other trust funds administered by public officials are invested in them.

Section 6. The provisions of this act shall not apply to sales of bonds issued by counties for the purpose of purchasing seed grain and feeds, nor to bonds or certificates of indebtedness issued by cities of over four thousand population or school districts of over four thousand population.

Section 7. All acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provision of this act are hereby repealed.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the rules be suspended, the report of the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws adopted, and House Bill 130 placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Providing a method by which Taxing Districts May Make Short Time Borrowings and Conduct Their Current Business Upon a Cash Basis; Providing That No Warrants May be Issued in Excess of Cash on Hand; Providing for the Funding of Floating or Unfinished Indebtedness of Counties, Cities, Villages, Townships, School Districts, and Other Taxing Districts; making the County Treasurer Custodian of Sinking Funds of All Taxing Districts; Providing for the Registering of the County Auditor's Office of All Bond Issues and Certificates of Indebtedness; Prohibiting the Incurring Indebtedness in Excess of Anticipated Revenues; Making Criminal Certain Violations of This Act, and Providing Penalties Therefor, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 13 of Section 1 insert after the word "date," the words, "or on or before a specified date."

In Section 2 in line 4 after the word "district" insert "on the last day of the preceding month."

In Section 2 in line 5 after the word "township" insert "and village."

In lines 5 and 6 of Section 2, strike out the words "the clerk of each village or."

In line 6 of Section 2 strike out "April first" and insert "September tenth."

In line 20 of Section 3 after the word "be" insert the word "personally."

Insert in lieu of Section 5 and Section 6 the following:

"Section 5. When any taxing district has issued certificates of indebtedness pursuant to the terms of this act which certificates remain unpaid after maturity, it shall be the duty of the county auditor upon presentation to him of such past due certificates and upon written request of the holder or holders thereof to set aside all tax collections except those for sinking and interest funds thereafter accruing to the credit of such district and the same shall be held by the county treasurer in a special fund to be used only for the purpose of retiring such certificates of indebtedness and paying interest thereon until sufficient funds shall have been accumulated to retire such past due certificates of indebtedness. All certificates of indebtedness shall cease to bear interest at maturity unless then presented for payment and not paid for lack of funds, in which case the treasurer of the taxing district, issuing such certificates, shall make an endorsement upon the same over his signature in substantially the following form: "Presented for payment this.....day of.....19....., and not paid for lack of funds." All certificates not paid upon presentation at or after maturity shall bear interest from maturity until paid at the

same rate as before maturity. As certificates of indebtedness are paid and cancelled, they shall be exhibited to the county auditor who shall note the cancellation thereof upon his bond register and make a notation upon the certificate of indebtedness to the effect that the payment thereof has been noted upon his bond register.

"Section 6. It is the intention of this act to place the business of all taxing districts upon a cash basis as nearly as may be and to that end, to provide for the funding of warrants outstanding at the time this act takes effect. Any taxing district may issue bonds for the purpose of retiring warrants outstanding July 1, 1923, which bonds may be issued without submitting the matter to the electors. The total amount of bonds thus issued shall not exceed the amount of outstanding warrants less any and all funds in the treasury exclusive of sinking and interest funds and less 90 per cent of the amount of uncollected taxes upon the tax lists of 1921 and prior years, and in no event shall exceed the constitutional debt limit of the taxing district. Such bonds shall bear interest at a rate not to exceed 7 per cent per annum and shall mature in not more than 10 years from the date of their issuance."

In Section 7, line 1, after the word "bonds," insert "of any taxing district." In the same line strike out the word "marketed" and insert "sold."

In Section 7, line 3, after the word "warrants," insert "of such taxing district."

In Section 7, line 6, strike out "retimerent" and insert "payment and retirement."

In Section 7, line 8, insert after the word "cancel" "an equal amount of."

In Section 7, line 9, strike out the word "proper" and in the same line, after the word "district," insert "issuing the same."

In Section 8, line 3, after the word "thousand," insert the words "and school districts having a population of over four thousand."

In Section 8, line 8, after the word "interest," insert the word "on."

In Section 8, line 10, after the article "a," insert "separate."

In Section 8, line 11, after the word "sinking," insert the words "and interest." In Section 8, line 11, after the word "of," insert "each of," and at the end of the same line strike out "district" and insert "districts."

In Section 8, line 19, after the word "may," insert "have furnished proper bond therefor and as may."

In Section 8, line 22, after the word "of," insert "personal."

In Section 9, line 14, insert the word "form" after the word "uniform."

Insert a new section as Section 10 of the bill immediately following Section 9 as follows:

"It shall be lawful for the governing boards of taxing districts to levy a tax for the purpose of providing funds with which to pay such warrants outstanding July 1st, 1923, as are in excess of the constitutional debt limit, which levy may be made in addition to the maximum rates of levy now or hereafter provided by law, provided such warrants have been issued in good faith and for value received. As such taxes are collected, the county auditor shall reggregate the funds derived from such taxes into a separate fund and the same shall be applied by the treasurer of such taxing district for the purpose of retiring such warrants as are in excess of the constitutional debt limit and for no other purpose."

Insert following Section 10 the following as Sections 11, 12 and 13 respectively:

"Section 11. Definition. The term "uncollected taxes" as used in this act means taxes from which revenue has not come into the public treasury either by payment or by tax sale.

"Section 12. Cities having a population of over four thousand and school districts having a population of over four thousand may issue certificates of indebtedness in any amount not in excess of uncollected taxes of the current year plus uncollected taxes of prior years standing to the credit of the district in such form and manner and subject to such terms and conditions as the governing board may prescribe, and need not comply with or conform to any of the other provisions of this act pertaining to the issuance of certificates of indebtedness unless they choose to avail themselves of such other provisions of this act.

"Section 13. In case any taxing district is unable to sell its certificates of indebtedness, it may issue warrants in payment of current expense in excess of cash on hand, but not in excess of taxes levied but uncollected. If warrants be issued in excess of taxes levied, such warrants shall possess no validity as against the taxing district, but the officials issuing the same shall be personally liable for the payment thereof."

Change "Section 10" to "Section 14."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jardine moved that the rules be suspended and House Bill No. 129 be placed on third reading and final passage. Which motion prevailed.

The Conference Committee on House Bill No. 8 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Conference to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower such Cities by Ordinance, to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the House do concur.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Jardine moved that the rules be suspended and House Bill No. 8 be considered properly engrossed and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Concurring in Senate Amendment to

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower Such Cities by Ordinances, to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 73, nays 36, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Lackey	Roet
Anderson	Freeman	Larson	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Levin	Saven
Bollinger	Goranson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Halcrow	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Hanson	McCay	Sims
	Harrington	McDowell	Slominski

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Burkhardt	Heaton	Miller	Streich
Burns	Henne	Morton	Shurr
Carr	Hodges	Muus	Traynor
Cart	Hoople	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Iverson	Olafson	Twitcheil
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Dougherty	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Quade	
Ellingson			

Those voting in the negative were :

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Swett
Sargent	Frandsen	McManus	Tweten
Arduser	Hardy	Martin	Vogel
Bryans	Haugland	Oberg	Walker
Craig	Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Doyle	Hempel	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Patterson	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	
Erickson	Lackie	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Larktn	Starke	
	Link	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Elmer	Kellogg	Lazter

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 233, a Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 117 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Nomination and Election of all Elective County Officers, Judges of the Supreme and District Courts, State Superintendents of Public Instruction, and County Superintendent of Schools, Without Requiring a Declaration as to Party Affiliation, and a Separate Ballot for County Officials; Extending the Law so as to Apply to All State Officials and Members of the Legislature and County Official Newspaper, Changing Petition Requirement; Providing for Filling of Vacancies and for Designation of Principles Supported by Candidates for State and Legislative Office, and Repealing Sections 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 917, 918, and 919 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of 1919; beg leave to report as follows:

The Senate committee has concurred in the House Amendments.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman;

M. H. LYNCH,
L. L. TWICHELL,

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted. Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 20, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 283. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 9868, 9869, 9870, 9871, 9872, 9873, 9874, 9875 and 9876 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Burglary, House Breaking and Unlawful Entering.

Senate Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 122 of the Session Laws of 1921.

Senate Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2078, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 223, Session Laws of 1919, and Chapter 122, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Exemption of Certain Property From Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 220 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Senate Bill No. 346. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Creation of Deficits by State Officials, State Boards and Heads of State Institutions, and Prescribing a Penalty for the Violation of this Act.

Senate Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$56,600.00 for the Enforcement of the Feeding Stuffs, Fertilizer, Beverage and Sanitary Inspection Laws.

Senate Bill No. 357. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Creation of a Commission for the Purpose of Making a Study of the Lignite Industry and Reporting to the Next Regular Session of the Legislature its Findings with Respect to methods of developing such Industry, and Providing an Appropriation for the Purpose of Defraying Necessary Expenses.

Senate Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Teachers' College at Valley City, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Senate Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$573,118.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, and Equipment of the Agricultural College, Fargo, for the Biennium.

Senate Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$292,250.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements, Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Purchase of Live Stock, for the Experiment Station at the Agricultural College at Fargo, for the Biennium.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 312. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Number of Senators and Representatives Which Shall Compose the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, to Define the Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to Prescribe the Number of Senators and Representatives Therein.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 58, nays 55, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Boyd	Geiszler	Kopp	Root
Brown	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Burk	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Burns	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Carr	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Cole	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Craig	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Ellingson	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Anderson,	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Burleigh	Johnson, Trall	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson	Fedge	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Currie	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Boyle	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Lackie	Patterson	Yeater
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Maddock: Mr. Speaker, I vote "no" for the reason that House Bill No. 312 is purely a political measure to Gerrymander the state for political purposes without regard for justice or representative government.

Mr. Miller: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have same recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on this bill because of the system of crooked Gerrymandering that obtains throughout this entire bill. I vote "no" because of other inconsistencies such as the giving to Stutsman county, with a vote of 7,100 votes, two senators, while Williams and McKenzie counties, with a vote of 8,068, are given but one.

Mr. Sims: Mr. Speaker, this is absolutely the worst yet, and we from Bottineau don't like it a little bit.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 312 was passed be reconsidered, and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

A demand for a roll call, on the motion of Mr. Twichell, was granted and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 62, nays 51, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Geiszler	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Goranson	Kopp	Root
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lackey	Rustad
Boyd	Hanson	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Harrington	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Heaton	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Hempel	Muus	Starke
Cole	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Tw'eten
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Twichell
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Watt
Freeman	Kellogg	Rabe	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Quam
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Erickson	Levin	Sims
Sargent	16th Dist.	Link	Steen
Arduser	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Streich
Bratsberg	Frandsen	McManus	Shurr
Bryans	Fredrickson	Maddock	Swett
Burkhart	Hardy	Martin	Vogel
Cart	Haugland	McCay	Walker
Craig	Hebling	Miller	Weisbeck
Doyle	Hoople	Morton	Weld
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Yeater
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	
	Lackie	Op'and	
		Patterson	

So the motion prevailed.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I realize the avalanche is upon us and I meekly submit and let the steam-roller go over us.

Mr. Kellogg: Mr. Speaker, I wish to vote "aye" at this time for the reasons stated by my good colleague, Mr. Hempel.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 222. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Supervision and Regulation of the Transportation of Per-

sons and Property for Compensation Over any Public Highway by Motor Propelled Vehicles; Defining Transportation Companies; Providing for Supervision and Regulation Thereof by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of North Dakota; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of this Act and for the Punishment of the Violations Thereof.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$200,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River, Between Williams County, North Dakota and McKenzie County, North Dakota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

House Bill No. 215. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1921, Relating to Enforcement of Payment of Premiums to the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws of the Year 1913 Relating to the selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of Other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Lease Hold Premises Held under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners May Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Providing the Breadth of the Operation in such Injunction by Making it Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include any Place Within the State.

House Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of 1919 Pertaining to Attorneys' Fees and Sheriffs' Fees in Connection with Foreclosures Conducted by Advertisement.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act Authorizing Abate-ments to Purchasers of Tax Certificates, after Cancellation of Contracts.

House Bill No. 227. A Bill for an Act Providing That Purchasers at Tax Sales of Lands Upon Which the State Has a Mortgage, Shall Take Certificates of Sale and Deeds, Subject to the Rights of the State Under its Mortgage.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosures of Mortgages by Agent or Attorney and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgment in Foreclosure of Mortgages by Action.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 71, nays 36, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Sagen
Burleigh	Flom	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Franson	Lynch	Sims
Burke-Divide	Freeman	McManus	Slominski
Anderson,	Goranson	McDowell	Sproul
Sargent	Halcrow	McGauvran	Starke
Bollinger	Hanson	Miller	Traynor
Boyd	Harrington	Muus	Trubshaw
	Hart	Norden	Tweten

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Heaton	Olafson	Twichell
Burns	Hempel	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Carr	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Cart	Jardine	Peters	Walker
Cole	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Currie	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Johnson, Traill	Rabe	Weld
Eckert	Keilogg	Radcliffe	Yeater
Ehr	Kelly	Root	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kopp	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Fredrickson	Larkin	Patterson
Bryans	Geiszler	Lazier	Quam
Burk	Hardy	Link	Sethre, Williams
Burkhart	Hauzland	Loudenbeck	Steen
Craig	Helbling	Martin	Streich
Doyle	Henne	McCay	Shurr
Erickson	Hoople	Morton	Swett
26th Dist.	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Erickson	Jones	Olson, Ransom	
16th Dist.	Lakie	Opland	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Elmer	Lackey	Maddock
Durkee	Hodges		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause lost.

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 60, nays 49, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ander	Freeman	Kelly	Rabe
Barleigh	Geiszler	Kopp	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Goranson	Larson	Root
Boyd	Halerow	Lynch	Rustad
Brown	Hanson	Maddock	Sagen
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Slominski
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Sproul
Cole	Hoople	Norden	Starke
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Traynor
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Trubshaw
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Twichell
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Watt
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ander	Erickson	Larkin	McManus
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Frandsen	Link	Sims
			Steen

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Fredrickson	Martin	Swett
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Tweten
Burkhart	Haugland	Miller	Vogel
Cart	Helbling	Morton	Walker
Craig	Hempel	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Elmer	Jones	Opland	Yeater
Erickson	Kellogg	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Lakie	Streich	
		Shurr	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Eckert	Hoople	Lackey

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 297 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 105. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 81, nays 24, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	Erickson	Kopp	Quam
Anderson	26th Dist.	Lakie	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe
Arduser	Fredrickson	Larson	Root
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Rustad
Boyd	Geiszler	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Goranson	Martin	Slominski
Bryans	Halcrow	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Hanson	McGauvran	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	Miller	Streich
Burns	Haugland	Morton	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Trubshaw
Cart	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Doyle	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Trall	Peters	
		Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Franson	Lazier	Steen
Sargent	Hardy	Link	Shurr
Cole	Hart	Loudenbeck	Tweten
Craig	Helbling	McManus	Weisbeck
Erickson	Hempel	Patterson	Weld
16th Dist.	Henne	Sathre, Williams	Yeater
	Jones	Sims	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Kellogg	Maddock	Sagen
Fedge	Lackey	McCay	Swett

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota, Relating to Board of Administration.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 93, nays 12, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Peters
Burleigh	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Quade
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Jones	Rabe
Anderson	Flom	Kelly	Opaland
Sargent	Frandsen	Kopp	Radcliffe
Arduser	Fredrickson	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Freeman	Lakle	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Geiszler	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Goranson	Lazier	Stominski
Bryans	Halcrow	Lynen	Sproul
Eurk	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Burns	Hardy	McDowell	Sagen
Carr	Harrington	Miller	Traynor
Cart	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Oble	Haugland	Morton	Tweten
Craig	Heaton	Mus	Twitchell
Currie	Helbling	Norden	Ulland
Doyle	Henne	Oberg	Vetche
Dougherty	Hodges	Olafson	Vogel
Durkee	Hoopie	O'son, Ransom	Watt
Eckert	Iverson	O'son, Towner	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jackson	Opaland	Weld
Ellingson	Jardine	Orange	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Hempel	Loudenbeck	Streich
Erickson	Larkin	Patterson	Shurr
26th Dist.	Link	Sims	Swett
			Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Maddock	McCay	Sagen
Kellogg	Martin	Quam	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act for an Appropriation to the Board of Auditors as Provided for in Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Law Approved November 2nd, 1920.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 8, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Frandsen	Jackie	Quam
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larkin	Rabe
Anderson	Freeman	Larson	Root
Sargent	Goranson	Lazier	Rustad
Arduser	Halcrow	Levin	Sagen
Bollinger	Hanson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Harrington	McManus	Slominski
Bryans	Hart	Martin	Sproul
Burk	Haugland	McCay	Starke
Burns	Heaton	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Helbling	McGauvran	Swett
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Traynor
Currie	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Durkee	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Ehr	Iverson	Oberg	Ulland
Ellingson	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
Elmer	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Watt
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Orland	Weisbeck
Erickson,	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Weld
16th Dist.	Jones	Patterson	Yeater
Fedge	Kelly	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Kopp	Plath	
	Lackey	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Doyle	Radcliffe	Steen
Cole	Lynch	Sims	Streich

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Bratsberg	Eckert	Kellogg
Burleigh	Burkhart	Geiszle	Maddock
			Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Ten Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Grand Forks for the Years 1923 and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 37, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Levin	Quam
Burleigh	Freeman	McManus	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Maddock	Root
Boyd	Hanson	Martin	Sagen
Brown	Harrington	McCay	Sathre, Steele
Burkhart	Hodges	McDowell	Sethre, Williams

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burns	Hoople	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Jackson	Miller	Starke
Cart	Jardine	Morton	Trubshaw
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Muus	Tweten
Dougherty	Johnson, Traill	Olafson	Twichell
Durkee	Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Eckert	Lackey	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ehr	Lakie	Opland	Walker
Ellingson	Larkin	Peters	Watt
Elmer	Larson	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Heaton	Quade
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Helbling	Rabe
Anderson	Erickson	Iverson	Sims
Sargent	16th Dist.	Jones	Steen
Arduser	Franson	Kopp	Streich
Bryans	Geiszler	Link	Shurr
Burk	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Swett
Cole	Hardy	Norden	Weisbeck
Craig	Hart	Oberg	Weld
Doyle	Haugland	Orange	Yeater
		Patterson	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Hempel	Kellogg	Rustad
Fedge	Henne	Lazier	Slominski
Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina	Lynen	Traynor
			Vogel

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Freeman moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 104 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Ten Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to State Fair at Fargo for the Year 1923, and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 42, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Flom	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Freeman	McCay	Slominski
Boyd	Halcrow	McDowell	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	McGauvran	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	Miller	Traynor
Burns	Hodges	Morton	Trubshaw
Carr	Hoople	Muus	Twichell
Cart	Jackson	Olafson	Ulland
Currie	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Walker
Eckert	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Watt
Ehr	Kelly	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Lackey	Root	
Elmer	Larkin	Sagen	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Jones Kellogg	Sims Steen
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Geiszler	Kopp Lackie	Streich Shurr
Arduser	Goranson	Link Loudenbeck	Swett Tweten
Bryans	Hardy	Martin	Vogel
Burk	Hart	Norden	Weisbeck
Cole	Haugland	Oberg	Weld
Craig	Heaton	Opland	Yeater
Doyle	Helbling	Quade	
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Hempel	Quam	
	Iverson		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Johnson, Pembina	Maddock	Radcliffe
Durkee	Levin	Olson, Ransom	Rustad
Fredrickson	Lynch	Orange	
Henne	McManus	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jardine moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 111 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$5,000.00 to the Missouri Slope Agricultural and Fair Association at Mandan for the Fairs to be held in the years 1923 and 1924, as authorized by Sections 1860 to 1866, both inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 71, nays 33, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fredrickson	McManus	Sagen
Burleigh	Freeman	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Halcrow	Martin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Hanson	McCay	Sims
Brown	Hardy	McDowell	Slominski
Bryans	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Burkhart	Heaton	Miller	Starke
Burns	Helbling	Morton	Swett
Cart	Johnson, Nelson	Muus	Tweten
Doyle	Johnson, Pembina	Oberg	Twichell
Dougherty	Johnson, Trail	O'afson	Veitch
Eckert	Kellogg	O'son, Ransom	Vogel
Ehr	Kelly	Opland	Walker
Ellingson	Lackey	Peters	Watt
Elmer	Lackie	Plath	Yeater
Erickson	Larkin	Quam	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Larson	Rabe	
Fedge	Levin	Radcliffe	
Flom	Loudenbeck	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Currie	Henne	Orange
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Hodges	Quade
Anderson, Sargent	16th Dist.	Hoople	Steen
	Frandsen	Jones	Streich

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Geiszler	Kopp	Swett
Burk	Goranson	Lazier	Trubshaw
Carr	Hart	Levin	Ulland
Cole	Haugland	Lynch	Weisbeck
Craig	Hempel	Norden	Weld

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Jackson	Patterson	Traynor
Durkee	Jardine	Rustad	
Iverson	Olson, Towner		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Walker moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 114 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 4, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jones	Quade
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kelly	Quam
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Durleigh	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Arduser	Frandsen	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Link	Sims
Brown	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bryans	Goranson	McManus	Starke
Burk	Halerow	Maddock	Steen
Burkhart	Hanson	Martin	Streich
Burns	Hardy	McCoy	Shurr
Carr	Hart	McDowell	Traynor
Cart	Haugland	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cole	Heaton	Miller	Tweten
Craig	Helbling	Morton	Twichell
Currie	Henne	Muus	Ulland
Doyle	Hodges	Norden	Veitch
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Walker
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Watt
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	
	Johnsen, Trail	Peters	
		Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	Lynch	Sproul	Weisbeck

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Kellogg	Patterson	Swett
Harrington	Levin	Sagen	Vogel

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 6, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Special Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 84 Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, and Supervising the Licensing and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxicab or Auto Liveries, Places Where Soft Drinks are Retailed or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls, Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes; Providing Fees Therefor, Inspectors, Office Help and Supplies Thereof; Defining Powers and Duties and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 65, nays 43, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Hanson	Larson	Root
Burleigh	Harrington	Lynch	Rustad
Boyd	Hart	McManus	Sagen
Burk	Heaton	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Burns	Henne	McDowell	Sethre, Williams
Carr	Hodges	McGauvran	Siominski
Currie	Hoonle	Miller	Sproul
Dougherty	Iverson	Mtus	Starke
Durkee	Jackson	Norden	Traynor
Ehr	Jardine	Olafson	Trubshaw
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	O'lon, Towner	Trichell
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Ulland
Frandsen	Johnson, Trail	Owre	Veitch
Fredrickson	Kelly	Peters	Watt
Freeman	Kopp	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Goranson	Lackey	Quade	
Halcrow	Larkin	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Jones	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Erickson,	Lackie	Sims
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Lazier	Steen
Sarrent	Erickson	Link	Streich
Arduser	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Brown	Fedce	Martin	Swett
Bryans	Geiszler	McCay	Tweten
Burkhart	Hardy	Morton	Vogel
Cole	Haugland	Oberg	Walker
Craig	Hebling	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Doyle	Hempel	Patterson	Weld
		Quam	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Eckert	Kellogg	Levin
Bratsberg			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Chair declared that the emergency clause was lost.

Mr. Erickson of Kidder: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and ask that it be included in the Journal. I believe this bill started out to be a good bill, and without this last amendment I would gladly have voted for it. With this last amendment I cannot support it, as it does not give equal rights to the country villages and cities alike. I therefore must vote "no." I vote "no" for the further reason that it does not cover hotel lobbies or lobbies of the capitol.

Mr. Sims: Mr. Speaker, I am against this bill and I want to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on this bill as it has been amended for the reason that it is unfair and unjust. It takes away from respectable people the right to have a respectable gathering in a barn. It is absolutel rotten from my standpoint, and I vote "no."

Mr. Speaker: Mr. Burkhart changes his vote from Aye Nay for the purpose of reconsideration.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 20, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 233.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 20, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 284. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 782, 783, 784, 787, 799, 808, 809, 810, 811 and 812 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 69 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919, Relating to the Creating of a State Bar Board, Its Members, Their Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and the Issuance of License to Practice.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 379. A Bill for an Act to Regulate the Sale of Petroleum Products; to Provide for the Inspection of Kerosene and Gasoline; to Provide Specifications Therefor; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide for Inspection Fees, Collection and

Disposition of Same; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Inspection of Lubricating and Power Oils; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Act; to Provide Penalties for the Violation Thereof and to Repeal Existing Acts Relating Thereof.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 286. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 25 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Create, Define and Establish the Bar Association of the State of North Dakota, and Providing for the Publication of Its Proceedings, and Filing Copies Thereof with the State Bar Board and State Libraries, and as Otherwise Provided and Making an Appropriation for the Expenses Connected Therewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 339. A Joint Resolution for an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, Providing for the Issue of Bonds for the Erection of Dormitories for the State's Educational Institutions.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 325. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 551, 552 and 557 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Governing the Practice of Certified Public Accountants in the State, and Providing a Penalty for Violation of the Laws Governing Accountancy.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 337. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Bounty for the Destruction of Magpies.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,

Secretary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 215. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1921, Relating to Enforcement of Payment of Premiums to the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 83, nays 18, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Johnson, Trail.	Plath
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Jones	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Kellogg	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kopp	Root
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lackey	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Lakte	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Larkin	Slominski
Boyd	Geiszler	Larson	Starke
Brown	Halcrow	Lazier	Steen
Bryans	Hanson	Levin	Streich
Burk	Hardy	Link	Sweet
Burkhart	Harrington	Loudenbeck	Trubshaw
Burns	Hart	Maddock	Walker
Cart	Fraugland	Martin	Weisbeck
Cole	Heaton	McCay	Weld
Craig	Hempel	McDowell	Yeater
Currie	Henne	Morton	Voger
Dougherty	Hodges	Muus	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Hoople	Norden	Tweten
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Twibell
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	O'afson	Opland
	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Peters

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Goranson	Patterson	Shurr
Ellingson	Helbling	Quade	Traynor
Elmer	Jackson	Radeliffe	Ulland
Erickson	Lynch	Sagen	Watt
26th Dist.	Orange	Sims	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Jardine	McGauvan	Rustad
Bratsberg	Kelly	Miller	Sproul
Doyle	McManus	Olson, Towner	Veitch

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 222. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Supervision and Regulation of the Transportation of Persons and Property for Compensation Over any Public Highway by Motor Propelled Vehicles; Defining Transportation Companies; Providing for Supervision and Regulation Thereof by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of North Dakota; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of this Act and for the Punishment of the Violations Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 9, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackie	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Radeliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lazier	Root
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Link	Sagen
Sargent	Freeman	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Halcrow	Maddock	Sims
	Hardy		Slominski

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Harrington	Martin	Sproul
Bryans	Haugland	McCay	Starke
Burk	Heaton	McDowell	Steen
Burkhardt	Hempel	Miller	Streich
Burns	Henne	Morton	Shurr
Carr	Hoople	Muus	Trubshaw
Cart	Iverson	Norden	Tweten
Cole	Jackson	Oberg	Twitcheil
Craig	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Ulland
Currie	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Dougherty	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Durkee	Jones	Opland	Walker
Eckert	Kellogg	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Kelly	Patterson	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kopp	Peters	Yeater
26th Dist.	Lackey	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Elmer	Hodges	Swett	Weld
Hart	McManus	Traynor	
Helbling	McGauvran		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Ellingson	Hanson	Rustad
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Jardine	
Doyle	Goranson	Rabe	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

House Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of 1919 Pertaining to Attorneys' Fees and Sheriffs' Fees in Connection with Foreclosure Conducted by Advertisement.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 31, nays 77, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Dougherty	Iverson	Loudenbeck
Burleigh	Durkee	Jackson	Lynch
Boyd	Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	McManus
Brown	Fredrickson	Kelly	McGauvran
Bryans	Freeman	Lackey	Miller
Burk	Hanson	Lackie	Radcliffe
Burns	Harrington	Larkin	Rustad
Cole	Heaton	Larson	Traynor

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geisler	McCay	Sproul
Burke-Divide	Goranson	McDowell	Streich
Anderson,	Halcrow	Morton	Steen
Sargent	Hardy	Muus	Streich
Arduser	Hart	Norden	Shurr
Bollinger	Haugland	Oberg	Swett
Burkhardt	Helbling	Olafson	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	Olson, Ransom	Tweten
Cart	Henne	Olson, Towner	Twitcheil
Craig	Hodges	Opland	Ulland

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Hoople	Orange	Veitch
Eckert	Jardine	Patterson	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Walker
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Watt
Erickson	Jones	Quam	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Rabe	Weld
Erickson	Kopp	Root	Yeater
16th Dist.	Lazier	Sathre, Steele	Mr. Speaker
Fedje	Levin	Sathre, Williams	
Flom	Link	Sims	
Frandsen	Maddock	Siominski	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Fratsberg	Martin	Peters	Sagen
Doyle			

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I am against this bill because I failed in having the fees reduced on small mortgages. I vote "no" on House Bill No. 308 for the reason that \$50.00 is entirely too large a fee in a \$500.00 mortgage foreclosure,—such as this bill provides. I vote "no" for the further reason that the South Dakota law allows "\$25.00 and no more." If they can foreclose for \$25.00 in that state they can do it here in our state. Therefore, I vote "no."

Mr. Twichell and Mr. Sathre also explained their votes.

House Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the sum of \$200,000 from any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River, Between Williams County, North Dakota, and McKenzie County, North Dakota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 84, nays 24, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Alderson,	Erickson	Larson	Root
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lazier	Rustad
Anderson,	Fedje	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Flom	Link	Sathre, Williams
Anderson,	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lynch	Siominski
Bollinger	Freeman	McManus	Sproul
Boyd	Halcrow	Maddock	Starke
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Steen
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Shurr
Cert	Heaton	Miller	Swett
Craig	Helbling	Morton	Traynor
Dougherty	Hoople	Muus	Twoten
Durkee	Iverson	Oberg	Twichell
Eckert	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Walker
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Watt
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kellogg	Quam	Weld
16th Dist.	Lackie	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
	Larkin	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Goranson	Jones	Orange
Brown	Hanson	Kelly	Peters
Carr	Hart	Kopp	Quade
Cole	Herapel	Lackey	Trubshaw
Currie	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Geiszler	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Doyle	Martin	Sagen
Burk			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Eckert moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 66 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Dr. E. Schnider, Kulm, N. D.; F. W. Masket, Lidgerwood, N. D.; Gott Gieser, Fredonia, N. D.; John Hoak, Fredonia, A. V. Zuber, Fessenden, H. F. Clapp, Fargo.

Mr. Sproul moved that the House do now recess until tomorrow at 10 o'clock A. M.

Which motion prevailed and the house recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTIETH DAY AFTER RECESS AND
FIFTY-FIRST DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 21, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

The House referred to the Eleventh Order of Business.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913 Relating to the Selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of Other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Leasehold Premises Held Under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners May Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Providing the Breadth of the Operation in Such Injunction by Making It Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include Any Place Within the State.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 98, nays none, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kelly	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Rabe
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lazier	Rustad
Sargent	Freeman	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Gelzler	Link	Slominski
Bollinger	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Hanson	Maddock	Streich
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Trubshaw
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Tweten
Carr	Heaton	Miller	Twitshell
Cart	Helbling	Morton	Ulland
Craig	Hempel	Muus	Veitch
Currie	Henne	Norden	Vogel
	Hodges	Oberg	Walker

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	Watt
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Eckert	Jardine	Opland	Yeater
Enr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Peters	
Erickson,	Jones	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Hart	McDowell	Starke
Bratsberg	Lackey	Sagen	Swett
Cole	Lackie	Sethre, Williams	Traynor
Fedge	Lynch	Sims	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners' Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays 21, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Root
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Levin	Rustad
Anderson,	Franson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Arduser	Geiszler	Lynch	Sproul
Bollinger	Halcrow	McManus	Starke
Brown	Hanson	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	Miller	Swett
Burns	Hart	Morton	Veitch
Carr	Haugland	Muus	Vogel
Cart	Heaton	Norden	Walker
Currie	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Iverson	Opland	Weld
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Yeater
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jones	Peters	
Elmer	Kelly	Plath	
Erickson	Kopp	Quam	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Rabe	
	Larson	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Goranson	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Sargent	Helbling	Oberg	Tweten
Craig	Jackson	Olafson	Twichell
Ellingson	Jardine	Quade	Ulland
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Steen	
Freeman	Martin	Traynor	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Fedge	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Hempel	Lakie	Sims
Burk	Hodges	McDowell	
Cole	Kellogg	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 959 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Preparation of Ballots for Constitutional Amendments and Extending the Same to Cover Initiated and Referred Measures.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 70, nays 34, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Johnson, Trail.	Quade
Burlingame	Frandsen	Kelly	Quam
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Kopp	Rabe
Brown	Freeman	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burk	Geisler	Larkin	Root
Burkhart	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Eurns	Halcrow	Lynch	Sagen
Carr	Hanson	McManus	Sathre, Steele
Craig	Harrington	Martin	Slominski
Currie	Hart	McGauvran	Sprout
Dougherty	Heaton	Muus	Starke
Durkee	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Eckert	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Ehr	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Twitshell
Ellingson	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Erickson	Jardine	Patterson	Veitch
16th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Fedge	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Haugland	Link	Streich
Burke-Divide	Helbling	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Arduser	Hempel	McCay	Swett
Bryans	Iverson	Miller	Tweten
Doyle	Jones	Morton	Vogel
Elmer	Kellogg	Oberg	walker
Erickson	Lakie	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Lazler	Opland	Weld
Hardy	Levin	Steen	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Bratsberg	Maddock	Sims
Sargent	Cart	McDowell	
Boyd	Cole	Sethre, Williams	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 204 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act Authorizing Abate-ments to Purchasers of Tax Certificates on State Land.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 64, nays 43, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Hanson	Lakie	Root
Burleigh	Harrington	Larson	Rustad
Bollinger	Hart	Levin	Sagen
Boyd	Heaton	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Hempel	McDowell	Slominski
Burk	Henne	McGauvran	Sproul
Burns	Hodges	Muus	Starke
Carr	Hoople	Norden	Shurr
Currie	Jackson	Olafson	Traynor
Dougherty	Jardine	Oison, Towner	Trubshaw
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Twichell
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Veitch
Fiom	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Watt
Freeman	Kellogg	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Geiszler	Kelly	Quade	
Goranson	Kopp	Rabe	
Halcrow	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Jones	Opland
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Larkin	Quam
Anderson	26th Dist.	Lazier	Steen
Sargent	Erickson	Link	Streich
Arduser	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Swett
Bryans	Fedge	McManus	Sweten
Burkhart	Frandson	Martin	Ulland
Cart	Fredrickson	McCay	Vogel
Craig	Hardy	Miller	Walker
Doyle	Haugland	Morton	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Helbling	Oberg	Weld
	Iverson	Oison, Ransom	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Eckert	Sethre, Williams	Sims
Cole	Maddock		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause was lost.

House Bill No. 227. A Bill for an Act Providing that Purchasers at Tax Sales of Lands Upon Which the State Has a Mortgage, Shall Take Certificates of Sale and Deeds, Subject to the Rights of the State Under Its Mortgage.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 85, nays 19, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 26th Dist.	Jones Kellogg	Quam Rabe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly Kopp	Radcliffe Root
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Flom	Lackey Lackie	Rustad Sagen
Arduser	Freeman	Larson Lazier	Sathre, Steele Slominski
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin Lynch	Sproul Starke
Boyd	Goranson	McManus McCay	Streich Shurr
Brown	Halcrow	Miller Muus	Swett Trubshaw
Bryans	Hanson	Norden Oberg	Tweten Twichell
Burk	Haugland	Olafson Olson, Townner	Ulland Veitch
Burkhart	Hart	Opland Orange	Weisbeck Weld
Burns	Heaton	Patterson Plath	Yeater Mr. Speaker
Cart	Hempel	Quade	
Cart	Itenne		
Cart	Hodges		
Currie	Hoople		
Doyle	Iverson		
Dougherty	Jardine		
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson		
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina		
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Haugland	Loudenbeck	O'son, Ransom
Elmer	Helbling	Martin	Steen
Franson	Jackson	McDowell	Traynor
Frederickson	Larkin	McGauvran	Walker
Hardy	Link	Morton	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Maddock	Sims	Watt
Cole	Peters	Vogel	
Eckert	Sethre, Williams		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The House reverted to the Fifth Order of Business.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Grossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and En-grossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Providing a method by which Taxing Districts May Make Short Time Borrowings and Conduct Their Current Business Upon a Cash Basis; Providing That No Warrants May be Issued in Excess of Cash on Hand; Providing for the Funding of Floating or Unfinished Indebtedness of Counties, Cities, Villages, Townships, School Districts, and Other Taxing Districts; making the County Treasurer Custodian of Sinking Funds of All Taxing Districts; Providing for the Registering of the County Auditor's Office of All Bond Issues and Certificates of Indebtedness; Prohibiting the Incurring Indebtedness in Excess of Anticipated Revenues; Making Criminal Certain Violations of This Act and Providing Penalties Therefor, and Repealing all Acts and of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

Also,

House Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Providing That Public Officials of Taxing Districts Issuing Certificates of Indebtedness or Bonds Shall Advertise for Bids in Certain Cases and Providing the Procedure to Be Followed in Connection Therewith, Prescribing Penalties for the Violation of this Act, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Also,

House Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act to Limit the Aggregate Amounts That May be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing Maximum Limitations Upon the Rate in Mills Which May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing a Prescribing Penalties for Violations of This Act by County Auditors; and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

And find the same correctly engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 21, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 372. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Inspection of Hotels and Restaurants; Prescribing Sanitary Requirements Therefor; Providing for Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; Providing for the Revocation of Licenses; Defining the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist with Regard to the Act; Providing for Penalties for Violation Thereof and Repealing Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 389. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Reservation of Mineral Rights and Providing for the Transfer of Same.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 330. A Bill for an Act to Authorize County Commissioners to Lay Out and Construct or Contract for the Construction of Highways on State Lines.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 392. A Bill for an Act to Provide a Custodian for the Property Belonging to the State of North Dakota Known as the Biological Station and Located on the Shores of Devils Lake, Ramsey County, North Dakota,

and to Designate the Purposes for Which Said Property May be Used.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 390. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Employment of a Married Woman in any Public Office in the State of North Dakota, Whose Husband is Able-bodied and Able to Earn a Living Wage, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 332. A bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694 and 695 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 199 of the Session Laws of 1915, Chapter 176 of the Session Laws of 1917, and Chapter 184 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Removal of Officials by the Governor.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 329. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 33 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Rehearings of the Determination of Inheritance Taxes, and Providing that No Report Need Be Made to the Tax Commissioner in Case of Insolvent Estates.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Establish a State Highway Commission, Prescribing its Powers and Duties, Fixing the Salaries of the Commission and the Employees Thereof, Authorizing the Engagement of Employees and Repealing All Acts and All Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 364. A Joint Resolution Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Burkhart asked unanimous consent of the House to amend House Bill No. 131.

Which consent was granted.

Mr. Burkhart moved to amend House Bill No. 131 by adding the following: "Section 12. This act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval."

Which motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Peters moved a suspension of the rules, that House Bill No. 131 be considered properly engrossed and placed upon third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act to Limit the Aggregate Amounts that May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing Maximum Limitations Upon the Rate in Mills Which May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing a Method of Suspending Such Limitations in Certain Cases; Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 45, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Kellogg	Plath
Burleigh	Freeman	Kopp	Radeliffe
Bollinger	Geiszler	Kopp	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Lakie	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Hanson	Larkin	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	Larson	Sproul
Burkhart	Hart	Levin	Traynor
Burns	Heaton	McCay	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	McDowell	Twitchell
Currie	Henne	McGauvran	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Miller	Veitch
Durkee	Jackson	Norden	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Olafson	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Orange	
Frandsen	Jones	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Morton	Steen
Burke-Divide	Goranson	Muus	Streich
Anderson,	Hardy	Oberg	Shurr
Sargent	Haugland	Olson, Ransom	Swett
Arduser	Helbling	Patterson	Tweten
Bryans	Hodges	Quade	Vogel
Cart	Iverson	Quam	Walker
Craig	Lackey	Rabe	Weisbeck
Doyle	Lazier	Root	Weld
Erickson	Link	Sagen	Yeater
26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele	
Erickson	McManus	Sims	
16th Dist.	Martin	Starke	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Eckert	Lynch	Maddock
Cole			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause was lost.

Mr. Bryans: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have same recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on House Bill No. 131 because I think this limitation is too low to permit the schools to carry on their work. They will be compelled to have an election every year in order to carry on their work. Therefore, I vote "no."

Mr. Loudenbeck: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on this measure because it will be impossible for our schools to operate on this levy. The limitation is too low and I, therefore, vote "no."

Mr. Sathre of Steele: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have same recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on this bill for the reason that the limitation placed on school districts is too low, and the result will be that many of our high schools will be crippled and their efficiency destroyed.

Mr. Starke also explained his vote.

Mr. Jardine moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 131 was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 21, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 387. A Bill for an Act Designating the Sheriff of the Different Counties in the State as Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures, and Giving Him Power to Appoint a Deputy Inspector; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Prescribing Fees to be Charged for Inspection; Providing for Complaints and Penalties for Its Violation; Providing for Inspectors' Compensation; Naming Custodian of State Standards and Prescribing His Duties; and Repealing Sections 2999, 3000, 3003, 3004, 3005 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, and Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 46. A Joint Resolution for an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Establishment of a State Highway Commission, for the Establishment of a System of State Highways and for the Establishment of a State Highway Fund.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$54,000.00 for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River From Burleigh County to Morton County in the State of North Dakota Under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Sixteenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, Approved March 5, 1919, in Addition to the Sums Appropriated by Chapter 4 of the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly, Approved December 12, 1919, and Chapter 6 of the Laws Passed at the Seventeenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota Approved March 9, 1921, and That Such Appropriation Be Made From the State Highway Fund.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 394. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, Supervising and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxi Cab, or Auto Livery, Places Where Soft Drinks Are Sold, or Public Halls Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes, Providing the Licensing Fees Therefor and Repealing Chapter 84 of the Session Laws of 1921, and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Herewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 388. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Renewal of the Period of Corporate Existence of Certain Corporations whose Period of Duration has Expired Without the Renewal Thereof, and Legalizing Acts and Contracts of Such Corporations Made or Done and Performed Subsequent to the Expiration of the Original Period of Existence of Such Corporations, and Providing that this Act Shall Take Effect Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 397. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 11291, 11292, 11293 and 11294 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Paroling Inmates of the State Training School.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 366. A Bill for an Act Relating to Intra-state Freight Rates in North Dakota, Fixing the Maximum Rates and Charges for Transportation of Freight Intra-state, Providing Penalties and Punishment for the Violation Thereof, and Defining the Duties and Powers of the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Providing that Public Officials of Taxing Districts Issuing Certificates of Indebtedness or Bonds Shall Advertise for Bids in Certain Cases and Providing the Procedure to be Followed in Connection Therewith, Prescribing Penalties for the Violation of This Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 47, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	Geisler	Larkin	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Brown	Harrington	McManus	Slominski
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Hempel	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Muus	Trubshaw
Currie	Jackson	Norden	Twitcheil
Dougherty	Jardine	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Kellogg	Plath	
Flom	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Frandsen	Martin	Streich
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	McGay	Shurr
Anderson,	Goranson	Miller	Swett
Sargent	Hardy	Morton	Tweten
Arduser	Haugland	Oberg	Vogel
Bryans	Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Burkhart	Hoople	Opland	Weisbeck
Cart	Iverson	Patterson	Weld
Craig	Jones	Quam	Yeater
Doyle	Lakie	Root	
Erickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele	
26th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams	
Erickson,	Link	Sims	
16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Starke	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fedge	Hodges	Maddock
Cole	Heaton	Lackey	Steen
Eckert			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 130 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

House Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Providing a method by which Taxing Districts May Make Short Time Borrowings and Conduct Their Current Business Upon a Cash Basis; Providing That No Warrants May be Issued in Excess of Cash on Hand; Providing for the Funding of Float-

ing or Unfinished Indebtedness of Counties, Cities, Villages, Townships, School Districts, and Other Taxing Districts; making the County Treasurer Custodian of Sinking Funds of All Taxing Districts; Providing for the Registering of the County Auditor's Office of All Bond Issues and Certificates of Indebtedness; Prohibiting the Incurring Indebtedness in Excess of Anticipated Revenues; Making Criminal Certain Violations of This Act, and Providing Penalties Therefor, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 49, absent and not voting 6.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	Geisler	Kopp	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lakie	Rustad
Boyd	Larson	Larkin	Sagen
Brown	Hardy	Larson	Stominski
Burk	Harrington	Lynch	Sproul
Burns	Hart	McManus	Starke
Carr	Heaton	McDowell	Trayner
Dougherty	Henne	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Durkee	Jackson	Muus	Twichell
Eckert	Jardine	Norden	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Townner	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Fransson	Kellogg	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Link	Sims
Anderson,	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Steen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Martin	Streich
Arduser	Goranson	McCay	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Miller	Swett
Burkhart	Helbling	Morton	Tweten
Cart	Hempel	Oberg	Vogel
Craig	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Doyle	Hoople	Opland	Weisbeck
Elmer	Iverson	Patterson	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Rabe	Yeater
26th Dist.	Lakie	Rott	
	Lazier	Sathre, Steele	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Currie	Peters
Cole	Maddock	Quam

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 129 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The House Messaged the following bills to the Senate: House Bills Nos. 312, 301, 297, 105, 267, 207, 104, 111, 114,

92, 206, 215, 222, 66, 239, 172, 204, 139, 227, 131, 130, 129.

The House referred to the Fifth Order of Business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 19. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the State Pool Hall Statutes.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Miller moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Miller to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

House Bill No. 246. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 241, Session Laws 1919, Designating the State Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, Sealer and Inspector of Weights and Measures; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Providing Penalties and Repealing Sections 2998, 3001 and 3002 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to the Inspection and Sealing of Weights, Fixing Fees, Authorizing the Appointment of Deputy Inspectors and Providing for Their Compensation and Regulating the Use and Sale of Weights and Measures.

And recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. C. MILLER,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the Chair.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.
The House referred to the Twelfth Order of Business.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 21, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following Concurrent Resolution, introduced by Senators Inger-son and Baird:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, All workable coal fields within the State of North Dakota lie west of an imaginary north and south line drawn approximately through the City of Bismarck, North Dakota, and owing to flat increases of railroad rates during the period of United States Government operation of railroads the differentials between the various mines operated within the district above described, have been so increased as to prohibit free competition; and

WHEREAS, Previous to said government operation, said differential did not exceed thirty cents per ton of two thousand pounds between any mines within the district, by virtue of which the vast lignite fields in the western part of this state were developed, promoting competition in the coal industry; and

WHEREAS, During the operation of the railroads by the United States Railroad Administration, horizontal raises in freight rates were made, thus greatly increasing the differentials between the various mines which raises were especially detrimental to the mines in the western part of the state; and

WHEREAS, During the times of abnormal prices the horizontal raises in freight rates have not been so serious as to prevent operation; and

WHEREAS, We are approaching the pre-war competitive conditions and it is essential that free competition be re-established to insure reasonable cost to the consumer; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Senate of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of North Dakota be requested and directed to prepare, publish and put in operation just and reasonable rates on lignite coal, following as far as possible the plan and differentials established by the Railroad Commissioners and set out in Northern Pacific Railroad Company's lignite freight tariff issued October 28th, 1915, said rates to be established and promulgated within sixty days if possible.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 19., 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution Introduced by Senator B. F. Baker:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Introduced by B. F. Baker.

Be it Resolved by the Senate of the State of North Dakota the House of Representatives concurring therein:

That, Whereas, by Section 19a of the Interstate Commerce Act, providing for the valuation by the Interstate Commerce Commission of the properties of common carriers, it is provided that "such investigation shall show the value of its property in each of the several States and Territories and the District of Columbia classified and in detail as herein required;" and

Whereas, the Commission in its valuation reports thus far made has shown the values of properties covered by such reports in each case as a whole only, and has failed to show the values thereof "in each of the several states and territories and the District of Columbia;" and

Whereas, the Bureau of Valuation of said Commission has recommended to the Commission that it request Congress to relieve it from showing the values of said properties by States; and

Whereas, it is desirable for various uses and purposes that such valuation shall be shown separately by states, as aforesaid;

RESOLVED, That the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota now in session expresses its view that the Interstate Commerce Commission should show as to each interstate carrier the value of its property in each of the several states in which said property exists, and that no change in the law to sanction failure to make such showing to be sought or made; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be filed in the office of the Secretary of State and by him mailed to each United States Senator and each member of Congress from North Dakota.

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 19, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Introduced by Senator Ettestad.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Etestad

Be it Resolved by the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives Concurring:

Whereas, It has been the custom of the parties who engross and enroll bills to re-engross and re-enroll such bills whenever there is the slightest amendment, such as the placing of a comma or the correction of spelling in a word; and

Whereas, the cost for such re-engrossing and enrolling is the same as the original engrossing and enrolling; and

Whereas, In most cases slight corrections can easily be made without re-engrossing and re-enrolling such bills;

Therefore be it Resolved, That the respective committees on engrossing of bills of the Senate and the House be requested by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein, to meet and make arrangements so that in the future bills, where there is a slight error, may be corrected without re-engrossing and re-enrolling the entire bill.

Be it Further Resolved, That copies of this resolution be by the Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the House submitted to the Auditor, Secretary of State and the Governor of the State of North Dakota.

Which the senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

At the request of Mr. Hempel the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Hempel moved that the communication from Congressman Burtness just read from the desk together with the letter from Congressman Sinclair, printed in the Senate Journal of February 17th, be printed in the House Journal.

Mr. Larkin moved that the communication from Senator Ladd also be included with those mentioned by Mr. Hempel.

Which motion prevailed and the Speaker ordered the communications printed.

Washington, D. C.,
February 10, 1923.

Hon. A. B. Jackson, Jr.,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
My Dear Mr. Jackson:

Secretary Hall has forwarded to me a copy of the Concurrent Resolution introduced by yourself on the

subject of a Minimum guaranteed price on wheat, and I shall see that this is brought to the attention of the Congress.

As you may be aware, over a year ago I introduced my first bill for a stabilized price on farm products, and I have been doing my utmost to obtain the passage of legislation of that kind since that time. While a bill of this character was regarded as being too progressive when originally introduced the condition of agriculture and business generally has grown so much worse that it is now conceded by nearly all farmers and a large number of business men that we must have some such action if agriculture is to be restored to a paying basis. My Bill has been endorsed by leading farm and business organizations all over the country, and as long ago as last winter was similarly endorsed by the legislature of the State of Maryland representing a million and a half persons. Upon my return to Washington this fall, I introduced what is known as the Norris-Sinclair bill for the relief of agriculture, a copy of which I am enclosing you. Under separate cover I am mailing you the hearings. I am deeply pleased to have the backing of our own legislature in my efforts here, and the only regret that this resolution was not passed by you at the beginning of your session. As you will appreciate, at this late hour when the Congress is drawing to a close, it is not possible for me to obtain for it the full consideration it merits. Kindly convey to your colleagues my appreciation of the action taken, and my assurance that I am sparing no endeavor to carry out your wishes.

Yours very truly,

J. H. SINCLAIR,
Chairman.

Congress of the United States,

House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.
February 12, 1923.

Hon. Roy H. Johnson, Speaker,
House of Representatives,
Bismarck, N. D.
Dear Mr. Johnson:

I have just received from the office of the Secretary of State a copy of the concurrent resolution introduced by Mr. A. B. Jackson, which in substance urges Congress to take cognizance of the present situation of the northwestern wheat farmer, and to guarantee a minimum price of \$1.50 per bushel on wheat during the present emergency.

I have read the resolution very carefully, and it epitomizes the exact arguments that the entire North

Dakota delegation in the House has been making to the Agricultural Committee during the past year and a half. We appreciate being backed up in this way by the Legislative Assembly of the state. Every allegation contained in the resolution can be substantiated by undisputed facts.

I regret to have to report, however, that it is impossible to get a favorable report upon such legislation from the Agricultural Committee. Several bills with such an object in view have been pending for more than a year. A majority of the Committee, as well as a majority of Congress, seems to feel that it would not be justified in guaranteeing a net price on any commodity and have the United States Treasury take care of the loss which might be incurred in connection therewith. Briefly, they argue that if they start doing so with one commodity, where would they stop.

As so well stated in your concurrent resolution, the situation is very much different in the case of wheat from what it is in connection with any other commodity, for the federal guarantee of wheat prices during the war period operated to the disadvantage of the wheat grower, and the government did, in fact, upon that very wheat, make a profit of \$50,000,000 for the sole reason that the wheat was bought by the government at a lower price than the producer would have received had the ordinary laws of supply and demand.

At any rate, your resolution will be referred to the House, and in turn referred to the Agricultural Committee thereof for its consideration.

If the work done on behalf of price stabilization will not bring about legislation to that direct effect, it does at least do some good in calling attention to the agricultural conditions, and in procuring other legislation such as credit legislation, tariff legislation, co-operative legislation, etc., for the good of agriculture.

Assuring you of my earnest co-operation in this work I remain

Very respectfully,

O. B. BURTNESS.

United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

February 10, 1923

Mr. C. F. Cushing,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
Dear Mr. Cushing:

I beg to acknowledge copy of concurrent resolution of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, the resolution being in effect a petition to Congress to stabilize the price of wheat at \$1.50 as an emergency measure.

I am very glad to have this and shall introduce the same at once into Congress.

Very truly yours,

E. F. LADD,

The House referred to the Thirteenth Order of Business.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Establish a State Highway Commission, Prescribing its Powers and Duties, Fixing the Salaries of the Commission and the Employees Thereof, Authorizing the Engagement of Employees and Repealing All Acts and All Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Senate Bill No. 46. A Joint Resolution for an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Establishment of a State Highway Commission, for the Establishment of a System of State Highways and for the Establishment of a State Highway Fund.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Senate Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$117,338.00 as an Offset for Federal Aid in Extension Division Work of the Agricultural College.

Was read the first and second times and referred to Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$1,027,933.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Equipment etc., of the State University at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Teachers' College at Valley City, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$292,250.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements, Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Purchase of Live Stock, for the Experiment Station at the Agricultural College at Fargo, for the Biennium.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$56,600.00 for the Enforcement of the Feeding Stuffs, Fertilizer, Beverage and Sanitary Inspection Laws.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$54,000.00 for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River From Burleigh County to Morton County in the State of North Dakota Under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Sixteenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, Approved March 5, 1919, in Addition to the Sums Appropriated by Chapter 4 of the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly, Approved December 12, 1919, and Chapter 6 of the Laws Passed at the Seventeenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota Approved March 9, 1921, and That Such Appropriation Be Made From the State Highway Fund.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2078, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 223, Session Laws of 1919, and Chapter 122, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Exemption of Certain Property From Taxation.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$573,118.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, and Equipment of the Agricultural College, Fargo, for the Biennium.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act Amending and Repealing Chapter 153, Laws of 1909, the Same Being Sections 1404 to 1414 Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, Regulating the employment of Child Labor and to Provide for the Enforcement Thereof, and to Prescribe Penalties for Violations of the Act.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 183. A Bill for an Act to Regulate Certain Occupations of Children in Streets and Public Places.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9637 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Prescribing of an Oath.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 236. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Cancellation, Conversion and Exchange of Bonds Issued Under and by Virtue of Chapter 128, Session Laws of 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Assessment of Telephone Property, Providing for a Tax on Gross Earnings of Telephone Companies in Lieu of the General Property Tax on the Property of Such Companies Used Exclusively in Connection with the Operation of Their Telephone Business, and in Lieu of Any Franchise, Excise or Income Tax, upon Such Companies; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 126 of the Laws of 1917, as Amended by Chapter 110 of the Laws of 1919 and as Further Amended by Chapter 21 of the Laws of 1921.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 122 of the Session Laws of 1921.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 220 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State With Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for the Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court With Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation Proceedings, and Requesting it to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner, Fixing His Compensation, and Defining His Powers and Authority.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 272. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Method of Levying Tax for the Care of Patients at the Hospital for the Insane, Institution for the Feeble Minded and the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium; Providing the Method of Settlement Between County and State; Providing a Penalty for Failure to Pay; Providing a Method of Settling Disputed Claims and Repealing Sections 2572 and

2573, Compiled Laws of 1913 and All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act Transferring to the Industrial Commission the Custody, Control and Management of the Property and Assets of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, for the Purpose of Liquidating and Winding up the Business and Affairs of said Home Building Association of North Dakota, Defining the Powers and Authority of the Industrial Commission With Reference Thereto, Defining the Rights and Liabilities of Applicants for Homes and Purchasers, and Repealing Chapter 150 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and Chapter 39 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 280. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7643 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 133, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Directed Verdicts.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 283. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 9868, 9869, 9870, 9871, 9872, 9873, 9874, 9875 and 9876 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Burglary, House Breaking and Unlawful Entering.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 284. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 782, 783, 784, 787, 799, 808, 809, 810, 811 and 812 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 69 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919, Relating to the Creating of a State Bar Board, Its Members, Their Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and the Issuance of License to Practice.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 286. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 25 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Create, Define and Establish the Bar Association of the State of North Dakota, and Providing for the Publication of Its Proceedings and Filing Copies Thereof with the State Bar Board and State Libraries, and as Otherwise Provided and Making an Appropriation for the Expenses Connected Therewith.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 289. A Bill for an Act Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Have Power to Abate Certain Assessments Levied by Boards of Irrigation Districts Upon Application of the District Board Approved by the Director of the Reclamation Service.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Drainage and Irrigation.

Senate Bill No. 300. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2110 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 221 of the Session Laws of 1919 and Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Taxation of Corporate Excess.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Relating to School Finances; Providing That Each School Board or Board of Education of Any District School District Shall Annually Prepare a Budget of Proposed Expenditures; Providing for Publication of Such Budget and of the Proposed Levy; Providing for a Public Hearing in Regard to the Proposed Expenditures and Levy; Fixing a Date for Levy; Providing that all Expenditures Must Conform to the Budget as Adopted, and that all Unappropriated Balances in any Fund at the End of the Fiscal Year Shall Become a Part of the General Fund; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent With the Provisions of this Act.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 325. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 551, 552 and 557 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Governing the Practice of Certified Public Accountants in the state, and Providing a Penalty for Violation of the Laws Governing Accountancy.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 329. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 33 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Rehearings of the Determination of Inheritance Taxes, and Providing that No Report Need Be Made to the Tax Commissioner in Case of Insolvent Estates.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 330. A Bill for an Act to Authorize County Commissioners to Lay Out and Construct or Contract for the Construction of Highways on State Lines.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Senate Bill No. 332. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694 and 695 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 199 of the Session Laws of 1915, Chapter 176 of the Session Laws of 1917, and Chapter 184 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Removal of Officials by the Governor.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 335. A Bill for an Act to Create the Office of State Food Commissioner and Chemist; Providing for His Appointment, Term of Office, Removal and Salary; Defining His Powers and Duties; Defining the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Administration Relating Thereto; Creating a State Regulatory Fund and Providing for Payments Therefrom and Repealing Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with this Act and Especially Repealing Sections Two and Five of Chapter Two Hundred of the Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 337. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Bounty for the Destruction of Magpies and Crows.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 339. A Joint Resolution for an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, Providing for the Issue of Bonds for the Erection of Dormitories for the State's Educational Institutions.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 342. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Subdivision 2 of Section 1 and Section 13a of Chapter 231 of the Session Laws of 1917 as Amended by Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, and to Amend Section 2 of Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Inheritance Taxes Upon Estates of Deceased Non-Residents.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 346. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Creation of Deficits by State Officials, State Boards and Heads of State Institutions, and Prescribing a Penalty for the Violations of this Act.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 357. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Creation of a Commission for the Purpose of Making a Study of the Lignite Industry and Reporting to the Next Regular Session of the Legislature Its Findings with Respect to Methods of Developing Such Industry, and

Providing an Appropriation for the Purpose of Defraying Necessary Expenses.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 364. A Joint Resolution Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 366. A Bill for an Act Relating to Intra-state Freight Rates in North Dakota, Fixing the Maximum Rates and Charges for Transportation of Freight Intra-state, Providing Penalties and Punishment for the Violation Thereof, and Defining the Duties and Powers of the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Senate Bill No. 371. A Bill for an Act for the Protection of Health and Prevention of Fraud and Deception in Articles of Food and Drugs; for the Prevention of Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; Requiring Labeling Thereof; Providing for Sales by Weight, Measure or Numerical Count; Providing for Fixing of Standards of Purity and Quality and Fitness of Consumption; Prescribing the Duties of the State Board of Administration and Providing for the Appointment of a State Food Commissioner and Chemist and Prescribing His Duties and Powers; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act; Defining Certain Offenses in Connection Therewith; Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Certain Acts Relating Thereto.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 372. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Inspection of Hotels and Restaurants; Prescribing Sanitary Requirements Therefor; Providing for Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; Providing for the Revocation of Licenses; Defining the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist with Regard to the Act; Providing for Penalties for Violation Thereof and Repealing Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 373. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Fraud and Deception in the Manufacture and Sale of Beverages; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act and to Provide Penalties for Violations Thereof and to Repeal Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 374. A Bill for an Act to Establish a Uniform Egg Law Regulating the Handling of Eggs within This State; Preventing the Sale and Traffic in Eggs Unfit for Human Food; Requiring Labeling and Candling; Providing for Licenses for Dealers in Eggs and for the Collection and Disposition of License Fees; Providing for Rules and Regulations and the Enforcement of the Act and Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Acts Relating Thereto.

Was read the first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 379. A Bill for an Act to Regulate the Sale of Petroleum Products; to Provide for the Inspection of Kerosene and Gasoline; to Provide Specifications Therefor; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide for Inspection Fees, Collection and Disposition of Same; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Inspection of Lubricating and Power Oils; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Act; to Provide Penalties for the Violation Thereof and to Repeal Existing Acts Relating Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 21, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Conduct of the Business of Warehouses and Providing Penalties for its Violation.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 395. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3969 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Section 79 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and of Chapter 32 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Excluding Farm Lands from the Limits of City, Town and Villages.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 396. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10943 and 10944 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and Section 10948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Indetermined Sentences of Persons Convicted of Certain Crimes, and the Discharge or Paroling of Prisoners Serving Indeterminate

Sentences, Abolishing the Board of Experts, and Repealing All Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act Re-establishing the North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association, Defining Its Powers and Duties, and Providing for the Control, Management and Operation of State Owned Grain Warehouses, Elevators and Flour Mills and the Conduct of All Business Relating Thereto, Especially as Relates to the State Owned Mill and Elevator at Grand Forks and Providing for the Appointment of a Board of Managers Thereof and Repealing Chapter 152 Laws of North Dakota 1919, Entitled "An Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Business of Manufacturing and Marketing of Farm Products, and for Establishing a Warehouse, Elevator and Flour Mill System Under the Name of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of Its Operation, and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with Its Management; and Making an Appropriation Therefor."

Also,

Senate Bill No. 45. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 6, 11, 12, 16 and 17 of Chapter 44 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1919, Relating to the Registration and Licensing of Motor Vehicles, the Creation of a State Highway Fund, the Distribution of Such Fund, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 369. A Bill for an Act to Eliminate Railroad Grade Crossings and Other Dangerous Places on State and County Highways.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 31 of the Special Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Purchase of Dairy Cattle by Counties.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Limit County Road and Bridge Tax Levies; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,

Secretary.

FIRST AND SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 386. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 16, 33, 44, 49, 56, 62, 83, 88 and 89 of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Regulating the Operation of All Coal Mines in North Dakota; Providing for Their Inspection; Creating the Office of Coal Mining Inspector; Fixing His Qualifications, Duties, Powers and Compensation; Providing for His Appointment; Creating a Board of Examiners; Fixing Its Powers and Compensation; Providing the Method of Appointment Thereof; Providing for the Registry, Examination and Issuing of Certificates to Certain Employees of Coal Mines.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Senate Bill No. 387. A Bill for an Act Designating the Sheriff of the Different Counties in the State as Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures, and Giving Him Power to Appoint a Deputy Inspector; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Prescribing Fees to be Charged for Inspection; Providing for Complaints and Penalties for its Violation; Providing for Inspectors' Compensation; Naming Custodian of State Standards and Prescribing His Duties; and Repealing Sections 2999, 3000, 3003, 3004, 3005 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 and Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 388. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Renewal of the Period of Corporate Existence of Certain Corporations Whose Period of Duration Has Expired Without the Renewal Thereof, and Legalizing Acts and Contracts of Such Corporations Made or Done and Performed Subsequent to the Expiration of the Original Period of Existence of Such Corporations, and Providing that This Act Shall Take Effect Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Corporations Other Than Municipal.

Senate Bill No. 389. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Reservation of Mineral Rights and Providing for the Transfer of Same.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 390. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Employment of a Married Woman in Any Public Office in the State of North Dakota, Whose Husband Is Able-bodied and Able to Earn a Living Wage, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 392. A Bill for an Act to Provide a Custodian for the Property Belonging to the State of North Dakota Known as the Biological Station and Located on the Shores of Devils Lake, Ramsey County, North Dakota, and to Designate the Purposes for Which Said Property May Be Used.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 394. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, Supervising and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxi Cab or Auto Livery, Places Where Soft Drinks Are Sold or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes, Providing the Licensing Fees Therefor and Repealing Chapter 84 of the Session Laws of 1921, and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 397. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 11291, 11292, 11293 and 11294 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Paroling Inmates of the State Training School.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 45. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 6, 11, 12, 16 and 17 of Chapter 44 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1919, Relating to the Registration and Licensing of Motor Vehicles, the Creation of a State Highway Fund, the Distribution of Such Fund, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Senate Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 31 of the Special Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Purchase of Dairy Cattle by Counties.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Livestock.

Senate Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Limit County Road and Bridge Tax Levies; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Senate Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Conduct of the Business of Warehouses and Providing Penalties for its Violation.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Warehouses and Grain Grading.

Senate Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act Re-establishing its Powers and Duties, and Providing for the Control, the North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association, Defining **Management and Operation of State Owned Grain Warehouses, Elevators and Flour Mills and the Conduct of all Business Relating Thereto, Especially as Relates to the State Owned Mill and Elevator at Grand Forks and Providing for the Appointment of a Board of Managers Thereof and Repealing Chapter 152 Laws of North Dakota 1919, Entitled "An Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Business of Manufacturing and Marketing of Farm Products, and for Establishing a Warehouse, Elevator and Flour Mill System Under the Name of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation, and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; and Making an Appropriation Therefor."**

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 369. A Bill for an Act to Eliminate Railroad Grade Crossings and Other Dangerous Places on State and County Highways.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Senate Bill No. 395. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3969 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Section 79 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and of Chapter 32 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Excluding Farm Lands from the Limits of City, Town and Villages.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 396. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10943 and 10944 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and Section 10948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Indetermined Sentences of Persons Convicted of Certain Crimes, and the Discharge or Paroling of Prisoners Serving Indeterminate Sentences, Abolishing the Board of Experts, and Repealing All Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 363. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Regulating and Fixing the Hours of Labor for Females, and Providing Penalties for the Violation Thereof.

Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 21, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 363. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Regulating and Fixing the Hours of Labor for Females, and Providing Penalties for the Violation Thereof.

Which the Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 21, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has passed the emergency clause to Senate Bill No. 255.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 21, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following resolution introduced by Senator Baird:

RESOLUTION

Introduced by L. R. Baird

A Resolution requiring the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to reduce premium rates and giving the Governor, State Auditor and State Treasurer certain powers with reference to premiums.

Whereas, There is in our state a very wide-spread complaint that the rates charged by the Workmen's Compensation Bureau for protection under many of the classifications for which protective insurance is provided by that Bureau, as compared with the rates charged by private companies for similar protection given to employees, and as compared to the cost of

employers of similar protection when afforded by the employees and

Whereas, the fund of \$1,182,277.11 already accumulated the most of which is in reserve funds which are very much in excess of the current needs of the Bureau, and

Whereas, It is only under the greatest strain that it is possible for employers of labor to maintain full capacity operation and thus insure, to those who are dependent upon the operation of such enterprises and industries, continued employment, and

Whereas, Because of the serious financial depression in our midst it is contrary to good business principles to attempt to accumulate a larger surplus in any fund than that which is actually needed for current operation.

Now, Therefore, Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota: That the Workmen's Compensation Bureau shall forthwith make such reduction in all rates to all insurers now in good standing or who may become in good standing by payment of past due premiums on the basis of present rates, as will result in a fifty per cent. average reduction in the income from premiums charged, and to continue to operate at such reduced rates until the Workmen's Compensation Bureau's Claim Reserve is reduced to \$250,000, and the Statutory Surplus Reserve to \$125,000.00 and that when the reserve has been so reduced such increase in the rates may be made as may be authorized by the Governor, the State Treasurer, and the State Auditor acting as a Board of Adjusters, in that matter, by authority hereby vested in them, and as state officials who are in close contact with the financial condition of all departments of state government.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Was read the first and second times and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Patterson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-FIRST DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 21, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 10 o'clock pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. S. F. Halfyard.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Anderson of Burleigh, Cart, Olafson, Olson of Towner, Swett and Watt.

Mr. Veitch moved that all the absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on Railroads made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Railroads to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 244. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4709 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Free Passes, Franks and Special Privileges Prohibited and Exceptions.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. D. ROOT,
Chairman.

Mr. Root moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3718 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Extension of Water Main Assessments.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 220. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. President: Your committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 49th day after recess and the 50th day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 3 strike out all of line 6.

At the bottom of the roll call on page 5 strike out the following "So the bill was lost."

On page 11 just above House Bill No. 224 insert "Emergency clause carried."

On page 12 just below "W. E. Parsons, Secretary," insert the following: "The chair appointed Messrs Jackson, Lynch and Twichell to serve with the Senate Conference Committee."

On page 27 under House Bill No. 297 insert between 70B and 70D "70C."

On page 33 of the roll call on House Bill No. 257 Jackson should be recorded as voting Aye. Iverson is reported as votnig twice.

On page 36 Orange is reported as voting "Aye." Should be reported as absent and not voting.

On page 37, bottom of roll call of House Bill No. 30, strike out the word "carried" and insert in lieu the word "lost."

On page 47, near the bottom of page after "Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted" insert "Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended and House Bill No. 131 be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage. Which motion prevailed.

On page 49 toward the bottom of page, change House Bill No. 129 to House Bill No. 130.

On page 52 near bottom of page just above "The Conference Committee, etc." insert the following: "Mr. Jardine moved that the rules be suspended and House Bill No. 129 be placed on third reading and final passage. Which motion prevailed."

On page 54 correct the spelling of the word "leave."

On page 57 Hempel is reportel as voting Nay. Should be Aye.

On page 63 under House Bill No. 104 the word "Five" should be changed to "Ten."

On page 64 under House Bill No. 111 the same correction.

On page 65 under House Bill No. 114 the same correction.

On page 68 between 18 and 19 insert the following: "Mr. Speaker: Mr. Burkhart changes his vote from Aye to No for the purpose of reconsideration."

On page 73 under the courtes yof the floor, then names Roy R. Weld and J. L. Hart should be stricken out.

On page 73 House Bill No. 77 should be stricken off the Calendar.

On page 77 under House Bill No. 246 the word "Designing" should be "Designating."

On page 3 on H. B. 169 Erickson should be shown voting aye instead of absent and not voting.

On Page 6 strike out Yeater as voting "I" on Bill 205.

On page 7 strike out "Yeater" in negative vote on Bill No. 306.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5608 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 110., nays 2, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Lackey	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lakie	Rabe
Anderson	Fedge	Larkin	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Root
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lazier	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Sagen
Arduser	Freeman	Link	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Gelszter	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Sims
Brown	Halcrow	McManus	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	Maddock	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Steen
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Streich
Carr	Haugland	McCauvran	Shurr
Cart	Heaton	Miller	Swett
Cole	Helbling	Morton	Traynor
Craig	Hempel	Muus	Trubshaw
Currie	Henne	Norden	Tweten
Doyle	Hodges	Oberg	Twichell
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Veltch
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Watt
Elmer	Jones	Patterson	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kellogg	Peters	Weld
26th Dist.	Kelly	Plath	Yeater
	Kopp	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Hoople	Jackson

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.
Bratsberg

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1334 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 105, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Common School Districts.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 93, nays 6, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Larson	Rustad
Anderson	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Geiszler	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Halcrow	Maddock	Sims
Bollinger	Hanson	Martin	Slominski
Boyd	Hardy	McCay	Sproul
Bratsberg	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Streich
Bryans	Heaton	Morton	Shurr
Burk	Helbling	Norden	Swett
Burkhart	Henne	Oberg	Trubshaw
Burns	Hodges	Olafson	Tweten
Cart	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Craig	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Doyle	Jardine	Opland	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Walker
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Watt
Erickson,	Jones	Plath	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	Weld
	Kelly	Quam	Yeater
Erickson	Kopp	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Frandsen	Larkin	Link	Steen
Hoople	Levin		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Dougherty	Erickson	Muus
Carr	Durkee	Hempel	Traynor
Cole	Eckert	Lynch	
Currie	Goranson	Miller	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Entitled, an Act Relating to Lophophora Williamsii or Peyote (Pellote) and Agava Americana (Commonly Known as Mescal); Prohibiting the Use of Possession Thereof, Traffic Therein, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of this Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 3, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Anderson	Fredrickson	Laxer	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Levin	Sagen
Anderson,	Geiszler	Link	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Halcrow	McManus	Sims
Bollinger	Hardy	Maddock	Slominski
Boyd	Harrington	Martin	Sproul
Brown	Hart	McCay	Starke
Bryans	Haugland	McDowell	Steen
Burk	Heaton	McGauvran	Streich
Burns	Hempel	Merton	Shurr
Cart	Henne	Muus	Swett
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Iverson	Oberg	Tweten
Doyle	Jackson	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Walker
Erickson	Jones	Patterson	Watt
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Peters	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kelly	Plath	Weid
16th Dist.	Kopp	Quade	Yeater
Fedje	Lackey	Quam	Mr. Speaker
	Lakie	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hanson	Helbling	Hoople

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Cole	Elmer	Miller
Burkhart	Eckert	Lynch	Traynor
Carr			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Hanson: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote. I voted "no" on Senate Bill No. 115 because I do not understand the bill.

Senate Bill No. 167. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enacting Section 1275 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Special School Districts.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as

amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 11, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Burleigh	Flom	Lakte	Radcliffe
Anderson	Fredrickson	Larkin	Root
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Larson	Rustad
Anderson,	Geiszler	Lazier	Sagen
Sargent	Goranson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Hardy	Lynch	Sims
Boyd	Harrington	McManus	Slominski
Brown	Hart	Martin	Sproul
Bryans	Haugland	McCay	Starke
Burk	Heaton	McDowell	Streich
Burkhart	Helbling	McGauvran	Shurr
Burns	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Carr	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Cart	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland
Doyle	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Vogel
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Plath	Weld
Erickson	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Hanson	Link	Steen
26th Dist.	Hoople	Oberg	Swett
Frandsen	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Craig	Maddock	Traynor
Cole	Eckert	Miller	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 21, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bill:

House Bill No. 211. A Bill for an act to Require Insurance Companies to Make Prompt Settlement of Loss.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Consolidation of Merger of Banking Associations Regulating the Procedure and Providing for Supervision Thereof, and Providing a Limitation of Actions.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 62, nays 49, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Bollinger	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Boyd	Harrington	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Slominski
Burk	Hanson	Miller	Sproul
Burns	Henne	Muus	Starke
Carr	Hodges	Norden	Steen
Currie	Iverson	Olafson	Traynor
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Trubshaw
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Twichell
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Watt
Freeman	Kelly	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
Geiszler	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lakie	Patterson
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Arduser	Fedge	Lank	Streich
Bryans	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Burkhart	Fredrickson	McManus	Swett
Cart	Hardy	Maddock	Tweten
Craig	Haugland	Martin	Vogel
Doyle	Helbling	McCay	Walker
Eckert	Hempel	Morton	Weisbeck
Elmer	Hoople	Oberg	Weld
	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Teater
	Kellogg	Opland	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Cole

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower all Cities Having a Population in Excess of Six Thousand Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones within the Corporate Limits, and to

Empower Such Cities by Ordinance to Regulate within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Six Thousand Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower Such Cities by Ordinance to Regulate within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

Mr. Twichell asked the unanimous consent of the House to amend Senate Bill No. 208.

Which consent was granted.

Mr. Twichell moved that Senate Bill No. 208 be amended as follows:

On page 2, Section 2, line 1, strike out the word "commissioners" and insert in lieu thereof the word "auditor."

On page 4, Section 5, line 7, strike out the word "treasurer's" and insert in lieu thereof the word "auditor's."

On page 6, Section 9, line 6, strike out the word "treasurer's" and insert in lieu thereof the word "auditor's."

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 208. A Bill for an Act Relating to County Finances; Providing That all County Officials and All Officers in Charge of any Institution, Office or Undertaking Supported in Whole or in Part by the County Shall File an Itemized Statement of Amounts Necessary for Mainten-

ance of Such Office or Institution; Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Annually Prepare a Budget Providing for Publication of Such Budget and of the Proposed Levy; Providing for a Public Hearing in Regard to the Proposed Expenditures and Levy; Fixing a Date for Levy; Providing That All Expenditures must Conform to the Budget as Adopted, and That all Unappropriated Balances in any Fund at the End of the Fiscal Year Shall Become a Part of the General Fund; Repealing Sections 3312, 3313, and 3314, of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 92, nays 16, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Lackey	Root
Anderson,	Erickson,	Lakie	Rustad
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson.	Fedge	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Flom	Lazier	Sims
Arduser	Flom	Levin	Slominski
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lynch	Sproul
Boyd	Freeman	McManus	Starke
Brown	Getszier	McCay	Steen
Bryans	Halcrow	McDowell	Streich
Burk	Hanson	McGauvran	Shurr
Burns	Hardy	Miller	Swett
Carr	Harrington	Muus	Traynor
Cart	Hart	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Heaton	Olafson	Tweten
Craig	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Doyle	Hodges	Oison, Towner	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Opland	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Vogel
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail.	Quade	Weld
Elmer	Kellogg	Quam	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Helbling	Loudenbeck	Patterson
Franson	Hoople	Martin	Sathre, Steele
Goranson	Iverson	Morton	Walker
Haugland	Jones	Oberg	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Hempel	Link	Maddock
Burkhart			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 28. A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities, Villages, and Towns to Purchase, Sell, Construct, Rent, Lease, Extend, Connect, or Erect, High Tension Electric Transmission Lines and Electrical Equipment, Within and Without the Corporate Limits, and Necessary Secondary Transmission Lines and Distribution Systems Within the Corporate Limits, for the Purpose of Securing Light, Pow-

er and Electrical Energy for Municipal and Commercial use; and to Assess the Property Within the Corporate Limits, and to Provide for the Method of Such Assessment of Bonds.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 73, nays 31, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Flom	Kelly	Root
Boyd	Frandsen	Lackie	Rustad
Brown	Fredrickson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Freeman	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Geiszler	McManus	Slominski
Burns	Halcrow	McDowell	Sproul
Carr	Hanson	McGauvran	Swett
Cart	Harrington	Miller	Trubshaw
Cole	Haugland	Muus	Tweten
Currie	Heaton	Norden	Twichell
Dougherty	Hempel	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ehr	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Walker
Ellingson	Jardine	Orange	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Welsbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Weld
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Yeater
Fedge	Jones	Quam	Mr. Speaker
	Kellogg	Radeliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Goranson	Levin	Starke
Anderson, Sargent	Hardy	Link	Steen
Arduser	Hart	Loudenbeck	Streich
Craig	Heibling	Martin	Shurr
Doyne	Hoopler	McCay	Traynor
Erickson 16th Dist.	Iverson	Oberg	
	Jackson	Opland	
	Kopp	Patterson	
	Larkin	Rabe	
	Lazier	Sims	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Eckert	Maddock	Sagen
Bratsberg	Lackey	Morton	Vogel
Burkhart			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 160. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 82, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, and to Empower Cities to Purchase or construct Plants, Including Gas Works for the Manufacture and Distribution of Light, Heat and Power for Municipal and Commercial Purposes, and to Assess Abutting Property in Accordance with the Benefits hereto by Reason of Such System of Distribution, and Providing for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 98, nays 6, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh Burke-Divide Burke-Divide	Erickson 26th Dist. Erickson 16th Dist.	Jones Kelly Kopp Lackey	Peters Plath Quade Quam
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Flom	Lakie Larkin	Root Rustad
Arduser Rollinger	Frandsen Fredrickson	Larson Lazier	Sethre, Williams Sims
Boyd Brown	Freeman Geiszler	Loudenbeck Lynch	Slominski Sproul
Bryans Burk	Goranson Halcrow	McManus Maddock	Starke Steen
Burkhart Burns	Hanson Hardy	Martin McDowell	Streich Shurr
Carr Cart	Harrington Hart	McGauvran Miller	Swett Trubshaw
Cole Craig	Haugland Heaton	Norden Mus	Twet Twichell
Currie Doyle	Helbling Henne	Norden Oberg	Ulland Veitch
Dougherty Durkee	Hodges Iverson	Olafson Olson, Ransom	Vogel Watt
Ehr Ellingson	Jardine Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner Opland	Weisbeck Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Traill	Orange Patterson	Yeater Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hoople Hoopie	Jackson Kellogg	McCay	Rabe

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg Eckert Levin	Link Radcliffe	Sagen Sathre, Steele	Traynor Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.
Senate Bill No. 200. A Bill for an Act Providing for the
Recall of County Commissioners.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as
amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 55, nays
46, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson Burleigh	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Iverson Johnson, Nelson	Orange Patterson
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Frandsen	Johnson, Pembina Jones	Peters Quade
Anderson, Sargent	Fredrickson Freeman	Kellogg Kelly	Quam Root
Arduser Bryans	Goranson Halcrow	Larkin Larson	Sethre, Williams Slominski
Burk Burkhart	Harrington Hart	Levin Link	Starke Swett
Burns Carr	Haugland Heaton	McCay Mus	Trubshaw Walker
Cart Dougherty	Hempel Hodges	Norden Olson, Ransom	Weld Yeater
Ehr	Hoopie	Opland	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Flom	Lynch	Sims
Brown	Geiszler	McManus	Sproul
Cole	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Craig	Hardy	McDowell	Streich
Currie	Jackson	McGauvran	Sweet
Doyle	Jardine	Oberg	Tweten
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Olafson	Ulland
Eckert	Kopp	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Ellingson	Lackey	Plath	Vogel
Elmer	Lakie	Rabe	Watt
Erickson	Lazier	Radcliffe	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Rustad	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Henne	Morton	Shurr
Bratsberg	Maddock	Sagen	Traynor
Helbling	Miller	Sathre, Steele	Twichell

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Burkhart moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 200 was lost be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion was lost.

Senate Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relating to What Cities and Villages Shall Register Before Any General Election or Annual City Election.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 77, nays 30, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fredrickson	Lackey	Rustad
Burleigh	Freeman	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson	Geiszler	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Goranson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Halcrow	Levin	Sims
Bryans	Hanson	Link	Slominski
Burkhart	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Burk	Harrington	Maddock	Steen
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Streich
Cole	Haugland	McGauvran	Traynor
Craig	Heaton	Muus	Trubshaw
Currie	Helbling	Oberg	Tweten
Doyle	Hempel	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Durkee	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Watt
Eckert	Iverson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jackson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
16th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	
Flom	Kelly	Radcliffe	
Frandsen	Kopp	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Loudenbeck	Quade
Sargent	26th Dist.	Lynch	Quam
Arduser	Hoople	Martin	Sproul
Boyd	Jardine	McCay	Sweet
Carr	Johnson, Traill	Morton	Veitch
Cart	Jones	Norden	Walker
Ellingson	Kellogg	Orange	Weid
Elmer	Lakie	Patterson	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Fedge	Shurr	Vogel
Bratsberg	Miller		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 144. A Bill for an Act Relating to Deposits in Banks, Declaring Same to Be Trust Funds, and Providing Penalties for Unlawful Removal of Same.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays 29, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Kopp	Patterson
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Peters
Anderson	Frandsen	Lakie	Quam
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larkin	Radcliffe
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Root
Bryans	Geiszler	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Burkhart	Hardy	Lynch	Sims
Burns	Hart	McManus	Slomtnski
Cart	Haugland	Maddock	Starke
Cole	Helbling	Martin	Steen
Craig	Hempel	McCay	Streich
Currie	Hodges	McDowell	Swett
Doyle	Hoople	McGauvran	Tweter
Dougherty	Iverson	Morton	Vogel
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Muus	Walker
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Oberg	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Olafson	Weld
26th Dist.	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Erickson	Kellogg	Olson, Towner	
16th Dist.	Kelly	Opland	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hanson	Plath	Twichell
Boyd	Harrington	Quade	Ulland
Brown	Henne	Rabe	Veitch
Carr	Jackson	Rustad	Watt
Durkee	Jardine	Sagen	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Larson	Sproul	
Ellingson	Nolden	Traynor	
Goranson	Orange	Trubshaw	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Anderson,	Bratsberg	Link	Shurr
Burleigh	Heaton	Miller	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The emergency clause was declared carried.

Mr. Walker moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 144 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 154. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 121, Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the

Issuance of Permits for Breeding or Domestication of Certain Fur Bearing Animals.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays 2, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Fedge	Lackey	Quam
Burleigh	Flom	Lakie	Rabe
Anderson,	Fransson	Larkin	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larson	Root
Anderson,	Freeman	Lazier	Rustad
Sargent	Geiszler	Levin	Sagen
Arduser	Goranson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Hardy	Lynch	Sims
Brown	Harrington	McManus	Slominski
Bryans	Hart	Maddock	Sproul
Burk	Haugland	Martin	Starke
Burns	Hanson	McGay	Steen
Carr	Helbling	McDowell	Streich
Cole	Hempel	McGauvran	Shurr
Craig	Henne	Miller	Swett
Currie	Hodges	Morton	Traynor
Doyle	Hoople	Muus	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Iverson	Norden	Tweten
Eckert	Jackson	Oberg	Twichell
Ehr	Jardine	Olafson	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Walker
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Watt
Erickson	Jones	Patterson	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Peters	Weld
Erickson	Kelly	Plath	Yeater
16th Dist.	Kopp	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Hanson	Ulland

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Cart	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner
Burkhart	Durkee	Olson, Ransom	Veitch

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act Giving the North Dakota Game and Fish Commissioner Power to Make Rules and Regulations in Addition to Those Already Provided by Law, for the Protection of the Fish in the Lakes and Rivers of North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 6, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson,	Lakie	Rabe
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Larson	Radcliffe
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Root
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Link	Rustad

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Loudenbeck	Sagen
Arduser	Frandsen	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Fredrickson	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Freeman	Maddock	Sims
Bryans	Geiszler	Martin	Slominski
Burk	Goranson	McCay	Sproul
Burkhart	Halerow	McDowell	Starke
Burns	Hardy	McGauvran	Steen
Carr	Harrington	Miller	Streich
Cole	Haugland	Morton	Shurr
Craig	Heaton	Muus	Swett
Currie	Hempel	Norden	Traynor
Doyle	Hodges	Oberg	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Tweten
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Eckert	Jardine	Opfand	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Vogel
Ellingson	Jones	Patterson	Watt
Elmer	Kellogg	Peters	Weisbeck
	Kelly	Plath	Yeater
	Kopp	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Lackey	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Helbling	Hoople	Weld
Fedge	Henne		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Johnson, Pembina	Levin	Walker
Hanson	Johnson, Trail	Olson, Ransom	
Hart	Larkin	Veitch	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act Establishing a closed Season on Frogs.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 41, nays 65, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Durkee	Hodges	Morton
Anderson, Sargent	Erickson	Hoople	Olafson
Bollinger	26th Dist.	Jackson	Radcliffe
Burk	Fedge	Jardine	Root
Burkhart	Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Slominski
Carr	Frandsen	Kelly	Traynor
Cole	Fredrickson	Lackey	Twichell
Currie	Freeman	Lazier	Ulland
Dougherty	Geiszler	Lynch	Vogel
	Harrington	Maddock	Walker
	Hart	McDowell	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Haugland	McManus	Rabe
Arduser	Heaton	Martin	Rustad
Boyd	Helbling	McCay	Sathre, Steele
Bryans	Hempel	McGauvran	Sethre, Williams
Burns	Henne	Miller	Sims
Cart	Iverson	Muus	Sproul
Craig	Johnson, Pembina	Norden	Starke
Doyle	Johnson, Traill	Oberg	Steen
Ehr	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Streich
Ellingson	Kellogg	Olson, Townner	Shurr
Elmer	Kopp	Opland	Trubshaw
Erickson	Lackie	Orange	Twetten
16th Dist.	Larkin	Patterson	Veitch
Goranson	Larson	Peters	Watt
Hanson	Levin	Plath	Weisbeck
Hardy	Link	Quade	Yeater
	Loudenbeck	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Eckert	Sagen	Weld
Brown	Halcrow	Swett	

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Jackson moved that Senate Bill No. 155 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Maddock moved that Senate Bill No. 155 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion prevailed, and Senate Bill No. 155 was referred to General Orders.

Senate Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act Granting to and Imposing Upon the Board of Administration Certain Powers and Duties with Reference to the Welfare of Children and the Administration and Enforcement of **Laws Relating** Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 4, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Lakie	Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen	Larkin	Root
Arduser	Fredrickson	Larson	Rustad
Bollinger	Freeman	Lazier	Sagen
Brown	Geiszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Goranson	Link	Sims
Burk	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Burkhart	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Burns	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Carr	Harrington	Martin	Streich
Cole	Hart	McCay	Shurr
Craig	Haugland	McDowell	Swett
Currie	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Doyle	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Muus	Twetten
	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
	Iverson	Oberg	Ulland
	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
		Opland	Vogel

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Walker
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Yeater
Erickson	Jones	Quade	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Henne	Kopp	Watt

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Flom	Maddock	Olson, Towner
Bratsberg	Heaton	McGauvran	Sathre, Steele
Elmer	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Steen

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Twichell moved to suspend the rules and further proceedings under the roll call on Senate Bill No. 182 be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that Senate Bill No. 182 be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Starke moved, as a substitute motion, that Senate Bill No. 182 be placed at the foot of the Calendar.

Which substitute motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved that Senate Bill No. 173 be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Which motion prevailed, and Senate Bill No. 173 was referred to General Orders.

Senate Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acquiring by Condemnation of Roads so Located as to Interfere with the Working of Coal or Other Mines, and Providing for Compensation to be Made Therefor.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 64, nays 44, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Lakie	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Flom	Larson	Root
Bollinger	Freeman	Lynch	Rustad
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Sagen
Brown	Halcrow	Maddock	Sims
Bryans	Hanson	McDowell	Slominski
Bark	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Burkhart	Henne	Muus	Starke
Burns	Hodges	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Jackson	Olafson	Trubshaw
Cole	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Ulland
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Watt
Eckert	Kelly	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Kopp	Quade	
Ellingson	Lackey	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Frandsen	Larkin	Guam
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Gelszier	Levin	Streich
Sargent	Hardy	Link	Shurr
Arduser	Hart	Loudenbeck	Swett
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Tweten
Craig	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Doyle	Hempel	Miller	Walker
Erickson	Hoople	Morton	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
Erickson	Jones	O.son, Ransom	Yeater
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Opland	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Bratsberg	Heaton	Sathre, Steele	Steen
Fedge			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Cart: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on this bill because I have received several communications on this subject and they all complain of the fact that the bill has no limitation of how long those roads should be used.

Mr. Iverson: Mr. Speaker, I think there should be a limitation on how long this company shall hold this road. I vote "no."

Mr. Jardine: Mr. Speaker, I vote "aye" on this bill because I believe it will help in the development of the lignite coal mining industry in this state, and I want to see this industry developed.

Mr. McGauvran: Mr. Speaker, as I understand it the passage of this bill will cheapen the cost of stripping and mining lignite coal, and I am in favor of getting cheaper coal if possible. Therefore, I vote "aye."

Mr. Starke: Mr. Speaker, I vote "aye" on this bill because of the fact that it will make possible the mining of lignite coal with steam shovels, in places where that cannot now be done, and because the rights of the public are amply protected in the bill.

Mr. Maddock: Mr. Speaker, I wish to vote "aye" on this bill for the same reasons as explained by the gentleman from Stark.

Senate Bill No. 162. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Certain "Securities" Herein Defined by Requiring an Inspection Thereof: Providing for Such Inspection, Supervision and Regulation of the Business of any Person, Association, Partnership, or Corporation, Engaged or Intending to Engage, Whether as Principal or Agent, May be Necessary to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Said Securities, and Repealing Chapter 91 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 71, nays 34, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Quade
Burleigh	Erickson	Kelly	Root
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Kopp	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Sagen
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Larson	Slominski
Brown	Geizler	Lynch	Starke
Burk	Goranson	McManus	Traynor
Burkhart	Halcrow	McDowell	Tweten
Burns	Hanson	McGauvran	Twichell
Carr	Harrington	Miller	Ulland
Cart	Hart	Muus	Veitch
Cole	Henne	Norden	Vogel
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Watt
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Durkee	Jackson	Opland	Weld
Eckert	Jardine	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Frandsen	Kretschmar	Rabe
Anderson	Hardy	Maddock	Sims
Sargent	Haugland	Martin	Steen
Bryans	Helbling	McCay	Streich
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Shurr
Doyle	Jones	Oberg	Swett
Erickson	Lasler	Olson, Ransom	Trubshaw
16th Dist.	Levin	Patterson	Walker
Fedge	Link	Quam	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Hempel	Lakie	Sathre, Steele
Heaton	Kellogg	Radcliffe	Spruil

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

State of North Dakota
Office of the Governor
Bismarck
R. A. Nestos, Governor

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have this day filed with the Secretary of State, House Bill No. 38, being a bill Regulating Procedure and Prescribing Rules of Evidence in Actions brought by holders of Grain Storage Tickets.

Yours very truly,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

State of North Dakota
Office of the Governor
Bismarck
R. A. Nestos, Governor

To the House of Representatives of the State of North
Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have this day filed with the
Secretary of State House Bill No. 4, being a bill relating
to conditional sale contracts given by railroad corpora-
tions.

Yours very truly,
R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

State of North Dakota
Office of the Governor
Bismarck
R. A. Nestos, Governor

To the House of Representatives of the State of North
Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have this day approved and
filed with the Secretary of State, House Bill No. 47, being
an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Com-
piled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the
Election and Terms of Office of Village Officials.

Yours very truly,
R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

State of North Dakota
Office of the Governor
Bismarck
R. A. Nestos, Governor

To the House of Representatives of the State of North
Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have this day approved and
filed with the Secretary of State, House Bill No. 55, being
a Bill to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled
Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for
Violating Dairy Laws.

Also,

House Bill No. 42, prescribing certain requisites with
respect to crop mortgages given for other than as rental
of premises or to secure the purchase price of land, and
making all crop mortgages not executed in compliance
with such requirements void and not subject to being
filed for record.

Also,

House Bill No. 43, being a bill to amend and re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913 as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 81 of the Session Laws of 1919, relating to recall of city officials in cities under city council or commission form of government.

Yours very truly,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

State of North Dakota
Office of the Governor
Bismarck
R. A. Nestos, Governor

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have this day approved and filed with the Secretary of State, House Bill No. 13, being a law to amend and re-enact Section 2185, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 67 of the 1919 Special Session, relating to real estate taxes due and delinquent, and penalty and interest thereon.

Also,

House Bill No. 34, being a law to repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Providing for livery allowed sheriffs.

Also,

House Bill No. 40, being a law to cancel uncollected personal property taxes assessed for 1913 and prior years.

Also,

House Bill No. 44, being a law to amend and re-enact Section 147 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 and repealing Section 147-A of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, providing for publicity of state finances.

Also,

House Bill No. 49, being a law to amend and re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913, relating to the organization of schools by petition.

Also,

House Bill No. 57, being a law to amend and re-enact Section 2104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913 relating to range stock and where listed for the purpose of taxation.

Also,

House Bill No. 50, being a law to amend and re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, relating to intoxicating liquors.

Also,

House Bill No. 69, being a law to appropriate the sum of two thousand eight hundred eighty-two and 3-100 dollars (\$2,882.03) for the purpose of charging off losses resulting to the state on account of the failure, in the year 1909, of the First National Bank of Rugby, Rugby, North Dakota, and the Barton State Bank, Barton, North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 73, being a law to provide for the election of directors of building and loan association for the term of three years.

Also,

House Bill No. 79, being a law making an appropriation for the purpose of paying insurance tax to the various fire departments of the state.

Also,

House Bill No. 143, being a law providing for the filing of notices of taxes due the United States, with certain county officers.

Yours very truly,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: C. E. Dresser, Spiritwood; Mrs. L. W. Sullivan; Adam Nagel, Jr., Lehr, N. D.; John H. Buerkee, Fredonia, N. D.; Emil Hehr, Fredonia, N. D.; Peter Bilichmeyer, Kulm, N. D.

Mr. Kopp moved that the House do now recess until 1:00 o'clock P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

FIFTY-FIRST DAY AFTER RECESS AND FIFTY-
SECOND DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 22, 1923

The house re-assembled at 1 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Jackson moved that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the house resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Jackson to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3784 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 126 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Municipal Elections in Cities.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 8 of the printed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nine."

In line 9 of the printed bill strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "seven."

In line 18 of the printed bill insert a comma after the word "shall."

In line 19 of the printed bill insert a comma after the word "held."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act Permitting the Increase of the Limitation of Indebtedness of Common Special and Independent School Districts by an Additional Five Per Centum on the Assessed Value of the Taxable Property Therein, Beyond the Present Constitutional Limit of Five Per Centum, Providing a Method for Effecting Such Increase, and for Submitting the Question of Such Increase to the Electors of the School Districts at Annual or Special Elections, and Providing for Preserving a Record of Such Increase of the Limit of Indebtedness.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

First page, in fourth line from the bottom of the typewritten bill, strike out the word "now" and after the word "Constitution" in the same line insert "prior to the amendment thereof granting a maximum debt limit of ten per cent."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 164. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1303 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of the Amount of Bonds of Independent School Districts.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In bottom line, page 1, typewritten bill, strike out the word "five" and insert the word "seven."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 32. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4016 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Bonded Indebtedness of Cities, and Purposes for Which Incurred.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 11 of the printed bill after the word "a" insert the word "two-thirds" and that Section 3, Emergency Clause, be struck out.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

And when further amended by adding the words: "and villages" in the second line of the title, after the word "cities," and before the comma.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to High Schools and Tuition Fees.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

That the amendment offered to Section 2 on line 8 of the printed bill after the word resides be stricken out and that Section 2 remain as originally printed.

That the amendment to Section 3 of the printed bill be stricken off and that Section 3 of the original bill be allowed to stand as printed.

That the words "receiving state aid" be stricken from the title of the bill, inserting semi-colon after the word "schools."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 258: A Bill for an Act Providing for the Appointment of Representatives on Behalf of the State of North Dakota to Negotiate a Compact and Agreement Between the States of North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana, and Between said States and the United States of America, Respecting the Use and Distribution of the Waters of the Missouri River and the Rights of said States and the United States Thereto.

And recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act to Safeguard the Business of Beekeeping Against Contagious and Infectious Diseases; Defining Apiaries; Providing for State Inspection Under the Direction and Control of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor; Prohibiting the Sale, Barter, Offer of Sale or Barter, Moving, Transportation, Shipping or Offering for Shipping or Transportation, of any Bees, Brood, Comb or Beekeeping Appliances That are Infected; Providing for the Proper Certification of Shipments into the State, and the Reporting of Such Shipments by the Purchaser or Importer; Fixing Penalties for Violation.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In section 5, line (2) Two, the word "breed" should be "brood."

And when so amended recommend that the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 155. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 4, 6, 8, 34, 35 and 65, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, and Section 27, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Section 2, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 36, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Section 5, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 46, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 134, Session Laws 1921 and Section 80, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Game and Fish.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's Amendment as follows:

On page 11, line 45, commencing with the word "provided", strike out all of lines 45, 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50; and lines 51, 52, 53 and 54 on page 12.

On page 12, line 15, after the numerals 1924, insert the words "until the 10th of March, 1924."

On page 13, line 32, after the numerals 1924 insert the words "until the 10th day of March, 1924."

On page 15, line 39, insert the figures \$1.50 in the blank space provided for the resident license fee.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 173. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the Appointment of County Child Welfare Boards and to Define their Powers and Duties, and to Repeal Section 19, Chapter 177, Laws of 1919.

In the title of the bill, after the word "Section" strike out the words and figures "19 Chapter 177, Laws of 1919," and insert in lieu thereof "11,420 of the Compiled Laws of 1913."

On page 3, section 6, line 1, after the word "Section," strike out the words and figures "19 of Chapter 177, of the Laws of 1911, and insert in lieu thereof "11,420 of the Compiled Laws of 1913."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report of the committee of the whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Twichell moved that Senate Bill No. 11 be referred to the committee on Elections and Election Privileges.

Which motion prevailed.

MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. McGauvran

WHEREAS, It has been the will of an all-wise Providence to remove from our midst our good friend and honored citizen, Ole Axvig, for forty years a resident of North Dakota; and

WHEREAS, He was for three terms a member from Cavalier County of this Legislative Assembly, and during all such times by his wise forethought and genial disposition won the kindest regard and respect of all members of this body,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly, the Senate concurring therein, that we pause for a moment in our labors to express our sorrow for the death of Ole Axvig and to express to his family and relatives our sincere sympathy.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be, and he is hereby, directed to forward to the widow of our departed friend a properly engrossed copy of this Concurrent Resolution.

Mr. Peters moved that the resolution be adopted by a rising vote. Which motion prevailed and the resolution was so adopted.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 251 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Halcrow moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-SECOND DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 22, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. S. F. Halfyard.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Bratsberg, Larkin, McCay, Muus, Opland and Watt.

Mr. Peters moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Care and Treatment of Indigent Crippled or Deformed Children.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

At the end of Bill add the following: "Nothing in this Act shall be construed as limiting the right of a parent or guardian to determine what treatment shall be provided for a child or the agency to be employed for that purpose."

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

The Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 317. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1003 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 6 of the Special Session Laws of 1918, Relating to the Printing of Absent Voter Ballots.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 318. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 974 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Certification of Nominations.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 319. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 973 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Filing of Certificates of Nomination.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Line 2, Section 1, strike out the word "is" and the comma at the end of said line, and insert the word "is" following the word "same" and ahead of the word "hereby."

Line 3, of Section 973, insert a comma following the word "state."

Line 6, of Section 973, insert a comma following the word "auditor."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

The Committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 347. A Bill for a Concurrent Resolution to Amend and Re-enact Section 173 of Article 10 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Election of County Officials.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of" and insert in lieu thereof the word "in."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

The Committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Relating to School Finances.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report was adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A majority of the Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 390. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Employment of Married Women in Any Public Office in the State of North Dakota, Whose Husband is Able-bodied and Able to Earn a Living Wage, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

A minority of the Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 390. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Employment of a Married Woman in any Public Office in the State of North Dakota, Whose Husband is Able-bodied and Able to Earn a Living Wage, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out the period at the end of line 4 of Section 1 and insert in lieu thereof a semi-colon. Add the following at the end of line 4, Section 1: "Provided, further, that it shall be unlawful for any such married woman to be a candidate for or a member of the Legislative Assembly."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JACKSON,
FLOM,
ECKERT,
QUAM,
STREICH,
ORANGE.

Mr. Twichell moved that the majority report be adopted.

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the minority be adopted.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, the motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act Transferring to the Industrial Commission the Custody, Control and Management of the Property and Assets of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, for the Purpose of Liquidating and Winding Up the Business and Affairs of Said Home Building Association of North Dakota, Defining the Powers and Authority of the Industrial Commission with Reference Thereto, Defining the Rights and Liabilities of Applicants for Homes and Purchasers, and Repealing Chapter 150 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and Chapter 39 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 295: A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 211 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Supreme Court Reporter and State Law Librarian.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 355. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 375 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 21 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the State Auditing Board, its Duties and the Membership Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 336. A Concurrent Resolution for an Amendment to Section 182, Article 12 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, as Amended by Article 31 of the Amendments Thereof, Relating to Issuing or Guaranteeing of Bonds by the State and Providing that Such Bonds in Excess of Two Million Dollars Shall be Secured by First Mortgage on Certain Classes of Property; and Providing for the Submission of this Amendment to the Voters of the State for Rejection or Approval as Provided Section 292, as Amended, of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 292. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2141 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 35, Special Session Laws of 1919; Providing for the Substitution of the State Auditor and State Tax Commissioner as Members of the State Board of Equalization Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Attorney General; Providing that the Tax Commissioner Shall Be Secretary Thereof Instead of the Commissioner of Insur-

ance and Prescribing the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Equalization in Regard to the Equalization and Assessment of Property.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 229. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Publication of Delinquent Tax List, as Amended by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 381. A Bill for an Act Providing for Assistant States Attorneys in Counties with a Population Exceeding Thirty-five Thousand.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 211. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3451, Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to County Bonds, Rate of Interest and Mode of Issue.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out of Senate engrossed bill the following: "provided that funding or refunding bonds for the purpose of funding or refunding seed grain or seed and feed grain indebtedness may be issued in installment serial bonds payable in from two to five years from the date thereof."

Strike out in the engrossed bill the following: "and that portion of this article relating to the issuance of funding and refunding bonds shall be printed on the back of each bond."

Insert at the end of the engrossed bill: "Provided that funding or refunding bonds for the purpose of funding or refunding seed grain or seed and feed grain indebtedness may be issued in installment serial bonds as by law provided."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 24 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Issuance of Bonds of the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Two Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Home Building Series."

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 326. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 3711 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and to Provide for Special Assessment Funds, the Issuance and Payments of Warrants.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 395. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3969 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 79 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and Chapter 32 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Excluding Farm Lands from the Limits of City, Town and Villages.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act to Provide \$300.00 for the Burial Expense of Honorably Discharged Sailors, Soldiers and Marines of the United States War of the Rebellion and Erection of Headstones Therefor, as Authorized by Sections 3181, 3182, 3183, and 3184 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 346. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Creation of Deficits by State Officials, State Boards and Heads of State Institutions, and Prescribing a Penalty for the violation of this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Presidential Electors as Prescribed by Section 1038 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Defray the Expenses of the Delegates to National Political Conventions as Prescribed by Section 916 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 135. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to pay the Burial Expenses of Inmates of the Penitentiary and Reform School as Provided for Under Section 11302 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that Senate Bill No. 35 be placed in General Orders. Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Reward and Apprehension of Criminals According to Chapter 200 of the Session Laws of 1917.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$250.00 for the Biennium, to Defray the Expenses of the State Canvassing Board.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$5,000.00 for the Biennium, to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Agents in the Arrest and Return of Fugitives from Justice as Prescribed by Section 11162 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide Funds for the Payment of Expenses and Fees of Appraisers of Inheritances, Devises, Bequests, Legacies, and Gifts, as Provided for in Section 8991, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to provide Funds to Pay the Necessary Expenses and Reasonable Compensation to Commissioners Appointed in Actions to Release Insane Patients Prescribed by Section 2552 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 77. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Per Diem and Expenses of the State Budget Board as Prescribed by Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the Institute for the Feeble Minded.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 338. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money to Reimburse the Common School Fund of the State of North Dakota for Losses Resulting from a Misappropriation of Such Fund Occurring Previous to January 1, 1917.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 140. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$1,500.00 for the Biennium Out of Any Money in the State Treasury not otherwise Appropriated, for the Purpose of Keeping of Ten State Parks.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Biennium, to the Humane Society for Office Supplies, Printing, Office Phone, and Traveling Expense.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 300. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2110 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 221 of the Session Laws of 1913 and Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Taxation of Corporate Excess.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 222 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Providing for a Tax on Shares of Stock and Bonds of Corporations Organized or Doing Business in this State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relating to the Assessment of the Capital Stock of Banks, Loan and Trust Companies and of Moneyed Capital Entering Into Competition Therewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 329. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 33 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to Rehearings of the Determination of Inheritance Taxes, and Providing that No Report Need Be Made to the Tax Commissioner in Case of Insolvent Estates.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The majority of the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 375. A Bill for an Act Validating Taxes Assessed Against Bank Stocks in the Years 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners and the Tax Commissioners to Compromise Such Taxes Upon Bank Stock for 1919, 1920, and 1921, as Have Not Been Paid, and Confirming and Ratifying Such Settlements as Have Been Made.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion was lost.

The minority of the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 375. A Bill for an Act Validating Taxes Assessed Against Bank Stocks in the Years 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners and the Tax Commissioners to Compromise Such Taxes Upon Bank Stock for 1919, 1920 and 1921, as Have Not Been Paid, and Confirming and Ratifying Such Settlements as Have Been Made.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Section 2, line 2, strike out the words "compromise and"

Section 2 line 4, strike out the word "compromised" and the "comma" after compromised.

Section 3, page 2, strike out its entirety.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

HERBERT F. SWETT,
E. B. KELLOGG,
J. W. HEMPEL,
J. F. ELMER,
G. PATTERSON,

The Majority of the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend be amended as follows:

In Section 21, of the printed bill, line 11 strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three."

In section 21, line 15 of the printed bill, after the word "incapacitated" insert the following: "Provided that exemptions may be claimed for children over the age of eighteen years and under the age of twenty-five years, that are dependent upon the taxpayer for support and are attending educational institutions."

That in Section 23, line 5 of the printed bill, the words "profits and income" be stricken out.

That in section 23, line 9 of the printed bill, the figures "\$300" be stricken out and the figures "\$600" be inserted in lieu thereof.

That in Section 27, line 14 of the printed bill that the Senate amendment reading: "no part of the net income of which inures to the benefit of any private stockholder or individual" be stricken out and that a period be inserted after the word "purposes."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

The minority of the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; **Graduating** Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; **Providing** for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a Method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

The same amendments as in the majority report and also the following:

Strike out all of lines 16 and 17 of Section 12 on page 11 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"On all net incomes in excess of \$10,000 above exemptions and not in excess of \$15,000, a tax of 6 per cent.

"On all net incomes in excess of \$15,000 above exemptions and not in excess of \$20,000, a tax of 7 per cent.

"On all net income in excess of \$20,000 above exemptions a tax of 8 per cent."

Strike out all of Section 44, line 1 to line 39, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof:

"Section 44. Public Record. Duty of Officials. It shall be lawful for the Tax Commissioner and for all members of the Tax Commissioner's office, such as deputies, agents, clerks and other officials and employees, to freely divulge and give to the public any attempted violation or infringement of this act and any such official or employee

may and it is his duty to give publicity to and identify any party or parties who attempt to escape the taxes provided for herein by misrepresentation or false statements, or who make false returns to the Tax Commissioner, and it shall be the duty of the Tax Commissioner and the members and employees of the Tax Commissioner's office to furnish upon written request to any person any information acquired or contained in tax returns made by any party or parties to the Tax Commissioner's office within one year prior to such request."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

HERBERT F. SWETT,
E. B. KELLOGG,
J. W. HEMPEL,
J. F. ELMER,
G. PATTERSON,

Mr. Jardine moved that the majority report be adopted.

Mr. Swett moved, as a substitute motion, that the minority report be adopted.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Jardine, the motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

The House reverted to the Third Order of Business.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Fiftieth Day After Recess and Fifty-first Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 3 on roll call of House Bill No. 204, Jackson should be reported as voting "Aye."

On page 15, under "Secretary" insert the following: "Referred to Committee on Railroads."

On page 16, under "Secretary" insert "Referred to Committee on Judiciary."

On page 19, following Senate Bill No. 76, insert the following: "Was read the first and second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations."

The Message from the Senate appearing on page 35 should be placed with Message from the Senate on top of page 31.

On page 32, following the report of Senate Bill No. 220 insert the following: "Senate Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3718, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to Ex-

tension of Water Main Assessments. Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass."

On page 36, after "Secretary" insert the following: "Was read and referred to the Committee on Insurance."

On page 40, beginning with "The Committee on Enrollment" strike out everything down to "Signing of Bill."

On page 46, following the roll call, insert the following: "The Emergency Clause was declared carried."

On page 56 strike out Senate Bill No. 259.

On page 56 insert the following: "Senate Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the County Commissioners to Satisfy Judgments Against Sureties on Bail Bonds."

Bottom of page 55, strike out "Senate Bill No. 287."

Bottom of page 56, strike out "Senate Bill No. 32."

Bottom of page 57, insert the following: "Senate Bill No. 207. A Joint Resolution."

Bottom of page 57, insert the following: "Senate Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Bringing of Children into the State or Taking Children Therefrom, for Placement in Family Homes; for the Licensing or Regulation of Persons and Corporations Engaged in That Work; and for the Repeal of Sections 5107 and 5108, Compiled Laws of 1913."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Trubshaw to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 207. Joint Resolution: Whereas, both the Popular and the Authenticated Editions of the 1919 Session Laws have been exhausted; and Whereas, there is a great demand for this publication of Session Laws, by the people of our own state, as well as people of neighboring states, because of their peculiar importance.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

After the word "copies" in line 9 in the original bill insert "250 copies which shall be of the popular edition and 250 copies of the permanent edition."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Bringing of Children into the State, or Taking Children Therefrom, for Placement in Family Home; for the Licensing or Regulation of Persons and Corporations Engaged in that Work; and for the Repeal of Sections 5107 and 5108, Compiled Laws for 1913.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

By supplying in Section 1, line 8, of the original bill, after the word "into" the following words: "the state who."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Veitch moved that the House do now recess until 1:00 o'clock P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-SECOND DAY AFTER RECESS AND FIFTY-
THIRD DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 23, 1923.

The House reassembled at 1 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

The House referred to the Fourteenth Order of Business.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Mr. Jackson made the point of order that third reading and final passage of bills was out of order on the 52nd legislative day after recess the same being a legal holiday. The Seaker overruled the point.

Senate Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4989, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Filing of Statements by Mining Corporations.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays none, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Frandsen	Lazier	Root
Anderson,	Freeman	Levin	Rustad
Sargent	Geiszler	Link	Sagen
Arduser	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Sims
Bryans	Hanson	McManus	Slominski
Burk	Hardy	Maddock	Sproul
Burkhart	Harrington	Martin	Starke
Burns	Hart	McCay	Steen
Carr	Haugland	McDowell	Streich
Cart	Heaton	McGauvran	Shurr
Cole	Helbling	Miller	Swett
Craig	Hodges	Morton	Traynor
Currie	Iverson	Muus	Trubshaw
Doyle	Jackson	Norden	Tweten
Dougherty	Jardine	Oberg	Twichell
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Ulland
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Townner	Vogel
Ellingson	Jones	Opland	Walker
Elmer	Kellogg	Orange	Watt
Erickson	Kopp	Plath	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Lackey	Quade	Weld
Erickson	Lackie	Quam	Yeater
16th Dist.	Larkin	Rabe	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Brown	Henne	Peters
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Hoople	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Kellogg	
Bratsberg	Hempel	Patterson	

So the Bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Place of Payment of all State Bonds of the State of North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 8, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Levin	Slominski
Burleigh	Frandsen	Lynch	Sprul
Anderson,	Freeman	McManus	Starke
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	McCay	Steen
Anderson	Goranson	McDowell	Streich
Sargent	Halcrow	McGauvran	Shurr
Arduser	Hanson	Miller	Swett
Bollinger	Hardy	Morton	Traynor
Boyd	Harrington	Muus	Trubshaw
Bryans	Hart	Norden	Twetén
Buck	Haugland	Oberg	Twichell
Burkhart	Heaton	Dlafson	Ulland
Burns	Henne	Dlson, Ransom	Veitch
Carr	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Cart	Hoople	Opland	Walker
Currie	Iverson	Orange	Watt
Doyle	Jackson	Patterson	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Jardine	Plath	Weld
Durkea	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	Yeater
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Quam	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Rabe	
Ellingson	Kelly	Radcliffe	
Elmer	Kopp	Root	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Rustad	
Erickson	Lackie	Sagen	
16th Dist.	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	
	Larson	Sims	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Helbling	Lazier	Loudenbeck
Elmer	Jones	Link	McCay

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fedge	Kellogg	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Fredrickson	Maddock	
Cole	Hempel	Peters	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act Relating to the White Stone Hills Battlefield Grounds in Dickey County, and Vesting the Care, Custody, Control and Maintenance of the same in the State Historical Society of North Dakota, as Trustee for the State.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as

amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 102, nays 1, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Burleigh	Franson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Freeman	Levin	Sims
Burke-Divide	Geizler	Link	Slominski
Anderson,	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Sargent	Halcrow	Lynch	Starke
Arduser	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Bolinger	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Boyd	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	McGauvran	Sweet
Burk	Heaton	Miller	Traynor
Burkhart	Helbling	Morton	Trubshaw
Burns	Hempel	Muus	Tweten
Carr	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Cart	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Craig	Hoople	O'afson	Veitch
Currie	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Doyle	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Walker
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weld
Fhr	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Yeater
Ellingson	Jones	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Kelly	Quam	
Erickson	Kopp	Rabe	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe	
Erickson,	Lakle	Root	
16th Dist.	Larkin	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Hanson

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fedge	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Frickson	Martin	
Cole	Kellogg	Peters	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 3: A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 4 of the Laws Passed by the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in 1919, as Amended by Chapter 5 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to appropriate out of the State Highway Fund the Sum of \$35,000.00 for the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River at Pembina, Pembina County, North Dakota, and Kittson County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, approved March 5th, 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 68, nays 35, absent and not voting 10.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Lakle	Rabe
Arduser	Fedge	Larson	Radcliffe

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Flom	Lynch	Root
Boyd	Freeman	McCay	Rustad
Burk	Geiszler	McDowell	Sagen
Burkhart	Halcrow	McGauvran	Sethre, Williams
Burns	Hanson	Miller	Slominski
Carr	Harrington	Morton	Starke
Cart	Haugland	Muus	Streich
Craig	Heaton	Norden	Swett
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Traynor
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Opland	Veitch
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Hardy	Link	Trubahaw
Burke-Divide	Hart	Loudenbeck	Tweten
Anderson	Helbling	McManus	Vogel
Sargent	Hempel	Martin	Walker
Bryans	Henne	Oberg	Weisbeck
Elmer	Hoople	Quam	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Sims	Yeater
16th Dist.	Kopp	Sproul	
Frandsen	Larkin	Steen	
Goranson	Lazier	Shurr	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Kellogg	Maddock	
Cole	Lackey	Peters	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 241. A bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7036 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Protesting Negotiable Instruments.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 6, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Lazier	Root
Anderson,	Geiszler	Levin	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Goranson	Link	Sagen
Anderson,	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Hanson	Lynch	Sims
Arduser	Hardy	McManus	Slominski
Bollinger	Harrington	Maddock	Sproul
Boyd	Hart	Martin	Starke
Bryans	Haugland	McCay	Steen
Burkhart	Heaton	Miller	Streich
Burns	Helbling	Morton	Shurr
Carr	Hodges	Muus	Swett
Cart	Hoople	Norden	Traynor
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Trubshaw
Currie	Jackson	Olafson	Tweten
Doyle	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Veitch
Eckert	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Vogel
	Jones	Patterson	Walker

Messrs. Ehr Ellingson Elmer Erickson 16th Dist. Fedge	Messrs. Kelly Kopp Lackey Lakie Larkin	Messrs. Peters Plath Quade Quam Rabe	Messrs. Watt Weisbeck Weld Yeater Mr. Speaker
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Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Erickson 26th Dist.	Messrs. Tom Hempel	Messrs. Henne McDowell	Messrs. McGauvran
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Those absent and not voting were:

Messrs. Bratsberg Brown	Messrs. Burk Cole	Messrs. Fredrickson Keltogg	Messrs. Sathre, Steele
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So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Watt moved that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 244 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

At the request of Mr. Cart the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Eckert moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 200 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Mr. Vogel moved that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

A demand for a roll call was granted on the motion of Mr. Vogel, and disclosed the following result:

Ayes, 66; nays 44; absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Sargent Arduser Boyd Bratsberg Brown Bryans Cole Craig Currie Durkee Ellingson Elmer Erickson 26th Dist. Erickson 16th Dist. Flom	Messrs. Franson Geiszler Goranson Hanson Hardy Helbling Hodges Iverson Jackson Jardine Johnson, Trail. Kopp Lackey Lackie Levin Loudenbeck Lynch McManus	Messrs. Maddock Martin McDowell McGauvran Miller Morton Oberg Olafson Olson, Towner Opland Patterson Peters Plath Quade Rabe Radcliffe Root Rustad	Messrs. Sims Slominski Sproul Steen Shurr Swett Traynor Tweten Twichell Veitch Vogel Watt Weisbeck Yeater Mr. Speaker
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Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Burleigh Anderson Burke-Divide Bollinger Burk	Messrs. Eckert Fedge Fredrickson Freeman Halcrow Harrington	Messrs. Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina Jones Kellogg Kelly Larkin	Messrs. Olson, Ransom Orange Quam Sathre, Williams Starke Streich
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Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Hart	Larson	Trubshaw
Burns	Haugland	Lazier	Ulland
Carr	Heaton	Link	Walker
Cart	Hempel	McCay	Weld
Doyte	Henne	Muus	
Dougherty	Hoople	Norden	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ehr	Sagen	Sathre, Steele

So the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The House referred to the Fourteenth Order of Business.

Senate Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Repeal Section 3718 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Extension of Water Main Assessments.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays none, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Plath
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Kopp	Rabe
Anderson,	Fudge	Larkin	Radcliffe
Sargent	Flom	Larson	Root
Arduser	Frandsen	Lazier	Rustad
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Brown	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Bryans	Halcrow	Maddock	Starke
Burk	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Hart	Miller	Swett
Cart	Haugland	Morton	Traynor
Cole	Heaton	Muus	Trubshaw
Craig	Helbling	Norden	Tweten
Currie	Hempel	Oberg	Twichell
Doyte	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durke	Iverson	Olson, Townner	Watt
Eckert	Jackson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Henne	Lackie	Sagen	Walker
Mordine	Lynch	Sathre, Steele	
Lackey	McGauvran	Vogel	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Kopp moved that the House do now adjourn.

Wich motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-THIRD DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 23, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. S. F. Halfyard.

Roll call. All members present except Messrs. Anderson of Burleigh, Sathre of Steele, Vogel.

Mr. Miller moved that all the absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

The committee on communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Communications to whom was referred:

A petition sent to the Representatives and Senators at Bismarck signed by 40 citizens asking that no change be made in rates of insurance through the Workmen's Compensation Act and recommend that the same be read but not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 363. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Regulating and Fixing the Hours of Labor for Females, and Providing Penalties for the Violation Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 3, section 1 of the engrossed bill ahead of the word "telegraph" insert "telephone or"

In line 5 of the engrossed bill change the word "ten" and the numeral "10" to the words "eight and one half" and the numeral "8½."

Strike out period after the word "authorities" on line 2 of page 2 on engrossed bill, and add the words "as soon as possible"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act Amending and Repealing Chapter 153, Laws of 1909, the Same Being Sections 1404 to 1414 Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, Regulating the Employment of Child Labor and to Provide for the Enforcement Thereof, and to Prescribe Penalties for Violations of the Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On Engrossed bill in line two page 3, comma after the word "days".

In line three insert a comma after the word "him."

In line six page three insert the word "the" ahead of the word "age."

In line one, page nine after the word "shall" insert a comma and in line two after the word "mail" insert a comma.

In line eight, section eight, engrossed bill, change the word "hours" to "hour."

On page nine engrossed bill, fifth line from bottom of the page strike out the word "or" and insert the word "and."

On page ten, section nine, engrossed bill beginning line three section nine, strike out the words "in their several towns and cities" and insert in lieu thereof the words "within their several Jurisdictions." In line one, page 13, engrossed bill strike out the word "bureau" and insert the word "board." Second line same page in the 2nd line from the end of section 12, strike out word "bureau" and insert the word "board. In line one, page fourteen change the word "section" to "sections."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower such Cities by Ordinance, to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of Such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Was delivered to the governor for his approval at the hour of 3:25 o'clock P. M.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 387. A Bill for an Act Designating the Sheriff of the Different Counties in the State as Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures, and Giving Him Power to Appoint a Deputy Inspector; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Prescribing Fees to be Charged for Inspection; Providing for Complaints and Penalties for its Violation; Providing for Inspectors' Compensation; Naming Custodian of State Standards and Prescribing His Duties; and Repealing Sections 2999, 3000, 3003, 3004, 3005, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, and Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In lines one and two, page 4 in engrossed bill, strike out all of line one and the words "to the inspector" in line two.

On page eight on line four of the engrossed bill after the word "state" insert a "comma"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman

The committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 369. A Bill for an Act Relating to Dangerous Railroad Grade Crossings over State Highways, and Providing for the Protection of Such Crossings.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That Section 1 be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of North Dakota upon written application made to it by the State Highway Commission, the Board of County Commissioners of any County, the Board of Supervisors of any Township or upon its own motion shall investigate and determine whether any railroad grade crossing over any state, county or township highway in the state is dangerous to life and property, and may order the same protected in any manner said Board of Railroad Commissioners may find reasonable and proper, including requiring the railroad company to separate the grades.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also

Senate Bill No. 330. A Bill for an Act to Authorize County Commisisoners to Lay Out and Construct or Contract for the Construction of Highways on State Lines.

And recommend the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

The committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Banks and Banking, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 364. A Joint Resolution Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the Resolution be adopted.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the resolution, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Banks and Banking, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 236. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Cancellation, Conversion and Exchange of Bonds Issued Under and by Virtue of Chapter 128, Session Laws of 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 266. A Bill For an Act Providing for the Assessment of Shares of Stock in Banking Associations Organized Under the Laws of this State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act to Amend and reenact Chapter 185 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Support of Needy Women who are the Mothers of and Who are Compelled to Support one or More Children Under Sixteen Years of Age.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 188. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the placing of Children, Either for Temporary or Permanent Care, in Almshouses, or in Institutions, Charitable, Penal or Reformatory, Where Delinquent Children are Kept.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 181. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Homes and Institutions Caring for Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 183. A Bill for an Act to Regulate Certain Occupations of Children in Streets and Public Places.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Cities and Municipal Corporations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3890 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Publishing of Village Treasurer's Reports and Prescribing the Form Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

After the word "for" strike out words "at the rate of price and one half of."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN T. FREEMAN,
Chairman.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 378. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7741 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 156 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to Partnership Exemptions.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 341. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Tax Upon Gasoline, Stored, Shipped, Distributed or Held for Sale Within this State, for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying the Expenses of the State Government; Providing for the Administration of the Same; Repealing

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Ellingson moved that Senate Bill No. 341 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Tax and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Relating to What Shall be Carried as "Consolidated Tax Account," and Repealing Section 2274, Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 253, Session Laws of 1915.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. J. A. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Tax and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 302. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Gross Earnings Tax on Certain Freight Line and Car Equipment Companies Owning and Operating or Leasing and Operating Over Railroad Lines Within This State for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of State Government; Repealing Sections 2 to 11 Inclusive, of Chapter 59, Special Session Laws of 1919 and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. J. A. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Tax and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 299. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 62 of the Laws of North Dakota Enacted at the Special Session of 1919, and Declaring that an Emergency Exists, and that This Act Shall Become Effective Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. J. A. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Ware House & Grain Grading made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ware House and Grain Grading to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 2. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Storing of Grain in Store Rooms or Granaries on Farms, the Loaning of Money on the Same and the Manner of Collecting Said Loans.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Larson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Ware House and Grain Grading made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ware House and Grain Grading to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Conduct of the Business of Warehouses and Providing Penalties for its Violation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. A. LARSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Larson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on School and Public Land made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on School and Public land to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No 119. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 341 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Manner Common School Lands and Other Public Lands Shall be Leased.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. G. HANSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Hanson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 242. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1342 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 141 of the Session Laws of 1915 and by Chapter 206 of the Session Laws of 1917 and Section 1345 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Compulsory School Attendance and Providing for the Enforcement Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401, and 403, Compiled Laws of 1913, Declaring Emergency.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass .

G. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Speaker declared that Senate Bill No. 54 would be re-referred.

The committee on Education made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 350. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1333 and Section 1337 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Common School Districts, and Declaring an Emergency.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
Chairman.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Public Health made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acceptance of the Provisions of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Making an Appropriation to Meet the Allotments of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Authorizing State Department of Health to Accept Funds for Infant and Maternal Hygiene Work.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. A. SAGEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Sagen moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Speaker declared that Senate Bill No. 56 would be re-referred to the committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 304. A Bill for an Act to permit Mutual Insurance Companies to Classify Their Business by Trades, Occupations or Professions, and to Pay Dividends to Policyholders Based Upon Each Trade, Occupation or Profession's Proportion of Losses Received to the Premiums Paid by Them; and Providing the Method of Determining Such Dividends.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Mines and Mining made the following report:

Senate Bill No. 386. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 16, 33, 44, 49, 56, 62, 83, 88 and 89 of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Regulating the Operation of All Coal Mines in North Dakota; Providing for their Inspection; Creating the Office of Coal Mining Inspector; Fixing His Qualifications, Duties, Powers and Compensation; Providing for His Appointment; Creating a Board of Examiners; Fixing its Power and Compensation; Providing the Method of Appointment Thereof; Providing for the Registry, Examination and Issuing of Certificates to Certain Employees of Coal Mines.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. H. BURNS,
Chairman.

Mr. Burns moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expenses of the Department of Motor Vehicle Registration.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Of the Printed bill:

In line four strike out the figures "\$93,250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$86,150.00."

In line 22 strike out the figures "\$2,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,500.00."

In line 23 strike out the figures "\$3,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,000.00."

In line 29 strike out the figures "\$93,250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$86,150.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act Appropriating **Money for the Use of War History Commission Between the Following Dates: June 30th, 1923, to July the 1st, 1925.**

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 122. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Training School.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill 100. A Bill For an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the School of Science at Wahpeton, N. Dak.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line three strike out the figures "\$30,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$35,200.00."

In line seven strike out the figures "\$25,600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$28,000.00."

On line eleven add the following: "Aid to graduates attending advanced schools, \$2,400.00."

In line 12 strike out the figures "\$30,400.00" and insert the figures "\$35,200.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$22,230.00 for the Purpose of Paying Salary, Clerk Hire and General Expense of the State Historical Society.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line seven of printed bill strike out the figures "\$6,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,000.00."

In line one of the title strike out the figures "\$22,230.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,710.00."

In line three strike out the figures "\$22,230.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,710.00."

Strike out all of line eight and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Librarian and Cataloguer, \$3,600.00."

In line 22 strike out the figures "\$700.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$380.00."

In line 25 strike out the figures "\$1200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1000.00."

In line 45 strike out the figures "\$22,230.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,710.00."

Strike out all of lines 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, 27, 29, 30, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 42 and 43.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 158. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$10,540.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Expenses of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Mine Inspection.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line three of the printed bill strike out the figures "\$32,350.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$29,750.00."

In line 24 strike out the figures "\$20,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,000.00."

In line 28 strike out the figures "\$32,350.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$29,750.00."

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 137. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$2,000.00 for the Biennium to Defray the Expenses of Disbarment Proceedings, as Prescribed by Section 808 to 812 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 392. A Bill for an Act to Provide a Custodian for the Property Belonging to the State of North Dakota Known as the Biological Station and Located on the Shores of Devils Lake, Ramsey County, North Dakota, and to Designate the Purposes for Which Said Property May be Used.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Supreme Court.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or so Much Thereof as may be Necessary for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Mileage of Witnesses Incurred by the Special Investigating Committee of the Senate, in Considering the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, During the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9367 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Prescribing of an Oath.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 316. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7625 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to a Trial Jury in Civil Cases.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

By adding the following: "Section 2. EMERGENCY. This Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 280. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7643 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 133, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Directed Verdicts.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Verdict in Civil Cases by Five-Sixths of the Jury After Twelve Hours Deliberation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact 7644 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the year 1919, (Regular Session) and Chapter 129 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to Change of Judges in Civil and Criminal Actions in the District Court, for Prejudice or Bias of Judge Thereof; Providing for the Calling of Another Judge of Another Judicial District, and the Payment of his Expenses, and the Discharge of Jurors Therein, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 203. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 160 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 18 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Appointment of Regular and Special Assistant Attorneys General, and Repealing Chapter 20 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 389. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Reservation of Mineral Rights and Providing for the Transfer of Same.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 283. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 9868, 9869, 9870, 9871, 9872, 9873, 9874, 9875 and 9876 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Burglary, House Breaking and Unlawful Entering.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 39. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 287 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of 1915, and as Amended by Chapter 204 of the Session Laws of 1917, and as Amended by Chapter 198 of the Session Laws of 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 108 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Investment of University and School Land Funds.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 23, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bill:

House Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act Making it a Misdemeanor for any Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle While such Person is in an Intoxicated Condition, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,
W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 149. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit Derogatory Statements in Regard to Insurance Companies.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 151. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 6295 of the Compiled Laws Relating to Trusts and Trusteeships.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 397. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 11291, 11292, 11293 and 11294 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Paroling Inmates of the State Training School.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 342. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Subdivision 2 of Section 1 and Section 13a of Chapter 231 of the Session Laws of 1917 as Amended by Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, and to Amend Section 2 of Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Inheritance Taxes Upon Estates of Deceased Non-Residents.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 370. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5626 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following reports:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 339. A Joint Resolution for an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, Providing for the Issue of Bonds for the Erection of Dormitories for the State's Educational Institutions.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 339. A Joint Resolution for an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, Providing for the Issue of Bonds for the Erection of Dormitories for the State's Educational Institutions.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
K. H. WALKER,
B. C. LARKIN.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the majority be adopted.

Mr. Larkin moved to substitute the minority for the majority report.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, the motion prevailed and the report of the majority of the committee was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 23, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 208.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 23, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return a Concurrent Memorial Resolution by Mr. McGauvran, which the Senate has adopted.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5608 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1334 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 105, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Common School Districts.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Entitled, an Act Relating to Lophophora Williamsii or Peyote (Pellote) and Agava Americana (Commonly Known as Mescal); Prohibiting the Use of Possession Thereof, Traffic Therein, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of this Act.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 167. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1275 of the Compiled Laws of The State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Special School Districts.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 160. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 82, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, and to Empower Cities to Purchase or Construct Plants, Including Gas Works, for the Manufacture and Distribution of Light, Heat and Power for Municipal and Commercial Purposes, and to Assess Abutting Property in Accordance with the Benefits Thereto by Reason of Such System

of Distribution, and Providing for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 28. A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities, Villages and Towns to Purchase, Sell, Construct, Rent, Lease, Extend, Connect, or Erect, High Tension Electric Transmission Lines and Electrical Equipment, within and Without the Corporate Limits, and Necessary Secondary Transmission Lines and Distribution Systems Within the Corporate Limits, for the Purpose of Securing Light, Power and Electrical Energy for Municipal and Commercial Use; and to Assess the Property Within the Corporate Limits, and to Provide for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof, and to Provide for the Issuance of Bonds.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relating to What Cities and Villages Shall Register Before Any General Election or Annual City Election.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 144. A Bill for an Act Relating to Deposits in Banks, Declaring Same to Be Trust Funds, and Providing Penalties for Unlawful Removal of Same.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 154. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 121, Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Issuance of Permits for Breeding or Domestication of Certain Fur Bearing Animals.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act Giving the North Dakota Game and Fish Commissioner Power to Make Rules and Regulations in Addition to Those Already Provided by Law, for the Protection of the Fish in the Lakes and Rivers of North Dakota.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act Granting to and Imposing Upon the Board of Administration Certain Powers and Duties with Reference to the Welfare of Children and the Administration and Enforcement of Laws Relating Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acquiring by Condemnation of Roads so Located as to Interfere with the Working of Coal or Other Mines, and Providing the Compensation to be Made Therefor.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 162. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Certain "Securities" Herein Defined by Requiring an Inspection Thereof: Providing for Such Inspection, Supervision and Regulation of the Business of any Person, Association, Partnership, or Corporation, Engaged or Intending to Engage, Whether as Principal or Agent, May be Necessary to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Said Securities, and Repealing Chapter 91 of the Civil Code of the Compiled Laws of 1915.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

Mr. Slominski moved that the House do now recess for ten minutes.

Which motion prevailed.

AFTER RECESS

The House reverted to the Third Order of Business.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Fifty-first Day After Recess and Fifty-second Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 1, under General Orders, the name Peters should be Jackson.

The same correction should be made in line five under General Orders.

On page 4, line 22, the figures 1024 should read 1924.

On page 14, after line 35 insert the following: "Mr. Twichell moved that Senate Bill No. 35 be placed in General Orders. Which motion prevailed."

On page 22, part of Senate Bill No. 207 is omitted.

On page 24 strike out all of Senate Bills Nos. 287 and 259.

On page 25, bottom of Senate Bill No. 32 after the word "for" add the following: "which incurred."

Same page, strike out Senate Bill No. 370.

On page 28 strike out the second line also all of Senate Bill No. 135.

On page 29 strike out title of Senate Bill No. 207, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Concurrent Resolution by Senator Bond, by request."

On page 29 under General Orders strike out Senate Bill No. 207 and 178.

Bottom of page 30 insert the following:

"Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

"Senate Bill No. 347. A Concurrent Resolution to Amend and Re-enact Section 173 of Article 10 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Election of County Officials.

"Senate Bill No. 319. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 973 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Filing of Certificates of Nomination."

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

At the request of Mrs. Craig, the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mrs. Craig moved that the vote by which the report of the Committee on Education, for the indefinite postponement of Senate Bill No. 242, was adopted, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 23, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:
In line 3 of Section 3521 of the engrossed bill, after the

word "allowed" strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 35.

Mr. Jackson moved, as a substitute motion, that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 35.

Which substitute motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. McGauvran, a demand for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 58, nays 52, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Hart	McGauvran	Sims
Bollinger	Heaton	Miller	Slominski
Bratsberg	Helbling	Muus	Sproul
Bark	Henne	Norden	Steen
Burkhart	Hoople	Olafson	Shurr
Burns	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Trubshaw
Carr	Johnson, Trail	Olson, Towner	Tweten
Cole	Kellogg	Opland	Twichell
Ellingson	Kelly	Orange	Ulland
Elmer	Kopp	Patterson	Veltch
Flom	Larson	Peters	Watt
Fredrickson	Lazfer	Plath	Weid
Geiszler	Levin	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Goranson	Link	Rabe	
Hanson	McDowell	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Durkee	Hodges	Morton
Burleigh	Eckert	Iverson	Oberg
Anderson,	Ehr	Jackson	Quam
Burke-Divide	Erickson,	Johnson, Nelson	Radcliffe
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Rustad
Sargent	Erickson,	Jones	Sagen
Boyd	16th Dist.	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Fedge	Laxte	Starke
Bryans	Frandson	Larkin	Streich
Cart	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sweet
Craig	Halcrow	Lynch	Traynor
Currie	Hardy	McManus	Vogel
Doyle	Haugland	Maddock	Walker
Dougherty	Hempel	Martin	Yeater
		McCay	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Harrington	Sathre, Steele	Weisbeck

So the motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed as a Conference Committee on House Bill No. 35: Messrs. McGauvran, Burkhart and Sproul.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 23, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In line 4 of Section 3 of the engrossed Bill, after the word "misdemeanor" strike out the remainder of the section and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 4. EMERGENCY. This Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall be in force from and after its passage and approval."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 281. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Payment of Certificates of Deposit.

Senate Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State with Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for the Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court with Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation Proceedings, and Requesting It to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner, Fixing His Compensation, and Defining His Powers and Authority, and Providing for the Appointment of Receivers of Insolvent Banks, and Making an Appropriation to Meet the Expenses Incident to Carrying Out the Purpose of the Act.

Senate Bill No. 231. A Bill for an Act declaring the Purpose of Establishing Public Banking Districts to Engage in the Banking Business and Establishing a System of Banking Owned, Controlled and Operated by the Districts; Defining the Scope and Manner of Such Banks' Operation; Prescribing the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with their Management, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Provisions Thereof.

Mr. Kelly moved that the House concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 142.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kelly moved that the Rules be suspended, that

House Bill No. 142 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended by the Senate, the roll was called and there were ayes 110, nays none, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lakie	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lazter	Rustad
Anderson	Frandsen	Levtn	Sagen
Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Fredrickson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geiszler	Lynch	Sims
Bratsberg	Goranson	McManus	Slominski
Brown	Halcrow	Maddock	Sproul
Bryans	Hanson	Martin	Starke
Mark	Hardy	McCay	Steen
Burkhart	Hart	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Shurr
Carr	Helbling	Miller	Swett
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Muus	Trubshaw
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Tweten
Currie	Hoople	Oberg	Twitcheil
Doyle	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Opfand	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Jones	Patterson	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Peters	Weld
Erickson	Kelly	Plath	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kopp	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Lackey	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Harrington	Heaton	Johnson, Traill	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 220. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 51, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Lynch	Slominski
Burleigh	Halcrow	McDowell	Sproul
Bollinger	Hanson	McGauvran	Starke
Boyd	Hart	Muus	Shurr
Brown	Hodges	Norden	Traynor
Burkhart	Hoople	Olafson	Trubshaw
Burns	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Tweten
Carr	Jardine	Orange	Twichell
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Ulland
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Watt
Ehr	Kelly	Radcliffe	Weld
Ellingson	Lackey	Root	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Larson	Rustad	
Fredrickson	Levin	Sagen	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Larkin	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Fedge	Link	Sims
Sargent	Frandson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Arduser	Geiszler	McManus	Streich
Bratsberg	Goranson	Maddock	Swett
Bryans	Hardy	Martin	Vogel
Burk	Haugland	McCay	Walker
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Weisbeck
Craig	Hempel	Morton	Yeater
Doyle	Henne	Oberg	
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	
Erickson	Kopp	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Lackie	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
	Heaton	Iverson	Sathre, Steele

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 220 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion was lost.

Senate Bill No. 182. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9607, and Section 9608, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays 9, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackie	Radcliffe
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Larkin	Root
Anderson	Erickson	Larson	Rustad
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sagen
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Flom	Link	Sims
Arduser	Frandson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lynch	Sproul
Boyd	Freeman	McManus	Starke
Bratsberg	Goranson	Martin	Steen
Brown	Halcrow	McCay	Streich
Bryans	Hardy	Miller	Shurr
Burk	Hart	Morton	Swett

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Haugland	Muus	Traynor
Burns	Heibling	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	Oberg	Tweten
Cart	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Cole	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Craig	Iverson	O'son, Townner	Vogel
Currie	Jackson	Opland	Walker
Doyle	Jardine	Orange	Watt
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Weld
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Jones	Plath	
Ehr	Kellogg	Quade	
Ellingson	Kelly	Quam	
Elmer	Lackey	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were :

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Geisler	Johnson, Trail	McDowell	Ulland
Hanson	Kopp	McGauvran	Weisbeck
Henne			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Harrington	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	Yeater
Heaton			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Miller moved that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 308 be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Twichell moved the previous question.

Which motion prevailed.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Miller, the motion prevailed and Senate Bill No. 308 was indefinitely postponed.

Senate Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3784 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 120 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Municipal Elections in Cities.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 66, nays 41, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were :

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Jonsson, Trail.	Quade
Burleigh	Ellingson	Kelly	Rabe
Anderson	Flom	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larkin	Root
Bollinger	Freeman	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Geisler	Levin	Sagen
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Halcrow	McDowell	Sproul
Bark	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Burkhart	Hempel	Muus	Traynor
Burns	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Cole	Iverson	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Currie	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Dougherty	Jardine	Patterson	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge	McManus	Steen
Arduser	Frandsen	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Hardy	Martin	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Craig	Helbling	Miller	Tweten
Doy'e	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Elmer	Jones	Oberg	Weid
Erickson	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
26th Dist.	Lakie	Opland	
Erickson	Lazier	Quam	
16th Dist.	Link	Sethre, Williams	
	Loudenbeck	Sims	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hanson	Heaton	Sathre, Steele	Walker
Harrington	Lackey		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act Permitting the Increase of the Limitation of Indebtedness of Common, Special and Independent School Districts by an Additional Five Per Centum on the Assessed Value of the Taxable Property Therein, Beyond the Present Constitutional Limit of Five Per Centum, Providing a Method for Effecting Such Increase, and for Submitting the Question of Such Increase to the Electors of the School Districts at Annual or Special Elections, and Providing for Preserving a Record of Such Increase of the Limit of Indebtedness.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 96, nays 9, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Flom	Parkin	Rustad
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen	Larson	Sagen
	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Sims
Boyd	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Halerow	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Burkhart	Hart	McDowell	Swett
Burns	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Helbling	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Carrie	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Doyle	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Walker
Durkee	Jardine	Opland	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	
Bollinger	Jones	Peters	
Erickson	Kellogg	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quade	
	Kopp	Quam	
		Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Link	Vogel	Weid
Cart	Streich	Weisbeck	Yeater
Elmer			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Harrington	Hempel	Maddock	Olson, Ransom
Heaton	Johnson, Pembina	McGauvran	Sathre, Steele

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 164. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1303 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of the Amount of Bonds of Independent School Districts.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 12, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lazier	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Levin	Rustad
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Lynch	Sathre, Williams
Anderson	Geiszler	McManus	Sims
Burleigh	Goranson	Maddock	Slominski
Bollinger	Halerow	Martin	Sproul
Boyd	Hanson	McCay	Starke
Bratsberg	Hardy	McDowell	Steen
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Streich
Bryans	Henne	Miller	Shurr
Burk	Hodges	Morton	Traynor
Burkhart	Hoople	Muus	Trubshaw
Burns	Iverson	Norden	Tweten
Carr	Jackson	Oberg	Twitchell
Cart	Jardine	Olafson	Veitch
Cole	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Currie	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Walker
Doyle	Johnson, Trail.	Opland	Watt
Dougherty	Keliogg	Orange	Weisbeck
Durkee	Kelly	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Kopp	Plath	
Ehr	Lackey	Quade	
Ellingson	Lakie	Quam	
Ellingson	Larkin	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Larson	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Erickson	Helbling	Swett
Craig	26th Dist.	Jones	Weld
Elmer	Frandsen	Link	Yeater
	Haugland		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Harrington	Hempel	Sathre, Steele	Ulland
Heaton	Patterson		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: F. C. Root, Mr. Gould, Mr. Ferber, Mr. Andrews, Mr. Ed Kromroy, Mrs. Parker Parkinson, Mrs. Fred Sims, Bottineau County.

Mr. McDowell moved that the House do now recess until 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

FIFTY-SECOND DAY AFTER RECESS AND
FIFTY-THIRD DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
Night Session, February 23, 1923.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Was read the third time.

Senate Bill No. 32. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4016 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating Bonded Indebtedness of Cities, and Purposes for Which Incurred.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 30, absent and not voting 20.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Johnson, Trail	Olsen, Ransom
Burleigh	Goranson	Kelly	Olsen, Towner
Bollinger	Halcrow	Kopp	Orange
Boyd	Hanson	Lackey	Peters
Brown	Harrington	Larkin	Plath
Burk	Hart	Larson	Quade
Burkhart	Haugland	Levin	Root
Burns	Hempel	Lynch	Rustad
Carr	Henne	McManus	Slominski
Craig	Hodges	Maddock	Sproul
Dougherty	Hoople	McDowell	Traynor
Durkee	Iverson	Miller	Trubshaw
Ehr	Jackson	Morton	Twichell
Ellingson	Jardine	Muus	Ulland
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Norden	Watt
Frandsen	Johnson, Pembina	Olafson	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	McCay	Swett
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	McGauvran	Tweten
Anderson,	Hardy	Oberg	Veitch
Sargent	Helbling	Quam	Vogel
Arduser	Jones	Sims	Walker
Bryans	Lazier	Starke	Weisbeck
Cart	Link	Streich	
Doyle	Loudenbeck	Shurr	
Elmer	Martin	Steen	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fedge	Opland	Sethre, Williams
Cole	Fredrickson	Patterson	Weld
Currie	Geiszler	Rabe	Yeater
Eckert	Heaton	Radcliffe	
Erickson	Kellogg	Sagen	
26th Dist.	Lakie	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to High Schools and Tuition Fees.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 45, nays 54, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Anderson	Fedge	Lazier	Opland
Sargent	Frandsen	Levin	Quam
Arduser	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Hardy	Lynch	Sims
Burk	Hart	McManus	Steen
Burkhart	Haugland	Maddock	Streich
Cole	Hempel	Martin	Shurr
Craig	Hoople	McCay	Swett
Doyle	Iverson	Miller	Tweten
Eckert	Jones	Morton	Vogel
Erickson	Lackie	Oberg	Walker
26th Dist.	Larkin	Olson, Ransom	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Rustad
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Jackey	Slominski
Anderson.	Flom	Larson	Sproul
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Link	Starke
Boyd	Halcrow	McDowell	Traynor
Brown	Hanson	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burns	Harrington	Muus	Twichell
Carr	Helbling	Norden	Ulland
Cart	Henne	Olafson	Veitch
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Iowner	Watt
Dougherty	Jardine	Orange	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
Elmer	Kelly	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.		
Bollinger	Heaton	Rabe	Weld
Bratsberg	Jackson	Radcliffe	Yeater
Fredrickson	Kellogg	Sagen	
Geiszler	Patterson	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill was lost.

Senate Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Appointment of Representatives on Behalf of the State of North Dakota to Negotiate a Compact and Agreement Between the States of North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana, and Between Said States and the United States of

America, Respecting the Use and Distribution of the Waters of the Missouri River and the Rights of said States and the United States Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 14, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Olarson
Burleigh	Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Olson, Townner
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Kopp	Opland
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackey	Peters
Sargent	16th Dist.	Lakie	Quam
Arduser	Fedge	Larkin	Rustad
Bollinger	Frandsen	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Larson	Sims
Brown	Goranson	Levin	Sproul
Bryans	Halcrow	Link	Starke
Burk	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Burkhart	Hardy	Lynch	Streich
Burns	Harrington	McManus	Shurr
Carr	Hart	Maddock	Swett
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Traynor
Cole	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Craig	Henne	McDowell	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	McGauvran	Veitch
Doyle	Hoople	Miller	Yogel
Dougherty	Iverson	Morton	Walker
Durkee	Jackson	Muus	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Oberg	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Ulland
Flom	Norden	Root	Watt
Hempel	Orange	Slominski	Weld
Jardine	Plath	Trubshaw	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Heaton	Rabe	Sagen
Fredrickson	Keliogz	Radcliffe	Sathre, Steak
Geiszler	Patterson		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act to Safeguard the Business of Beekeeping Against Contagious and Infectious Diseases; Defining Apiaries; Providing for State Inspection Under the Direction and Control of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor; Prohibiting the Sale, Barter, Offer of Sale or Barter, Moving, Transportation, Shipping or Offering for Shipping or Transportation, of any Bees, Brood, Comb or Beekeeping Appliances That are Infected; Providing for the Proper Certification of Shipments into the State, and the Reporting of Such Shipments by the Purchaser or Importer; Fixing Penalties for Violation.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as

amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 66, nays 36, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Jones	Quam
Anderson	Erickson	Kelly	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Lakte	Sims
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Starke
Sargent	Franson	Larson	Steen
Arduser	Fredrickson	Lazier	Shurr
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Swett
Brown	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Traynor
Bryans	Goranson	McManus	Tweten
Burk	Halcrow	Maddock	Twichell
Burkhart	Harrington	Martin	Ulland
Burns	Haugland	Muus	Vogel
Carr	Henne	Norden	Watt
Cole	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Opland	Yeater
Eckert	Jackson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Hanson	Link	Olson, Towner
Cart	Hart	Lynch	Plath
Craig	Heibling	McCay	Root
Currie	Hempel	McDowell	Rustad
Dougherty	Hodges	McGauvran	Slominski
Durkee	Jardine	Miller	Sproul
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Morton	Streich
Ellingson	Kopp	Oberg	Trubshaw
Flom	Lackey	Olafson	Veitch

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Kellogg	Rrdcliffe	Walker
Hardy	Patterson	Sagen	Weid
Heaton	Rabe	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause lost.

Senate Bill No. 155. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 4, 6, 8, 34, 35 and 65, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, and Section 27, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Section 2, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 36, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Section 5, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 46, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1921 and Section 80, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Game and Fish.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 102, nays 1, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jones	Plath
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kelly	Peters

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Quade
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lackey	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Sargent	Flora	Larkin	Rustad
Arduser	Frandsen	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sims
Boyd	Freeman	Levin	Slominski
Bratsberg	Geizler	Link	Sproul
Brown	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Bryans	Halcrow	Lynch	Steen
Burk	Hanson	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Burns	Harrington	Martin	Traynor
Carr	Hart	McCay	Trubahaw
Cart	Haugland	McDowell	Tweten
Cole	Heaton	McGauvran	Twichell
Craig	Helbling	Miller	Ulland
Currie	Henne	Merton	Veitch
Doyle	Hodges	Muus	Vogel
Dougherty	Hoople	Norden	Walker
Durkee	Iverson	Oberg	Watt
Eckert	Jackson	Olafson	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	
	Johnson, Traill	Orange	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Hempel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Kellogg	Rabe	Sagen	Sweet
Patterson	Radcliffe	Sathre, Steele	Weld

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 173. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the Appointment of County Child Welfare Boards and to Define their Powers and Duties, and to Repeal Section 19, Chapter 177, Laws of 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 36, nays 65, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Eckert	Hoople	Miller
Burleigh	Erickson	Iverson	Morton
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Lackie	Muus
Sargent	Erickson,	Larkin	Olson, Ransom
Arduser	16th Dist.	Lazier	Quam
Bryans	Fedge	Levin	Sims
Burkhart	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Burns	Halcrow	McManus	Streich
Craig	Harrington	Maddock	Shurr
Doyle	Haugland	Martin	Walker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geizler	McCay	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Goranson	McDowell	Slominski
Bollinger	Hanson	McGauvran	Sproul
Boyd	Hardy	Kelly	Steen
Brown	Hart	Kopp	Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Hebling	Larson	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	Norden	Tweten
Cart	Henne	Oberg	Twichell
Cole	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Orland	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weisbeck
Emer	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Yeater
Flom	Jones	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Frandsen	Link	Root	
Freeman	Lynch	Rustad	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Kellogg	Rabe	Sathre, Steele
Dougherty	Lackey	Radcliffe	Sweet
Heaton	Patterson	Sagen	Weld

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I must, reluctantly, vote "no" on this bill. I do so because, though I am in sympathy with its purposes, I do not think it has been adequately considered by the House and I think there are certain matters that should be amended.

Mr. Kopp moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 173 was lost, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 317. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1003 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 6 of the Special Session Laws of 1918, Relating to the Printing of Absent Voter Ballots.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 47, nays 53, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Johnson, Pembina	Peters
Burleigh	Geiszler	Johnson, Traill	Plath
Boyd	Goranson	Kelly	Quade
Burns	Halcrow	Kopp	Root
Carr	Hanson	Larson	Rustad
Cole	Harrington	Lynch	Slominski
Currie	Hempel	McDowell	Sproul
Durkee	Penne	McGauvran	Twichell
Ellingson	Hodges	Mus	Ulland
Flom	Iverson	Norden	Veitch
Frandsen	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Fredrickson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Link	Steen
Sargent	26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Streich
Arduser	Fedge	McManus	Shurr
Bollinger	Hardy	Maddock	Swett
Brown	Hart	Martin	Trubshaw
Bryans	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Burk	Helbling	Miller	Vogel
Burkhart	Hoople	Morton	Walker
Cart	Jackson	Oborg	Weisbeck
Craig	Jones	Olafson	Yeater
Doyle	Lackey	Olson, Ransom	
Eckert	Lakie	Opland	
Elmer	Larkin	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Kellogg	Radcliffe	Starke
Dougherty	Patterson	Sagen	Traynor
Ehr	Rabe	Sathre, Steele	Weld
Heaton			

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I change my vote from "aye" to "no" for the purpose of reconsidering the vote.

Mr. Walker: Mr. Speaker, I move that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 317 was lost, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

A request for a roll call on the motion of Mr. Walker was granted.

Mr. Jackson moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll was called and disclosed all members present except Messrs. Bratsberg, Heaton, Kellogg, Patterson, Rabe, Radcliffe, Sagen, Sathre and Weld.

The Speaker instructed the Sargeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Vogel moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Jardine moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Walker, the roll was called and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 49, nays 56, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Lazier	Quam
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Frandsen	Link	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Arduser	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Haugland	Maddock	Streich

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Helbling	Martin	Shurr
Craig	Hoople	McCay	Swett
Doye	Jones	Miller	Tweten
Elmer	Kopp	Morton	Vogel
Erickson,	Lackey	Oberg	Walker
26th Dist.	Lakie	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Erickson,	Larkin	Opland	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Quade
Burleigh	Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Root
Bollinger	Freeman	Johnson, Trail.	Rustad
Boyd	Geiszler	Kelly	Slominski
Brown	Goranson	Larson	Sproul
Burk	Halcrow	Lynch	Traynor
Burns	Hanson	McDowell	Trubshaw
Carr	Harrington	McGauvran	Twichell
Cart	Hart	Muus	Ulland
Cole	Hempel	Norden	Veitch
Currie	Henne	Olafson	Watt
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Iverson	Orange	
Eckert	Jackson	Peters	
Ehr	Jardine	Plath	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Patterson	Radcliffe	Sathre, Steele
Heaton	Rabe	Sagen	Weld
Kellogg			

So the motion was lost.

Mr. Twichell moved that action be deferred on Senate Bills Nos. 318, 277, and 336.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Iverson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 295. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 211 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Supreme Court Reporter and State Law Librarian.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 59, nays 39, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Johnson, Trail.	Plath
Burleigh	Flom	Kelly	Quade
Anderson,	Freeman	Kopp	Root
Sargent	Geiszler	Lackey	Rustad
Bollinger	Goranson	Larson	Slominski
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	McDowell	Starke
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Traynor
Burns	Hart	Muus	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Henne	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Opland	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lakie	Olson, Ransom
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Arduser	Fedge	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Frandsen	Link	Steen
Burkhart	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Streich
Cart	Haray	McManus	Shurr
Craig	Haugland	Martin	Swett
Doyle	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Eckert	Hoopla	Miller	Vogel
Erickson,	Jackson	Morton	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Jones	Oberg	Yeater

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Kellogg	Rabe	Sims
Cole	Levin	Radcliffe	Walker
Heaton	Maddock	Sagen	Weld
Iverson	Patterson	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I desire to change my vote from "aye" to "no" for the purpose of reconsideration.

Senate Bill No. 355. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 375 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 21 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the State Auditing Board, Its Duties and the Membership Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 65, nays 35, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Kopp	Sagen
Burleigh	Ellingson	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Elmer	Larson	Slominski
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lynch	Sproul
Bollinger	Freeman	McDowell	Starke
Boyd	Geizler	McGauvran	Traynor
Brown	Goranson	Miller	Trubshaw
Bryans	Halcrow	Muus	Tweten
Burk	Hanson	Norden	Twitchell
Burns	Harrington	Olafson	Ulland
Carr	Hart	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Cart	Henne	Orange	Watt
Cole	Hodges	Peters	Weld
Currie	Jardine	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Quam	
Eckert	Johnson, Traill	Root	
	Kelly	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Sargent	Frandsen	McManus	Swett
Arduser	Fredrickson	Martin	Vogel
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Walker
Craig	Haugland	Morton	Weisbeck

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Helbling	Oberg	Yeater
Erickson	Jones	Olson, Ransom	
26th Dist.	Lackie	Opland	
Erickson	Larkin	Sims	
16th Dist.	Lazier	Steen	
	Link	Streich	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Iverson	Levin	Rabe
Heaton	Jackson	Maddock	Radcliffe
Hempel	Kellogg	Patterson	Sathre, Steele
Hoople			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 292. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2141 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 35, Special Session Laws of 1919; Providing for the Substitution of the State Auditor and State Tax Commissioner as Members of the State Board of Equalization Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Attorney General; Providing that the Tax Commissioner Shall be Secretary Thereof Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Prescribing the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Equalization in regard to the Equalization and Assessment of Property.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 69, nays 31, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Kelly	Root
Burleigh	Ellingson	Kopp	Rustad
Anderson	Elmer	Lackey	Sagen
Sargent	Flom	Iarson	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Slominski
Boyd	Geiszler	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Goranson	McDowell	Starke
Bryans	Halerow	McGauvran	Traynor
Burk	Hanson	Martin	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Harrington	Muus	Tweten
Burns	Hart	Norden	Twiehell
Carr	Henne	O'afson	U'land
Cole	Hodges	O'son, Towner	Veitch
Currie	Hoople	Opland	Watt
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
	Johnson, Traill	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lazier	Steen
Burke-Divide	Franson	Loudenbeck	Streich
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Craig	Hardy	Martin	Sweet
Doyle	Haugland	McCay	Walker
Erickson	Helbling	Morton	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Jones	Oberg	Yeater
Erickson	Lakie	Olson, Ransom	
16th Dist.	Larkin	Sims	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Kellogg	Rabe	Weld
Heaton	Link	Radcliffe	
Hempel	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	
Iverson	Patterson	Vogel	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 381. A Bill for an Act Providing for Assistant States Attorneys in Counties with a Population Exceeding Thirty-five Thousand.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 66, nays 23, absent and not voting 24.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath
Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Quade
Anderson	Flom	Kelly	Root
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Kopp	Rustad
Bollinger	Freeman	Lackey	Sagen
Boyd	Geiszler	Larson	Sathre, Williams
Brown	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	McManus	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	McDowell	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	McGauvran	Traynor
Burns	Hart	Miller	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	Muus	Twetten
Cart	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Durkes	Jardine	Opland	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Larkin	Steen
Sargent	16th Dist.	Lazier	Streich
Arduser	Frandsen	Levin	Shurr
Cole	Goranson	McCay	Swett
Craig	Haugland	Oberg	Yeater
Erickson	Helbling	Quam	
26th Dist.	Jones	Sims	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Jackson	Martin	Radcliffe
Doyle	Kellogg	Morton	Sathre, Steele
Elmer	Lakie	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Fedge	Link	Orange	Walker
Heaton	Loudenbeck	Patterson	Weisbeck
Iverson	Maddock	Rabe	Weld

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

At the request of Mr. Jardine the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Miss Dougherty moved that during all evening sessions House Rule No. 57 be suspended.

Mr. Jardine moved that the vote by which the report of the Committee on Judiciary, for the indefinite postpone-

ment of Senate Bill No. 342, was adopted, be reconsidered.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that Senate Bill No. 342 be recalled from the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved that action on Senate Bill No. 275 be deferred.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 326. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 3711 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and to Provide for Special Assessment Funds, the Issuance and Payments of Warrants.

Was read the third time.

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 71, nays 13, absent and not voting 29.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Burleigh	Freeman	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Gelszler	Levin	Slominski
Bu. ke-Divide	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Bollinger	Halcrow	McDowell	Starke
Boyd	Hanson	McGauvran	Shurr
Brown	Harrington	Miller	Swett
Burk	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Burns	Hempel	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Henne	Oberg	Twetten
Cart	Hodges	Olafson	Twitchell
Dougherty	Hoopel	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Opiland	Veitch
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Erickson,	Johnson, Trail.	Quade	
26th Dist.	Jones	Quam	
Erickson	Kelly	Root	
16th Dist.	Lackey	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Haugland	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Helbling	McCay	Streich
Frandsen	Kopp	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Hardy			

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Doyle	Larkin	Radcliffe
Sargent	Eckert	Link	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Fedge	McManus	Sims
Burkhardt	Fredrickson	Maddock	Vogel
Cole	Heaton	Martin	Walker
Craig	Iverson	Morton	Weisbeck
Currie	Kellogg	Patterson	Weld
	Lakie	Rabe	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 395. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3969 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Section 79 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and Chapter 32 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Excluding Farm Lands from the Limits of City, Town and Villages.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 74, nays 6, absent and not voting 33.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Peters
Burleigh	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Johnson, Trail.	Quade
Burke-Divide	Flom	Jones	Quam
Anderson	Franson	Kelly	Root
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larkin	Rustad
Arduser	Freeman	Larson	Sims
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lazier	Slominski
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	HcManus	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	McDowell	Steen
Burk	Hardy	McGauvran	Shurr
Burns	Harrington	Miller	Swett
Carr	Hart	Norden	Traynor
Cart	Haugland	Oberg	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Helbling	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Hempel	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ehr	Henne	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ellingson	Hodges	Opland	Mr. Speaker
	Hoople	Orange	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jackson	Lynch	Muus	Sagen
Levin	McCay		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fedge	Maddock	Tweten
Burkhart	Heaton	Martin	Twitchell
Cole	Iverson	Morton	Vogel
Craig	Jardine	Patterson	Walker
Currie	Kellogg	Rabe	Weisbeck
Doye	Kopp	Radcliffe	Weld
Eckert	Lackey	Sathre, Steele	Yerter
Erickson	Lakie	Sethre, Williams	
16th Dist.	Link	Streich	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act to Provide \$300.00 for the Burial Expense of Honorably Discharged Sailors, Soldiers and Marines of the United States War of the Rebellion and Erection of Headstones Therefor, as Authorized by Sections 3181, 3182, 3183, and 3184 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 84, nays none, absent and not voting 29.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Peters
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Plath
Anderson	Flom	Kopp	Quade
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Lackey	Quam
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larkin	Root
Sargent	Freeman	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Geiszler	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Goranson	Levin	Slominski
Boyd	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Starke
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Burk	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Swett
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Dougherty	Henne	Muus	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hodges	Norden	Twitshell
Ehr	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Ellingson	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
Elmer	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	
	Johnson, Trall.	Orange	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Heaton	Morton	Vogel
Burkhart	Hempel	Patterson	Walker
Cole	Iverson	Rabe	Weisbeck
Craig	Kellogg	Radcliffe	Weld
Currie	Lackie	Rustad	Yeater
Doyle	Link	Sathre, Steele	
Eckert	Maddock	Sims	
Fedge	Martin	Tweten	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hardy moved that the House do now recess until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Which motion was lost.

Senate Bill No. 346. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Creation of Deficits by State Officials, State Boards and Heads of State Institutions, and Prescribing a Penalty for the Violations of this Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 71, nays 10, absent and not voting 32.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Quade
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kelly	Root
Anderson,	Flom	Kopp	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lazier	Slominski
Sargent	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Arduser	Geiszler	Lynch	Starke
Bollinger	Goranson	McManus	Steen
Boyd	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Brown	Hart	McDowell	Swett
Bryans	Haugland	McGauvran	Traynor
Burk	Helbling	Miller	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	Norden	Twitshell
Cart	Henne	Oberg	Ulland

Messrs. Dougherty Durkee Ehr Ellingson Elmer	Messrs. Hodges Jardine Johnson, Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Trail.	Messrs. Olson, Olson, Ransom Olson, Towner Opland Orange Plath	Messrs. Veitch Vogel Watt Mr. Speaker
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Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Burns Halcrow Harrington	Messrs. Hoople Levin Muus	Messrs. Olafson Peters Streich	Messrs. Yeater
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Absent and not voting

Messrs. Bratsberg Burkhart Cole Craig Currie Doyle Eckert Erickson 16th Dist.	Messrs. Fedge Hanson Heaton Iverson Jackson Kellogg Lackey Lakie Larkin	Messrs. Link Maddock Martin Morton Patterson Quam Rabe Radcliffe Rustad	Messrs. Sathre, Steele Sims Tweten Walker Weisbeck Weld
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So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Defray the Expenses of the Delegates to National Political Conventions as Prescribed by Section 916 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were aye 59, nays 21, absent and not voting 33.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Burleigh Anderson, Burke-Divide Bollinger Boyd Brown Bryans Burk Burns Carr Dougherty Doyle Ehr Ellingson	Messrs. Flom Frandsen Fredrickson Freeman Geiszler Goranson Halcrow Hart Hempel Hodges Jardine Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Trail Kelly	Messrs. Kopp Larson Levin Lynch McDowell McGauvran Morton Muus Norden Oborg Olafson Olson, Ransom Olson, Towner Orange Peters	Messrs. Plath Quade Root Sagen Slominski Sproul Starke Streich Shurr Traynor Trubshaw Twichell Ulland Veitch Watt Mr. Speaker
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Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Sargent Arduser Cart Elmer Erickson 26th Dist.	Messrs. Hardy Haugland Helbling Henne Hoople Jones Lazier	Messrs. Loudenbeck McManus McCay Miller Opland Steen Swett	Messrs. Vogel Yeater
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Absent and not voting:

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Hanson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Burkhart	Harrington	Link	Sethre, Williams
Cole	Heaton	Maddock	Sims
Craig	Iverson	Martin	Tweten
Currie	Jackson	Patterson	Walker
Doyle	Kellogg	Quam	Weisbeck
Eckert	Lackey	Rabe	Weld
Erickson	Lackie	Radcliffe	
16th Dist.		Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Presidential Electors as Prescribed by Section 1038 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 77, nays 3, absent and not voting 33.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Kopp	Plath
Burleigh	Freeman	Larson	Quade
Anderson,	Geiszler	Lazier	Root
Burke-Divide	Goranson	Levin	Sagen
Anderson,	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Sargent	Hardy	Lynch	Sproul
Arduser	Harrington	McManus	Starke
Bollinger	Hart	McDowell	Steen
Boyd	Haugland	McGauvran	Streich
Brown	Hebling	Miller	Shurr
Bryans	Hempel	Morton	Sweet
Burk	Henne	Muus	Trubshaw
Burns	Hodges	Norden	Tweten
Cart	Hoople	Oberg	Twichell
Cart	Jardine	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Townner	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Opland	Watt
Ellingson	Jones	Orange	Yeater
Flom	Kelly	Peters	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Elmer	Erickson	Frandsen
	26th Dist.	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fedge	Link	Sathre, Steele
Burkhart	Hanson	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Cole	Heaton	Martin	Sims
Craig	Iverson	McCay	Traynor
Currie	Jackson	Patterson	Walker
Doyle	Kellogg	Quam	Weisbeck
Eckert	Lackey	Rabe	Weld
Erickson	Lackie	Radcliffe	
16th Dist.	Larkin	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act Making an Appro-

priation for the Reward and Apprehension of Criminals According to Chapter 200 of the Session Laws of 1917.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays none, absent and not voting 35.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Franson	Larson	Sagen
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Lazier	Slominski
Anderson,	Freeman	Levin	Sproul
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Starke
Arduser	Coranson	Lynch	Steen
Bollinger	Halcrow	McManus	Streich
Boyd	Hardy	McDowell	Shurr
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Swett
Bryans	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Burk	Heibling	Muus	Trubshaw
Burns	Hempel	Norden	Tweten
Carr	Henne	Oberg	Twichell
Cart	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Jones	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quade	
Flom	Kopp	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Lakie	Radcliffe
Sargent	16th Dist.	Larkin	Rustad
Bratsberg	Fedge	Link	Sathre, Steele
Burkhardt	Hanson	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Cole	Harrington	Martin	Sims
Craig	Heaton	McCay	Walker
Currie	Iverson	Morton	Weisbeck
Doyle	Jackson	Patterson	Weid
Eckert	Kellogg	Quam	
	Lackey	Rabe	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$250.00 for the Biennium, to Defray the Expenses of the State Canvassing Board.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays none, absent and not voting 35.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kelly	Plath
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kopp	Quade
Anderson	Flom	Larson	Root
Burke-Divide	Franson	Lazier	Sagen
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Levin	Slominski
Sargent	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Arduser	Geiszler	Lynch	Starke
Bollinger	Coranson	McManus	Steen
Boyd	Halcrow	McDowell	Streich
	Hart	McGauvran	Shurr

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Haugland	Miller	Swett
Bryans	Helbling	Morton	Traynor
Burk	Hempel	Muus	Trubshaw
Burns	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Carr	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Cart	Hoople	Olafson	Veitch
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Jones	Peters	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fedge	Lakie	Radcliffe
Burkhart	Hanson	Larkin	Rustad
Cole	Hardy	Link	Sathre, Steele
Craig	Harrington	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Currie	Heaton	Martin	Sims
Doyle	Iverson	McCay	Tweten
Eckert	Jackson	Patterson	Walker
Erickson	Kellogg	Quam	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe	Weld

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$5,000.00 for the Biennium, to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Agents in the Arrest and Return of Fugitives from Justice as Prescribed by Section 11162 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays none, absent and not voting 35.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Kelly	Plath
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kopp	Quade
Anderson	Flom	Larson	Root
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Lazier	Sagen
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Levin	Slominski
Sargent	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sprout
Arduser	Geiszler	Lynch	Starke
Bollinger	Goranson	McManus	Steen
Boyd	Halcrow	McDowell	Streich
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Miller	Swett
Burk	Helbling	Morton	Traynor
Burns	Hempel	Muus	Trubshaw
Cart	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Carr	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Cart	Hoople	Olafson	Veitch
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Jones	Peters	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fedge	Lackie	Radcliffe
Burkhart	Hanson	Larkin	Rustad
Cole	Hardy	Link	Sathre, Steele
Craig	Harrington	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Currie	Heaton	Martin	Sims

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Iverson	McCay	Tweten
Eckert	Jackson	Patterson	Walker
Erickson	Kellogg	Quam	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe	Weld

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of Expenses and Fees of Appraisers of Inheritance, Devises, Bequests, Legacies, and Gifts, as Provided for in Section 8991 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 80, nays 1, absent and not voting 32.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	26th Dist.	Kopp	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Anderson.	Frandsen	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bürke-Divide	Fredrickson	Levin	Sims
Anderson	Freeman	Lodenbeck	Stominski
Sargent	Geiszler	Lynch	Sproul
Arduser	Goranson	McManus	Starke
Bollinger	Halerow	McDowell	Steen
Boyd	Hanson	McGauvran	Streich
Brown	Hart	Miller	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Morton	Swett
Burk	Helbling	Muus	Traynor
Burns	Hempel	Norden	Twichell
Carr	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Cart	Hoonle	Olafson	Veiteh
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Durkea	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Jones	Peters	
Erickson	Kellogg	Plath	
	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Trubshaw

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fedge	Larkin	Rustad
Burkhart	Hardy	Link	Sathre, Steele
Cole	Harrington	Maddock	Tweten
Craig	Heaton	Martin	Walker
Currie	Henne	McCay	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Patterson	Weld
Eckert	Jackson	Quam	
Erickson	Lackey	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Lackie	Radcliffe	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to provide Funds to Pay the Necessary Expenses and Reasonable Compensation to Commissioners Appointed in Actions to Release Insane Patients Prescribed by Section 2552 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 79, nays 1, absent and not voting 33.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Larson	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Lazier	Sagen
Anderson,	Frandsen	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Link	Sims
Anderson,	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Sargent	Geiszler	Lynch	Starke
Arduser	Goranson	McManus	Steen
Bollinger	Halcrow	McDowell	Streich
Brown	Hart	McGauvran	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Miller	Swett
Burk	Helbling	Muus	Traynor
Burns	Hempel	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Hodges	Oberg	Twichell
Cart	Hoople	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Yeater
Elmer	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson,	Kelly	Plath	
	Kopp	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Erickson
16th Dist.

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Hardy	Larkin	Rustad
Burkhart	Harrington	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Cole	Heaton	Martin	Twetten
Craig	Henne	McCay	Walker
Currie	Iverson	Morton	Weisbeck
Eckert	Jackson	Patterson	Weid
Doyte	Kellogg	Quam	
Fedge	Lackey	Rabe	
Hanson	Lakie	Radcliffe	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 77. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Per Diem and Expenses of the State Budget Board as Prescribed by Chapter 61 of the Session

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 74, nays 2, absent and not voting 37.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Kepp	Plath
Burleigh	Frandsen	Larson	Quade
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lazier	Root
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Levin	Sagen
Anderson,	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Sargent	Halcrow	Lynch	Sproul
Arduser	Hart	McManus	Starke
Bollinger	Haugland	McDowell	Steen

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Helbling	McGauvran	Streich
Brown	Hempel	Miller	Shurr
Bryans	Henne	Muus	Swett
Burk	Hodges	Norden	Traynor
Burns	Hoople	Oberg	Trubshaw
Carr	Jardine	Olafson	Twitchell
Cart	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Velte
Durkee	Johnson, Trail	Opland	Vogel
Ehr	Jones	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Kelly	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Elmer			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson,	Yeater
26th Dist.	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Goranson	Larkin	Rustad
Burkhart	Hanson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Cole	Hardy	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Craig	Harrington	Martin	Sims
Currie	Heaton	McCay	Tweten
Doyle	Iverson	Morton	Walker
Eckert	Jackson	Patterson	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kellogg	Quam	Weld
16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe	
Fedge	Lackie	Radeliffe	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Johnson of Pembina moved that the House do now recess until 10 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-THIRD DAY AFTER RECESS AND
FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Starke moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the Consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Starke to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Care and Treatment of Crippled Children.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Add to end of bill: "Nothing in this act shall be construed as limiting the right of a parent or guardian to determine what treatment shall be provided for a child or the agency to be employed for that purpose."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 135. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to pay the Burial Expenses of Inmates of the Penitentiary and Reform School as Provided for Under Section 11302 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

And recommend the adoption of the following amendment:

After word "and" in second line of title strike out the word "reform" and insert in lieu thereof "State Training."

Section One in line 5 strike out the word "reform" and insert in lieu thereof "State Training."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 375. A Bill for an Act Validating Taxes Assessed Against Bank Stocks in the Years 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners and the Tax Commissioners to Compromise Such Taxes Upon Bank Stock for 1919, 1920, and 1921, as Have Not Been Paid, and Confirming and Ratifying Such Settlements as Have Been Made.

And recommend the bill as engrossed do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 363. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re enact Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Regulating and Fixing the Hours of Labor for Females, and Providing Penalties for the Violation Thereof.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 3, Section 1, of the engrossed bill, ahead of the word "telegraph" insert "telephone or."

In line 5 of the engrossed bill change the word "ten" and the numeral "10" to the words "eight and one-half" and the numeral "8½."

Strike out period after the word "authorities" on line 2 of page 2 on engrossed bill and add the words "as soon as possible."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 211. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re enact Section 3451, Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to County Bonds, rate of Interest and Mode of Issue.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out of Senate engrossed bill the following: "providing that funding or refunding bonds for the purpose of funding or refunding seed grain or seed and feed grain indebtedness may be issued in installment serial bonds, payable in from two to five years from the date thereof."

Strike out in the engrossed bill the following: "and that portion of this article relating to the issuance of funding and refunding bonds shall be printed on the back of each bond."

Insert at the end of the engrossed bill: "provided that funding or refunding bonds for the purpose of funding or

refunding seed grain or seed and feed grain indebtedness may be issued in installment serial bonds as by law provided."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act Amending and Repealing Chapter 153, Laws of 1909, the Same Being Sections 1404 to 1414 Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, Regulating the Employment of Child Labor and to Provide for the Enforcement Thereof, and to Prescribe Penalties for Violations of the Act.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

On engrossed bill in line 2, page 3, comma after the word "days."

In line 3 insert a comma after the word "him."

In line 6, page 3, insert the word "the" ahead of the word "age."

In line 1, page 9, after the word "shall" insert a comma, and in line 2 after the word "mail" insert a comma.

In line 8, Section 8, engrossed bill, change the word "hours" to "hour."

On page 9, engrossed bill, fifth line from bottom of the page, strike out the word "or" and insert the word "and."

On page 10, Section 9, engrossed bill, beginning line 3, Section 9, strike out the words "in their several towns and cities" and insert in lieu thereof the words "within their several jurisdictions."

In line 1, page 13, engrossed bill, strike out the word "Bureau" and insert the word "board."

Second line, same page, in the second line from end of Second 12, strike out word "Bureau" and insert the word "Board."

In line 1, page 14, change the word "section" to "sections."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 387. A Bill for an Act Designating the Sheriff of the Different Counties in the State as Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures, and Giving Him Power to Appoint a Deputy Inspector; Prescribing His

Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Prescribing Fees to be Charged for Inspection; Providing for Inspectors' Compensation; Naming Custodian of State Standards and Prescribing His Duties; and Repealing Sections 2999, 3000, 3003, 3004, 3005 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, and Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In lines 1 and 2, page 4 in the engrossed bill, strike out all of line 1 and the words "to the inspector" in line 2.

On page 8, on line 4 of the engrossed bill, after the word "state" insert a comma.

Add to bill: "An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act shall be in full force and effect immediately after its passage and approval."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3890 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Publishing of Village Treasurer's Reports and Prescribing the Form Thereof.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In the engrossed bill, end of line 7, page 2, after the word "at" strike out words "the rate of, price and one half of."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expenses of the Department of Motor Vehicle Registration.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Of the Printed Bill:

In line 4 strike out the figures "\$93,250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$86,150.00."

In line 22 strike out the figures "\$2,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,500.00."

In line 23 strike out the figures "\$3,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,000.00."

In line 29 strike out the figures "\$93,250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$86,150.00."

In Section 1 after the word "appropriated" insert the following: "to the department of the motor vehicle registration department for the expenses thereof."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 3 strike out the figures "\$30,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$35,200.00."

In line 7 strike out the figures "\$25,600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$28,000.00."

On line 11 add the following: "Aid to graduates attending advanced schools \$2,400.00."

In line 12 strike out the figures "\$30,400.00" and insert the figures "\$35,200.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$22,230.00 for the Purpose of Paying Salary, Clerk Hire and General Expense of the State Historical Society.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 7 of printed bill strike out the figures "\$6,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$5,000.00."

In line one of the title strike out the figures "\$22,230.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,710.00."

In line three strike out the figures "\$22,230.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,710.00."

Strike out all of line 8 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Librarian and Cataloguer \$3,600.00."

In line 22 strike out the figures "\$700.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$380.00."

In line 25 strike out the figures "\$1200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1000.00."

In line 45 strike out the figures "\$22,230.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,710.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 3 of the printed bill strike out the figures "\$32,350.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$29,750.00."

In line 24 strike out the figures "\$20,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,000.00."

In line 28 strike out the figures "\$32,350.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$29,750.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 316. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7625 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to a Trial Jury in Civil Cases.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

By adding the following:

"Section 2. EMERGENCY. This Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919: an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by

Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a Method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of This Act. and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In Section 21 of the printed bill, line 11, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three."

In Section 21, line 15 of the printed bill, after the word "incapacitated" insert the following: "Provided that exemptions may be claimed for children over the age of eighteen years and under the age of twenty-five years, that are dependent upon the taxpayer for support and are attending educational institutions."

In Section 23, line 5 of the printed bill, the words "profits and income" be stricken out.

In Section 23, line 9, of the printed bill, the figures "\$300" be stricken out and the figures "\$600" be inserted in lieu thereof.

In Section 27, line 14, of the printed bill, that the Senate amendment reading: "no part of the net income of which inures to the benefit of any private stockholder or individual" be stricken out and that a period be inserted after the word "purposes."

That in line 15 on page 17 of the printed bill, after the words "or incapacitated" insert the following: "Provided that exemptions may be claimed for children over the age of 18 years and under the age of 21 years, that are dependent upon the taxpayers for support and are attending educational institutions."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 319. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 973 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913. Relating to the Filing of Certificates of Nomination.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Line 2, Section 1, strike out the word "is" and the comma at the end of said line, and insert the word "is" following the word "same" and ahead of the word "hereby."

Line 3 of Section 973, insert a comma following the word "state."

Line 6, of Section 973, insert a comma following the word "auditor."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 347. A Concurrent Resolution to Amend and Re-enact Section 173 of Article 10 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Election of County Officials.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Line 13, of the printed bill, strike out the word "of" and insert in lieu thereof the word "in."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the Chair.

A request that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bills Nos. 21 and 363, be divided, was granted.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bills Nos. 176, 211, 135, 375, 177, 387, 212, 85, 84, 112, 133, 316, 319 and 347, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 363, be adopted.

A demand for a roll call was granted, and disclosed the following results: Ayes 54, nays 44, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Larson	Root
Burleigh	Goranson	Lynch	Rustad
Bollinger	Halerow	McDowell	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	McGauvran	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	Muus	Sproul
Burns	Hart	Norden	Starke
Carr	Heaton	Olafson	Traynor
Cole	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Trubshaw
Currie	Jackson	Orange	Twitchell
Dougherty	Jardine	Peters	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Quade	Watt
Ellingson	Kelly	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Shurr
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Swett
Anderson,	Hardy	McManus	Tweten
Sargent	Haugland	Maddock	Vogel
Arduser	Hoople	Martin	Walker
Bratsberg	Iverson	Miller	Weisbeck
Bryans	Jones	Oberg	Weid
Cart	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Doyle	Lackey	Quam	
Eckert	Lakie	Sathre, Steele	
Elmer	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	
Erickson	Lazier	Sims	
26th Dist.	Levin	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Frédrickson	Henne	Opland
Burkhart	Geisler	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson
Craig	Helbling	McCay	Steen
Erickson	Hempel	Morton	
16th Dist.			

So the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 363, was adopted.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 21, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed, and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 21, was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to State Fish Hatchery.

Also,

House Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1839 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota, Relating to North Dakota Firemen's Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1624 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Enforcement, Beverage and Sanitary Laws.

Also,

House Bill No. 254. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section

2696 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Also,

House Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 1637 and 1638 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

Also,

House Bill No. 269. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 16 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Special Session of 1919, Relating to Testing Dairy Products.

Also,

House Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1623 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Demonstration Farms.

Also,

House Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to North Dakota Dairymen's Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 813 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota, Relating to Disbarment Proceedings.

Also,

House Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1574 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the State Geological Survey.

Also,

House Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1571 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the Biological Stations

Also,

House Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 35 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to Militia Grounds.

Also,

House Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 2545 and 2546 of Article 3 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Relief of Needy Settlers.

Also,

House Bill No. 262. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section

1661 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Serum Institute.

Also,

House Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 11 of Chapter 31 of the Session Laws of Special Session of 1919, Relating to Appropriation to State Dairy Commissioner.

Also,

House Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Benefit of the North Dakota Dairymen's Association, for the Purpose of Promoting and Encouraging the Dairying Interests of the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 107. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Payment of the Expenses to be Incurred by the North Dakota Live Stock Association as Prescribed by Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Eleven Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$1140.00) to Pay the Expenses of a State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners as authorized Under Section 2711 to 2720, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use and Benefit of the North Dakota Firemen's Association for the Purpose of Promoting the Efficiency and Growth of its Different Departments, and the Holding of an Annual Tournament, According to the Rules and Regulations of Such Associations.

Also,

House Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Poultry Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 264. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Live Stock Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Board of Pardons.

Also,

House Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) to Provide Funds for the Maintenance of the North Dakota National Guard, or

State Militia, as Provided for Under Chapter 35 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota, and to Meet Other Requirements Prescribed by the Federal Statutes.

Also,

House Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2671 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Cruelty to Animals.

Also,

House Bill No. 252. For an Act to Repeal Section 1621 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

Also,

House Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand and Forty Dollars (\$1,040.00) for the Payment of \$10.00 Once Each Week During the Biennium 1923, 1924, as an Aid to the Society for the Friendless Authorized Under Chapter 46 of the North Dakota Session Laws of 1911.

Also,

House Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand Dollars to Provide Funds for the Payment of the Per Diem and Necessary Expenses of the Members of the State Board of Pardons, together with Postage, Telegrams, Telephone Tolls, Printing, and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred by Such Board as Provided for in Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Florence Crittendon Home at Fargo, North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 119. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$63,000.00 for the Care of Insane Patients Whose Residence Can not be Determined and Whose Care Must be Borne by the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 3471, 3472, 3473, 3474, 3475, 3477, 3478, 3479, 3480, 3481, 3483, 3484, 3485, 3486 and 3487 Compiled Laws, 1913, as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, and as Amended by Chapter 177 Session Laws for 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws, 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws, 1919, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Needy Inhabitants.

Also,

House Bill No. 62. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3476, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, Relating to the Levying of Tax to Provide for a Sinking Fund to Pay County Seed and Feed Bonds.

Also,

House Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any County in North Dakota to Issue Funding or Refunding Bonds for the Purpose of Funding or Refunding Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Indebtedness.

Also,

House Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Levy in Incorporated Villages for the Purpose of Purchasing and Maintaining Adequate Apparatus for the Extinguishment of Fires, and Maintaining a Fire Department.

Also,

House Bill No. 147. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Bills of Sale and Other Transfers of Personal Property and Prescribing the Effect of Such Filing.

Also,

House Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for Compensation and Expenses of the Board of Trustees of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1178 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Employing Public School Teachers and the Liability of School Officers.

Also,

House Bill No. 227. A Bill for an Act Providing that Purchasers at Tax Sales of Lands upon Which the State Has a Mortgage, Shall Take Certificates of Sale and Deeds, Subject to the Rights of the State Under Its Mortgage.

Also,

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota,

for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

Also,

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, An Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for which the Appropriation is Made.

Also,

House Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Concerning Declamatory Judgments and Decrees and to Make Uniform the Laws Relating Thereto.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The House reverted to the Fourteenth Order of Business.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the Institute for the Feeble Minded.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 14, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Lakie	Rustad
Anderson	Frandson	Larkin	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Freeman	Lazier	Sathre, Williams
Sargent	Geisler	Levm	Sims
Arduser	Goranson	Link	Slominski
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lynch	Sproul
Boyd	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Brown	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Harrington	McCay	Shurr
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Tweten
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Twichell
Carr	Heaton	Miller	Ulland
Currie	Henne	Morton	Veitch
Doyle	Hodges	Muus	Vogel
Dougherty	Hoople	Norden	Walker
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Watt
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jardine	Opland	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Jones	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	
Erickson	Kelly	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Kopp	Rackliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Craig	Martin	Traynor
Burkhart	Helbling	Patterson	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	Steen	
Cole	Johnson, Pembina	Swett	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Loudenbeck	Oberg	Olson, Ransom	Quam

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 338. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money to Reimburse the Common School Fund of the State of North Dakota for Losses Resulting from a Misappropriation of Such Fund Occurring Previous to January 1, 1917.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 70, nays 23, absent and not voting 20.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Flom	Lakie	Root
Anderson	Frandsen	Larkin	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sims
Bollinger	Halcrow	Levin	Slominski
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Bratsberg	Harrington	McManus	Starke
Brown	Hart	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Heaton	McGauvran	Shurr
Carr	Hodges	Norden	Tweten
Currie	Iverson	Olafson	Twichell
Doyle	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Veitch
Burke	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Watt
Eekert	Jones	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Kellogg	Quam	
Ellingson	Kelly	Rabe	
Elmer	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Vogel
Sargent	Goranson	Martin	Walker
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Weisbeck
Erickson	Haugland	Oberg	Weid
26th Dist.	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Erickson	Hoople	Sathre, Steele	
16th Dist.	Link	Swett	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Helbling	Miller	Peters
Burkhart	Hempel	Morton	Sagen
Cart	Jackson	Muus	Steen
Cole	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Traynor
Craig	Maddock	Patterson	Trubshaw

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 140. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$1,500.00 for the Biennium Out of Any Money in the State Treasury not otherwise Appropriated, for the Purpose of Upkeeping of Ten State Parks.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 83, nays 11, absent and not voting 19.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lakie	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Rabe
Arduser	Fedre	Larson	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Flom	Lazier	Root
Boyd	Frandsen	Levin	Rustad
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Link	Sathre, Steels
Brown	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steels
Bryans	Goranson	Lynch	Sims
Burns	Hakrow	McManus	Slominski
Carr	Harrington	Martin	Starke
Cart	Hart	McCay	Streich
Cole	Haugland	McDowell	Sweet
Craig	Heaton	Muus	Twitchell
Curie	Hodges	Norden	Veitch
Dougherty	Hoope	Oberg	Vogel
Durkee	Iverson	Oafson	Walker
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Fhr	Jardine	O'son, Towner	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Opiland	Weld
Elmer	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Kelly	Plath	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Doyle	Hardy	Kellogg
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Henne	Kopp
Anderson	Hanson	Johnson, Trail	Ulland
Sargent			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Maddock	Ratterson	Traynor
Burkhardt	McGauvran	Sagen	Trubshaw
Rebling	Miller	Sproul	Tweten
Hempel	Morton	Steen	Yeater
Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Shurr	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Biennium, to the Humane Society for Office Supplies, Printing, Office Phone, and Traveling Expense.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays none, absent and not voting 16.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Trail Jones	Plath Quade
Anderson Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kellogg Kelly	Rabo Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Flom	Kopp Lackey	Root Sathre, Steeie
Bollinger	Frandsen	Lackie Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Fredrickson	Larson	Sims
Bratsberg	Freeman	Lazier	Slominski
Brown	Geiszler	Levin	Sproul
Bryans	Goranson	Link	Starke
Burk	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Steen
Burns	Hanson	Lynch	Streich
Carr	Hardy	McManus	Shurr
Cart	Harrington	Martin	Traynor
Cole	Hart	McCay	Twetén
Craig	Haugland	McDowell	Twichell
Currie	Heaton	Miller	Ulland
Doyle	Hempel	Muus	Veitch
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Walker
Durkee	Hodges	Oberg	Watt
Eckert	Hoopie	Olafson	Weisbeck
Ehr	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Ellingson	Jackson	Opland	Yeater
Elmer	Jardine	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Nelson		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Maddock	Orange	Sagan
Burkhart	McGauvran	Patterson	Snett
Helbling	Morton	Quam	Trubshaw
Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Rustad	Vogel

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 300. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2110 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 221 of the Session Laws of 1913 and Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Taxation of Corporate Excess.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 98, nays 3, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Kopp Lackey	Radcliffe Root
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Lackie Larson	Rustad
Anderson Sargent	Frandsen	Lazier Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Bryans	Halcrow	Martin	Starke
Burk	Hanson	McCay	Steen
Burkhart	Hardy	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Harrington	Miller	Shurr
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cart	Haugland	McGauvran	Twetén
Cole	Heaton	Miller	Twichell
Currie	Hempel	Muus	Ulland
Doyle	Henne	Norden	Veitch
Dougherty	Hodges	Oberg	Watt
Durkee	Hoopie	Olafson	Weisbeck
	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Yeater

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Jardine	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Peters	
Elmer	Jones	Plath	
Erickson	Kellogg	Quade	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Larkin	Swett

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Traynor
Harrington	Maddock	Quam	Vogel
Helbling	Morton	Sagen	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.
 Senate Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 222 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Providing for a Tax on Shares of Stock and Bonds of Corporations Organized or Doing Business in this State.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 33, absent and not voting 22.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	Flom	Kopp	Rabe
Bollinger	Freeman	Lackey	Radcliffe
Boyd	Geizler	Lakie	Root
Bratsberg	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Halcrow	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Hanson	McDowell	Slominski
Burkhart	Harrington	Muus	Starke
Burns	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jones	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Frandsen	Link	Strech
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Anderson	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Sargent	Hart	McCay	Tveten
Bryans	Haugland	Miller	Walker
Craig	Hempel	Oberg	Weld
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	
Elmer	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	
Erickson	Tazler	Sims	
16th Dist.	Levin	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Heaton	Maddock	Sproul
Cart	Helbling	McGauvran	Twichell
Cole	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Quam	Yester
Fedge	Loudenbeck	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. L. R. Johnson.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Anderson of Burleigh, Anderson of Sargent, Bratsberg, Bryans, Burkhart, Cole, Hart, Haugland, Helbling, Jackson, Johnson of Pembina, Larkin, McManus, Martin, Norden, Patterson, Rustad, Slominski, Traynor, Ulland, Watt, Yeater.

Mr. Frandson moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 332. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694 and 695 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 199 of the Session Laws of 1915, Chapter 176 of the Session Laws of 1917, and Chapter 184 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Removal of Officials by the Governor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell move dthat the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Counties made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Counties to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 344. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3294 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Erection, Repair and Maintenance of County Buildings.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

A. I. QUADE,
Chairman.

Mr. Quade moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Halcrow moved that Senate Bill No. 344 be placed in General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 374. A Bill for an Act to Establish a Uniform Egg Law Regulating the Handling of Eggs within This State; Preventing the Sale and Traffic in Eggs Unfit for Human Food; Requiring Labeling and Candling; Providing for Licenses for Dealers in Eggs and for the Collection and Disposition of License Fees; Providing for Rules and Regulations and the Enforcement of the Act and Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Acts Relating Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 288. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Upon Reserves of Coal and Minerals, Providing for the Obtaining of Tax Titles to Such Reserves When Taxes Thereon Remain Unpaid and Repealing Section 2119, Section 2120 and Section 2121, Compiled Laws of 1913, and All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In Section 3, page 3, line 4, of the engrossed bill, insert the word "description" after the word "each." In the same line strike out the word "them" and insert in lieu thereof the word "land."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 337. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Bounty for the Destruction of Magpies.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 2 of the engrossed bill strike out the word "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

The Committee on Ways and Means made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 242, Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Bounty on Wolves and Coyotes.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 4 of Section 1 of the engrossed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

M. W. KELLY,
Chairman.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$30,950.00 for the purpose of carrying out the Provisions of Chapter 115 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to Vocational Education and Vocational Rehabilitation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line two of the title after the word "of" and before the word "Chapter" add the following: "Chapter 203 of Session Laws of 1919 and"

In line 4 after the word "of" and before the word "Chapter" insert the following: "Chapter 203 of Session Laws of 1919 and"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 196. A Bill for an Act to Provide an Appropriation for the Eradication of the Barberry.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line three strike out the words and figures "\$25,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$15,000.00"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 170. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred by the Flood Control Commission.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Normal School at Dickinson.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the

State Normal School at Mayville and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expense of the State Normal and Industrial School at Ellendale, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Traveling Expenses and Propagation of Game Departments of the State Game and Fish Board.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. D. ROOT,
Chairman.

Mr. Root moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$25,000.00 for the Biennium, which is known as a Miscellaneous Refund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 125. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Miscellaneous Refunds of the State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Assessment of Telephone Property, Providing for a Tax on Gross Earnings of Telephone Companies in Lieu of the General Property Tax on the Property of Such Companies Used Exclusively in Connection with the Operation of Their Telephone Business, and in Lieu of Any Franchise, Excise or Income Tax, upon Such Companies; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Ellingson moved that Senate Bill No. 245 be re-referred to the committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Starke, which motion prevailed and the report of the committee was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 317 was indefinitely postponed, be reconsidered.

Mr. Vogel moved that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Jackson; which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House request the Senate to return Senate Bill No. 28.

Which motion prevailed.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

By Mr. Trubshaw.

Whereas, the problem of providing the necessary funds to efficiently maintain the public schools of the State, and not over-burden the taxpayers, is a most serious one, and is yearly becoming more difficult to solve; and it is ap-

parent that a crisis is impending in a large number of school districts in the State, unless this problem is shortly solved; and

Whereas, the whole problem of school finance and school administration is so comprehensive and complicated that it calls for extended study and analysis by a body of persons especially qualified for the task; and

Whereas, it is not possible for this Legislative Assembly to thoroughly investigate and consider such problems at this session:

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the Governor be authorized and directed to appoint a Commission of Five persons, two of which shall be holdover members of the 18th Legislative Assembly to be known as the "School Finance and Administration Commission." It shall be the duty of such commission to make as thorough and comprehensive a study, investigation and analysis of the whole problem of school finance, school taxation and school administration as possible with a view to eliminate any unnecessary course of study, and to the reduction of taxation for school purposes, to make a report to the Governor not later than September 1, 1924, containing its findings and recommendations; and it shall be the duty of the Governor to transmit such report to the next Legislative Assembly.

Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Messrs. Van Camp, Hamilton and Murphy to act as a conference committee on House Bill No. 35.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Speaker appointed (as a Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 35 Messrs. McGauvran, Burkhart and Sproul.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 163 and the President has appointed Senators

Steele, Garberg and Kelsh to act as a Conference Committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Speaker appointed as Conference committee Messrs. Trubshaw, Sathre and Harrington.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have to honor to return:

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382, Article 21, Chapter Five General School Laws of the State of North Dakota, Entitled School Year and School Week Defined. Holidays.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

After the enacting clause in the engrossed bill insert the following, "Section 1, Amendment, that Section 1382 of the laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:"

On page 2 of the engrossed bill in line 1 after the word time, strike out the word "following" and insert in lieu thereof the word "falling."

On Page 1, line 17 of Section 1382 of the engrossed bill strike out "so desired" and insert in lieu thereof the word "necessary."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 163.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the rules be suspended; that House Bill No. 163 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382, Article 21, Chapter Five General School Laws of the State of North Dakota, Entitled School Year and School Week Defined. Holidays.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 89, nays 10, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jardine	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Radcliffe
Anderson	Erickson	Johnson, Trail	Root
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Jones	Sagen
Arduser	Fedge	Kellogg	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Flom	Kelly	Sathre, Williams
Boyd	Frandsen	Lakie	Sims
Brown	Fredrickson	Larson	Slominski
Bryans	Freeman	Lazier	Sproul
Burk	Geiszler	Lazier	Streich
Burkhart	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Burns	Halcrow	McManus	Swett
Carr	Hanson	McCay	Traynor
Cart	Hardy	McDowell	Trubshaw
Cole	Harrington	McGauvran	Tweten
Craig	Hart	Muus	Ulland
Gurrie	Haugland	Norden	Veitch
Doyle	Heaton	Oberg	Vogel
Dougherty	Hempel	Olafson	Walker
Durkee	Henne	Opland	Watt
Eckert	Hodges	Orange	Weisbeck
Ehr	Hoople	Peters	Yeater
Ellingson	Iverson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Elmer			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jackson	Link	Morton	Weld
Kopp	Lynch	Starke	
Larkin	Martin	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Rabe
Burleigh	Lackey	Olson, Towner	Rustad
Bratsberg	Maddock	Patterson	Twichell
Helbling	Miller	Quam	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate, and the title was agreed to.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

House Bill No. 59. A bill for an Act Making it a Misdemeanor for Any Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle While Such Person is in an Intoxicated Condition, and Providing a Penalty for a Violation Thereof.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Department, State Highway Depart-

ment, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amount and condition of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department so Examined and Audited, and Make Report Thereof to the Governor.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 1, line 8, insert between "make" and "report" the following: "and file a"

In line 9 after "thereof" strike out the word "to" and insert the word "with"; and after the word "Governor" in line 9, add "on or before the fifteenth day of November of each year."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Peters moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 310.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Peters moved that the Rules be suspended; that House Bill No. 310 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Department, State Highway Department, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amount and Condition of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department so Examined and Audited, and Make Report Thereof to the Governor.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 83, nays 18, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson,	Kopp	Quam
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Lakie	Rabe
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Radcliffe
Sargent	16th Dist.	Iarson	Root
Bollinger	Flom	Lazier	Rustad
Boyd	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sims
Brown	Geizler	Lynch	Slominski
Bryans	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Burk	Halcrow	Martin	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Steen
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Streich
Cart	Heaton	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
	Hoople	Oberg	Veitch

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Peters	
Eckert	Jones	Plath	
Ellingson	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Kellogg	Swett
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Link	Walker
Arduser	Frandsen	Morton	Weld
Cart	Haugland	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Doyle	Hempel	Shurr	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hanson	Johnson, Pembina	McGauvran	Sathre, Steele
Hardy	Lackey	Patterson	Trubshaw
Helbling	Maddock	Sagen	Twichell

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate, and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 335 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Expenses, Sale of Land.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Strike out everything after the words "A Bill" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"For an Act to Amend and re-enact Section 335 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Expenses of Sale and how paid.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1. Amendment: That Section 335 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 be and the same is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

"Section 335. Expenses of Sale, How Paid. The expenses of publishing notices of the sale of the University, School and all other public lands of the state shall be paid by the state treasurer upon the warrant of the state auditor out of the general or current fund of the different institutions as designated in Section 333, and such expenses shall be apportioned according to the receipts credited each fund from proceeds of each and every sale. All bills for such publishing shall be verified by the publisher and approved by the board of university and school lands."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 263.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Starke moved that the vote by which the House concurred in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 263, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Vogel moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 263.

Which motion prevailed.

The speaker appointed as a conference committee on House Bill No. 263, Messrs. Watt, Maddock and Rustad.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1398 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Free Text Books in Public Schools.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

After enacting clause insert the following, "Section 1. Amendment. That Section 1398 of the Compiled laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:"

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Vogel moved that the House concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 161.

Which motion prevailed.

Mrs. Craig moved that the Rules be suspended; that House Bill No. 161 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1398 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Free Text Books in Public Schools.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays none, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kopp Lackey	Quam Sagen
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Eimer Fedge	Lakie Larkin	Rabe Radcliffe
Anderson Sargent	Flom Fredrickson	Larson Lazfer	Root Rustad
Arduser	Frandsen	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Freeman	Link	Sims
Boyd	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	Maddock	Steen
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Streich
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Swett
Larr	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Craig	Heaton	Morton	Tveten
Currie	Henne	Muus	Twichell
Doyle	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoopie	Oberg	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weisbeck
Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Opiland	Weld
	Jones	Peters	Yeater
	Kelly	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Kellogg	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Helbling	McGauvran	Sathre, Steele
Hempel	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Trubshaw

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing when the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be printed, and what Matter shall be Excluded Therefrom, and repeal All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 1, line 3, of the engrossed bill, after the word "distributed" insert in lieu thereof "to the head of each family, as certified to him as nearly correct as possible, by the county auditor and"

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Lynch moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 90.

Mr. Cart moved that the House do not concur in Senate amendments to House Bill No. 90.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Lynch; which motion prevailed.

Mr. Lynch moved that the Rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 90 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 50, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Lackey	Quade
Burleigh	Geiszler	Larson	Rabe
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lynch	Radcliffe
Boyd	Hanson	McManus	Root
Brown	Harrington	Maddock	Rustad
Burk	Hart	Martin	Sagen
Burns	Heaton	McCoy	Sathre, Steele
Carr	Henne	McDowell	Slominski
Cole	Hodges	McGauvran	Sroul
Currie	Jackson	Muus	Starke
Dougherty	Jardine	Norden	Traynor
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Trubshaw
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Ellingson	Kelly	Orange	Ulland
Flom	Kopp	Peters	Veitch
		Plath	Watt
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lakie	Sims
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Steen
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Streich
Sargent	16th Dist.	Levin	Shurr
Arduser	Fedge	Link	Swett
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Tweten
Bryans	Fredrickson	Miller	Vogel
Burkhart	Goranson	Morton	Walker
Cart	Hardy	Oberg	Weisbeck
Craig	Haugland	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Doyle	Hoople	Opland	Yeater
Eckert	Jones	Quam	
Elmer	Kellogg	Sethre, Williams	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Iverson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson
Hempe!			

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4989, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Filing of Statements by Mining Corporations.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Place of Payment of All State Bonds of the State of North Dakota.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act Relating to the White Stone Hills Battlefield Grounds in Dickey County, and Vesting the Care, Custody, Control and Maintenance of the Same in the State Historical Society of North Dakota, as Trustee for the State.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 3. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 4 of the Laws Passed by the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota in 1919 as Amended by Chapter 5 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Appropriate Out of the State Highway Fund the Sum of \$35,000.00 for the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River at Pembina, Pembina County, North Dakota, and Kittson County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, Approved March 5th, 1919.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 241. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7036 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Protesting Negotiable Instruments.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3718 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Extension of Water Main Assessments.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 220. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the

Consolidation or Merger of Banking Associations Regulating the Procedure and Providing for Supervision Thereof and Providing a Limitation of Actions.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 117 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Nomination and Election of all Elective County Officers, Judges of the Supreme and District Courts, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and County Superintendent of Schools, without requiring a Declaration as to Party Affiliation, and a Separate Ballot for County Officials and Extending the Law so as to Apply to all State Officials and Members of the Legislature; Changing Petition Requirement and Providing for Filling of Vacancies and for Designation of Principles Supported by Candidates for State and Legislative Office.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 182. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9607, and Section 9608, Compiled Laws for 1913.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

The House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Starke moved that the House comply with the Senate request for the return of House Bill No. 210.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carr moved that the vote by which the House passed House Bill No. 90, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carr moved that the vote by which the House concurred in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 90, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carr moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 90.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed, as a Conference Committee, on House Bill No. 90, Messrs. Lynch, Carr and Frahdson.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate requests the return of House Bill No. 210.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 63. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Collection of Notes, Contracts and Indebtedness for Seed and Feed Furnished by Counties.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

On page 2, line 2, of engrossed bill, insert the word "last" before "payment" and in line 3 insert "funding or refunding bonds" before "bonds."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Freeman moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 63.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 63 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 63. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Collection of Notes, Contracts and Indebtedness for Seed and Feed Furnished by Counties.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays none, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Flom	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Frandsen	Link	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Arduser	Freeman	Lynch	Sproul
Bollinger	Geiszler	McManus	Steen
Boyd	Goranson	Maddock	Streich
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Martin	Shurr
Brown	Hanson	McCay	Swett
Bryans	Harrington	McDowell	Traynor
	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Haugland	Miller	Tweten
Burkhart	Heaton	Morton	Twitchell
Burns	Hodges	Muus	Ulland
Carr	Hoopie	Norcen	Veitch
Cart	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Craig	Jackson	Olafson	Walker
Currie	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Townner	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Weld
Durkee	Jones	Orange	Yeater
Eckert	Kellogg	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Kelly	Plath	
Elmer	Kopp	Quade	
Erickson	Lackey	Quam	
26th Dist.	Lakie	Rabe	
Erickson	Larkin	Radcliffe	
16th Dist.	Larson	Rustad	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Hardy	Henne	Root
Burleigh	Helbling	Johnson, Pembina	Sagen
Cole	Hempel	Patterson	Starke
Ellingson			

So the bill passed, as amended by the Senate, and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 65. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 19 of Chapter 5 of the Political Code of the State of North Dakota Being Section 524 to 539 Both Inclusive of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relative to the Practice of Optometry, Creating a State Board of Examiners in Optometry, Providing for the Registration of Optometrists, Defining and Regulating the Practice of Optometry and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Terms of This Act.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In line 2 of subdivision 4 of Section 536 of the engrossed bill, after the word "misrepresentations" strike out the remainder of the paragraph.

Page 5, line 1, of the engrossed bill, strike out "acceptable to said Board and" and insert in lieu thereof "of good standing."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twitchell moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 65.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 65 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 65. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 19 of Chapter 5 of the Political Code of the State of North Dakota Being Section 524 to 539 Both Inclusive of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relative to the Practice of Optometry, Creating a State Board of Examiners in Optometry, Providing for the Registration of Optometrists, Defining and Regulating the Practice of Optometry and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Terms of This Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays 1, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Lakle	Radcliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larson	Root
Anderson,	Fedge	Lazier	Rustad
Berke-Divide	Flom	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson	Frandson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Freeman	Lynch	Slominski
Bollinger	Getzler	McManus	Starke
Boyd	Goranson	Maddock	Steen
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Martin	Streich
Brown	Hanson	McCay	Shurr
Bryans	Harrington	McDowell	Swett
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Burkhart	Haugland	Miller	Trubshaw
Turns	Heaton	Morton	Twetten
Carr	Henne	Muus	Twitchell
Cart	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Oble	Hoople	Oberg	Vetch
Craig	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Curria	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Boyle	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weld
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kellogg	Plath	
Elmer	Kelly	Quade	
Erickson,	Kopp	Quam	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Hempel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Sproul
Hardy	Larkin	Sagan	Watt
Helbling			

So the bill passed, as amended by the Senate, and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 86 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In line 6, page 2 of the engrossed bill, after the first word "of" insert comma and strike out the words "violation of" and insert the word "violates."

In line 7 after the word "act" insert a comma.

In line 8 after the words "twenty-five dollars" strike out the word "or" and in lieu thereof insert the word "nor."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Peters moved that the House concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 68.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kelly moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 68 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 36 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 2, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lakie	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Radclyffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Root
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Lazier	Rustad
Anderson,	Flom	Levin	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lynch	Sims
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Stominski
Brown	Halcrow	Maddock	Sproul
Bryans	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Burkhardt	Harrington	McGauvran	Shurr
Burns	Haugland	Miller	Sweet
Carr	Heaton	Morton	Traynor
Cart	Henne	Muus	Trubshaw
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Tweten
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Twichell
Currie	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Doyle	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orland	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Weisbeck
Eillingson	Jones	Peters	Weld
Erickson	Kelly	Plath	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kopp	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Lackey	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Elmer	Kellogg

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Helbling	McDowell	Ulland
Eckert	Hempel	Patterson	
Hart	Johnson, Pembina	Starke	

So the bill passed, as amended by the Senate, and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3126, Compiled Laws, State of North Dakota for 1913; and Providing for a Shrinkage Allowance to Local Grain Buyers, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Insert immediately after the enacting clause: "Section 1. Amendment. Section 3126, Compiled Laws, State of North Dakota for 1913, is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows."

In line 6 of engrossed bill after the word "shall" insert

"immediately after the issuance of an Inspector's or Weighmaster's certificate."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Lason moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 184.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 184 be considered re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Starke moved the previous question.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3126, Compiled Laws, State of North Dakota for 1913; and Providing for a Shrinkage Allowance to Local Grain Buyers, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 32, nays 72, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Heaton	Larkin	Sages
Sargent	Hempel	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Henne	Levin	Slominski
Burns	Hodges	Loudenbeck	Starke
Fredrickson	Hoople	Maddock	Twetten
Geiszler	Iverson	Muus	Walker
Goranson	Kelly	Olafson	
Halcrow	Kopp	Peters	
Hart	Lackey	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ehr	Lazier	Root
Burleigh	Elmer	Link	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Erickson	Lynch	Sims
Burke-Divide	Erickson, 20th Dist.	McManus	Sproul
Arduser	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Martin	Sims
Bollinger	Fedge	McCay	Streich
Boyd	Flom	McGauvran	Shurr
Bratsberg	Franson	Miller	Swett
Brown	Freeman	Morton	Traynor
Bryans	Hanson	Norden	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Hardy	Oberg	Twitchell
Carr	Harrington	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Cart	Haugland	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Cole	Jackson	Opland	Vogel
Craig	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Currie	Jones	Plath	Welsbeck
Doyle	Kellogg	Quade	Weld
Dougherty	Lakie	Quam	Yeater
Durkee		Radcliffe	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Jardine	Johnson, Traill	Patterson
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	McDowell	Rustad
Helbling			

So the bill was lost.

There being no objection, the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Jardine moved that Senate Bill No. 342 be referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 317. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1003 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 6 of the Special Session Laws of 1918, Relating to the Printing of Absent Voter Ballots.

Also,

Senate Bill No 28. A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities, Villages, and Towns to Purchase, Sell, Construct, Rent, Lease, Extend, Connect, or Erect, High Tension Electric Transmission Lines and Electrical Equipment, Within and Without the Corporate Limits, and Necessary Secondary Transmission Lines and Distribution Systems Within the Corporate Limits, for the Purpose of Securing Light, Power and Electrical Energy for Municipal and Commercial Use; and to Provide for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof, and to Provide for the Issuance of Bonds.

Which the House has requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Strike out all after the words "A Bill" and insert the following:

For an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

Section 1. There are hereby authorized to be issued, from time to time, Millings Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the amount of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000), in denominations of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) each, becoming due not more than twenty years after date and bearing interest at the rate of not more than six (6) per centum per annum payable semi-annually. Both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable at the office of the State Treasurer at Bismarck, North Dakota, and at some bank in the City of New York, state of New York. Said bonds shall be signed by the Governor and State Treasurer and attested by the Secretary of State, with the seal of the state affixed. The coupons evidencing the interest thereon shall be executed with the facsimile signature of the State Treasurer. The State Auditor and the Secretary of State shall endorse upon each bond a certificate showing the same to have been issued pursuant to law and within the debt limit.

Section 2. Before any bonds shall be issued the Industrial Commission shall cause an appraisal to be made of the grain and grain products parcel of the personal property of the North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association, and thereafter may by resolution authorize the said bonds to the extent of the value of said grain and grain products as fixed by said appraisal. The proceeds of said bonds shall be used for the sole purpose of purchasing grain for said industry, and the said grain so purchased shall at once become subject to the lien of the mortgage securing said bonds hereinafter authorized. In making appraisals, after the first, there shall first be set apart and excluded therefrom sufficient grain and grain products fully to cover price pledges thereof under this act. The amount of grain and grain products on hand shall at all times have an appraisal value equalling or exceeding the par value of the Milling Bonds at any time outstanding. Copies of all appraisals, authenticated by the signatures of the appraisers, shall be filed with the State Treasurer and be attached to the said mortgage. Each appraisal shall include all grain and grain products on hand when the same is made.

Section 3. In order at all time amply to secure the said Milling Bonds there shall be made, executed and delivered to the State Treasurer and his successors in office, a first mortgage on grain and grain products owned by said North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association to the

extent of an appraised value equal to the amount of such outstanding Milling Bonds pledging the same for the payment of said Milling Bonds. The said Milling Bonds and the mortgage securing the same shall be authorized by the Industrial Commission by resolution duly passed and said bonds when executed shall be delivered to the Industrial Commission for sale.

Section 4. Authority is hereby granted to said North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association to manufacture all wheat owned by it into flour or other wheat products, and the lien of the mortgage authorized by Section 3 of this Act shall continue on the same during the process of manufacture and remain upon the finished products. The finished product may be sold, whereupon the proceeds to the extent of the value of the raw product contained therein shall be deposited in the Bank of North Dakota and withdrawn for the sole purpose of purchasing additional grain which shall at once become pledged under the said mortgage. All such monies not used for the purchase of grain shall be and remain as a fund for the purchase or payment of the principal and interest of said Milling Bonds. Every such bond and coupon must be presented for payment at the office of the State Treasurer within six years from the date of its maturity; and no such bond or coupon shall bear interest after maturity unless payment thereof shall not be made upon due presentation for payment.

Section 5. From time to time the Industrial Commission shall, out of the earnings derived from the operation of the Association, pay to the State Treasurer such moneys as the Commission shall deem available to devote to the purpose of paying said bonds and interest. In making such payment the Commission shall file a statement with the State Treasurer specifying the purpose of such payment. When moneys shall have been so paid to the State Treasurer, he shall apply the same to their specified purpose as hereinafter directed.

Section 6. At the time of each annual meeting of the State Board of Equalization hereafter, the Industrial Commission shall deliver to said board an exact written statement of all bonds issued under the provisions of this Act outstanding at that time, including therein the dates of maturity, interest rates and all other information proper to enable the board intelligently to comply with the provisions of this Act in regard to tax levies. On the basis of such information, the State Board of Equalization shall annually levy a tax, at the time other taxes are levied, sufficient in amount to pay such interest on said bonds as will become due during the year beginning on the next ensuing first of January, and said tax shall be collected in the same manner as other state taxes are collected. In determining, however, the amount of the tax sufficient for such purpose the Board of Equalization shall take into account whatever moneys, if any, shall then have been paid to the State Treasurer by the Industrial Commission, as provided in this Act, for the specific purpose of paying

such interest. The Board of Equalization shall apply to the State Treasurer for information as to the amount of such moneys, and he shall forthwith supply the information requested. If the amount of such moneys shall equal or exceed the amount of the interest on said bonds payable during said year beginning on the next ensuing first day of January, then no tax shall be levied by the Board of Equalization for that purpose; but if the amount of such moneys shall be less than the amount of the interest on said bonds payable during said year, then the Board of Equalization shall deduct the amount of said moneys in the possession of the treasurer from the amount of the interest so payable, and shall levy the tax hereinbefore in this section provided for at least the difference between said amounts.

Section 7. Whenever it shall appear to the Board of Equalization from the information contained in any statement delivered to it by the Industrial Commission at any annual meeting of said Board, as provided in Section 6 above, that they will mature within a period of five years from such annual meeting, any of the bonds provided for in this Act, the Board of Equalization shall thereupon, at such annual meeting, levy a tax in an amount equal to one-fifth of the amount of the principal of such bonds; provided, however, that in determining the amount of such tax, the Board of Equalization shall take into account whatever moneys, if any, shall have been paid to the State Treasurer by the Industrial Commission for the specific purpose of paying the principal of said bonds when due, as provided in Section 5 of this Act. The Board of Equalization shall apply to the State Treasurer for information as to the amount of such moneys and as to the times when paid to him. If the amount of such moneys paid to the treasurer since the date of the last preceding tax levy made by the Board of Equalization, shall equal or exceed one-fifth of the amount of the bonds so to mature, then such tax shall not be levied; but if the date of the last preceding tax levy shall be less than one-fifth of the amount of said bonds so to mature, then the Board of Equalization shall deduct the amount of such moneys, so paid from such one-fifth of said bonds, and shall levy the tax, hereinbefore in this section provided, for the difference. It is the intention of this section to provide that in each of the last five years before the maturity of any of said bonds, a state tax shall be levied which, together with such moneys as shall during the next preceding year have been paid to the State Treasurer, by the Industrial Commission for the purpose, shall be at least sufficient to pay one-fifth part of the principal of said bonds.

Section 8. There is hereby appropriated, all of the moneys obtained as proceeds of the taxes provided for in Sections 6 and 7 above, and all moneys paid to the State Treasurer to the Industrial Commission as specified in Section 5 above, and all moneys constituting the Mill and Elevator Bond Payment Fund, or so much thereof as may be from time to time necessary, to pay the interest

and principal upon the said bonds as payments thereon shall become due; and whenever any of said bonds, or any coupons thereon being due, shall be presented for payment, the State Treasurer shall pay the same out of the fund applicable thereto. If for any reason the said fund shall, for the time being, be insufficient the treasurer shall supply the deficiency out of any other available moneys of the state in his custody; but in that case he shall as soon as possible, out of the Mill and Elevator Bond Payment Fund, return the amount of such deficiency to the source whence taken.

Section 9. Delivery of the said bonds to the State Treasurer shall be deemed sufficient delivery in law, and no subsequent change in the officers signing the same shall affect their execution or standing as obligations of the State.

Section 10. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act shall take effect from and after its passage and approval.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Burkhart moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 243.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 243 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) and Providing for the payment thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 110, nays one, absent and not voting, three.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackie	Root
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson	Fedge	Larson	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Frandsen	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Fredrickson	Link	Sims
Arduser	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lynch	Sproul
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Starko
Bratsberg	Halerow	Maddock	Steen
Brown	Hanson	Martin	Streich
	Hardy	McCay	Shurr

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Harrington	McDowell	Swett
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Burkhardt	Haugland	Miller	Trubshaw
Burns	Heaton	Morton	Tweten
Carr	Hempel	Muus	Twichell
Cart	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Cole	Hodges	Oberg	Vetch
Craig	Hoopie	O'afson	Vogel
Currie	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Doyle	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Watt
Dougherty	Jardine	Optand	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Eckert	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Yeater
Ehr	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kellogg	Quade	
Elmer	Kelly	Quam	
Erickson	Kopp	Rabe	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.

Goranson

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.

Helbling

Messrs.

Johnson, Pembina

Messrs.

Patterson

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain by vote and have the explanation extended to the Journal. I vote "aye" simply to assist in redeeming our platform pledges and because I think we should give the mill and elevator a fair trial—not because I believe the state should be in the milling business. I vote "aye."

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it printed in the Journal. I vote "aye" for the reason that it seems to be the general opinion that this law has been amended in good faith, but the amendment is so long that if there are any jokers in there nobody has had time to find them. Therefore, I vote "aye."

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 24,, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return House Bill No. 77. Providing for Compensation of Election officers.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Add to bill as engrossed:

Section 2. Any pledgor of personal property, or his assigns, may redeem the same from a sale upon foreclosure of any pledge within ten days after such sale, exclusive of the day of sale, by paying or tendering to the owner of the pledge at the time of sale, his agent or attorney, or the person making the sale, the amount for which said property was sold with the costs of sale and interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of sale. The pledgor or his assignee desiring to redeem such property shall at the time of sale

give written notice to the person making the sale of his desire to make such redemption; otherwise he shall be deemed to have waived his right to do so. In case such notice is served, the person making such sale shall retain the possession of the property sold until the expiration of said ten days and shall be entitled to his reasonable expenses in caring for the same. In case a part only of the property sold is redeemed the redemptioner shall pay or tender in addition to the price for which such part was sold such proportion of the costs of sale as said price bears to the entire price of all the property sold and also the reasonable expense of caring for the property redeemed and interest.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 177.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 177 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6790 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 109, nays none, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackey	Rabe
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Lackie	Radeliffe
Anderson	Fedge	Larkin	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lazier	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Link	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sims
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Slominski
Bratsberg	Halcrow	HcManus	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	Maddock	Starke
Bryans	Rardy	Martin	Steen
Burk	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Burkhart	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Burns	Taugland	McGauvran	Swett
Carr	Heaton	Miller	Traynor
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Hoople	Muus	Twetten
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Doyle	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Jones	Peters	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Kelly	Quade	
26th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Walker

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing all Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Beg leave to report that the Senate has recalled its amendments.

OLE ETTESTAD,
FRANK E. PLOYHAR,
O. F. TOFSRUD,,
For the Senate.

M. H. LYNCH,
JNO. W. CANON,
SOREN FRANDSON,
For the House.

Mr. Lynch moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Conference Committee made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act Permitting the Increase of the Limitation of Indebtedness of Common Special and Independent School Districts by an Additional Five Per Centum on the Assessed Value of the Taxable Property Therein, Beyond the Present Constitutional Limit of Five Per Centum, Providing a Method for Effecting Such Increase, and For Submitting the Question of Such Increase to the Electors of the School Districts at Annual or Special Elections, and Providing for Preserving a Record of Such Increase of the Limit of Indebtedness.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the House recede from its amendments to said Senate Bill 163.

ALFRED STEEL,,
T. J. KELSH,
P. B. GARBERG,
For the Senate.

P. R. TRUBSHAW,
P. G. HARRINGTON,
P. O. SATHRE,
For the House.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Messrs. Van Camp, Magnuson and Thorson to act as a conference committee on House Bill No. 263.

Very respectfully,
W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Speaker appointed on the committee for the House Messrs. Watt, Maddock and Rustad.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 243.

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 164.

Very respectfully,
W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 32.

Very respectfully,
W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that

the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 226.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Messrs. Ployhar, Ettestad and Tofsrud to act as a conference committee on House Bill No. 90.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 342. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Subdivision 2 of Section 1 and Section 13a of Chapter 231 of the Session Laws of 1917 as Amended by Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, and to Amend Section 2 of Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Inheritance Taxes Upon Estates of Deceased Non-Residents.

Which is returned at your request.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

There being no objection the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Jackson moved that Senate Bill No. 317 be placed on the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 342. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Subdivision 2 of Section 1 and Section 13a of Chapter 231 of the Session Laws of 1917 as Amended by Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, and to Amend Section 2 of Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Inheritance Taxes Upon Estates of Deceased Non-Residents.

Was referred to the committee on tax and tax laws.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker: Your conference committee which you appointed on House Bill No. 263 beg leave to report that the House Committee does not recede from its position in refusing to concur in the Senate Amendment to House Bill No. 263.

WM. WATT, Chairman,
WALTER MADDOCK,,
THEO. RUSTAD.

Mr. Twichell asked the unanimous consent of the House to amend Senate Bill No. 28 by striking out the word "not" where it occurs in the printed bill at the beginning of line 25 on page 2.

Which consent was granted and the amendment adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended, that Senate Bill No. 28 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 28. A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities, Villages, and Towns to Purchase, Sell, Construct, Rent, Lease, Extend, Connect, or Erect, High Tension Electric Transmission Lines and Electrical Equipment, Within and Without the Corporate Limits, and Necessary Secondary Transmission Lines and Distribution Systems Within the Corporate Limits, for the Purpose of Securing Light, Power and Electrical Energy for Municipal and Commercial Use; and to Assess the Property Within the Corporate Limits, and to Provide for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof, and to Provide for the Issuance of Bonds.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 7, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Lazier	Rustad
Anderson	Freeman	Levin	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Anderson	Halcrow	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Hanson	Maddock	Sims
Bollinger	Harrington	Martin	Slominski
Boyd	Hart	McCay	Sproul
Bratsberg	Haugland	McDowell	Starke
Brown	Heaton	McGauvran	Steen
Bryans	Hempel	Miller	Shurr
Burk	Henne	Morton	Swett
Burkhardt	Hodges	Muus	Traynor
Burns	Hoople	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Iverson	Oberg	Tweten
Cole	Jackson	Olafson	Twichell
Currie	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Doyie	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Dougherty	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Vogel
Eckert	Jones	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Kellogg	Peters	Weld
Ellingson	Kelly	Plath	Yeater
Elmer	Kopp	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Lackey	Quam	
16th Dist.	Lackie	Rabe	
Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Erickson	Fedge	Loudenbeck
Cart	26th Dist.	Hardy	Streich

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Helbling	Link	Walker
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weisbeck
Goranson			

So the bill passed as amended in the senate and the title was agreed to.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution: House Bill No. 90 returned to the Senate.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

The House reverted to the Third order of Business.

The committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Fifty-second Day after recess and Fifty-third Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 1, under third reading of Senate Bills, Mr. Jackson made the point of order that third reading and final passage of bills was out of order on the Fifty-second legislative day after recess, the same being a legal holiday. The Speaker over-ruled the point of order.

On page 10, under the report on Senate Bill No. 369, insert the following:

"The committee on Highways and Bridges, made the following report: Mr. Speaker, your committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred: Senate Bill No. 330. A Bill for an act to authorize county commissioners to lay out and construct or contract for the construction of highways on state lines.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

JOSEPH McGAUVAN,
Chairman."

On page 24, under Senate Bill No. 283, strike out the words "do pass" and insert in lieu thereof the words "be indefinitely postponed."

On page 24, under Senate Bill No. 283, strike out the words "do pass" and insert in lieu thereof the words "be indefinitely postponed."

On page 33, under Messabe from the Senate, include the following:

Senate Bill No. 281. A Bill for an Act Relating to the payment of Certificates of Deposit.

Senate Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State with Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for the Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court With Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation Proceedings, and Requesting it to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner; Fixing His Compensation, and Defining His Powers and Authority, and Providing for the Appointment of Receivers of Insolvent Banks, and Making an Appropriation to Meet the Expenses Incident to Carry Out the Purpose of the Act.

Senate Bill No. 231. A Bill for an Act Declaring the Purpose of Establishing Public Banking Districts to Engage in the Banking Business and Establishing a System of Banking Owned, Controlled and Operated by the Districts; Defining the Scope and Manner of Such Banks; Operation; Prescribing the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with Their Management, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Provisions Thereof.

Page 39. Strike out all of Senate Bill No. 319.

On Page 41, H. B. No. 97, should read, "Senate Bill No. 97."

On bottom of Page 42, strike out Senate Bill No. 183.

On page 45, under general orders, in Senate Bill No. 211 the word "note" should read "Mode."

Page 16, under Senate Bill 56 after the words "would be re-referred" add the following: "to the Appropriation Committee."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT AND ENROLLMENT AND ENGROSSMENT.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Enrollment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act Making it a Misdemeanor for any Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle While such Person is in an Intoxicated Condition, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

Were delivered to the governor for his approval at the hour of 4:30 o'clock P. M.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 24,, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 148. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Annual Reporting by County Auditor to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of all Elective Auditors and Clerks of Political Subdivisions of the County.

House Bill No. 145. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Closing and Liquidation of the Business Heretofore Conducted by the State of North Dakota in the Operation of a State Experimental Creamery; Providing for the Transfer of all Funds to the General Fund of the State Repealing Chapter 149 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

House Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Requiring the County Superintendent of Schools of all Counties to Report Names of School District Clerks to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

House Bill No. 151. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Insurance of Employers with the Workmen's Compensation Fund Providing for Compensation for Injuries or Death of the Employer Himself, in Cases Where the Employer has Contracted for such Protection with the Bureau, also Providing for the Basis of Premium for such Protection.

House Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3116 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

House Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the County Commissioners to Sell Certain Lots or Premises Bid in by the County for Delinquent Taxes Without Giving Notice of the Expiration of Redemption.

House Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6750 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Standardized Form of Mortgage.

House Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 667 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to County Commissioners Furnishing Bonds.

House Bill No. 238. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10, 21 and 23 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

Which the Senate Has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relating to the Assessment of the Capital Stock of Banks, Loan and Trust Companies and of Moneyed Capital Entering Into Competition Therewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 92, nays 5, absent and not voting 16.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson,	Lackey	Plath
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Larkin	Quade
Anderson,	Erickson,	Larson	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Rabe
Anderson,	Fedge	Levtn	Radcliffe
Sargent	Flom	Link	Root
Arduser	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Rustad
Bolinger	Geiszler	Lynch	Sagen
Boyd	Goranson	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Halcrow	Martin	Sims
Eryans	Hanson	McCay	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Haugland	Miller	Streich
Carr	Heaton	Morton	Shurr
Cart	Henne	Muus	Swett
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Hoople	Oberg	Trubshaw
Doyle	Jackson	Olafson	Twitchell
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Durkes	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Vogel
Ellingson	Kelly	Orange	Walker
Elmer	Kopp	Peters	Weisbeck
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Hardy Jones	Messrs. McManus	Messrs. Tweten	Messrs. Weld
Messrs. Bratsberg Craig Eckert Frandsen	Messrs. Fredrickson Helbing Hempel Iverson	Messrs. Johnson, Pembina Kellogg Lakie Patterson	Messrs. Sathre, Steele Steen Watt Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 24 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Issuance of Bonds of the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Two Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Home Building Series."

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 45, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Burlleigh Bollinger Boyd Brown Burk Burns Carr Cole Dougherty Currie Darkee Ehr Ellingson Flom	Messrs. Freeman Geisler Goranson Halcrow Hanson Harrington Hart Heaton Henne Hodges Jackson Jardine Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Traill Kelly	Messrs. Kopp Lackey Larson Lynch McDowell McGauvran Muus Norden Olafson Olson, Towner Orange Peters Plath Quade Radcliffe	Messrs. Rustad Root Sagen Slominski Sproul Starke Traynor Trubshaw Twichell Ulland Veitch Watt Mr. Speaker
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Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Burke-Divide Anderson Sargent Arduser Bratsberg Bryans Cart Doyle Eckert Elmer Erickson	Messrs. 26th Dist. Erickson 16th Dist. Fedge Frandsen Hardy Haugland Hoople Iverson Jones Kellogg Lakie	Messrs. Larkin Lazier Levin Link Loudenbeck McManus Martin McCay Morton Oberg Olson, Ransom Opland	Messrs. Quam Sathre, Williams Sims Steen Streich Shurr Swett Tweten Vogel Walker Weisbeck Weld Yeater
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Absent and not voting

Messrs. Burkhart Craig Fredrickson	Messrs. Helbing Hempel Johnson, Pembina	Messrs. Maddock Miller Patterson	Messrs. Rabe Sathre, Steele
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So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

A verification of the roll call disclosed the result as correctly announced.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 275 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

There being no objection the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Twichell moved that Senate Bills Nos. 317, 318, 319, 277 and 336 be moved to the head of the Calendar and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 317. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1003 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 6 of the Special Session Laws of 1918, Relating to the Printing of Absent Voter Ballots.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 64, nays 42, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Larkin	Rustad
Boyd	Halerow	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	Levin	Slominski
Bryans	Harrington	Lynch	Sproul
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Starke
Burns	Ireton	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Hempel	Muns	Trubshaw
Cart	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Cole	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Currie	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Peters	
Ellingson	Kellogg	Plath	
Flom	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Link	Sims
Sargent	Erickson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Anderson	16th Dist.	McManus	Streich
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Maddock	Shurr
Arduser	Frandsen	Martin	Swett
Eratsberg	Hardy	McCay	Tweten
Craig	Haugland	Miller	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Morton	Walker
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ranson	Weld
Erickson	Lackie	Rabe	Yeater
	Lazier	Sethre, Williams	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Helbling	Patterson	Sathre, Steele
Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina	Quam	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hardy: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "No" on this bill because it is going to prohibit the railroad men from voting at a general election.

Mr. Sims: Mr. Speaker: I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. Any action by this body tending toward a restriction of the franchise is a retrograde step. I vote "No," and the House might decide to recall me from this brilliant Assembly, thereby anticipating the action of this House as indicated by the Reapportionment bill recently.

Senate Bill No. 318. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 974 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Certification of Nominations.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 71, nays 32, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kelly	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Flom	Lackey	Root
Sargent	Freeman	Larson	Rustad
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lazier	Sagen
Boyd	Goranson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Hart	Miller	Steen
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Cart	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Craig	Hoople	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Currie	Iverson	Opland	Veitch
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Watt
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
Erickson	Johnson, Trail.	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	McManus	Swett
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Martin	Tweten
Arduser	Hardy	McCay	Vogel
Bratsberg	Haugland	Oberg	Walker
Burkhart	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Doyle	Lakie	Quam	Weld
Hardy	Larkin	Sims	Yeater
Erickson	Link	Streich	
26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Shurr	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Hempel	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina	Morton	
Helbling	Kellogg	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 319. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 973 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Filing of Certificates of Nomination.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 74, nays 32, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Eckert	Johnson, Traill	Quade
Burleigh	Ehr	Kellogg	Root
Anderson,	Ellingson	Kelly	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Kopp	Sagen
Anderson,	Flom	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Freeman	Lackie	Slominski
Bollinger	Geiszler	Larson	Sproul
Boyd	Goranson	McGauvran	Starke
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Muus	Steen
Brown	Hanson	Norden	Traynor
Bryans	Haugland	Olafson	Trubshaw
Burk	Hart	Olson, Townner	Tweten
Burns	Heaton	Orange	Twichell
Carr	Hempel	Peters	Ulland
Cart	Henne	Rabe	Veitch
Cole	Hodges	Radcliffe	Weisbeck
Currie	Hoople	Plath	Watt
Dougherty	Jackson	Levin	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Jardine	Lynch	
	Johnson, Nelson	McDowell	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Frandson	McManus	Quam
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Craig	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Doyle	Iverson	McCay	Swett
Elmer	Jones	Miller	Vogel
Erickson	Larkin	Morton	Weld
26th Dist.	Lazier	Oberg	Yeater
Erickson	Link	Olson, Ransom	
16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Opland	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina	Sathre, Steele	Walker
Helbling	Patterson	Sims	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Starke asked the unanimous consent of the House to amend House Bill No. 277 by adding the emergency clause.

Mr. Vogel objected to the granting of unanimous consent for the amendment.

Senate Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act Transferring to the Industrial Commission the Custody, Control and Management of the Property and Assets of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, for the Purpose of Liquidat-

ing and Winding Up the Business and Affairs of Said Home Building Association of North Dakota, Defining the Powers and Authority of the Industrial Commission with Reference Thereto, Defining the Rights and Liabilities of Applicants for Homes and Purchasers, and Repealing Chapter 150 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and Chapter 39 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 48, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geisler	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Veitche
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
Flom	Kelly	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	McManus	Swett
Anderson,	Fedge	Maddock	Tweten
Sargent	Franson	Martin	Vogel
Arduser	Hardy	McCay	Walker
Bratsberg	Haugland	Miller	Weisbeck
Bryans	Hempel	Morton	Weld
Burkhardt	Hoople	Oberg	Yeater
Cart	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	
Craig	Jones	Opland	
Doyle	Kellogg	Quam	
Elmer	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	
Erickson	Lazier	Sims	
26th Dist.	Levin	Steen	
	Link	Strelich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Helbling	Lackie	Sathre, Steele
Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 277 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mrs. Craig asked the unanimous consent of the House to amend Senate Bill No. 336 by changing the word "purpose" to "purposes" on page 2, Section 182, line 27 of the printed bill.

Which consent was granted and the amendment adopted.

Senate Bill No. 336. Concurrent Resolution for an Amendment to Section 182, Article 12 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, as Amended by Article 31 of the Amendments Thereof, Relating to Issuing or Guaranteeing of Bonds by the State and Providing that Such Bonds in Excess of Two Million Dollars Shall Be Secured by First Mortgage on Certain Classes of Property; and Providing for the Submission of This Amendment to the Voters of the State for Rejection or Approval as Provided by Section 202, as Amended, of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 98, nays 9, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Ellingson Elmer	Johnson, Traill Jones	Quade Rabe
Anderson Burke-Divide	Erickson 26th Dist.	Kellogg Kelly	Radcliffe Root
Anderson, Sargent	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kopp Lackey	Rustad Sagen
Arduser Bollinger	Fedge Flom	Larkin Larson	Sethre, Williams Sims
Boyd Bratsberg	Frandsen Fredrickson	Lazier Levin	Slominski Sproul
Brown Bryans	Freeman Geiszler	Link Lynch	Starko Steen
Burk Burkhart	Goranson Halcrow	McManus McCay	Streich Shurr
Burns Carr	Hanson Harrington	McDowell McGauvran	Traynor Trubshaw
Cart Cole	Hart Haugland	Miller Morton	Tweten Twichell
Craig Currie	Heaton Hempel	Muus Norden	Ulland Veitch
Doyle Dougherty	Henne Hodges	Olafson Olson, Ransom	Watt Weld
Durkee Eckert	Hoople Iverson	Olson, Towner Opland	Yeater Mr. Speaker
26th Dist. Ehr	Jackson Jardine	Orange Peters	
	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hardy Loudenbeck	Oberg Quam	Swett Vogel	Walker Weisbeck
Martin			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Helbling Johnson, Pembina	Lackie Maddock	Patterson	Sathre, Steele

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Larkin moved that the House do now recess until 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Mr. Lynch moved, as a substitute motion that the

House do now recess until 9 o'clock A. M. Monday.
Which motion was lost.

Senate Bill No. 329. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 33 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Rehearings of the Determination of Inheritance Taxes, and Providing that No Report Need Be Made to the Tax Commissioner in Case of Insolvent Estates.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 1, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	Erickson	Lakte	Rustad
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Larson	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Frandsen	Levin	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Link	Slominski
Arduser	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lynch	Starke
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Ha'crow	Martin	Strich
Brown	Hanson	McCay	Shurr
Bryans	Harrington	McDowell	Traynor
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Fraugland	Morton	Tweten
Burns	Heaton	Norden	Twichell
Carr	Henne	Oberg	Ulland
Cole	Hodges	Olafson	Veitch
Craig	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Voger
Currie	Iverson	Opland	Walker
Doyle	Jackson	Orange	Watt
Dougherty	Jardine	Patterson	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Weld
Eckert	Johnson, Trail	Plath	Yeater
Ehr	Jones	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kellogg	Quam	
Elmer	Kelly	Rabe	
Erickson	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
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Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Helbling	Larkin	Olson, Townner
Fedre	Hempel	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Hardy	Johnson, Pembina	Miller	Swett

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 207. A concurrent resolution by Mr. Bond.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays none, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lackey	Sagen
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Erickson	Larson	Sims
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Slominski
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sproul
Sargent	Flom	Link	Starke
Arduser	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lynch	Streich
Boyd	Freeman	McManus	Shurr
Bratsberg	Geiszler	McDowell	Sweet
Brown	Goranson	Martin	Traynor
Bryans	Halcrow	McCay	Trubshaw
Burk	Hanson	McDowell	Tweten
Burkhart	Hardy	McGauvran	Twichell
7-1223	Harrington	Miller	Ulland
Carr	Hart	Morton	Veitch
Cole	Haugland	Muus	Vogel
Craig	Henne	Norden	Walker
Currie	Hodges	Oberg	Watt
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Iverson	Plath	Weld
Durkee	Jardine	Quade	Yeater
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Quam	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Trail.	Rebe	
Ellingson	Jones	Radcliffe	
Elmer	Kelly	Root	
	Kopp	Rustad	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Hempel	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom
Helbling	Jackson	Lakie	Olson, Towner
	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Sathre, Steele

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Bringing of Children into the State, or Taking Children Therefrom, for Placement in Family Home; for the Licensing or Regulation of Persons and Corporations Engaged in that Work; and for the Repeal of Sections 5107 and 5108, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays 2, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lackey	Quade
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Rabe
Sargent	Flom	Larson	Radcliffe
Arduser	Frandsen	Lazier	Root
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Levin	Rustad
Boyd	Freeman	Link	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sims
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Slominski
Brvans	Halcrow	McManus	Sproul
Burk	Hanson	Maddock	Starke
Burkhart	Hardy	Martin	Steen
Burns	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Shurr
Cole	Heaton	Miller	Sweet
Craig	Hempel	Morton	Traynor
Currie	Henne	Muus	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hodges	Norden	Tweten
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Twichell
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Opland	Walker
Erickson	Jones	Orange	Watt
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Peters	Weisbeck
	Kelly	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Weid	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hart	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson
Burleigh	Helbling	Lakie	Sagen
Cart	Jackson	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Eckert			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 330. A Bill for an Act to Authorize County Commissioners to Lay Out and Construct or Contract for the Construction of Highways on State Lines.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 1, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Lackie	Radelcliff
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Root
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larson	Rustad
Anderson,	Fedge	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Flom	Levin	Sims
Arduser	Frandson	Link	Slominski
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Boyd	Froeman	Lynch	Starke
Bratsberg	Geisler	McManus	Steen
Brown	Goranson	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Halcrow	Martin	Shurr
Burk	Hanson	McCay	Swett
Burkhart	Hardy	Miller	Traynor
Burns	Harrington	Morton	Traynor
Carr	Hart	Muus	Twetén
Cole	Haugland	Norden	Twichell
Craig	Hempel	Oberg	Ulland
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Veitch
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Durkee	Jardine	Opland	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Weld
Ellingson	Jones	Plath	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Henne

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Jackson	McDowell	Sagen
Heaton	Johnson, Pembina	McCauvran	Sathre, Steele
Helbling	Lakie	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 236. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Cancellation, Conversion and Exchange of Bonds Issued Under and by Virtue of Chapter 128, Session Laws of 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays 1, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Lackey	Quade
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge	Larkin	Quam
Bollinger	Flom	Larson	Rabe
Boyd	Frandsen	Lazier	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Levin	Root
Brown	Freeman	Link	Rustad
Bryans	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Goranson	Lynch	Sims
Burkhart	Halerow	McManus	Slominski
Eurns	Hanson	Maddock	Sproul
Carr	Hardy	Martin	Starke
Cart	Harrington	McCay	Steen
Cole	Haugland	McDowell	Streich
Craig	Heaton	McGauvran	Shurr
Currie	Hempel	Miller	Swett
Doyle	Henne	Morton	Traynor
Dougherty	Hodges	Muus	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hoopie	Norden	Tweten
Ehr	Iverson	Oberg	Twichell
Ellingson	Jardine	Olafson	Ulland
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Erickson	Johnson, Trall.	Olson, Towner	Vogel
26th Dist.	Jones	Opland	Walker
	Kelly	Orange	Watt
	Kopp	Peters	Yeater
		Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Anderson,
Sargent

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Jackson	Patterson	Weld
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Sagen	
Hart	Kellogg	Sathre, Steele	
Heibling	Lakie	Weisbeck	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act Amending Section 4571 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Providing for the Assessment of Shares of Stock in Corporations.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 60, nays 39, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Larson	Slominski
Burleigh	Geiszler	Lynch	Sproul
Boyd	Goranson	McDowell	Starke
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McGauvran	Steen
Brown	Hanson	Muus	Swett
Burk	Harrington	Norden	Traynor
Burns	Hart	Olafson	Trubshaw
Garr	Heaton	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Cole	Henne	Orange	Ulland
Carrie	Hodges	Peters	Veitch
Dougherty	Jardine	Plath	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Radcliffe	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kelly	Root	
Flom	Lackey	Rustad	
Fredrickson	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Jones	Oberg
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Kopp	Olson, Ransom
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Lazier	Rabe
Sargent	Erickson	Levin	Sims
Arduser	16th Dist.	Link	Streich
Bryans	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Burkhart	Frandsen	McManus	Tweten
Cart	Hardy	Martin	Vogel
Craig	Haugland	McCay	Walker
Doyle	Hoopfe	Miller	Weisbeck
Eckert	Iverson	Morton	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Helbling	Kellogg	Patterson	Yeater
Hempel	Lakie	Quam	
Jackson	Maddock	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause lost.

Mr. Watt moved that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 364 be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Hempel moved that action on Senate Bill No. 364 be deferred until the next legislative day.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Watt moved that House Bill No. 185 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Hempel moved that the House do now recess until 9 o'clock Monday morning.

Which motion was lost.

Senate Bill No. 188. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the placing of Children, Either for Temporary or Permanent Care, in Almshouses, or in Institutions, Charitable, Penal or Reformatory, Where Delinquent Children are Kept.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as

amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays none, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Messrs. Messrs. Messrs.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Larkin	Radelcliff
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larson	Root
Anderson	Fedge	Lazier	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Flom	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Frandsen	Link	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bollinger	Freeman	Lynch	Sproul
Arduser	Gelszter	McManus	Starke
Bollinger	Goranson	Maddock	Steen
Boyd	Halerow	Martin	Streich
Bratsberg	Hanson	McCay	Shurr
Brown	Hardy	McDowell	Swett
Bryans	Harrington	McGauvran	Traynor
Burk	Hart	Miller	Trubshaw
Burns	Haugland	Morton	Tweten
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Twichell
Cart	Hempel	Norden	Ulland
Cole	Henne	Oberg	Veitch
Craig	Hodges	Olafson	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Durkee	Jardine	Opland	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Yeater
Ellingson	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Kelly	Quade	
Erickson,	Kopp	Quam	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Jackson	Lakie	Sathre, Steele
Currie	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	
Helbling	Kellogg	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 181. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Homes and Institutions Caring for Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays none, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	McCay	Olafson
Burleigh	Gelszter	McDowell	Olson, Ransom
Anderson	Goranson	McGauvran	Olson, Towner
Burke-Divide	Halerow	Morton	Orange
Anderson,	Hanson	Muus	Peters
Sargent	Hardy	Norden	Plath
Arduser	Harrington	Oberg	Quade
Bollinger	Hart	Olafson	Quam
Brown	Haugland	Olson, Ransom	Rabe
Bryans	Heaton	Olson, Towner	Radelcliff
Burk	Hempel	Jones	Root
Burkhart	Henne	Kellogg	Rustad
Burns	Hodges	Kelly	Sethre, Williams

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Hoople	Kopp	Sims
Cart	Iverson	Larkin	Slominski
Cole	Jardine	Lakie	Sproul
Craig	Johnson, Nelson	Larson	Starke
Currie	Johnson, Traill	Lazier	Steen
Dougherty	Jones	Levin	Streich
Durkee	Kellogg	Link	Swett
Ehr	Kelly	Loudenbeck	Traynor
Ellingson	Kopp	Lynch	Trubshaw
Elmer	Lackey	McManus	Tweten
Erickson	Larkin	Maddock	Twichell
26th Dist.	Larson	Martin	Ulland
Erickson	Lazier	McCay	Veitch
16th Dist.	Levin	McDowell	Vogel
Fedge	Link	McGauvran	Walker
Flom	Loudenbeck	Miller	Watt
Frandsen	Lynch	Morton	Weisbeck
Fredrickson	McManus	Muus	Weld
	Maddock	Norden	Yeater
	Martin	Oberg	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Heibling	Miller	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Shurr
Doyle	Jackson	Patterson	
Eckert	Lakie	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Twichell moved that action be deferred on Senate Bill No. 183.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 378. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7741 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 156 of the Session Laws of 1915 Relating to Partnership Exemptions.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays 7, absent and not voting 28.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Rabe
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Jones	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Root
Sargent	16th Dist.	Kopp	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fedge	Lackey	Sims
Bollinger	Flom	Larson	Slominski
Brown	Frandsen	Lazier	Starke
Bryans	Fredrickson	Levin	Steen
Burk	Freeman	Link	Swett
Burkhart	Geiszler	McDowell	Traynor
Burns	Goranson	McGauvran	Tweten
Carr	Halcrow	Miller	Twichell
Cart	Hanson	Morton	Veitch
Craig	Hart	Muus	Watt
Currie	Haugland	Norden	Weisbeck
Doyle	Heaton	Olafson	Weld
Dougherty	Hempel	Olsen, Towner	Yeater
Durkee	Hodges	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Hoople	Peters	
Ehr	Iverson	Plath	
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Henne	Hardy	Quam	Shurr
Larkin	Oberg	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Jackson	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Jardine	Martin	Sproul
Boyd	Johnson, Pembina	McCay	Trubshaw
Bratsberg	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Cole	Lakte	Opland	Vogel
Elmer	Loudenbeck	Patterson	Walker
Harrington	Lynch	Rustad	
Helbling	McManus	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

State of North Dakota
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
Bismarck
R. A. Nestos, Governor

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I yesterday approved, and this day filed with the Secretary of State, House Bill No. 8, being a bill to Empower all Cities having a population in excess of six thousand inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1930, or by and subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the establishment of districts or zones within the corporate limits, and to empower such Cities by ordinance, to regulate within such zones or districts, the use or uses of land, the height, the area, the size and the location of buildings, the required open spaces for the light and ventilation of such buildings and the density of population; to provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the carrying out of such ordinances and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof.

Yours very truly,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Messrs: A. M. Thompson, Cogswell, N. D.; J. E. Geiszler, Hebron, N. Dak. D. A. Goplen, Binford, N. Dak.

Mr. Slominski moved that the House do now recess until 9 o'clock A. M., Monday, which motion prevailed and the house recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-FOURTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

The House reassembled at 9 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Relating to What Shall be Carried as "Consolidated Tax Account," and Repealing Section 2274, Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 253, Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 49, nays 39, absent and not voting 25.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Johnson, Trall	Plath
Burleigh	Flom	Kopp	Quade
Anderson	Freeman	Larson	Rabe
Sargent	Geisler	Lynch	Radcliffe
Boyd	Goranson	McDowell	Sagen
Burk	Hanson	McGauvran	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	Muus	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	Norden	Starke
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Traynor
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Twibell
Burkee	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Ulland
	Johnson, Pembina	Ellingsen	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	16th Dist.	Jones	Quam
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	26th Dist.	Lazier	Sims
Bratsberg	Fedge	Levin	Steen
Burkhart	Franson	Link	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Loudenbeck	Swett
Cart	Hempel	McManus	Tweten
Craig	Hoopel	Martin	Vogel
Doyle	Iverson	McCay	Walker
Erickson	Jardine	Morton	Weisbeck
		Oberg	Weid

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hart	Miller	Streich
Brown	Hebling	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Eckert	Kellogg	Opland	Watt
Elmer	Kelly	Patterson	Yeater
Fredrickson	Lackey	Root	
Halcrow	Lakie	Rustad	
Hardy	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill was lost.

Senate Bill No. 302. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Gross Earnings Tax on Certain Freight Line and Car Equipment Companies Owning and Operating or Leasing and Operating Over Railroad Lines Within the State for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of State Government; Repealing Sections 2 to 11 Inclusive, of Chapter 59, Special Session Laws of 1919 and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 68, nays 20, absent and not voting 25.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jones	Rabe
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Larkin	Sagen
Boyd	Frandsen	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Freeman	Levin	Slominski
Burns	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Carr	Goranson	Lynch	Shurr
Cart	Hanson	McDowell	Traynor
Cole	Harrington	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Craig	Haugland	Morton	Tweten
Curvie	Heaton	Muus	Twichell
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Durkee	Hodges	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Iverson	O'afson	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jardine	Orange	
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	
16th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
	Johnson, Trail	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Doyle	Link	Sims
Burke-Divide	Fedge	McManus	Steen
Arduser	Hempel	Martin	Swett
Bratsberg	Hoopie	McCay	Vogel
Bryans	Lazier	Quam	Weid
Burkhart			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Bollinger	Helbling	Olsen, Ransom	Streich
Brown	Kellogg	Opland	Veitch
Elmer	Kelly	Patterson	Watt
Fredrickson	Lackey	Root	Yeater
Halcrow	Lakle	Rustad	
Hardy	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	
Hart	Miller	Starke	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause lost.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

Office of the Governor,
Bismarck, N. D.

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have this day approved and filed with the Secretary of State,

House Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act Making it a Misdemeanor for any Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle While such Person is in an Intoxicated Condition, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and Rooming Houses.

Yours very truly,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 299. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 62 of the Laws of North Dakota Enacted at the Special Session of 1919, and Declaring that an Emergency Exists, and that This Act Shall Become Effective Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 34, nays 5, absent and not voting 24.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Jones	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Anderson.	Erickson	Larkin	Rabe
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larson	Radeliffe
Anderson	Fedge	Lazier	Sagen
Sargent	Flom	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Link	Sims
Bryans	Gelszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Burkhart	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Burns	Harrington	McCay	Steen
Carr	Haugland	McDowell	Shurr
Cart	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Morton	Trubshaw
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Currie	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Boyle	Iverson	Oberg	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Hempel	Swett	Weld
Frandsen			

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hardy	Lackie	Root
Bratsberg	Hart	Maddock	Rustad
Brown	Helbling	Miller	Sathre, Steele
Elmer	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Streich
Fredrickson	Kelly	Opland	Watt
Halcrow	Lackey	Patterson	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Hempel. Mr. Speaker. I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "No" on this bill because I feel the joker that was put in the bill in 1917, in House Bill No. 20, is still there, only in different language. Therefore, I vote "No."

Mr. Starke moved that Senate Bill No. 260 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 304. A Bill for an Act to Permit Mutual Insurance Companies to Classify Their Business by Trades, Occupations or Professions, and to Pay Dividends to Policyholders Based Upon Each Trade, Occupation or Profession's Proportion of Losses Received to the Premiums Paid by Them; and Providing the Method of Determining Such Dividends.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 91, nays 2, absent and not voting 20.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Larkin	Rabe
Burlaigh	26th Dist.	Larson	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedze	Lazier	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Levin	Sathre, Williams
Anderson,	Frandsen	Link	Sims
Sargent	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Arduser	Geiszler	Lynch	Sproul
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Starke

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Hanson	Martin	Streich
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Traynor
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Carr	Haugland	Morton	Tweten
Cart	Henne	Muus	Twihell
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Veitch
Currie	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Doyle	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Trail.	Plath	
Ellingson	Jones	Quade	
Erickson	Kopp	Quam	
16th Dist.	Lackey	Steen	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Hempel
Swett

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lackie	Root
Brown	Heaton	Maddock	Rustad
Bryans	Heibling	Miller	Sathre, Steele
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	Watt
Fredrickson	Kelly	Patterson	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 386. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 16, 33, 44, 49, 56, 62, 83, 88 and 89 of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Regulating the Operation of All Coal Mines in North Dakota; Providing for Their Inspection; Creating the Office of Coal Mining Inspector; Fixing His Qualifications, Duties, Powers and Compensation; Providing for His Appointment; Creating a Board of Examiners; Fixing Its Powers and Compensation; Providing the Method of Appointment Thereof; Providing for the Registry, Examination and Issuing of Certificates for Certain Employees of Coal Mines.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 96, nays none, absent and not voting 17.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jones	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kellogg	Quam
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Rabe
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Flom	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Frandsen	Levin	Sims
Boyd	Fredrickson	Ltnk	Slominski
Bratsberg	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Brown	Geiszler	Lynch	Starke
Bryans	Goranson	McManus	Steen
Burk	Hanson	Martin	Streich
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Shurr

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burns	Harrington	Morton	Swett
Carr	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Cart	Haugland	McDowell	Trubshaw
Cole	Hempel	McGauvran	Tweten
Craig	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Doyle	Hoopie	Olafson	Veitch
Dougherty	Iverson	Orange	Vogel
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Waiker
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Trail		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Kelly	Opland	Watt
Elmer	Lackey	Patterson	Weld
Halcrow	Lackie	Root	Yeater
Heaton	Maddock	Rustad	
Helbling	Miller	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Use of War History Commission Between the Following Dates: June 30th, 1923, to July the 1st, 1925.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays none, absent and not voting 16.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burreigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Plath
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 26th Dist.	Jones	Quade
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge	Kellogg	Quam
Arduser	Flom	Kopp	Rabe
Boyd	Frandsen	Larkin	Radeliffe
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Freeman	Lazier	Sathre, Williams
Bryans	Geizler	Levin	Sims
Burk	Goranson	Link	Slorzinski
Burkhart	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Burns	Hardy	Lynch	Starke
Carr	Harrington	McManus	Steen
Cart	Hart	Martin	Streich
Cole	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Craig	Heaton	McDowell	Swett
Currie	Hempel	McGauvran	Traynor
Doyle	Henne	Miller	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Morton	Tweten
Durkee	Hoopie	Muus	Twichell
Eckert	Iverson	Norden	Ulland
Ehr	Jackson	Oberg	Vogel
Ellingson	Jardine	Olafson	Walker
	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
	Johnson, Trail	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
		Peters	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Elmer	Lackey	Opland	Veitch
Halcrow	Lackie	Root	Watt
Helbling	Maddock	Rustad	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 122. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Training School.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 2, absent and not voting 17.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Frandsen	Larson	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazler	Siominski
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sproul
Boyd	Geiszler	Link	Starke
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Steen
Fryans	Hanson	McManus	Streich
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Swett
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cart	Heaton	Morton	Tweten
Cole	Hempel	Muus	Twichell
Craig	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Currie	Hodges	Oberg	Walker
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Weld
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Jardine	Patterson	
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
26th Dist.	Jones	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Loudenbeck	Vogel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Lackey	Opland	Watt
Bratsberg	Lackte	Root	Yeater
Elmer	Maddock	Rustad	
Halcrow	Miller	Sathre, Steele	
Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Veitch	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill 100. A Bill For an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the School of Science at Wahpeton, N. Dak.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 75, nays 18, absent and not voting 20.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kellogg Kelly	Quade Quam
Boyd	Fedge	Kopp	Rabe
Bratsberg	Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe
Brown	Freeman	Larson	Sims
Bryans	Geiszler	Lazier	Slominski
Burk	Goranson	Levin	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	Lynch	Streich
Burns	Hart	McManus	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Cart	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Currie	Henne	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hodges	Morton	Tweten
Dougherty	Iverson	Muus	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Norden	Ulland
Eekert	Jardine	Olafson	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Townner	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	
Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Peters	
	Jones	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Cole	Link	Sproul
Anderson, Sargent	Craig	Loudenbeck	Steen
Arduser	Frandsen	Martin	Vogel
	Hardy	Oberg	Weisbeck
	Hempel	Sethre, Williams	Weld

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Sagen
Elmer	Lackey	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Fredrickson	Lakie	Patterson	Veitch
Halerow	Maddock	Root	Watt
Helbling	Miller	Rustad	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 89, nays 4, absent and not voting 20.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson Burleigh	Erickson, 26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Plath
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Quade
Anderson Sargent	Fedge	Jones	Quam
Arduser	Flom	Kellogg	Rabe
Boyd	Frandsen	Kelly	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Freeman	Kopp	Root
Bryans	Geiszler	Larkin	Sagen
Burk	Goranson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Burkhart	Hanson	Lazier	Sims
	Hardy	Levin	Slominski
	Harrington	Link	Sprour
		Lynch	Steen
		McManus	Streich

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burns	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Cart	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Cole	Hempel	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Currie	Henne	Morton	Tweten
Doyle	Hodges	Muus	Twitchell
Dougherty	Hoopie	Norden	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Weisbeck
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Weld
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Loudenbeck	Oberg	Vogel

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Helbling	Olson, Ranson	Starke
Brown	Lackey	Opland	Veitch
Elmer	Lackie	Patterson	Walker
Fredrickson	Maddock	Rustad	Watt
Halcrow	Miller	Sathre, Steele	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 158. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$10,540.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Expenses of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Mine Inspection.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 1, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Roct
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Franson	Lazier	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Slominski
Arduser	Freeman	Link	Sproul
Boyd	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Starke
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Steen
Bryans	Halcrow	McManus	Streich
Burk	Hanson	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Traynor
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Trubshaw
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Tweten
Cart	Haugland	Morton	Twitchell
Cole	Heaton	Muus	Ulland
Craig	Henne	Norden	Veitch
Carrie	Hodges	Oberg	Vogel
Doyle	Hoopie	Olafson	Watt
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Weld
Eckert	Jardine	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
26th Dist.	Jones	Quam	
	Kellogg	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.

Larkin

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.

Bollinger
Brown
Elmer
Helbling

Messrs.

Hempel
Lackie
Maddock
Miller

Messrs.

Olson, Ransom
Opland
Rustad
Sathre, Steele

Messrs.

Swett
Walker
Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 392. A Bill for an Act to Provide a Custodian for the Property Belonging to the State of North Dakota Known as the Biological Station and Located on the Shores of Devils Lake, Ramsey County, North Dakota, and to Designate the Purposes for Which Said Property May be Used.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 97, nays 1, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.

Anderson
Burleigh
Anderson,
Burke-Divide
Anderson,
Sargent
Arduser
Boyd
Bratsberg
Brown
Bryans
Berk
Burkhart
Burns
Carr
Cole
Craig
Currie
Doyle
Dougherty
Durkee
Eckert
Ehr
Ellingson
Erickson
26th Dist.

Messrs.

Erickson
16th Dist.
Fedge
Flom
Frandsen
Fredrickson
Freeman
Geiszler
Goranson
Halcrow
Hanson
Hardy
Harrington
Hart
Haugland
Heaton
Henne
Hodges
Hoople
Iverson
Jackson
Jardine
Johnson, Nelson
Johnson, Pembina
Johnson, Traill
Jones

Messrs.

Kellogg
Kelly
Kopp
Lackey
Larkin
Larson
Lazier
Levin
Link
Loudenbeck
Lynch
McManus
Martin
McCay
McDowell
McGauvran
Morton
Muus
Norden
Oberg
Olafson
Olson, Towner
Orange
Peters
Plath
Quade

Messrs.

Quam
Rabe
Radcliffe
Root
Sagen
Sethre, ~~William~~
Sims
Slominski
Sproul
Starke
Steen
Streich
Shurr
Traynor
Trubshaw
Tweten
Twichell
Ulland
Veitch
Vogel
Walker
Watt
Weisbeck
Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.

Weld

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.

Bollinger
Cart
Elmer
Helbling

Messrs.

Hempel
Lackie
Maddock
Miller

Messrs.

Olson, Ransom
Opland
Patterson
Rustad

Messrs.

Sathre, Steele
Swett
Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Supreme Court.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 77, nays 21, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Larkin	Root
Burleigh	Goranson	Larson	Sagen
Anderson	Halcrow	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Hanson	Lynch	Sims
Boyd	Harcington	McManus	Slominski
Bratsberg	Hart	McCay	Sproul
Brown	Hoaton	McDowell	Starke
Bryans	Hempel	McGauvran	Steen
Burk	Hodges	Morton	Streich
Burkhardt	Hoople	Maus	Shurr
Burns	Iverson	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Jackson	Olafson	Trubshaw
Currie	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Tweten
Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Twichell
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Trail.	Plath	Veitch
Eckert	Kellogg	Quade	Watt
Ehr	Kelly	Quam	Weld
Ellingson	Kopp	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Haugland	Martin
Sargent	16th Dist.	Henne	Oberg
Arduser	Fedge	Jones	Vogel
Cole	Frandsen	Levin	Walker
Craig	Gelszler	Link	Weisbeck
Erickson	Hardy	Loudenbeck	
26th Dist.			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hebling	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Cart	Lakie	Onland	Swett
Elmer	Maddock	Patterson	Yeater
Fredrickson	Miller	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or so Much Thereof as may be Necessary for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Mileage of Witnesses Incurred by the Special Investigating Committee of the Senate, in Considering the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, During the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as

amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 66, nays 28, absent and not voting 19.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade
Burleigh	Freeman	Kelly	Quam
Arduser	Geizler	Kopp	Rabe
Boyd	Goranson	Lackey	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Larson	Root
Brown	Hanson	Levin	Sagen
Bryans	Hardy	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Swett
Burns	Heaton	Morton	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Muus	Trubshaw
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Twitchell
Currie	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Steen
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	McManus	Streich
Boyle	Haugland	Maddock	Shurr
Eckert	Hoople	Martin	Tweten
Erickson	Jones	McCay	Vogel
26th Dist.	Larkin	Oberg	Weisbeck
Erickson,	Lazier	Sethre, Williams	Weld
16th Dist.	Link	Starke	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Lakie	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Miller	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Sims
Carr	Hempel	Opland	Walker,
Craig	Kellogg	Patterson	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9367 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Prescribing of an Oath.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays 1, absent and not voting 13.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Lazier	Sims
Anderson	Geizler	Levin	Slominski
Sargent	Goranson	Link	Sproul
Arduser	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Starks
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Steen
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Streich
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Shurr
Burk	Hart	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burns	Heaton	McDowell	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	McGauvran	Tweten
Cole	Henne	Morton	Twichell
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Ulland
Currie	Hoople	Norden	Veitch
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Walker
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Jones	Quade	
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quam	
Erickson	Kelly	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Kopp	Radeliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Bratsberg

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Rustad
Cart	Lakie	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Elmer	Miller	Patterson	Yeater
Fredrickson			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 280. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7643 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 133, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Directed Verdicts.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 2, absent and not voting 24.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Ellingson	Jones	Plath
Burleigh	Erickson	Keitogg	Quade
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Larkin	Rabe
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Radeliffe
Sargent	Franson	Lazier	Sagen
Boyd	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Link	Slominski
Brown	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Steen
Burk	Hardy	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Harrington	Martin	Snurr
Burns	Hart	McCay	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	McDowell	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	McGauvran	Tweten
Cole	Hodges	Miller	Twichell
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Ulland
Currie	Iverson	Muus	Vogel
Doyle	Jackson	Norden	Walker
Dougherty	Jardine	Oberg	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Weld
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Townner	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Orange	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Erickson	Swett
26th Dist.	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Henne	Opland	Sims
Elmer	Kelly	Patterson	Sproul
Fredrickson	Lackey	Peters	Veitch
Halcrow	Lakie	Root	Watt
Heaton	Maddock	Rustad	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Verdict in Civil Cases by Five-Sixths of the Jury After Twelve Hours Deliberation.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 49, nays 35, absent and not voting 29.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Flom	McCay	Starke
Burkhart	Fransson	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Goranson	Miller	Shurr
Carr	Hodges	Morton	Swett
Currie	Hoople	Norden	Trubshaw
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Townner	Twetten
Dougherty	Jardine	Orange	Twichell
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	Ulland
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	Walker
Ehr	Kopp	Radcliffe	Weisbeck
Erickson	Larkin	Sagen	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Larson	Sethre, Williams	
Fedge	McManus	Sproul	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Craig	Johnson, Traill	Oberg
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Jones	Olafson
	16th Dist.	Lazier	Plath
Anderson,	Geiszler	Levin	Quam
Sargent	Hanson	Link	Slominski
Bratsberg	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Steen
Brown	Harrington	Lynch	Traynor
Burk	Hart	Martin	Vogel
Cart	Haugland	McGauvran	Weid
Cole	Jackson	Muus	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fredrickson	Kelly	Root
Burleigh	Freeman	Lackey	Rustad
Arduser	Halcrow	Lakie	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Heaton	Maddock	Sims
Boyd	Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ellingson	Hempel	Opland	Watt
Elmer	Henne	Patterson	Yeater
	Kellogg	Peters	

So the bill was lost.

Senate Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact 7644 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the

Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the year 1919, (Regular Session) and Chapter 129 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to Change of Judges in Civil and Criminal Actions in the District Court, for Prejudice or Bias of Judge Thereof; Providing for the Calling of Another Judge of Another Judicial District, and Therein, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 77, nays 13, absent and not voting 23.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Frandsen	Levin	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Freeman	Link	Sagen
Boyd	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Goranson	McManus	Sims
Brown	Hanson	Martin	Slominski
Bryans	Harrington	McCay	Starke
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Steen
Burns	Heaton	McGauvran	Streich
Carr	Fenne	Miller	Shurr
Craig	Hodges	Morton	Sweett
Currie	Hoople	Muus	Traynor
Dougherty	Iverson	Norden	Trubshaw
Eckert	Jardine	Oberg	Tweten
Ehy	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Twitchell
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Ulland
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Vogel
Erickson	Kopp	Plath	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Larkin	Quade	Weld
Fedge	Larson	Quam	Yeater
Flom	Lazier	Rabe	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Burkhart	Durkee	Jones
Burke-Divide	Cart	Hardy	Kellorg
Anderson,	Cole	Haugland	Walker
Sargent	Doyle	Jackson	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Helbling	Maddock	Rustad
Bollinger	Hempel	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Ellingson	Kelly	Op'and	Sproul
Elmer	Lackey	Patterson	Veitch
Fredrickson	Lakie	Peters	Watt
Halcrow	Lynch	Root	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 203. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 160 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 18 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Appointment of Regular and Special Assistant Attorneys General, and Repealing Chapter 20 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 88, nays 2, absent and not voting 23.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Erickson 26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Quam
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Jones	Rabe
Boyd	Frandsen	Kellogg	Radeliffe
Bratsberg	Freeman	Kopp	Sagen
Brown	Geiszler	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Goranson	Lazier	Slominski
Burk	Hanson	Levin	Sproul
Burkhart	Hardy	Link	Starke
Burns	Harrington	Loudenbeck	Steen
Carr	Hart	Lynch	Streich
Cart	Haugland	McManus	Shurr
Cele	Heaton	Martin	Traynor
Craig	Helbling	McCay	Trubshaw
Currie	Hempel	McDowell	Tweten
Doyle	Tenne	Miller	Twichell
Dougherty	Hodges	Morton	Ulland
Eckert	Hoople	Muus	Weisbeck
Eckert	Iverson	Norden	Weld
Ehr	Jackson	Oberg	Yeater
	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	
	Plath		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.		
Swett	Walker		
Absent and not voting:			
Arduser	Halcrow	McGauvran	Rustad
Bollinger	Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Ellingson	Lacey	Opland	Sims
Elmer	Lakie	Patterson	Veitch
Fedje	Larkin	Peters	Vogel
Fredrickson	Maddock	Root	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 389. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Reservation of Mineral Rights and Providing for the Transfer of Same.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 69, nays 20, absent and not voting 24.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Erickson 26th Dist.	Larson	Quam
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Lazier	Rabe
Boyd	Freeman	Levin	Radeliffe
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Link	Sagen
Brown	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	McManus	Sproul
Burkhart	Hart	Martin	Starke
Burns	Heaton	McCay	Streich
	Hodges	McDowell	Traynor
	Iverson	Miller	Tweten
		Morton	Twichell

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Jackson	Muus	Ulland
Cole	Jardine	Norden	Walker
Carrie	Johnson, Nelson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Olafson	Yeater
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Townner	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Kopp	Plath	
	Larkin	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Helbling	Steen
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Henne	Shurr
Cart	Fedge	Hoople	Swett
Craig	Frandsen	Jones	Vogel
Doyle	Hardy	Kellogg	Weid
	Haugland	McGauvran	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Halcrow	Olson, Ransom	Eustad
Bollinger	Hempel	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Kelly	Orange	Sims
Ellingson	Lackey	Patterson	Trubshaw
Elmer	Lakle	Peters	Veitch
Fredrickson	Maddock	Root	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Care and Treatment of Indigent Crippled or Deformed Children.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 90, nays 1, absent and not voting 22.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jardine	Kedcliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson	Fedge	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Lazier	Sims
Anderson,	Frandsen	Levin	Slominski
Sargent	Freeman	Link	Sproul
Boyd	Geissler	Loudenbeck	Starke
Bratsberg	Hanson	Lynch	Steen
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Streich
Bryans	Harrington	Martin	Shurr
Burk	Hart	McCay	Swett
Burkhart	Haugland	McDowell	Traynor
Burns	Heaton	McGauvran	Tweten
Carr	Helbling	Miller	Twichell
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Ulland
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Vogel
Carrie	Hoople	Norden	Walker
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Weid
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
26th Dist.	Jones	Quam	
	Kellogg	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Goranson

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Halcrow	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Henne	Opland	Trubshaw
Cart	Kelly	Patterson	Veitch
Eckert	Lackey	Peters	Watt
Elmer	Lackie	Root	
Fredrickson	Maddock	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 135. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to pay the Burial Expenses of Inmates of the Penitentiary and Reform School as Provided for Under Section 11302 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 90, nays none, absent and not voting 23.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kellogg	Quam
Burleigh	Flom	Kopp	Rabe
Anderson,	Franson	Larkin	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Larson	Sagen
Anderson,	Geiszler	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Goranson	Levin	Stominski
Boyd	Hanson	Link	Sproul
Bratsberg	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Starke
Brown	Harrington	Lynch	Steen
Bryans	Hart	McManus	Streich
Burk	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Heaton	McCay	Traynor
Burns	Helbing	McDowell	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	McGauvran	Twetten
Cart	Henne	Miller	Twichell
Cole	Hodges	Morton	Uland
Craig	Hoopie	Muus	Walker
Currie	Iverson	Norcen	Watt
Doyle	Jackson	Oberg	Wisbeck
Dougherty	Vardine	Olafson	Weld
Durkes	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Plath	
16th Dist.	Jones	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Fredrickson	Opland	Swett
Bollinger	Halcrow	Patterson	Veitch
Eckert	Kelly	Peters	Vogel
Ellingson	Lackey	Root	
Elmer	Lakie	Rustad	
Erickson,	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	
26th Dist.	Olson, Ransom	Sims	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 375. A Bill for an Act Validating Taxes Assessed Against Bank Stock in the Years 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners and the Tax Commissioners to Compromise Such Taxes Upon Bank Stock for 1919, 1920 and 1921, as Have Not Been Paid, and Confirming and Ratifying Such Settlements as Have Been Made.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 45, nays 43, absent and not voting 25.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Kopp	Sagen
Burleigh	Geiszler	Larson	Slominski
Boyd	Goranson	McDowell	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	McGauvran	Starke
Burk	Harrington	Muus	Traynor
Burns	Hart	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Henne	Olafson	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Orange	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Plath	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jardine	Morton
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Jones	Oberg
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Quam
Sargent	16th Dist.	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Fedje	Iazier	Steen
Bryans	Frandsen	Levin	Streich
Burkhart	Hardy	Link	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	Loudenbeck	Swett
Cole	Helbling	McManus	Walker
Craig	Heupel	Martin	Weisbeck
Doyle	Hoople	McCay	Weld
	Iverson	Miller	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Halcrow	Maddock	Root
Bollinger	Heaton	Olson, Ransom	Rustad
Eckert	Kelly	Olson, Towner	Sathre, Steele
Ellingson	Lackey	Opland	Sims
Elmer	Lackie	Patterson	Tweeten
Fredrickson	Lynch	Peters	Vogel
			Watt

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Jardine served notice of a motion to reconsider the vote.

Mrs. Craig moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 375 was lost, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Mr. Twichell moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed the following members absent: Messrs. Eckert, Patterson, Rustad, Sathre of Steele, and Tweeten.

The Speaker instructed the Sargeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Twichell moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 375 was lost, be reconsidered.

Mr. Maddock moved that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Jardine, a demand for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 58, nays 50, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Slominski
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Buras	Heaton	Muus	Starke
Carr	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Twichell
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Currie	Mr. Speaker
Freeman	Kelly	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kellogg	Opland
Burke-Divide	20th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Arduser	Fedge	Link	Steen
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Streich
Bryans	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Burkhardt	Hardy	Maddock	Swett
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Vogel
Cole	Helbling	McCay	Walker
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Weisbeck
Doyle	Hoopel	Morton	Weld
Elmer	Iverson	Oberg	Yeater
	Jones	Olson, Ransom	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Patterson	Sethre, Williams	Tweten
Lakie			

So the motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 375 be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" on the motion to reconsider the vote by which we just killed Senate Bill No. 375, for the reason that this is one of the most vicious

bills introduced during this session. I vote "no" for the reason that the bill we killed should not be revived for the reason that if that bill passes it will legalize one of the most infamous tax evasions I ever heard of.

Mr. Bratsberg also explained his vote.

Senate Bill No. 375. A Bill for an Act Validating Taxes Assessed Against Bank Stock in the Years 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners and the Tax Commissioners to Compromise Such Taxes Upon Bank Stock for 1919, 1920 and 1921, as Have Not Been Paid, and Confirming and Ratifying Such Settlements as Have Been Made.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 50, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Geiszler	Kopp	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Starke
Currie	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Dougherty	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Freeman	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Levin	Stoen
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Link	Streich
Anderson	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Sargent	Frandsen	McManus	Swett
Arduser	Fredrickson	Maddock	Vogel
Bratsberg	Hardy	Martin	Walker
Bryans	Haugland	McCay	Weisbeck
Burkhart	Helbling	Miller	Weid
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Yeater
Cole	Hoople	Oberg	
Craig	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	
Doyle	Jones	Opland	
Elmer	Kellogg	Quam	
Erickson	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	
26th Dist.	Lazier	Sims	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Patterson	Sathre, Steele	Tweten
Lakie			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" for the reason that if I vote "aye" I would be helping to legalize one of the

biggest tax evasions ever perpetrated upon the people of North Dakota.

Mr. Anderson of Sargent: Mr. Speaker, I vote "no" on this bill because I consider it special legislation.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 375 was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 363. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Regulating and Fixing the Hours of Labor for Females, and Providing Penalties for the Violation Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 48, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Kopp	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackey	Sagen
Brown	Halcrow	Larson	Stominski
Burk	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Cofe	Heaton	Muus	Trubshaw
Carrte	Henne	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Fredrickson	Johnson, Traill	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Opland
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Lazler	Quam
Anderson,	Erickson,	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	16th Dist.	Link	Sims
Arduser	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Steen
Boyd	Franson	McManus	Streich
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Sweet
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Tweten
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Walker
Craig	Hoopel	Norden	Weisbeck
Doyne	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Lackie	Patterson	Sathre, Steele
Kellogg	Miller	Rustad	Shurr

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mrs. Craig: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have my explanation recorded. I vote "no" on this

bill because I am ashamed to have this Legislative Assembly take such a step backward in raising the hours of labor for women.

Mr. Sims: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" on this bill because it is unsatisfactory to the labor of North Dakota.

Messrs. Bratsberg and Maddock also explained their votes.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 363 was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 211. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3451, Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to county bonds, rate of interest and Mode of Issue.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 93, nays 7, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Anderson,	Flom	Larkin	Rabe
Sargent	Frandsen	Larson	Radcliffe
Arduser	Fredrickson	Lazier	Root
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geiszler	Link	Slominski
Bratsberg	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	Lynch	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	McManus	Steen
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Streich
Burkhart	Hart	McCay	Sweet
Burns	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Carr	Helbling	McGauvran	Traynor
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Tweten
Cole	Henne	Muus	Twitchell
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Veitch
Durkes	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ellingson	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weld
Erickson,	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Peters	
	Kellogg	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Craig	Fodge	Jones
Burke-Divide	Doyle	Haugland	Sims

Absent and not voting:

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Maddock	Sagen	Yeater
Hardy	Miller	Sathre, Steele	
Lackey	Patterson	Shurr	
Lakie	Rustad	Weisbeck	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 206 was lost be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Starke moved that Senate Bill No. 206 be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Verdict in Civil Cases by Five-Sixths of the Jury After Twelve Hours Deliberation.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 75, nays 25, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Iverson	Peters
Burleigh	Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Sargent	Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Rabe
Arduser	16th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Fedge	Larkin	Root
Bratsberg	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Bryans	Frandsen	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Fredrickson	Lynch	Slominski
Burkhart	Freeman	McManus	Sproul
Burns	Goranson	Maddock	Starke
Carr	Halcrow	McCay	Shurr
Craig	Hanson	McDowell	Trubshaw
Currie	Harrington	McGauvran	Twichell
Doyle	Heston	Muus	Ulland
Dougherty	Helbling	Norden	Veitch
Durkee	Hempel	Olafson	Watt
Ehr	Henne	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Hodges	Opland	Yeater
	Hoople	Patterson	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Haugland	Loudenbeck	Stretch
Burke-Divide	Jackson	Martin	Swett
Boyd	Jones	Oberg	Traynor
Brown	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Cart	Lackey	Quam	Weid
Cote	Levin	Sims	
Hart	Link	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Kelly	Morton	Sathre, Steele
Geiszler	Lackie	Patterson	Tweten
Hardy	Miller	Rustad	Walker
Jardine			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act Amending and Repealing Chapter 153, Laws of 1909, the Same Being Sections 1404 to 1414 Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, Regulating the Employment of Child Labor and to Provide for

the Enforcement Thereof, and to Prescribe Penalties for Violations of the Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 73, nays 21, absent and not voting 19.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Opland
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larson	Plath
Anderson	Flom	Lazier	Quam
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Levin	Rabe
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Link	Radcliffe
Sargent	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sagen
Arduser	Halcrow	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Harby	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Sims
Burk	Hart	Martin	Starks
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Streich
Burns	Heaton	McDowell	Swett
Carr	Hoople	Miller	Trubshaw
Cole	Jardine	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Johnson, Nelson	Morton	Twichell
Currie	Johnson, Pembina	Oberg	Vogel
Doyle	Johnson, Trail.	Olafson	Walker
Dougherty	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Erickson,	Kelly	Olson, Townner	Yeater
26th Dist.			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hanson	Kopp	Slominski
Brown	Helbling	Lackey	Traynor
Ellingson	Henne	McGauvran	Ulland
Elmer	Hodges	Orange	Veitch
Geiszler	Jackson	Quade	Watt
			Weisbeck

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Cart	Goranson	Morton	Rustad
Durkee	Hempel	Norden	Sproul
Eckert	Iverson	Patterson	Steen
Ehr	Kellogg	Peters	Shurr

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and request that the explanation be recorded in the Journal. Though in sympathy with the purposes of this bill, I am forced to vote "no" because of the form of the bill itself. It does not affect farm children at all whose problem is more serious than that of any other children in the state. Its provisions as to other children are in many instances so rigid as to result in great injustices and handicaps. The present law is thoroughly adequate.

Senate Bill No. 387. A Bill for an Act Designating the Sheriff of the Different Counties in the State as Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures, and Giving Him Power to Appoint a Deputy Inspector; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Prescribing Fees to be Charged for Inspection;

Providing for Complaints and Penalties for its Violation; Providing for Inspectors' Compensation; Naming Custodian of State Standards and Prescribing His Duties; and Repealing Sections 2999, 3000, 3003, 3004, 3005 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, and Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 55, nays 47, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	Goranson	Kopp	Rabe
Boyd	Halcrow	Lackey	Radcliffe
Brown	Hanson	Larson	Root
Burk	Haugland	Lynch	Slominski
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Sproul
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Starke
Currie	Henne	Muus	Traynor
Dougherty	Hodges	Norden	Trubshaw
Durkee	Jackson	Olafson	Twitchell
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Ulland
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Watt
Freeman	Johnson, Trail.	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Maddock	Shurr
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Martin	Swett
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	McCay	Tweten
Bryans	Hardy	Miller	Vogel
Burkhart	Haugland	Morton	Walker
Cart	Helbling	Oberg	Weisbeck
Cole	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Craig	Jones	Opland	Yeater
Doyle	Larkin	Quam	
Elmer	Lazier	Sagen	
Erickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams	
26th Dist.	Link	Sims	
Ellingson	Loudenbeck	Steen	
16th Dist.	McManus	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.		
Anderson	Bollinger	Hoople	Patterson
Sargent	Eckert	Kellogg	Rustad
Arduser	Hempel	Lakie	Sathre, Steele

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Orange: Mr. Speaker, I don't altogether approve of this bill, but I think it is better than to have a fifty-five thousand dollar appropriation. Therefore, I vote "aye."

Mr. Vogel moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 387 was lost, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion was lost.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Member of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and for the Apportionment and Term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Sections 857, 859, 889, 9011a, 910, 912, 917, 918, 919, and 971a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and All Other Acts or Parts of Acts that are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists.

Also,

House Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Funds to Indemnify Owners of Animals Infected with Bovine Tuberculosis.

Also,

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Also,

I have the honor to return herewith the following bill:

House Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Destruction of Weeds on Public Highways by the Owner or Occupant of Land Abutting Thereon, Specifying Method of Procedure in Case of Failure to Do So and Assessment and Collection of Costs.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Olafson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

The House convened at 2:00 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. F. Alfson.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Anderson of Burleigh, Bollinger, J. L. Burk, Cole, Elmer, Frandson, Johnson of Pembina, Johnson of Traill, Link, Maddock, McGauvran, Olson of Ransom, Opland, Orange, Root, Rustad, Traynor, Veitch, Watt, Yeater.

Mr. Olafson moved that all the absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Communications to whom was referred a petition sent to Rep. Veitch having 73 signers who protest against the passage of Senate Bill No. 371, have had the same under consideration and recommend that it be read but not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 379. A Bill for an Act to Regulate the Sale of Petroleum Products; to Provide for the Inspection of Kerosene and Gasoline; to Provide Specifications Therefor; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide for Inspection Fees, Collection and Disposition of Same; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Inspection of Lubricating and Power Oils; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Act; to Provide Penalties for the Violation Thereof and to Repeal Existing Acts Relating Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 372. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Inspection of Hotels and Restaurants; Prescribing Sanitary Requirements Therefor; Providing for Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; Providing for the Revocation of Licenses; Defining the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist with Regard to the Act; Providing for Penalties for Violation Thereof and Repealing Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judicial made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judicial to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 174. A Bill for an Act Providing for Juvenile Courts, Defining Their Powers over Dependent, Neglected and Delinquent Children and Over Persons Contributing to Such Neglect, Dependency or delinquency, and for the Repeal of Sections 11402 to 11428, Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, and Chapter 179, Laws of 1915, and Chapter 8, Laws of 1921.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Printed Bill:

Page 4. In line 45, after the word "who" insert the word "habitually."

Page 16, under Section 24. In line 1 change word "municipal" to "superior." In line 2 strike out the words "not transferred from the juvenile court" and insert in lieu thereof the words "under the age of eighteen years."

Same page, in line 16, instead of "municipal" insert the word "police."

Section 25. Line 4, strike out the words "in each count yof their district" and insert in lieu thereof the words "as in their judgment the situation may require." Lines 6 and 7, strike out the words "and each in his capacity as referee shall be the juvenile court" and in lieu thereof insert the words "in any county of the district for which appointed." Lines 8 and 9, strike out the words "requirement shall be mandatory upon such judges" and in lieu thereof insert the words "shall not be construed as a delegation of the judicial functions of the court, the purpose being to aid the court in extending the advantage of the juvenile court, subject at all times to the control and review of the judge of said court to each county of the state, during the absence of the district judges therefrom."

Section 27. Line 13, after the word "treasurer" insert the words of the county wherein or for which services are performed."

Line 28. Line 8, after the word "crime" insert the words "and such child shall be entitled to counsel."

Section 2. Page 2, line 32, strike out the words "any local by-law."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

A majority of the Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 394. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, Supervising and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxi Cab or Auto Livery, Places Where Soft Drinks Are Sold, or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes, Providing the Licensing Fees Therefor and Repealing Chapter 84 of the Session Laws of 1921 and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and a majority of the committee recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

A minority of the Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 394: A Bill for an Act Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, Supervising and Inspection of

Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxi Cab, or Auto Livery Places Where Soft Drinks Are Sold, or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes, Providing the Licensing Fees Therefor and Repealing Chapter 84 of the Session Laws of 1921, and all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and a minority of the committee recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

E. E. IVERSON,
JOHN FLOM,
P. G. HARRINGTON,
E. E. BRYANS,
CHAS. F. STREICH,
J. H. BURKHART.

Mr. Twichell moved that the majority report be adopted.

Mr. Harrington moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the minority be adopted.

Which substitute motion prevailed, and the minority report, that Senate Bill No. 394 be indefinitely postponed, was adopted.

Mr. Vogel moved that the vote by which the minority report on Senate Bill No. 394 was adopted, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 136. A Bill for an Act to Provide a State Contingency Fund to be Placed at the Disposal of the State Emergency Commission to be Used as Provided by Chapter 26 and 152 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915; and Making an Appropriation of \$50,000.00 which Shall be Known as the State Contingency Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Teachers' College at Valley City, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acceptance of the Provisions of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Making an Appropriation to Meet the Allotments of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Authorizing State Department of Health to Accept Funds for Infant and Maternal Hygiene Work.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 2 of the engrossed bill, strike out the figures "\$2300.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$54,000.00 for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River From Burleigh County to Morton County in the State of North Dakota Under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Sixteenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, Approved March 5, 1919, in Addition to the Sums Appropriated by Chapter 4 of the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly, Approved December 12, 1919, and Chapter 6 of the Laws Passed at the Seventeenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota Approved March 9, 1921, and That Such Appropriation Be Made From the State Highway Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,

Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Larkin moved that action on Senate Bill No. 113 be deferred.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Watt, the motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 315. A Bill for an Act Defining Carnivals; Prohibiting Itinerant Carnivals and Declaring the Same a Public Nuisance and Providing Penalties for the Participation Therein.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Amend the title of the Bill so as to read as follows:
A Bill for an Act Defining Carnivals and Prohibiting the same except under certain restrictions; Defining the Powers and Duties of Town and Fair Boards in Regard Thereto; and Providing a Penalty.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 268: A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 7660, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 131, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Causes for a New Trial in Civil Actions.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption from Mortgage foreclosure or execution sales for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosures of Mortgages by Agent or Attorney and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore made pursuant to Judgment in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,

Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 179. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Placement of Children in Family Homes for Temporary or Permanent Care, and Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Persons or Corporations Engaged in that Work, and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws for 1915.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,

Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act Concerning the Transfer of Rights in Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 77 of the Laws of 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,

Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 4444 and 4446 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Adoption of Minor Children.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 286. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 25 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Create, Define and Establish the Bar Association of the State of North Dakota, and Providing for the Publication of Its Proceedings and Filing Copies Thereof with the State Bar Board and State Libraries, and as Otherwise Provided and Making an Appropriation for the Expenses Connected Therewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act to Amend and re-enact Sections 5109 and 5110 of the Compiled Laws for 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act Defining and Regulating Maternity hospitals and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 192. A Bill for an Act Relating to Independent Liberties.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 191 A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 4424, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Custody, Service and Earnings of Minor Children.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 5 of the printed bill change the word "and" following the word "services" to "or."

In line 7 strike out the period following the word "person" insert a comma in lieu thereof, and add the following "without the written consent of the other, except in case of death, desertion or abandonment."

Strike out the word "that" at the beginning of line number 6.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act Relating to Children Born out of Wedlock and to Make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto, and for the Repeal of Sections 10483 to 10500 Inclusive, Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 70. Laws of 1917.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 175. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Examination, Commitment, Care and Maintenance, Release and Discharge of Persons Alleged or Found to be Feeble-Minded.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Section 4. Line 1 change the word "two" to the word "a."

Line 2, strike out the word "physicians" and in lieu thereof insert "physician and some other person," also on the same line strike out the "s" of the word "judges."

Insert a period after the last word "board" in line 14, and strike out the remainder of the sentence.

Section 10. Line 1, change the word "probate" to "County."

Line 4, strike out the words "each examiner" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the physician and layman."

Line 5, change the word "ten" to five."

After the word "court" in line 14, strike out the balance of the section.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 352. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9235 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Sabbath Breaking.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 12, strike out the line and insert in lieu thereof the following: "(6) Public Dancing."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 284. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 782, 783, 784, 787, 799, 808, 809, 810, 811 and 812 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 69 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919, Relating to the Creating of a State Bar Board, Its Members, Their Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and the Issuance of License to Practice.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Section 9. In line 5 after the word "fee" insert the word "appropriation."

In line 11 after the word "dollars" insert a period and strike out all that follows down to the words "The Clerk etc." In line 25, and in lieu thereof insert the following paragraph:

"From the moneys heretofore accumulated and now on hand in the State Bar Fund, there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$10,000 to be expended under the direction of the Supreme Court for purchase and repair of books in the State Law Library."

Amend the title of the bill by adding the following: "and making an appropriation of \$10,000 from the State Bar Fund for the State Law Library."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 325. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 551, 552 and 557 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Governing the Practice of Certified Public Accountants in the State, and Providing a Penalty for Violation of the Laws Governing Accountancy.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out all of Sections 1 and 2, and number what is now Section 3, as Section 1.

Under Section 557, in line 6 (printed bill) after the word "shall insert" have his certificate revoked and."

In same line 6, strike out the words "a misdemeanor" and insert in lieu thereof the words "guilty of a felony."

In line 9, strike out the words "County Jail" and in lieu thereof insert the words "State Penitentiary."

In line 10 strike out the words "exceeding thirty days" and in lieu thereof insert the words "less than one year or more than three years."

Amend the title of the bill by striking out "Sections 551, 552, and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Section."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 186. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Abandonment or Neglect of Wife or Child, and the Desertion and Non-support of Family, and for the Repeal of Sections 9589 and 9603 Inclusive. Compiled Laws of 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Section 2. Line 6, strike out the word "misdemeanor" and insert in lieu thereof the words "felony, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished therefor by imprisonment in the State penitentiary for not more than five years."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act Re-establishing the North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association, Defining

Its Powers and Duties, and Providing for the Control, Management and Operation of State Owned Grain Warehouses, Elevators and Flour Mills and the Conduct of All Business Relating Thereto, Especially as Relates to the State Owned Mill and Elevator at Grand Forks and Providing for the Appointment of a Board of Managers Thereof and Repealing Chapter 152 Laws of North Dakota 1919, Entitled "An Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Business of Manufacturing and Marketing of Farm Products, and for Establishing a Warehouse, Elevator and Flour Mill System Under the Name of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of Its Operation, and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with Its Management; and Making an Appropriation Therefor."

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On the first line of page 7, engrossed bill, strike out the "period" after the word "Industry" and insert a "comma" and change the capital "S" in the word "sales" in the same line to a small "s."

In the last line of the bill, page 12, strike out the word "therewith" and insert the word "herewith."

In line four of section 15, page 11 engrossed bill, strike out the word "the" preceding word "possession" and insert the word "its."

In line 10, same page after the word "Dakota" strike out the "comma" and insert the word "of."

In line 9 of the title in engrossed bill insert the word "of" after the word "Dakota."

In the bottom line, page 2, engrossed bill strike the word "passage" out and insert the words "taking effect."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: A minority of your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act Re-establishing the North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association, Defining its Powers and Duties, and Providing for the Control, Management and Operation of State Owned Grain Warehouses, Elevators and Flour Mills and the Conduct of all Business Relating Thereto, Especially as Relates to the State Owned Mill and Elevator at Grand Forks and Providing for the Appointment of a Board of Managers Thereof and Repealing Chapter 152 Laws of North Dakota 1919, Entitled "An Act Declaring the Purpose of the State

of North Dakota to Engage in the Business of Manufacturing and Marketing of Farm Products, and for Establishing a Warehouse, Elevator and Flour Mill System Under the Name of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation, and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; and Making an Appropriation Therefor."

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN QUAM,
E. E. BRYANS,
J. H. BURKHART,
E. E. IVERSON,
JOHN O. SETHRE,
FRED ECKERT,

Mr. Vogel moved that the minority report be adopted. A demand for a roll call was granted.

Mr. Jackson moved a call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present except: Messrs. Maddock and Rustad.

The Speaker instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Twichell moved that further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Vogel, the roll was called and disclosed the following result: ayes 54, nays 57, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Larkin	Quam
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Erickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	16th Dist.	Link	Sims
Arduser	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bratsberg	Frandsen	McManus	Streich
Bryans	Fredrickson	Maddock	Shurr
Burkhart	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Cart	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Cole	Helbling	Miller	Vogel
Craig	Hempel	Morton	Walker
Doyle	Hoople	Oberg	Weisbeck
Eckert	Iverson	O.son, Ransom	Weld
Elmer	Jones	Opland	Yeater
	Kellogg	Patterson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Geiszler	Kopp	Redcliffe
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
Freeman	Kelly	Rabe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Lackie	Rustad

So the motion was lost.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 396. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10943 and 10944 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and Section 10948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Indetermined Sentences of Persons Convicted of Certain Crimes, and the Discharge or Paroling of Prisoners Serving Indeterminate Sentences, Abolishing the Board of Experts, and Repealing all Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Exclusion of Spectators from the Trial of Minors.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Powers of Certain Societies for the Care and Placement of Dependent Children, and to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5100 and 5101, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

A Concurrent Resolution by Mr. Trubshaw.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 13 of engrossed bill change the word "which" to "whom" and strike out the word "holdover."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

The Joint Committee on Joint Rules made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Joint Rules Committee to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 31. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 62, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Legislative Journals.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

FRED ECKERT,
Chairman.

Mr. Eckert moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 373. A Bill For an Act to Prevent Fraud and Deception in the Manufacture and Sale of Beverages; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act and to Provide Pen-

alties for Violations Thereof and to Repeal Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 371. A Bill for an Act for the Protection of Health and Prevention of Fraud and Deception in Articles of Food and Drugs; for the Prevention of Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; Requiring Labeling Thereof; Providing for Sales by Weight, Measure or Numerical Count; Providing for Fixing of Standards of Purity and Quality and Fitness of Consumption; Prescribing the Duties of the State Board of Administration and Providing for the Appointment of a State Food Commissioner and Chemist and Prescribing His Duties and Powers; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act; Defining Certain Offenses in Connection Therewith; Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Certain Acts Relating Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 197. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 146 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Office of Commissioner of Immigration, Prescribing His Powers and Duties, and Making an Appropriation Therefor, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line eight of the Engrossed Bill strike out the words and figures "\$3,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$2500.00"

In line three of Section four strike out the figures "\$12,000.00"

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 15. A Bill for an Act to Transfer Money From the Hail Insurance Fund to the Hail Insurance Operating Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Unpaid Bills Incurred by the Hail Insurance Department During the Year Beginning January 1, 1922, and Ending December 31, 1922.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 199. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use of the Board of Administration in Administering Child Welfare Laws.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following bills:

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and En-grossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 3471, 3472, 3473, 3474, 3475, 3477, 3478, 3479, 3480, 3483, 3484, 3485 and 3486, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws 1918, and as Amended by Chapter 177 Sesison Laws for 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws, 1919, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Need Inhabitants.

Also,

House Bill No. 62. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3476, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, Relating to the Levying of Tax to Provide for a Sinking Fund to Pay County Seed and Feed Bonds.

Also,

House Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand Dollars to Provide Funds for the Payment of the Per Diem and Necessary Expenses of the Members of the State Board of Pardons, together with Postage, Telegrams, Telephone Tolls, Printing, and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred by Such Board as Provided for in Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Florence Crittenton Home at Fargo, North Dakota.

Also,

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And find the same correctly enrolled.

L. E. COLE,

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

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And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Carr moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Carr to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 369. A Bill for an Act to Eliminate Railroad Grade Crossings and Other Dangerous Places on State and County Highways.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee report.

That Section 1 be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Railroad Commissioners or the State Highway Commission, the Board of County Commissioners of any County, the Board of Supervisors of any township or up its own motion shall investigate and determine whether any railroad grade crossing over any state, county or township highway in the state is dangerous to life and property, and may order the same protected in any manner said Board of Railroad Commissioners may find reasonable and proper, including requiring the railroad company to separate the grades.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 341. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Tax Upon Gasoline, Stored, Shipped, Distributed or Held for Sale Within this State, for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying the Expenses of the State Government; Providing for the Administration of the Same; Repealing Chapter 227 of the Special Session Laws of 1919 as Amended by Chapter 64 of the Special Session Laws of 1919.

And recommend that same be referred to State Affairs Committee.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 344. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3294 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Erection, Repair and Maintenance of Buildings.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

That the word "purchase" be inserted after the word "the" in line 7 of engrossed bill. And same correction be made in third line of title of engrossed bill after the word "the."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 288. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Upon Reserves of Coal and Minerals, Providing for the Obtaining of Tax Titles to Such Reserves When Taxes Thereon Remain Unpaid and Repealing Section 2119, Section 2120 and Section 2121, Compiled Laws of 1913,

and All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In Section 3, page 3, line 4 of the engrossed bill, insert the word "description" after the word "each." In the same line strike out the word "them" and insert in lieu thereof the word "land."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 337. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Bounty for the Destruction of Magpies and Crows.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 2 of the engrossed bill, strike out the words "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen."

In Section 2, line 3, after the word exhibited insert "for the purpose of destruction."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1, of Chapter 242, Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Bounty on Wolves and Coyotes.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 4 of Section 1 of the engrossed bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six."

In line 4, Section 1, change the word "six" to "four."
In line 5, Section 1, strike out the word "female" and insert the word "mature."

Strike out all of line 5, Section 1 after the word "coyote," and the words "or coyote" in line 6 of same section.

In line 6, Section 1, strike out the word "killed" and insert in lieu thereof the words "delivered to the County Auditor."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$30,950.00 for the purpose of carrying out the Provisions of Chapter 115 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to Vocational Education and Vocational Education and Vocational Rehabilitation.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 2 of the title after the word "of" and before the word "chapter" add the following: "Chapter 203 of Session Laws of 1919 and."

In line 4, after the word "of" and before the word "Chapter" insert the following: "Chapter 203 of Session Laws of 1919 and."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 196. A Bill for an Act to Provide an Appropriation for the Eradication of the Barberry.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 3, strike out the words and figures "\$25,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "\$15,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Also,

Senate Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 185 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Support of Needy Women who are the Mothers of and Who are Compelled to Support one or More Children Under Sixteen Years of Age.

And recommend the adoption of the Committee of the Whole's amendment as follows:

In section 2, second line, after the word "court" insert the following: "only with the approval of the County Commissioners."

On page 3, Section 4, line 3, after the word "person" strike out the remainder of the line; also strike out the first three words in line 4.

On page 4, strike out all of Section 5.

On page 5, renumber Section 6 to read Section 5.

On page 5, first line at top of page, after the word

"Act" insert the words "and approved by the Board of County Commissioners."

On page 5, renumber Section 7 to read Section 6.

On page 5, Section 6, line 12, strike out all of the line after the word notice, and the first four words in line 13 preceding the word "interested."

On page 5, Section 6, preceding the word "interested," insert the word "any" as the first word in the sentence.

On page 5, Section 6, in line 17, strike out the words "County Court's action" and insert in lieu thereof the words "action of the County Court or the Board of County Commissioners."

On page 5, renumber Section 8 to read Section 7.

On page 6, renumber Section 9 to read Section 8.

On page 6, renumber Section 10 to read Section 9.

In the Senate engrossed bill reverse Sections 10 and 9.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JNO. W. CARR,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Hanson moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Department, State Highway Department, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amount and Condition of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department so Examined and Audited, and Make Report Hereof to the Governor.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

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MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 335 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Expenses, Sale of Land.

Also,

House Bill No. 271. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5 of Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Conciliation of Controversy.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Also,

I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota, Relating to Board of Administration.

Also,

House Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act for an Appropriation to the Board of Auditors as Provided for in Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Law Approved November 2nd, 1920.

Also,

House Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Ten Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to State Fair at Fargo for the Year 1923, and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Also,

House Bill No. 80. A Bill for an act to Make Appropriation for Postage, Office Supplies, Furniture and Fixtures, Printing, Miscellaneous Expenses, Traveling Expense, Maintenance of Game Farms, Salary and Expenses of Fish Commissioner and Deputy Fish Commissioner, and Expenses and Maintenance of Fish Hatchery.

Also,

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1919 for the State of North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Glanders and Dourine Indemnity Fund.

Also,

House Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Grand Forks for the Years 1923 and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Also,

House Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars to the Bovine Tuberculosis Fund for carrying out the provisions of Article 17—Revised Code 1913 and Amendments thereto, Relating to the Reimbursement of Owners of Tuberculous Cattle.

Also,

House Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act Authorizing Abate-ments to Purchasers of Tax Certificates on State Land.

Also,

House Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 58 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 176 and the President has appointed Senators Baird, Baker and Stevens to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Messrs. P. Sigurdson, Coleharbor, N. D.; F. Melvin Lee, Valley City, N. D.; W. E. Purcell, Wahpeton, N. D.; Rev. J. J. Salton, Valley City, N. D.; Jud LaMoure, Pembina, N. D.; Frank F. Lambke, Hettinger, N. D.

Mr. Flom moved that the House do now recess until 7:30 o'clock this evening.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

NIGHT SESSION

The committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the 52nd day after recess and 53rd day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 8, strike out the figures 279 in line 33 and insert in lieu thereof 277.

On page 24, strike out all of the 6th line.

On page 29, line 22, strike out the figures 263 and insert in lieu thereof "363"

On page 38, under the roll call, Iverson is reported as voting twice and Jackson is omitted.

On page 40 under reports of standing committees, strike out "amended as follows" and insert in lieu thereof "indefinitely postponed."

On page 46, under the words "W. E. Parsons, Sec." strike out the figures 166 and insert "35." In same line strike out the names "Trubshaw, Sathre, and Harrington," and insert the names "McGauvran, Burkhart and Sproul." On page 47, between the fifth and sixth lines insert the following: "The Speaker appointed as the Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 163, Messrs Trubshaw, Sathre and Harrington."

On page 52, under the roll call, starting with the words "the Speaker," strike out the next three lines.

On page 66 strike out the title of House Bill 243 and insert the following: "A Bill for an act authorizing the issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of \$1,000,000.00 (one million dollars) and providing for the payment thereof."

On page 66 above the roll call strike out the word "none" and insert "one."

On Page 67, under roll call, insert "those voting in the negative were: Goranson

On page 67 under roll call, insert "The Speaker declared the Emergency clause carried.

Bottom of page 67 strike out everything pertaining to H. B. 178 and insert in lieu thereof "House Bill No. 177. A Bill for an act to amend and re-enact section 6790 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913."

Page 70, between line 13 and 14 insert the following: "The Speaker appointed on Committee for the House Messrs. Watt, Maddock and Rustad."

Page 71, just above the Motions and Resolutions insert the following: "Senate Bill 342 was referred to the Committee on Tax and Tax Laws."

Page 77, last line of Senate Bill 275 add the following "Home Building Series."

Page 83, strike out title of S. B. 207 and insert the following: "Concurrent Resolution by Senator Bond."

Page 97, strike out everything pertaining to S. B. 149.

Page 94, strike out all of S. B. 113 and insert "S. B. 133. a Bill for an Act Making an appropriation for the general expense of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board."

At bottom of page 71 insert the following: "Mr. Watt moved that the report of the conference committee be adopted. Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The house referred to the twelfth order of business.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 24, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 28.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 195. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to Interest to be Charged upon Delinquent Inheritance Taxes.

House Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 153 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Bonds of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Series.

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws of the Year 1913 Relating to the selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of Other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Lease Hold Premises Held under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners May Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Providing the Breadth of the Operation in such Injunction by Making it Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include any Place Within the State.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,

Secretary.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,

Mr. President: I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act Permitting the Increase of the Limitation of Indebtedness of Common, Special and Independent School Districts by an Additional Five Per Centum on the Assessed Value of the Taxable Property Therein, Beyond the Present Constitutional Limit of Five Per Centum, Providing a Method for Effecting Such Increase, and for Submitting the Question of Such Increase to the Electors of the School Districts at Annual or Special Elections, and Providing for Preserving a Record of Such Increase of the Limit of Indebtedness.

Which the House passed as it was passed by the Senate unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,

Chief Clerk.

Mr. Trubshaw moved to suspend the rules and that House Bill No. 163 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act Permitting the Increase of the Limitation of Indebtedness of Common,

Special and Independent School Districts by an Additional Five Per Centum on the Assessed Value of the Taxable Property Therein, Beyond the Present Constitutional Limit of Five Per Centum, Providing a Method for Effecting Such Increase, and for Submitting the Question of Such Increase to the Electors of the School Districts at Annual or Special Elections, and Providing for Preserving a Record of Such Increase of the Limit of Indebtedness.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 77, nays none, absent and not voting 36.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Kopp	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Fredricksen	Larkin	Sims
Anderson,	Freeman	Larson	Slominski
Sargent	Geiszler	Lazier	Sproul
Arduser	Goranson	Levin	Starke
Boyd	Harrington	Link	Steen
Bratsberg	Hart	McManus	Streich
Brown	Haugland	Maddock	Shurr
Burk	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Burkhardt	Hempel	McDowell	Travnor
Burns	Henne	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cole	Hodges	Miller	Tweten
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Twichell
Doyle	Iverson	Norden	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Oberg	Vogel
Durkee	Jardine	Olafson	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Tralli	Plath	Weld
Erickson,	Jones	Quade	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Rabe	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lynch	Rustad
Burleigh	Frandsen	Martin	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Halerow	Muns	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Hanson	Olson, Ransom	Vetteh
Carr	Hardy	Opland	Watt
Cart	Heaton	Orange	
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	
Eckert	Kelly	Peters	
Elmer	Lackey	Quam	
Erickson,	Lake	Radcliffe	
10th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Root	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following Concurrent Resolution, introduced by Senator Gross:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly, the House of Representatives Concurring Therein:

WHEREAS, It is a fundamental principle of justice that contracting parties should share equally the results of deflation; and

WHEREAS, If the above principle of justice were enacted into law there would be no deflation; and

WHEREAS, The securities for investments represent more permanent natural values than the variable gold dollar; and

WHEREAS, Indebtedness which involves a certain number of bushels of wheat or a certain number of acres of land before deflation, should involve the same amount of the same permanent standards after deflation; and

WHEREAS, Our fluctuating standard would be made more stable if attached by definite ratios to permanent standards like bushels of wheat or bales of cotton; and

WHEREAS, The enactment of the above principles of justice into law would be of untold benefit to the people and would aid materially in re-establishing the prosperity of the country; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That this Legislature memorializes Congress, that the foregoing principles be enacted into law, thus safeguarding inherent rights and establishing future prosperity on a more secure foundation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal and that a copy be sent to each of our representatives in Congress by the Secretary of State.

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Was referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has refused to concur in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 176.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In line 23 of the engrossed bill, after the word "annually" insert the words "or so much thereof as may be necessary."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Harrington moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 278.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harrington moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 278 be considered properly engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 83, nays 2, absent and not voting 28.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Kopp	Sims
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Larkin	Slominski
Anderson	Fredrickson	Larson	Sproul
Sargent	Freeman	Lazier	Starke
Arduser	Geizler	Levfn	Steen
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeak	Streich
Bratsberg	Hanson	Lynch	Shurr
Brown	Harrington	McManus	Traynor
Bryans	Hart	Maddock	Trubshaw
Burk	Haugland	McCay	Twitchell
Burkhart	Helbling	McDowell	Ulland
Burns	Hempel	McGauvran	Vogel
Cart	Henne	Miller	Walker
Cole	Hodges	Morton	Weisbeck
Craig	Hoople	Norden	Weld
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Yeater
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Iowner	
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
Erickson	Jones	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Sethre, Williams	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ellingson	Swett		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.		
Anderson	Fedge	Link	Quam
Burleigh	Halcrow	Martin	Tweten
Bollinger	Hardy	Muus	Veitch
Carr	Heaton	Olson, Ransom	Radcliffe
Currie	Kelly	Opland	Root
Eckert	Lackey	Patterson	Rustad
Elmer	Lackie	Peters	Sathre, Steele

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Strike out the word "Repeal" in the title of the Bill and add immediately following the enacting clause:

"Section 1. AMENDMENT. Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Larson moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 205.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Larson moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 205 be considered properly engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 90, nays none, absent and not voting 23.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Erickson	Kellogg	Sethre, Williams
Burlingame	10th Dist.	Kopp	Sims
Anderson,	Fedge	Larktu	Slominski
Burke-Divide	Flora	Larson	Sproul
Anderson,	Franson	Laxler	Starke
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Steen
Arduser	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Streich
Boyd	Geiszler	Lynch	Shurr
Bratsberg	Goranson	McManus	Swett
Brown	Hanson	McCay	Traynor
Bryans	Harrington	McDowell	Trubshaw
Bush	Hart	McDowell	Tweten
Burkhart	Haugland	Miller	Twichell
Burns	Helbling	Morton	Ulland
Carr	Hempel	Muus	Vogel
Cart	Henne	Norden	Walker
Cole	Hodges	Oberg	Weisbeck
Craig	Hoople	Olafson	Weld
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Townner	Yeater
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Jardine	Plath	
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe	
26th Dist.	Jones	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Heaton	Martin	Quam
Currie	Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Rustad
Eckert	Lackey	Opiland	Sagen
Emmer	Lakie	Orange	Sathre, Steele
Halerow	Link	Patterson	Veitch
Hardy	Maddock	Peters	Watt

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Strike out everything in the engrossed bill after the words "A Bill," and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93 Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices. "Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

“Section 1. AMENDMENT. That Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

“Section 3540. PAY REQUIRED. The fees to be paid to newspapers for the publication of all notices and publications that are now required or hereafter may be required by law to be published by county officers; all summons, citations, notices, orders and other processes in actions or proceedings in the supreme, district, county or justice courts of the state, which are or hereafter may be required by law to be published; all publications of every nature that are now or hereafter may be required to be published by state officers, elective or appointive; all notices of foreclosure of real estate or chattel mortgages or other liens on real estate or personal property foreclosed by advertisement; all notices required to be published by the cities, villages, townships, school districts and other political subdivisions of the state and the officers thereof; and all legal notices of whatsoever kind or character required by law to be published shall be as follows: Nine cents per counted line of nonpareil type for the first insertion and six cents per counted line of nonpareil type for each subsequent insertion, or seven cents per counted line of brevier type for the first insertion and five cents per counted line for each subsequent insertion. All tabulated matter, leader work, or work containing one column of figures shall be figured at one and one-half times the rate for straight matter on first publication, and all tabulated matter with two or more columns of figures shall be computed at double the rate for straight matter on first publication. A line shall be construed to mean twelve and one-half or thirteen ems pica in length, and all such legal notices shall be set in single column wherever possible.

“Section 2. All Acts and parts of Acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

“Section 3. EMERGENCY. This Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.”

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 311.

Mr. Lynch moved, as a substitute motion, that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 311.

Which substitute motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, the motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Levying of a Tax to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating and Winding up the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In line 3 of Section 1 strike out "tenth" and insert in lieu thereof "twentieth."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 212.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 212 be considered properly engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Levying of a Tax to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating and Winding up the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 70, nays 18, absent and not voting 25.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Plath
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Quade
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larkin	Rabe
Anderson	Fedge	Larson	Radeliffe
Sargent	Flom	Lazier	Sagen
Arduser	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Lynch	Sims
Bratsberg	Geiszler	McManus	Slominski

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Goranson	McCay	Sproul
Burns	Hanson	McDowell	Starke
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Steen
Carr	Hart	Miller	Streich
Cole	Henne	Morton	Traynor
Dougherty	Hodges	Muus	Trubshaw
Durkee	Iverson	Norden	Twitchell
Ehr	Jackson	Olafson	Ulland
Ellingson	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Yeater
	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Vogel
Burkhardt	Haugland	Oberg	Walbea
Cart	Helbling	Shurr	Weisbeck
Craig	Hoople	Swett	Weld
Frandsen	Jones		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hempel	Maddock	Root
Currie	Kellogg	Martin	Rustad
Doyle	Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Lackey	Patterson	Tweten
Elmer	Lackie	Peters	Veitch
Halerow	Link	Quam	Watt
Heaton			

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore or Hereafter Issued by the State of North Dakota, in Any Case Where Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing, Negotiating or Delivering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; and Providing for the Re-Issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In line 8 of the title of the engrossed bill, after the word "unsold" strike out the semi-colon and insert a comma, and insert the following: "or where bonds are re-transferred for cancellation"; insert a semi-colon after the word "cancellation."

In line 10 of the title of the engrossed bill, after the word "defaced" insert the words "or re-transferred."

In line 6 of Section 1 of the engrossed bill, after the

word "same" insert the following: "Or in case any bonds of denominations of less than \$1,000.00 each have been heretofore issued and sold, and are re-transferred to the State of North Dakota for cancellation."

In line 13 of Section 1 of the engrossed bill, after the comma following the words "defaced bonds" insert the words "or bonds re-transferred for cancellation."

In line 30 of Section 1 of the bill, after the word "coupons" insert the following: "or bonds re-transferred to the state for cancellation."

In line 37 of Section 1 of the bill, after the word "the" strike out the word "unsold."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 232.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 232 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore or Hereafter Issued by the State of North Dakota, in Any Case Where Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing, Negotiating or Delivering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold, or Where Bonds Are Re-transferred for Cancellation; and Providing for the Re-issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced or Re-transferred Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 61, nays 30, absent and not voting 22.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larson	Sromfnaki
Burleigh	Freeman	Levin	Sproul
Anderson,	Geizler	Lynch	Starks
Sargent	Goranson	McCay	Traynor
Arduser	Hanson	McDowell	Trubshaw
Boyd	Harrington	McGauvran	Tweten
Bratsberg	Hart	Merton	Twichell
Brown	Hempel	Muns	Ulland
Bryans	Heane	Norden	Yeater

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Hodges	Olafson	Mr. Speaker
Burns	Hoople	Olson, Townner	
Carr	Iverson	Orange	
Cole	Jackson	Plath	
Dougherty	Jardine	Quade	
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Rabe	
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Radcliffe	
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Sagen	
Flom	Kopp		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Lazier	Shurr
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Sweet
Burkhardt	Franson	McManus	Vogel
Carr	Hardy	Miller	Walker
Craig	Haugland	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Helbling	Sethre, Williams	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Sims	
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Steen	
Erickson	Larkin	Streich	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Rustad
Currie	Lackey	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Lakie	Patterson	Veitch
Elmer	Link	Peters	Watt
Halcrow	Maddock	Quam	
Heaton	Martin	Root	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was aged to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosures of Mortgages By Agent or Attorney and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgment in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

On page 1 of the engrossed bill, after the words "Section 1," insert the word "Amendment"; and in line 4 of the engrossed bill, insert the words "Section 8076. Foreclosure of real estate mortgage by agent or attorney not valid, when."

(The emergency clause was declared lost in the Senate.)

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Starke moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 301.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sagen moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 301 be considered properly engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosure of Mortgages by Agent or Attorney, and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgments in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 32, absent and not voting 23.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Jardine	Plath
Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Quade
Anderson	Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Johnson, Trail.	Radcliffe
Boyd	Freeman	Kopp	Sagen
Bratsberg	Geisler	Larson	Siominski
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Byrns	Hanson	McDowell	Starke
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Traynor
Burkhart	Hart	Muus	Trubshaw
Burns	Hempel	Norden	Twetten
Carr	Henne	Oberg	Twitcheil
Cart	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Cole	Hoopie	Olson, Townner	Mr. Speaker
Dougherty	Iverson	Orange	
Durkee	Jackson		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Streich
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Swett
Arduser	Hardy	McManus	Vogel
Craig	Haugland	McCay	Walker
Doyle	Helbling	Miller	Weisbeck
Erickson	Jones	Morton	Weld
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Sethre, Williams	Yeater
Erickson	Larkin	Sims	
16th Dist.	Lazier	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Rustad
Currie	Lackey	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Lackie	Patterson	Shurr
Elmer	Link	Peters	Veitch
Halcrow	Maddock	Quam	Watt
Heaton	Martin	Root	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May Be Pardoned.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

On page 2, line 1, of the engrossed bill, after the word "person" strike out the word "was," and in the same line, after the word "convicted," strike out the words "on a plea of guilty."

On page 2, line 4, of the engrossed bill, after the word "person" strike out the word "convicted" and insert in lieu thereof the words "was convicted on a plea of guilty and."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 138.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harrington moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 138 be considered properly engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 48, nays 42, absent and not voting 23.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Plath
Burleigh	Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Anderson	Eklingsen	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe
Sargent	Fedge	Larson	Slominski
Boyd	Flom	Levin	Sproul
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Lynch	Swett
Brown	Freeman	McDowell	Traynor
Bryans	Hanson	McGauvran	Twihell
Burk	Hart	Morton	Ulland
Burns	Hodges	Murus	Walker
Carr	Hoople	Norden	Weid
Cole	Jackson	Olafson	Mr. Speaker
	Jardine	Olson, Townner	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Franson	Kopp	Sims
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Larkin	Starke
Arduser	Goranson	Lazier	Steen
Burkhart	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Streich
Gart	Harrington	McManus	Trubshaw
Craig	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Doyle	Helbling	Miller	Vogel
Durkee	Hempel	Oberg	Weisbock
Erickson	Henne	Orange	Yeater
26th Dist.	Iverson	Rabe	
Erickson	Jones	Sagen	
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Sethre, Williams	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Rustad
Currie	Lackey	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Lackie	Patterson	Shurr
Elmer	Link	Peters	Veitch
Halerow	Maddock	Quam	Watt
Heaton	Martin	Root	

So the bill as amended by the Senate was lost.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3890 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Publishing of Village Treasurer's Reports and Prescribing the Form Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 83, nays 5, absent and not voting 25.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Quade
Anderson,	Fedge	Jones	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kellogg	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Franson	Kopp	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Larson	Sims
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Lazier	Slominski
Brown	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Starke
Burk	Hardy	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Swett
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Traynor
Cole	Helbling	Miller	Tweten

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Hempel	Morton	Twichell
Dougherty	Henne	Muus	Ulland
Durkee	Hodges	Norden	Vogel
Ehr	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Jackson	Olafson	Weld
Erickson,	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Yeater
26th Dist.	Johnson,	Nelson Orange	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Levin	Steen	Trubshaw
Hoople			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Heaton	Martin	Root
Cart	Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Rustad
Curran	Lackey	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Doyle	Lakie	Patterson	Veitch
Eckert	Link	Peters	Walker
Elmer	Maddock	Quam	Watt
Halcrow			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House refuses to concur in the Senate Amendments to House Bill No. 311 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Twichell, Mrs. Craig and Starke to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House refuses to concur in the Senate Amendments to Senate Bill No. 176 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Sproul, Bryans and Jackson to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

Senate Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expenses of the Department of Motor Vehicle Registration.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 89, nays none, absent and not voting 24.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Johnson, Trail.	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Jones	Radcliffe
Anderson.	Fedge	Kellogg	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kopp	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Franson	Larson	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larkin	Slominski
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sproul
Boyd	Geiszler	Levin	Starke
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Steen
Brown	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Streich
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Swett
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Burns	Haugland	McManus	Trubshaw
Carr	Helbling	Miller	Tweten
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Twitchell
Craig	Henne	Muus	Ulland
Doyle	Hodges	Norden	Vogel
Dougherty	Hoople	Oberg	Weisbeck
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Weld
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Yester
Ellingson	Jardine	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Heaton	Martin	Root
Cart	Kelly	Olson, Ransom	Rustad
Currie	Lackey	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Lakie	Patterson	Veitch
Elmer	Link	Peters	Walker
Halcrow	Maddock	Quam	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 90, nays none, absent and not voting 23.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson.	Jones	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kellogg	Radcliffe
Anderson.	Fedge	Kopp	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson.	Franson	Larson	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Slominski
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sproul
Boyd	Geiszler	Link	Starke
Bratsberg	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Streich
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Shurr
Burk	Harrington	McCay	Swett
Burkhart	Hart	McDowell	Traynor
	Haugland	McGauvran	Trubshaw

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burns	Helbling	Miller	Tweten
Carr	Henne	Morton	Twichell
Cole	Hodges	Muus	Ulland
Craig	Hoople	Norden	Vogel
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Mr. Speaker
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Weisbeck
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Yeater
Bollinger	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
26th Dist.			

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Heaton	Olson, Ransom	Root
Cart	Kelly	Opland	Rustad
Currie	Lackey	Patterson	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Lakle	Peters	Veitch
Elmer	Maddock	Quam	Walker
Halcrow	Martin		Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$22,230.00 for the Purpose of Paying Salary, Clerk Hire and General Expense of the State Historical Society.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 83, nays 4, absent and not voting 26.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kellogg	Radcliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Sagen
Anderson	Fedge	Larkin	Sathre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Larson	Sims
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Laxer	Slominski
Sargent	Freeman	Levin	Sprul
Arduser	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Starke
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Steen
Bratsberg	Hanson	McManus	Streich
Brown	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Bryans	Harrington	McDowell	Traynor
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Twichell
Burkhardt	Helbling	Miller	Ulland
Burns	Hempel	Morton	Vogel
Carr	Hodges	Muus	Walker
Cole	Hoople	Norden	Weisbeck
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Yeater
Durkee	Jardine	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
26th Dist.	Jones	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Flom	Henne	Trubshaw	Tweten

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Haugland	Martin	Root
Cart	Heaton	Olson, Ransom	Rustad
Currie	Kelly	Olson, Towner	Sathre, Steele
Doyle	Lackey	Patterson	Sweett
Eckert	Lakle	Peters	Veitch
Elmer	Link	Quam	Watt
Halcrow	Maddock		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 83, nays 3, absent and not voting 27.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Kopp	Sims
	Flom	Larkin	Stominski
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sproul
Warleigh	Fredrickson	Lazier	Starke
Anderson	Freeman	Levin	Steen
Sargent	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Streich
Arduser	Goranson	McManus	Shurr
Boyd	Hanson	McCay	Traynor
Bratsberg	Hardy	McDowell	Trubshaw
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Tweten
Bryans	Hart	Miller	Twichell
Burk	Helbling	Morton	Ulland
Burkhart	Hempel	Muus	Vogel
Burns	Hodges	Norden	Walker
Carr	Hoople	Oberg	Weisbeck
Cole	Iverson	Olafson	Weid
Craig	Jackson	Opland	Yester
Dougherty	Jardine	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe	
16th Dist.	Jones	Sagen	
	Kellogg	Sethre, Williams	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Henne	Lynch	Orange

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Halcrow	Martin	Sathre, Steele
Cart	Haugland	Olson, Ransom	Swett
Currie	Heaton	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Boyle	Kelly	Patterson	Watt
Eckert	Lackey	Peters	
Elmer	Lakie	Quam	
Erickson	Link	Root	
16th Dist.	Maddock	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 316. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7625 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to a Trial Jury in Civil Cases.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 86, nays 2, absent and not voting 25.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Sagen
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Sims
Burke-Divide	Franson	Larson	Slominski
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lasler	Sproul
Sargent	Freeman	Levin	Starks
Arduser	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Steen
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Streich
Bratsberg	Hanson	McManus	Shurr
Brown	Hardy	McCay	Traynor
Bryans	Harrington	McDowell	Trubshaw
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Tweten
Burkhart	Haugland	Miller	Twichell
Burns	Helbling	Morton	Ulland
Carr	Hempel	Muus	Vogel
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Walker
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Yeater
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Rabe	
	Jones	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Flom	Henne

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Heaton	Martin	Root
Cart	Kellogg	Olafson	Bustad
Currie	Lackey	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Doyle	Lacke	Patterson	Snett
Eekert	Link	Peters	Veitch
Elmer	Maddock	Quam	Watt
Halerow			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

“Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 34, absent and not voting 21.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fredrickson	Kopp	Radcliffe
Boyd	Freeman	Lackey	Root
Brown	Geisler	Larson	Sagen
Bryans	Goranson	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Halcrow	McManus	Sproul
Burns	Hanson	McDowell	Starke
Carr	Harrington	Miller	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Dougherty	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Ellingson	Jardine	Opland	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Yeater
	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
	Kelly	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lazter	Sims
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Steen
Anderson,	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Streich
Sargent	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Arduser	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Bratsberg	Helbling	Morton	Vogel
Burkhart	Hoople	Oberg	Walker
Craig	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Sethre, Williams	Weid

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Erickson,	Lakie	Plath
Cart	24th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Currie	Fedge	Link	Rustad
Doyte	Hart	Martin	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Heaton	McGauvran	Trubshaw
	Hempel	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 347. A Concurrent Resolution to Amend and Re-enact Section 173 of Article 10 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Election of County Officials.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 89, nays 9, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Burleigh	Geisler	Loudenbeck	Sims
Anderson	McGauvran	McManus	Slominski
Sargent	Halcrow	Maddock	Sproul
Arduser	Hanson	McCay	Starke
Bollinger	Harrington	McDowell	Steen
Boyd	Hart	Miller	Streich
Brown	Haugland	Morton	Shurr
Bryans	Henne	Muus	Swett
Burk	Hodges	Norden	Traynor
Burkhart	Hoople	Oberg	Trubshaw
Burns	Iverson	Olafson	Tweten
Carr	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Cole	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Craig	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Veitch

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Vogel
Durkee	Johnson, Trail.	Peters	Walker
Ehr	Kellogg	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Kelly	Opland	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kopp	Rabe	Weid
Flom	Lackey	Radcliffe	Yeater
Frandsen	Larson	Root	Mr. Speaker
Fredrickson	Levin	Sagen	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Fedge	Jones
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Hardy	Lazier
Bratsberg	Erickson	Helbling	
	16th Dist.		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Heaton	Link	Quam
Currie	Hempel	Martin	Rustad
Doyle	Lakie	McGauvran	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Larkin	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 170. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred by the Flood Control Commission.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 72, nays 27, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Kopp	Rabe
Anderson,	Freeman	Lackey	RadeHffe
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Larkin	Root
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Harrington	Lynch	Sims
Brown	Hart	Maddock	Slominski
Bryans	Hempel	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Henne	McGauvran	Starke
Burkhart	Hodges	Miller	Streich
Burns	Hoople	Muus	Shurr
Carr	Iverson	Ncrden	Traynor
Cole	Jackson	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Peters	
Elmer	Kellogg	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Loudenbeck	Twichell
Sargent	Frandsen	McManus	Vogel
Arduser	Goranson	McCay	Walker
Craig	Hardy	Morton	Weisbeck
Erickson	Haugland	Oberg	Weid
26th Dist.	Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Erickson	Jones	Steen	
16th Dist.	Lazier	Swett	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Heaton	Patterson	Veitch
Currie	Lakie	Quam	Watt
Doyle	Link	Rustad	
Eckert	Martin	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 170 was passed be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell asked the unanimous consent of the House to offer an amendment to Senate Bill No. 170.

Which consent was granted.

Mr. Twichell moved to amend Senate Bill No. 170 by striking out the period after the word "deficit" in line 4, section 1 of the engrossed bill, and adding the words "incurred by the Flood Control Commission."

Which motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the Rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 170 be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 170. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred by the Flood Control Commission.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 75, nays 23, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Freeman	Larkin	Root
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Larson	Sagan
Arduser	Goranson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Halcrow	Lynch	Sims
Boyd	Harrington	Maddock	Slominski
Bratsberg	Hart	McDowell	Sproul
Brown	Hempel	McGauvran	Starke
Bryans	Henne	Muus	Streich
Burk	Hodges	Norden	Shurr
Burkhart	Hoople	Olafson	Traynor
Burns	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Trubshaw
Carr	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Tweten
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Twichell
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Plath	Walker
Elmer	Kellogg	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Erickson 16th Dist	Helbling Jones Lazier	Steen Swett Vogel
Cole Craig	Erickson Fedge	Loudenbeck McManus	Weisbeck Weld
Erickson 26th Dist.	Frandsen Hardy Haugland	McCay Morton	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart Currie Doyle Eckert	Hanson Heaton Lakie Link	Martin Miller Patterson Quam	Rustad Sathre, Steele Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

So the bill passed as amended, and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Normal School at Dickinson.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 80, nays 16, absent and not voting 17.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson Burleigh	Fredrickson Freeman Geisler Halcrow	Larson Lazier Levin Lynch	Root Sagen Sethre, Williams Sims
Anderson Burke-Divide	Hanson Harrington Hart	McManus Maddock McCay McDowell	Slominski Sproul Sproul Streich
Arduser Rollinger	Haugland Helbling Hempel	McGauvran Morton Muus	Shurr Traynor Trubshaw Tweten
Boyd Bratsberg	Hodges Jackson Jardine	Norden Olafson Olson, Towner	Twichell Ulland Veitch
Brown Bryans	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Opiand Orange Peters	Vogel Walker Watt
Burk Burkhart	Johnson, Trail. Jones Kelly	Plath Quade Rabe	Weld Mr. Speaker
Burns Carr	Kopp Lackey Larkin	Radcliffe	
Dougherty Durkee			
Ehr Ellingson			
Elmer Flom			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Erickson 16th Dist.	Hardy Fenne	Oberg Weisbeck
Cole Craig	Fedge Frandsen	Loudenbeck Steen	Yeater
Erickson 26th Dist.	Goranson	Swett	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart Currie Doyle Eckert Heaton	Hoople Iverson Kellogg Lackie	Link Martin Miller Olson, Ransom	Patterson Quam Rustad Sathre, Steele

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Mayville and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 88, nays 7, absent and not voting 18.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Sagen
Arduser	Frandsen	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sims
Boyd	Freeman	Levin	Slominski
Bratsberg	Gefszter	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	Maddock	Steen
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Burns	Hart	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Helbling	Muus	Trubshaw
Cole	Hempel	Norden	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Twitchell
Dougherty	Hoople	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ehr	Jackson	Opland	Walker
Ellingson	Jardine	Orange	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Yeater
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Erickson,	Kelly	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Goranson	Lynch
Burke-Divide	Haugland	Sweet
Anderson,	Jones	
Sargent		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Henne	McGauvran	Rustad
Currie	Kellogg	Morton	Sathre, Steele
Doyle	Lackie	O'son, Ransom	Weld
Eckert	Link	Patterson	
Heaton	Martin	Quam	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expense of the State Normal and Industrial School at Ellendale, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 91, nays 6, absent and not voting 16.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Kelly Kopp Lackey	Radcliffe Root Sagen
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Larkin Larson	Sethre, Williams Sims
Arduser Bollinger	Frandsen Fredrickson	Lazier Levin	Slominski Sproul
Boyd Bratsberg	Freeman Geiszler	Loudenbeck McManus	Starke Starke
Brown Bryans	Halcrow Hanson	Maddock McCay	Streich Shurr
Burk Burkhart	Hardy Harrington	McDowell McGauvran	Swett Traynor
Burns Carr	Hart Haugland	Muus Norden	Trubshaw Tweten
Cole Dougherty	Helbling Hempel	Oberg Olafson	Twichell Ulland
Durkee Durkee	Hodges Hoople	Olson, Ransom Olson, Towner	Veitch Vogel
Eckert Ehr	Iverson Jackson	Opland Peters	Watt Weisbeck
Ellingson Elmer	Jardine Johnson, Nelson	Plath Quade	Yeater Mr. Speaker
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Traill	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Craig Goranson	Jones Lynch	Orange

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart Currie Doyle Hcaton	Henne Kellogg Lakie Link	Martin Miller Morton Patterson	Quam Rustad Sathre, Steele Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Traveling Expenses and Propagation of Game Departments of the State Game and Fish Board.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 70, nays 20, absent and not voting 23.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Durkee Ehr	Lackey Larkin	Rabe Root
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Ellingson Flom	Larson Lazier	Sethre, Williams Sims
Anderson Sargent	Freeman Geiszler	Levin Maddock	Slominski Sproul
Arduser Bollinger	Goranson Halcrow	McCay McDowell	Starke Steen
Boyd Bratsberg	Harrington Hart	McGauvran Miller	Streich Shurr
Brown Bryans	Hodges Hoople	Muus Norden	Traynor Tweten
Burk Burkhart	Iverson Jardine	Olafson Olson, Ransom	Trubshaw Tweten
Burns Carr	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner Orange	Ulland Veitch
Cart	Johnson, Traill Kelly Kopp	Peters Plath Quade	Watt Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Erickson	Haugland	Vogel
Craig	16th Dist.	Helbling	Walker
Elmer	Fedje	Jackson	Weisbeck
Erickson	Frandsen	Jones	Weld
26th Dist.	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Yeater
	Hardy	Oberg	Shurr

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Hempel	McManus	Radcliffe
Doyle	Henne	Martin	Radcliffe
Dougherty	Kellogg	Merton	Sagen
Eckert	Lakie	Opland	Sathre, Steele
Hanson	Link	Patterson	Veitch
Heaton	Lynch	Quam	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$25,000.00 for the Biennium, which is known as a Miscellaneous Refund.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 70, nays 20, absent and not voting 23.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Johnson, Trail.	Peters
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Plath
Anderson,	Flora	Larkin	Quade
Sargent	Frandsen	Larson	Radcliffe
Arduser	Fredrickson	Lazier	Root
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geiszler	McManus	Sims
Bratsberg	Goranson	Maddock	Slominski
Brown	Halcrow	McCay	Sproul
Bryans	Hanson	McDowell	Starke
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Streich
Burkhart	Haugland	Miller	Traynor
Burns	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Carr	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Cole	Iverson	Olafson	Ulland
Craig	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedje	Oberg	Vogel
Burke-Divide	Hardy	Rabe	Walker
Elmer	Helbling	Steen	Weisbeck
Erickson	Jones	Shurr	Weld
26th Dist.	Kopp	Swett	Yeater
	Loudenbeck	Trubshaw	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Heaton	Lakie	Patterson
Currie	Hempel	Link	Quam
Doyle	Henne	Lynch	Rustad
Dougherty	Jackson	Martin	Sagen
Eckert	Kellogg	Morton	Sathre, Steele
Hart	Lackey	Opland	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 125. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Miscellaneous Refunds of the State.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays 11, absent and not voting 24.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fredrickson	Lackey	Rabe
Burleigh	Freeman	Larkin	Radcliffe
Arduser	Geisler	Larson	Root
Boyd	Goranson	Lazier	Sagen
Bratsberg	Halerow	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Sims
Wark	Harrington	Maddox	Slominski
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Sproul
Burns	Helbling	McDowell	Starke
Carr	Hodges	McGauvran	Streich
Cart	Hoople	Miller	Traynor
Cole	Iverson	Muus	Trubshaw
Craig	Jackson	Norden	Ulland
Durke	Jardine	Olafson	Twitcheil
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Erickson	Johnson, Trail	Opiland	Walker
16th Dist.	Kelly	Orange	Watt
Flom	Kelly	Plath	Weisbeck
Frandsen	Kopp	Quade	Weld
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Loudenbeck	Vogel
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Oberg	Yeatz
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Steen	
Burke-Divide	Jones	Shurr	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Fedge	Kellogg	Patterson
Brown	Hanson	Lackie	Peters
Currie	Hart	Link	Quam
Doyle	Heaton	Lynch	Rustad
Dougherty	Hempel	Martin	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Henne	Morton	Swett

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 364. A Joint Resolution Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 53, nays 37, absent and not voting 23.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Frandsen	Lackey	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Geiszler	Lazier	Root
Arduser	Goranson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Harrington	McManus	Steen
Brown	Hart	Maddock	Streich
Burns	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Cote	Helbling	McDowell	Swett
Craig	Hoople	Miller	Vogel
Durkee	Iverson	Muus	Walker
Erickson	Jackson	Oberg	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Opland	Yeater
16th Dist.	Kelly	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larson	Sproul
Burleigh	Freeman	Norden	Starke
Bryans	Halcrow	Olafson	Traynor
Burk	Henne	Olson, Towner	Tweten
Carr	Hodges	Orange	Twichell
Ehr	Jardine	Plath	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Veitch
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Radcliffe	Watt
Flom	Kopp	Sagen	Mr. Speaker
	Larkin	Slominski	

Absent and not voting:

Anderson,	Dougherty	Kellogg	Morton
Sargent	Eckert	Lakie	Patterson
Bollinger	Fedge	Link	Quam
Cart	Hanson	Lynch	Rustad
Currie	Heaton	Martin	Sathre, Steele
Doyle	Hempel	McGauvran	Trubshaw

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Walker: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and ask that it be recorded in the Journal. I am not fully persuaded of the wisdom of passing this resolution. However, as the Legislative action is not final, and if passed the people will be the final judges, I vote "aye."

Senate Bill No. 183. A Bill for an Act to Regulate Certain Occupations of Children in Streets and Public Places.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 21, nays 62, absent and not voting 30.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Bryans	Fredrickson	McManus
Burleigh	Burkhart	Halcrow	Muus
Anderson,	Burns	Hardy	Sagen
Sargent	Carr	Harrington	Sproul
Arduser	Erickson	Hart	Starke
Boyd	26th Dist.	Larkin	Weld

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Helbling	Levin	Slominski
Burk	Henne	Loudenbeck	Steen
Cole	Hodges	McDowell	Streich
Craig	Hoopie	McGauvran	Shurr
Durkee	Iverson	Norden	Swett
Ehr	Jackson	Oberg	Traynor
Ellingson	Jardine	Olafson	Twetex
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Ulland
16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail.	Orange	Veitch
Flom	Jones	Peters	Vogel
Frandsen	Kelly	Quade	Watt
Freeman	Kopp	Rabe	Weisbeck
Geisler	Lackey	Root	Yeater
Goranson	Larson	Sethre, Williams	Mr. Speaker
Haugland	Lazter	Sims	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Eckert	Lynch	Patterson
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Maddock	Plath
Bollinger	Hanson	Martin	Quam
Bratsberg	Heaton	McCay	Radcliffe
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Rustad
Currie	Kellogg	Morton	Sathre, Steele
Doyle	Lakie	Norden	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Link	Opland	Walker

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. I am heartily in sympathy with the purposes of this bill, but I vote "no" because it goes too far—just as many of these Code Commission laws do.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT AND EN-GROSSMENT.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 3471, 3472, 3473, 3474, 3475, 3477, 3478, 3479, 3480, 3483, 3484, 3485 and 3486, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws 1918, and as Amended by Chapter 177 Sesion Laws for 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws, 1919, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Need Inhabitants.

House Bill No. 62. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3476, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, Relating to the Levying of Tax to Provide for a Sinking Fund to Pay County Seed and Feed Bonds.

House Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand Dollars to Provide Funds for the Payment of the Per Diem and Necessary Expenses of the Members of the State Board of Pardons, Together with Postage, Telegrams, Telephone Tolls, Printing, and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred by Such Board as Provided for in Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

House Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Florence Crittendon Home at Fargo, North Dakota.

House Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Eleven Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$1140.00) to Pay the Expenses of a State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners as authorized Under Section 2711 to 2720, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

House Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act to appropriate One Thousand and Forty Dollars (\$1,040.00) for the Payment of \$10.00 Once Each Week During the Biennium 1923, 1924, as an Aid to the Society for the Friendless Authorized Under Chapter 46 of the North Dakota Session Laws of 1911.

House Bill No. 107. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Payment of the Expenses to be Incurred by the North Dakota Live Stock Association as Prescribed by Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

House Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for Compensation and Expenses of the Board of Trustees of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

House Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use and Benefit of the North Dakota Firemen's Association for the Purpose of Promoting the Efficiency and Growth of its Different Departments, and the Holding of an Annual Tournament, According to the Rules and Regulations of Such Associations.

House Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) to Provide Funds for the Maintenance of the North Dakota National Guard, or State Militia, as Provided for Under Chapter 35 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota, and to Meet Other Requirements Prescribed by the Federal Statutes.

House Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Money for the Benefit of the North Dakota Dairymen's Association, for the Purpose of Promoting and Encouraging the Dairying Interests of the State.

House Bill No. 119. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$63,000.00 for the Care of Insane Patients Whose Residence Can not be Determined and Whose Care Must be Borne by the State.

House Bill No. 147. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Bills of Sale and Other Transfers of Personal Property and Prescribing the Effect of Such Filing.

House Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any County in North Dakota to Issue Funding or Refunding Bonds for the Purpose of Funding or Refunding Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Indebtedness.

House Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Levy in Incorporated Villages for the Purpose of

Purchasing and Maintaining Adequate Apparatus for the Extinguishment of Fires, and Maintaining a Fire Department.

House Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1574 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the State Geological Survey.

House Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 2545 and 2546 of Article 3 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

House Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1571 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the Biological Stations

House Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 35 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to Militia Grounds.

House Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 163' and 1638 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

House Bill No. 252. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1621 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

House Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1623 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Demonstration Farms.

House Bill No. 254. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2696 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Live Stock Sanitary Board.

House Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1839 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota, Relating to North Dakota's Firemen's Association.

House Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1624 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Enforcement, Beverage and Sanitary Laws.

House Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 813 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota, Relating to Disbarment Proceedings.

House Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Board of Pardons.

House Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to State Fish Hatchery.

House Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 11 of Chapter 31 of the Session Laws of Special Session of 1919, Relating to Appropriation to State Dairy Commissioner.

House Bill No. 262. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1661 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Serum Institute.

House Bill No. 264. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Live Stock Association.

House Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Poultry Association.

House Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to North Dakota Dairymen's Association.

House Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 813 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota, Relating to Disbarment Proceedings.

House Bill No. 269. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 16 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Special Session of 1919, Relating to Testing Dairy Products.

House Bill No. 63. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Collection of Notes, Contracts and Indebtedness for Seed and Feed Furnished by Counties.

House Bill No. 65. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 19 of Chapter 5 of the Political Code of the State of North Dakota Being Section 524 to 539 Both Inclusive of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relative to the Practice of Optometry, Creating a State Board of Examiners in Optometry, Providing for the Registration of Optometrists, Defining and Regulating the Practice of Optometry and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Terms of this Act.

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 36 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 86 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

House Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1398 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Free Text Books in Public Schools.

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382, Article 21, Chapter Five General School

Laws of the State of North Dakota, Entitled School Year and School Week Defined. Holidays.

House Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3116 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

House Bill No. 145. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Closing and Liquidation of the Business Heretofore Conducted by the State of North Dakota in the Operation of a State Experimental Creamery; Providing for the Transfer of all Funds to the General Fund of the State Repealing Chapter 149 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

House Bill No. 148. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Annual Reporting by County Auditor to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of all Elective Auditors and Clerks of Political Subdivisions of the County.

House Bill No. 151. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Insurance of Employers with the Workmen's Compensation Fund Providing for Compensation for Injuries or Death of the Employee Himself, in Cases Where the Employer has Contracted for such Protection with the Bureau, also Providing for the Basis of Premium for such Protection.

House Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Requiring the County Superintendent of Schools of all Counties to Report Names of School District Clerks to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

House Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6750 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Standardized Form of Mortgage.

House Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6790 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

House Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the County Commissioners to Sell Certain Lots or Premises Bid in by the County for Delinquent Taxes Without Giving Notice of the Expiration of Redemption.

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Department, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amounts and Conditions of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department so Examined and Audited and Make Report Thereof to the Governor.

House Bill No. 238. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10, 21 and 23 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

House Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 667 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1923, Relating to County Commissioners furnishing Bonds.

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

Were delivered to the Governor for his approval at the hour of 3:40 o'clock P. M.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February, 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 232.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February, 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has refused to concur in the Senate Amendment to House Bill No. 138.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February, 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate Amendment to House Bill No. 212.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February, 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has refused to concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 311.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February, 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate Amendment to House Bill No. 205.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February, 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate Amendment to House Bill 278.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February, 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate Amendment to House Bill No. 301.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Messrs. E. D. Kelly, Minot, N. D.; John Dockter, Martin, N. D.; Jake Dockter, Martin, N. D.

Mr. Sproul moved that the House do now recess until 12:30 P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27th, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 12:30 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Mr. Twichell moved that Senate Bill No. 341 be referred to the committee on State Affairs.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which Senate Bill 371, 373 and 379 were indefinitely postponed, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House request the Senate to return Senate Bill Nos. 371, 373 and 379.

Which motion prevailed.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to request the return of Senate Bills Nos. 379, 373 and 371.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

State of North Dakota,
Office of the Governor,
Bismarck, N. D.

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have this day approved and filed with the Secretary of State:

House Bill No. 65. A Bill to Amend and Re-enact Article 19 of Chapter 5 of the Political Code of the State of North Dakota Being Section 524 to 539, Both Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relative to the Practice of Optometry; Creating a State Board of Examiners in Optometry; Providing for the Registration of Optometrists, Defining and Regulating the Practice of Optometry and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Terms of Said Act.

Also,

House Bill No. 145. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Closing and Liquidation of the Business Heretofore Conducted by the State of North Dakota in the Operation of a State Experimental Creamery; Providing for the Transfer of All Funds to the General Fund of the State and Repealing Chapter 149 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Very truly yours,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

State of North Dakota,
Office of the Governor,
Bismarck, N. D.

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have yesterday approved and today filed with the Secretary of State,

House Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 3471, 3472, 3473, 3474, 3475, 3477, 3478, 3479, 3480, 3481, 3483, 3484, 3485, 3486 and 3487, Compiled Laws, 1913, as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, and as Amended by Chapter 177, Session Laws for 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws, 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws, 1919, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Needy Inhabitants.

Also,

House Bill No. 62. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3476, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, Relating to the Levying of Tax to Provide for a Sinking Fund to Pay County Seed and Feed Bonds.

Also,

House Bill No. 63. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Collection of Notes, Contracts and Indebtedness for Seed and Feed Furnished by Counties.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

State of North Dakota,
Office of the Governor,
Bismarck, N. D.

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have this day approved and filed with the Secretary of State,

House Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand Dollars to Provide Funds for the Payment of the Per Diem and Necessary Expenses of the Members of the State Board of Pardons, together with Postage, Telegrams, Telephone Tolls, Printing, and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred by Such Board as Provided for in Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Florence Crittenton Home at Fargo, North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Eleven Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$1140.00) to Pay the Expenses of a State Board of Veterinary Medical Seminars as authorized Under Section 2711 to 2720, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand and Forty Dollars (\$1,040.00) for the Payment of \$10.00 Once Each Week During the Biennium 1923, 1924, as an Aid to the Society for the Friendless Authorized Under Chapter 46 of the North Dakota Session Laws of 1911.

Also,

House Bill No. 107. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Payment of the Expenses to be Incurred by the North Dakota Live Stock Association as Prescribed by Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for Compensation and Expenses of the Board of Trustees of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Also,

House Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use and Benefit of the North Dakota Firemen's Association for the Purpose of Promoting the Efficiency and Growth of its Different Departments, and the Holding of an Annual Tournament, According to the Rules and Regulations of Such Associations.

Also,

House Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) to Provide Funds for the Maintenance of the North Dakota National Guard, or State Militia, as Provided for Under Chapter 35 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota, and to Meet Other Requirements Prescribed by the Federal Statutes.

Also,

House Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Benefit of the North Dakota Dairymen's Association, for the Purpose of Promoting and Encouraging the Dairying Interests of the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 119. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$63,000.00 for the Care of Insane Patients Whose Residence Can not be Determined and Whose Care Must be Borne by the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 148. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Annual Reporting by County Auditor to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Elective Auditors and Clerks of Political Subdivisions of the County.

Also,

House Bill No. 151. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Insurance of Employers with the Workmen's Compensation Fund Providing for Compensation for Injuries or Death of the Employer Himself, in Cases Where the Employer Has Contracted for such Protection with the Bureau; Also Providing for the Basis of Premium for Such Protection.

Also,

House Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Requiring the County Superintendent of Schools of all Counties to Report Names of School District Clerks to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

Also,

House Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1574 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the State Geological Survey.

Also,

House Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 2545 and 2546 of Article 3 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Relief of Needy Settlers.

Also,

House Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1571 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the Biological Station.

Very truly yours,

R. A. NESTOS.

Governor.

State of North Dakota,
Office of the Governor,
Bismarck, N. D.

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have today approved and filed with the Secretary of State,

House Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 35 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to Militia Grounds.

Also,

House Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1839 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota, Relating to North Dakota Firemen's Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1624 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Enforcement, Beverage and Sanitary Laws.

Also,

House Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to State Fish Hatchery.

Also,

House Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 11 of Chapter 31 of the Session Laws of Special Session of 1919, Relating to Appropriation to State Dairy Commissioner.

Also,

House Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to North Dakota Poultry Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to North Dakota Dairymen's Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 813 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota Relating to Disbarment Proceedings.

Also,

House Bill No. 269. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 16 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Special Session of 1919, Relating to Testing Dairy Products.

Very truly yours,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Starke moved that the House resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of general orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Starke to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 174. A Bill for an Act Providing for Juvenile Courts, Defining Their Powers over Dependent, Neglected and Delinquent Children and Over Persons Contributing to Such Neglect, Dependency or delinquency, and for the Repeal of Sections 11402 to 11428, Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, and Chapter 179, Laws of 1915, and Chapter 83, Laws of 1921.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

(Printed Bill) Page 3. In line 45 after the word "who" insert the word "habitually."

Page 16, under Section 24, in line 1, change word "municipal" to "inferior." In line 2, strike out the words "not transferred from the juvenile court" and insert in lieu thereof the words "under the age of eighteen years."

Same page, in line 16 instead of "municipal" insert the word "police."

Section 25. Line 4, strike out the words "in each county of their district" and insert in lieu thereof the words "as in their judgment the situation may require."

Line 6 and 7, strike out the words "and each in his capacity as referee shall be the juvenile court" and in lieu thereof insert the words "in any county of the District for which appointed."

Line 8 and 9, strike out the words "requirement shall be mandatory upon such judges" and in lieu thereof insert the words "shall not be construed as a delegation of the judicial functions of the court, the purpose being to aid the court in extending the advantages of the juvenile court, subject at all times to the control and review of the judge of said court to each county of the state, during the absence of the district judges therefrom."

Section 27. Line 13, after the word "treasurer" insert the words "of the county wherein or for which services are performed."

Section 28. Line 8 after the word "crime" insert the words "and such child shall be entitled to counsel."

Section 2. Page 2. Line 32, strike out the words "any local by-law."

And recommend same be indefinitely postponed.

Also the committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acceptance of the Provisions of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Making an Appropriation to Meet the Allotments of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Authorizing State Department of Health to Accept Funds for Infant and Maternal Hygiene Work.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

And recommend the same do pass as amended by the Senate.

Also the committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act Re-establishing its Powers and Duties, and Providing for the Control, the North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association, Defining Management and Operation of State Owned Grain Warehouses, Elevators and Flour Mills and the Conduct of all Business Relating Thereto, Especially as Relates to the State Owned Mill and Elevator at Grand Forks and Providing for the Appointment of a Board of Managers Thereof and Repealing Chapter 152 Laws of North Dakota 1919, Entitled "An Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Business of Manufacturing and Marketing of Farm Products, and for Establishing a Warehouse, Elevator and Flour Mill System Under the Name of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation, and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; and Making an Appropriation Therefor."

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

On first line of page 7, engrossed bill, strike out the "period" after the word "Industry" and insert a "comma" and change the capital "S" in the word "sales" in the same line to a small "s."

In the last line of the bill, page 12, strike out the word "therewith" and insert the word "herewith."

In line four of section 15, page 11 engrossed bill, strike out the word "the" preceding the word "possession" and insert the word "its."

In line 10, same page after the word "Dakota" strike out the "comma" and insert the word "of."

In line 9 of the title in engrossed bill insert the word "of" after the word "Dakota."

In the bottom line, page 2, engrossed bill strike out the word "passage" and insert the words "taking effect."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.
Also the committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 284. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 782, 783, 784, 787, 799, 803, 809, 810, 811 and 812 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 69 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919, Relating to the Creating of a State Bar Board, Its Members, Their Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and the Issuance of License to Practice.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

Section 9, printed bill, in line 5 after the word "fee," insert the word "Appropriation."

In line 11 after the word "dollars" insert a period and strike out all that follows down to the words "The Clerk etc.," In line 25, and in lieu thereof insert the following paragraph:

"From moneys heretofore accumulated and now on hand in the State Bar Fund, there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$10,000 to be expended under the direction of the Supreme Court for purchase and repair of books in the State Law Library."

Amend the title of the bill by adding the following: "and making an appropriation of \$10,000 from the State Bar Fund for the State Law Library."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also the committee of the whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 315. A Bill for an Act Defining Carnivals; Prohibiting Itinerant Carnivals and Declaring the Same a Public Nuisance and Providing Penalties for the Participation Therein.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

Amend the title of the bill so as to read as follows: A Bill for an Act Defining Carnivals and Prohibiting the same except under certain restrictions; Defining the Powers and Duties of Town and Fair Boards in Regard Thereto; and Providing a Penalty.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also the committee of the whole have had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 4424, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Custody, Service and Earnings of Minor Children.

And recommend the adoption of the Standing Committee's Amendment as follows:

In line 5 of the printed bill change the word "and" following the word "services" to "or."

In line 7 strike out the period following the word "person" insert a comma in lieu thereof, and add the following "without the written consent of the other, except in case of death, desertion, or abandonment."

Strike out the word "that" at the beginning of line No. 6.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

Mr. Freeman moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Halcrow moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

The House assembled at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by the Chaplain Rev. E. F. Alfson.

Roll call showed all members present except Messrs. Anderson of Burleigh, Eckert, Lakie, Link, Opland, Peters, and Watt.

Mr. Slominski moved that all absentees be excused.

Mr. Twichell moved as a substitute motion that all absentees be not excused.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Slominski, which motion prevailed.

The committee on Revision and Correction of Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Fifty-fourth day after recess and fifty-sixth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 2 line 10 after the words "so the bill" strike out the balance of the line and insert in lieu thereof the words, "was lost."

On page 2 strike out the paragraph beginning with the words "Re-enact Section" down to and including the word "Approval."

On page 30 in line 19 change the word "line" to the word "Section."

On page 57 insert the following: "Also, House Bill No. 310, a Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to annually examine and audit the accounts, books and vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Dept., State Highway Department, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to take Account of the Amount and Condition of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department so Examined and Audited, and Make Report Hereof to the Governor."

On page 66 insert the following: "Senate Bill No. 185 a bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 185 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Support of Needy Women Who Are Mothers of and Who are Compelled to Support One or More Children Under Sixteen Years of Age."

On page 67 strike out everything pertaining to Senate Bill Number 197 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Senate Bill Number 196. A Bill for an Act to Provide an Appropriation for the Eradication of the Barberrry Bushes."

On page 68 Sentae Bill "Number 252" should read "Number 352."

On page 4, lines 32 and 33 strike out "House Bill No. 20 and insert in lieu thereof "Senate Bill No. 55."

On page 39 near bottom of page after the words "C. H. Starke, Chairman," strike out the next four lines.

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Teh majority of the committee on Highway & Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Highway and Bridges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Establish a State Highway Commission, Prescribing its Powers and Duties, Fixing the Salaries of the Commission and the Employees Thereof, Authorizing the Engagement of Employees and Repealing All Acts and All Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

F. A. VOGEL,
OSCAR S. OBERG,
FRED ECKERT,
L. L. TWICHELL,
E. R. HELBLING,
EDWIN TRAYNOR,
ELMER W. CART,
L. H. STEEN,
JOHN T. FREEMAN.

The minority of the committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Establish a State Highway Commission, Prescribing its Powers and Duties, Fixing the Salaries of the Commission and the Employees Thereof, Authorizing the Engagement of Employees and Repealing All Acts and All Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In Section 7, line 10, of the printed bill, following the word "employees" insert "with the approval of the commission."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

M. H. LYNCH,
C. H. GORANSON,
JOHN BURK.

Mr. Freeman moved that the majority report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Freeman moved that the vote by which the majority report was adopted be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

The majority of the committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 126 of the Laws of 1917, as Amended by Chapter 110 of the Laws of 1919 and as Further Amended by Chapter 21 of the Laws of 1921.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 11, page 1, of the printed bill (line 1, page 2 of the engrossed bill) strike out the word "succeeding."

In line 19, page 2 of the printed bill (line 12, page 2 of the engrossed bill) strike out the words "each of" and commence the word "the" following such words with a capital "T."

In lines 23, 25 and 26, page 2 of the printed bill (being lines 18, 20, 21 and 22 on page 2 of the engrossed bill) insert commas after the words "commission" as it appears in two places and after the words "shall be its Treasurer" and after the words "by the Commission."

Following the word "same" in line 36, page 10 of the printed bill (that being the end of page 13 of the engrossed bill) insert the following "And if he deems it necessary, he may call upon the State Examiner to furnish a deputy examiner to work with such Inspector, and two officers shall as far as practicable cooperate in the examination of such bank."

In line 43, page 14 of the printed bill (line 3, page 21 of the engrossed bill) change the word "other" to "others."

In line 9, page 24 of the engrossed bill change the spelling of the second word in the line from "credit" to "credit."

In line 14, page 24 of the engrossed bill, correct the spelling of the word "depositors."

In line 3, page 37 of the engrossed bill (line 2, page 25 of the printed bill) insert the word "dollars" after the words "twenty thousand."

In line 14, page 28 of the printed bill (line 18, page 41 of the engrossed bill) insert the word "as" after the word "security."

Add to the engrossed bill, section 40 of the Emergency Clause as found in the printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

The minority of the Committee on Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The minority of your Committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 126 of the Laws of 1917, as Amended by Chapter 110 of the Laws of 1919 and as Further Amended by Chapter 21 of the Laws of 1921.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. A. VOGEL,
O. E. ERICKSON,
ROY B. WELD,
P. M. WEISBECK.

Mr. Vogel moved that the minority report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

A demand for a roll call was granted.

Mr. Twichell moved a call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present except: Messrs. Link, Opland, Jackson and Lakie.

The Speaker instructed the Sargent-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Jardine moved that further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Vogel, for the adoption of the minority report, the roll was called and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 53, nays 57, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Patterson
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Rabe
Sargent	16th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fedge	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Swett
Cole	Heibling	McCay	Tweten
Craig	Hoople	Miller	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Morton	Walker
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weld
			Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Jackey	Rustad
Burleigh	Goranson	Larson	Sagen
Bollinger	Halerow	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Hanson	McDowell	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Sproul
Burk	Hart	Muus	Starke
Burns	Heaton	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Dougherty	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Kelly	Radcliffe	
Freeman	Kopp	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jackson	Lakie	Opland

So the motion was lost.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Levying of a Tax to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating and Winding up the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds, and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore or Hereafter, Issued by the State of North Dakota, in any Case Where Such Bonds have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing, Negotiating or Delivering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; or Where Such Bonds Are Re-transferred for Cancellation and Providing for the Reissue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

House Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosure of Mortgages by Agent or Attorney, and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgments in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

And file the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars to the Bovine Tuberculosis Fund for carrying out the provisions of Article 17—Revised Code 1913 and Amendments thereto, Relating to the Reimbursement of Owners of Tuberculous Cattle.

House Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act to Make Appropriation for Postage, Office Supplies, Furniture and Fix-

tures, Printing, Miscellaneous Expenses, Traveling Expense, Maintenance of Game Farms, Salary and Expenses of Fish Commissioner and Deputy Fish Commissioner, and Expenses and Maintenance of Fish Hatchery.

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

House Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Glanders and Dourine Indemnity Fund.

House Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Grand Forks for the Years 1923 and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

House Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Fargo for the Year 1923, and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

House Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Funds to Idemnify Owners of Animals Infected with Bovine Tuberculosis.

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

House Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act Authorizing Abatements to Purchasers of Tax Certificates on State Land.

House Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 58 of the Special Session of North Dakota for 1919.

House Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists. Dakota.

House Bill No. 195. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to Interest to be Charged Upon Delinquent Inheritance Taxes.

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

House Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act for an Appropriation to the Board of Auditors as Provided For in Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Law Approved November 2nd, 1920.

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House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore, or Hereafter Issued by the State of North Dakota, in Any Case Where Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing (Negotiating or Delivering the same, or where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; or Where Bonds Are Re-transferred for Cancellation and Providing for the Re-issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced or Re-transferred Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913 Relating to the selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of Other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Lease Hold Premises Held under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners may Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Providing the Breadth of the Operation in such Injunction by Making it Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include any Place Within the State.

House Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 153 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Bonds of North Dakota, Mill and Elevator Series.

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota, Relating to Board of Administration.

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Coles of North Dakota for 1905.

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Member of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and For the Apportionment and Term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; to Provide for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Section 501 of the Revised Code of 1899, Section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905 and Sections 857, 859, 889, 901a,

910, 912, 917, 918, 919 and 071a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and All Other Acts or Parts of Acts that Are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

House Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosures of Mortgages by Agent or Attorney and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgment in Foreclosure of Mortgages by Action.

And file the same correctly enrolled.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS.

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

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And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, an Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for Which the Appropriation is Made.

Also,

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners' Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

As per your request.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 138.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

State of North Dakota
Office of the Governor
Bismarck
R. A. Nestos, Governor

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have today approved and filed with the Secretary of State:

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 86 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

Also,

House Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Any County in North Dakota to Issue Funding or Refunding Bonds for the Purpose of Funding or Refunding Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Indebtedness.

Also,

House Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the County Commissioners to Sell Certain Lots or Premises Bid In by the County for Delinquent Taxes Without Giving Notice of the Expiration of Redemption.

Also,

House Bill No. 238. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 23 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Also,

House Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 1631 and 1638 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Stations.

Also,

House Bill No. 252. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1621 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

Also,

House Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1623 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Demonstration Farms.

Also,

House Bill No. 254. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2696 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Live Stock Sanitary Boards.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Board of Pardons.

Also,

House Bill No. 262. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1661 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Serum Institute.

Also,

House Bill No. 264. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Live Stock Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of the State Hail Insurance Department, State Highway Department, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amount and Condition of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department So Examined and Audited, and Make Reports Thereof to the Governor.

Very truly yours,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

A majority of the Committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State with Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for the Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court with Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation

Proceedings, and Requesting It to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner, Fixing His Compensation, and Defining His Powers and Authority, and Providing for the Appointment of Receivers of Insolvent Banks, and Making an Appropriation to Meet the Expenses Incident to Carrying Out the Purpose of the Act.

Have had the same under consideration and a majority recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 4, page 6 of the engrossed bill, change the word "Commission" to "Commissioner."

Add to the title the following: "And directing the Supreme Court to exercise its supervisory authority over the district court in proceedings for liquidating the affairs of insolvent banks."

Insert as Section 18 the following: "Section 18. In case the Supreme Court shall be of the opinion that its original jurisdiction does not extend to the controversy or controversies referred to in this act, or if for any other reason the Supreme Court shall refrain from exercising its original jurisdiction with respect thereto, the proceedings shall not be dismissed, but all papers and files therein shall be transmitted to the Clerk of the District Court of Burleigh County, and that court shall be and is thereupon vested with full jurisdiction of such proceeding, and thereupon the Supreme Court, in the exercise of its supervisory jurisdiction, shall designate some district judge to hear and try said controversy or controversies, and the judge so designated shall give precedence to such controversy or controversies over all other work, and in the disposition thereof he shall be governed by the provisions of this act, and endeavor in every way to carry the same into effect. The District Judge so designated shall perform all of the duties which the act requires to be performed by the Court Commissioner, and in such case no Court Commissioner shall be appointed. In such case the acts of the District Court shall be subject to review by the Supreme Court in the same manner herein provided for review by the Supreme Court of the acts of the Court Commissioner. Provided that all acts of such District Court performed under the provisions of this act, including the appointment of a receiver, shall be subject to the supervisory control of the Supreme Court. In case of the designation of a District Judge as herein provided for, all his necessary traveling expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this act shall be paid out of the general fund of the state upon vouchers duly presented, as in other cases of the expenses of District Judges.

"In case of the designation of a District Judge as in this section provided, all further insolvency proceedings, in this act hereinbefore provided to be instituted in the Supreme Court, shall be instituted in the District Court of Burleigh County, and conducted in like manner.

"In case of the designation of a District Judge as in this section provided for, the rules of procedure prescribed by the act for the Court Commissioner shall govern the procedure before such District Judge, and the Supreme Court shall likewise make necessary rules governing the conduct of such proceeding or proceedings."

Number Section 18 in the printed bill as Section 19, and number Section 19 of the printed bill as Section 20.

Add to the engrossed bill, the emergency clause as found in the printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

A minority of the Committee on Banks and Banking made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Banks and Banking to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State with Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for the Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court with Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation Proceedings, and Requesting It to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner, Fixing His Compensation, and Defining His Powers and Authority,

Have had the same under consideration and a minority recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. A. VOGEL,
O. E. ERICKSON,
ROY B. WELD,
P. M. WEISBESK.

Mr. Erickson moved that the report of the minority be adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved as a substitute motion that further consideration of the minority report be indefinitely postponed.

Which substitute motion prevailed.

The Committee on Highways and Bridges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 46. A Joint Resolution for an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Establishment of a State Highway Commission, for the Establishment of a System of State Highways and for the Establishment of a State Highway Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,

Chairman.

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred.

Senate Bill No. 45. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 6, 11, 12, 16 and 17 of Chapter 44 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1919, Relating to the Registration and Licensing of Motor Vehicles, the Creation of a State Highway Fund, the Distribution of Such Fund, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOSEPH McGAUVRAN,

Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

A Concurrent Resolution introduced in the Senate and reported to the House under date of January 24th, which was introduced in the Senate by Senator Stevens and pertaining to a Tuberculosis Preventorium.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,

Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 78. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Oil Inspection.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 2 strike out the word "treasury" and insert therein the words "oil inspection fund."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,

Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$56,600.00 for the Enforcement of the Feeding Stuffs, Fertilizer, Beverage and Sanitary Inspection Laws.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$20,000.00 for the Maintenance of the Pure Seed Laboratory and Pure Seed Law Enforcement at the Agricultural College, Fargo.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the Hotel Inspection Department.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 2 strike out the words "State Treasury" and insert in lieu thereof "Hotel Inspection Fund."

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 134. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for a Bounty for Wolves and Coyotes, as provided for by Chapter 242 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2078, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 223, Session Laws of 1919, and Chapter 122, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Exemption of Certain Property From Taxation.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That in Section 14 of the engrossed bill, line 5, after the word "the" the word "corporate" be stricken out.

That in Section 14, line 5, of the engrossed bill, after the word "city" the word "comma town" be inserted.

That, Section 15 of the engrossed bill be stricken out in its entirety.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

A majority of the Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 357. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Creation of a Commission for the Purpose of Making a Study of the Lignite Industry and Reporting to the Next Regular Session of the Legislature Its Findings with Respect to Methods of Developing Such Industry, and Providing an Appropriation for the Purpose of Defraying Necessary Expenses.

Have had the same under consideration and a majority recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

A minority of the Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

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Have had the same under consideration and a minority recommend that the same do pass.

WALTER MADDOCK,
O. H. OPLAND,
J. F. ELMER,
L. O. FREDRICKSON,
CLAUDE LACKEY,
FRED E. SIMS.

Mr. Elmer moved that the minority report be adopted.

Mr. Peters moved, as a substitute motion, that the majority report be adopted.

Which substitute motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Elmer, the motion prevailed and the minority report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred

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Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That in Sec. 14 of the engrossed bill, line 5 after the word "the" the word "corporate" be stricken out.

That, in Section 14., line 5 of the engrossed bill after the word "city" "comma town" be inserted.

That, Section 15 of the engrossed bill be stricken out in its entirety.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 342. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Subdivision 2 of Section 1 and Section 13a of Chapter 231 of the Session Laws of 1917 as Amended by Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, and to Amend Section 2 of Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Inheritance Taxes Upon Estates of Deceased Non-Residents.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 220 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 relating to the basis of Assessment of Property for Taxation Purposes.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

That in Section 1, line 11 of the engrossed bill, after the word "full" insert the words "and true."

That in line 12 of the engrossed bill, after the word "auditor" insert the following words: "after equalization by the State Board of Equalization."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

A majority of the Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

A Senate Resolution introduced by L. R. Baird, requiring the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to reduce premium rates, and giving the Governor, State Auditor and State Treasurer certain powers with reference to Premiums.

Have had the same under consideration and a majority recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. C. ARDUSER,
F. E. LAZIER,
L. O. FREDRICKSON,
E. R. HELBLING,
EINAR MUUS,
PIUS KOPP.

A minority of the Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

A Senate Resolution introduced by L. R. Baird, requiring the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to reduce premium rates, and giving the Governor, State Auditor and State Treasurer certain powers with reference to premiums.

Have had the same under consideration and a minority recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Amend the last paragraph to read as follows:

"Now, Therefore, Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota: That the Workmen's Compensation Bureau shall forthwith make such reduction in all rates to all insurers now in good standing or who may become in good standing by payment of past due premiums on the basis of present rates as will result in a material reduction in the income from premiums charged, and to continue to operate at such reduced rates until the surplus in such Bureau's funds shall be materially reduced. If such Bureau shall refuse or neglect to make such reduction, then the Governor, the State Treasurer, and the State Auditor, acting as a Board of Adjusters in that matter, may order such reductions.

Provided, further, that such Board of Adjusters may employ expert help in investigating and determining the advisability of making such reductions, the expenses of such investigation to be paid by the Workmen's Compensation Bureau."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
PAUL JOHNSON,
ULLAND,
EDWIN TRAYNOR.

Mr. Fredrickson moved that the majority report be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the majority report was adopted.

Mr. Vogel moved that the vote by which the majority report was adopted, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4929 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 76 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Fees to be Paid by Insurance Companies Doing **Business** in This State,

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

At the end of the bill, change the period to a comma, and add the following words: "such per diem charge not to exceed twenty dollars."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 216. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Standard Provisions of Accident Insurance Policies Issued Within the State, and Providing a Penalty for Violation Thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

Mr. Peters moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Railroads made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Railroads to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 366. A Bill for an Act Relating to Intra-state Freight Rates in North Dakota, Fixing the Maximum Rates and Charges for Transportation of Freight Intra-state, Providing Penalties and Punishment for the Violation Thereof, and Defining the Duties and Powers of the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. D. ROOT,
Chairman.

Mr. Root moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Corporations Other Than Municipal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Corporations Other Than Municipal to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 388. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Renewal of the Period of Corporate Existence of Certain Corporations whose Period of Duration has Expired Without the Renewal Thereof, and Legalizing Acts and Contracts of Such Corporations Made or Done and Performed Subsequent to the Expiration of the Original Period of Existence of Such Corporations, and Providing that this Act Shall Take Effect Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

CLAUDE LACKEY,

Mr. Lackey moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Drainage and Irrigation made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Drainage and Irrigation to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 289. A Bill for an Act Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Have Power to Abate

Certain Assessments Levied by Boards of Irrigation Districts Upon Application of the District Board Approved by the Director of the Reclamation Service.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. K. OLAFSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Olafson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Military Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Military Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 321. A Bill for an Act Providing that Discharged Soldiers Shall Receive Credit for Their Military Service in the Particular Profession, Vocation or Trade in which They Were Engaged at the Time of Their Entrance Into the Military Service of the United States.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

M. H. LYNCH,
Chairman.

Mr. Lynch moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Military Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Military Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2360a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Section 2360a of Chapter 4 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

M. H. LYNCH,
Chairman.

Mr. Lynch moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

A majority of the Committee on Agriculture made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Agriculture to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2263 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to the

Levy of a Tax by County Commissioners to be Used in Carrying on Cooperative Agricultural Extension Work as Defined by this Act and Providing for Referendum by Ballot, Audit of Funds and Disposition of Accumulated Funds.

Have had the same under consideration and a majority recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

SLOMINSKI,
KOPP,
SHURR,
ANDERSON of Burke and
Divide,
QUAM,
OLAFSON,
ORANGE,
DOYLE,
McDOWELL,

A minority of the Committee on Agriculture made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Agriculture to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2263 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to the Levy of a Tax by County Commissioners to be Used in Carrying on Cooperative Agricultural Extension Work as Defined by this Act and Providing for Referendum by Ballot, Audit of Funds and Disposition of Accumulated Funds.

Have had the same under consideration and a minority recommend that the same be amended as follows:

On line 24 of printed bill strike out the first four words, also in line 30 strike out after word "county" the balance of line 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and up to the word "shall" in line 36.

Strike out the last word in line 36 and the first five words in line 37.

In line 13, second paragraph of engrossed bill, strike out the word "follows" after the word "as" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Provided in this act for a referendum in counties carrying on extension work prior to the taking effect of this act.

Following Section 2 strike out "For the extension work against extension work" (Engrossed bill).

In line 43 of printed bill strike out the words "personal property or."

In line 55, printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the words "filing of such petitions" and insert in lieu

thereof "elections at which said agricultural extension work was adopted."

In line 112 of printed bill after the word "undersigned" strike out the words "personal property or."

In line 134 after the word "least" strike out the word "thirty" and insert in lieu the word "twenty."

Mr. Slominski moved that the report of the majority be adopted.

Which motion was lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

State of North Dakota
Office of the Governor
Bismarck
R. A. Nestos, Governor

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have today approved and filed with the Secretary of State:

House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

Very truly yours,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

State of North Dakota
Office of the Governor
Bismarck
R. A. Nestos, Governor

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have today approved and filed with the Secretary of State:

House Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3118 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Also,

House Bill No. 147. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Bills of Sale and Other Transfers of Personal Property and Prescribing the Effect of Such Filing.

Also,

House Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1398 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Free Text Books in Public Schools.

Also,

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382, Article 21, Chapter Five General School Laws of the State of North Dakota, Entitled School Year and School Week Defined. Holidays.

Also,

House Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6750 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Standardized Form of Mortgage.

Also,

House Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6790 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Also,

House Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Levy in Unincorporated Villages for the Purpose of Purchasing and Maintaining Adequate Apparatus for the Extinguishment of Fires, and Maintaining a Fire Department.

Also,

House Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 667 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to County Commissioners Furnishing Bonds.

Also,

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2671 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Cruelty to Animals.

Very truly yours,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate requests the return of House Bills Nos. 132 and 172.
Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Peters moved that the House comply with the request of the Senate and return House Bills Nos. 132 and 172.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 371. A Bill for an Act for the Protection of Health and Prevention of Fraud and Deception in Articles of Food and Drugs; for the Prevention of Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; Requiring Labeling Thereof; Providing for Sales by Weight, Measure or Numerical Count; Providing for Fixing of Standards of Purity and Quality and Fitness of Consumption; Prescribing the Duties of the State Board of Administration and Providing for the Appointment of a State Food Commissioner and Chemist and Prescribing His Duties and Powers; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act; Defining Certain Offenses in Connection Therewith; Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Certain Acts Relating Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 373. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Fraud and Deception in the Manufacture and Sale of Beverages; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act and to Provide Penalties for Violations Thereof and to Repeal Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 379. A Bill for an Act to Regulate the Sale of Petroleum Products; to Provide for the Inspection of Kerosene and Gasoline; to Provide Specifications Therefor; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide for Inspection Fees, Collection and Disposition of Same; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Inspection of Lubricating and Power Oils; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Act; to Provide Penalties for the Viola-

tion Thereof and to Repeal Existing Acts Relating Thereto.
Which the House has requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Keeping Open, Running or Permitting the Running of Any Place for Public Dancing on the First Day of the Week, Commonly Called the Sabbath, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Also,

House Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1889 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the State Census, and When to be Taken.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 212.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bills Nos. 84, 85, 112, 316, 347 and 170.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 21 and the President has appointed Messrs. Thorson, Etestad and Storstad to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

There being no objection, the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Cole moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 387 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Cole moved that Senate Bill No. 387 be placed on the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harrington moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 138 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harrington moved that House Bill No. 138, as amended by the Senate, be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 68, nays 37, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Quade
Burleigh	Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Quam
Anderson,	Fedke	Johnson, Trail	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kelly	Root
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lackey	Rustad
Sargent	Freeman	Larson	Sagen
Bollinger	Goranson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bryd	Harrow	McDowell	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	McGauvran	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	Morton	Swett
Burns	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	Norden	Trubshaw

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Heaton	Olafson	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Vetich
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Walker
Dougherty	Iverson	Patterson	Weid
Eckert	Jackson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jardine	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Frandsen	Link	Steen
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Streich
Burkhart	Hardy	McManus	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	Martin	Tweten
Craig	Henne	McCay	Ulland
Durkee	Jones	Oberg	Vogel
Erickson	Kellogg	Rabe	Watt
26th Dist.	Kopp	Sathre, Steele	Weisbeck
Erickson	Larkin	Sims	Yeater
16th Dist.	Lazier	Starke	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Lakte	Maddock	Optand
Hempel	Lynch	Miller	Orange

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Harrington moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 138 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twiche!! moved that Senate Bill No. 387 be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 387. A Bill for an Act Designating the Sheriff of the Different Counties in the State as Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures, and Giving Him Power to Appoint a Deputy Inspector; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Prescribing Fees to be Charged for Inspection; Providing for Complaints and Penalties for its Violation; Providing for Inspectors' Compensation; Naming Custodian of State Standards and Prescribing His Duties; and Repealing Sections 2999, 3000, 3003, 3004, 3005 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 and Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 59, nays 50, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson	Johnson, Trail.	Endcliffe
Burleigh	Flom	Kelly	Root
Anderson,	Freeman	Kopp	Rustad
Sargent	Getzler	Lackey	Sargon
	Goranson	Larson	Stominski

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Halerow	Lynch	Sproul
Boyd	Hanson	McDowell	Starke
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Traynor
Burk	Hart	Muus	Trubshaw
Burns	Heaton	Norden	Twichell
Carr	Henne	Olafson	Ulland
Cole	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Currie	Jackson	Orange	Watt
Dougherty	Jardine	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fedge	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Franson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Cart	Fraugland	Martin	Swett
Craig	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Doyle	Hempel	Miller	Voger
Elmer	Hoople	Morton	Walker
Erickson	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weld
	Kellogg	Patterson	Yeater
	Larkin	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Lakie	Opland	Rabe

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Erickson and Mr. Sagen explained their votes.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 387 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

There being no objection, the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Larkin moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 364 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 364 was lost be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

At the request of Mr. Peters, the House reverted to the Fifth Order of Business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Insurance made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 20. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 5, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 20, 26 and 27 of Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Amend the title of the bill by inserting the numeral "6" and a comma after the numeral "5."

After the word "Dakota" insert the words "for the year 1919."

In line 1, page 1, of the printed bill, insert the numeral "6" and a comma, after the numeral "5."

In line 2, after the word "Dakota" insert the words "for the year 1919."

Between Sections 5 and 9, insert the following:

"Section 6. FLAT TAX AND PERMANENT SURPLUS. There is hereby levied for the years 1923, 1924, and 1925, upon each and every acre of tillable land in the state, a flat tax of one cent per annum for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, and creating a permanent surplus in the Hail Insurance Fund to be applied in paying losses more promptly. Provided, that lands used exclusively for public roads, rights of way of common carriers, mining or manufacturing purposes, and lands included within the platted portion of any incorporated city, town or village, shall be exempt from such tax. Provided, further, that all moneys heretofore or hereafter collected under the provisions of Sections 7 and 10 of this act, over and above that which is required to pay hail losses, also all moneys such as penalties and interest for non-payment of hail taxes and interest on balances already accrued and which may in the future accrue, shall be turned into the permanent surplus as created under the provisions of this section, until such permanent surplus reaches the sum of at least \$4,000,000.00. Provided, further, that the permanent surplus created under the provisions of this section shall at no time exceed the sum of five million dollars. Provided, further, that whenever the fund as created under this section exceeds five million dollars, such excess levy shall be turned back into the State Hail Insurance Fund to pay losses in the next succeeding year. All moneys collected under the provisions of this section shall be paid into the State Hail Insurance Fund, but a separate record of such moneys collected from such tax shall be kept by the County and State Treasurer."

Strike out all of Section 12, and insert the following in lieu thereof:

"Section 12. WITHDRAWAL. Any owner of land liable for the indemnity tax herein provided for, may at any time prior to the 15th day of June in each year withdraw any portion or all land owned by such person from the levy of said indemnity tax upon making an affidavit in duplicate, giving the legal description of the land, the number of acres withdrawn and stating that he desires to withdraw therefrom, and filing such affidavit in duplicate with the County Auditor, and the County Auditor shall, within three days, file a copy of same with the Commissioner of Insurance, and the party making withdrawal shall note upon his crop-listing affidavit the number of acres and the legal description of land so withdrawn, and shall note upon a diagram upon such withdrawal affidavit the location of land so withdrawn. Such affidavit shall be sworn to before any notary public or County Auditor or a qualified Justice of the Peace. Provided, that no assessor shall acknowledge any affidavit of withdrawal. Provided further, that it shall be the duty of the Hail Insurance Department to furnish each County Auditor for distribution by the assessors withdrawal blanks, crop-listing blanks, reinstatement blanks and loss report blanks necessary in their respective townships. Should such owner wish to withdraw all his land subject to indemnity tax, then he should, if possible, surrender also the crop-listing affidavit and file same together with the application for withdrawal with the County Auditor. Provided, that, in case said land or any portion thereof is rented, such owner shall first procure the written consent of such tenant for any withdrawal authorized in this Act, such consent to be filed with the County Auditor, together with the owner's application for withdrawal. Provided if land is leased for a money consideration, then the lessee, if he has full interest in all the crops grown on the land may make affidavit of withdrawal as above provided, and file with same certified copy of his lease in duplicate. Provided further, that if the owner in making an affidavit of withdrawal stating therein that he has no tenant whereas there actually is a tenant on such land, the Hail Insurance Department shall not be relieved from liability for such loss, but the owner making such fraudulent affidavit shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not less than Ten Dollars nor more than Twenty-five Dollars, or to be confined in the county jail for not more than thirty days or both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the court, and in case of loss by hail to crops grown on such lands the Hail Insurance Department shall adjust and pay such loss, such indemnity to be the actual percentage of loss based upon the tenant's share in such crop and may recover the amount of any indemnity paid for such loss from such landowner in an action brought in any court of competent jurisdiction. Provided that the owner shall have a self-executing first lien upon all crops and grain belonging to the tenant grown upon the land as security for the payment of said tax or the part of such tax properly chargeable against the tenant's share of such crop or grain. The owner shall also have a first lien chargeable against tenant's share of

hail indemnity as security for payment of tenant's share of such tax is filed with the Commissioner of Insurance prior to October 1st. Provided, further, that the withdrawal from hail indemnity tax may be cancelled and the insurance re-instated any time prior to July 5th by filing an affidavit of application for such re-instatement in duplicate with the County Auditor on blanks furnished by the Hail Insurance Department, and the County Auditor shall stamp on both the original and duplicate of such application the hour and date when such application was received in his office, and shall within three days file a copy of such application with the Hail Insurance Department. Provided, that, if land is rented, both the owner's and tenant's signature must appear on such application for re-instatement, one or both of such signatures to be acknowledged by a notary public. It is further provided that any portion of the crops originally withdrawn may be re-instated and that such re-instated insurance as above provided shall not take effect prior to twenty-four hours after such application for re-instatement is filed in the County Auditor's office. The Hail Insurance Department shall not be liable for loss during the time withdrawal is in effect and the application for re-instatement shall contain a sworn statement to the effect that such crops have not been damaged or destroyed by hail prior to the making of such application."

On page 6, line 14, strike out the words "fifty cents per each 1000 acres of tillable area plus."

In line 15 strike out everything after the word "of" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "cropped area actually listed" and a comma.

On page 7, line 16, strike out the words "indemnity tax."

In line 5, page 7, change the word "first" to "fifth."
And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

D. L. PETERS,
Chairman.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 369. A Bill for an Act Relating to Dangerous Railroad Grade Crossings over State Highways, and Providing for the Protection of Such Crossings.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays none, absent and not voting 6.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Rustad
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sagen
Bellinger	Geiszler	Link	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Sproul
Gravana	Hardy	Maddock	Steen
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Rustad
Burkhart	Hart	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Haugland	McDowell	Swett
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Trubshaw
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Twichell
Currie	Hoopie	Norden	Ulland
Boyle	Iverson	Oberg	Veitch
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Vogel
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Patterson	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Peters	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Lakie	Sethre, Williams	Starke
Henne	Opland		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 136. A Bill for an Act to Provide a State Contingency Fund to be Placed at the Disposal of the State Emergency Commission to be Used as Provided by Chapter 26 and 152 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915; and Making an Appropriation of \$50,000.00 which Shall be Known as the State Contingency Fund.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 16, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson	Larson	Quam
Burleigh	Erickson	Lazier	Rabe
	16th Dist.	Levin	Radeliffe
Anderson,	Flom	Loudenbeck	Root
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Lynch	Rustad
Anderson	Fredrickson	McManus	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Freeman	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Halcrow	Martin	Sims
Bollinger	Hanson	McCay	Slominski
Boyd	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Bratsberg	Haugland	McGauvran	Starke
Brown	Heaton	Morton	Steen
Bryans	Hodges	Muus	Streich
Burk	Iverson	Norden	Shurr
Burkhart	Jackson	Oberg	Traynor
Burns	Jardine	Olafson	Trubshaw
Carr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Cole	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Craig	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Veitch
Currie	Kelly	Patterson	Vogel
Doyle	Kopp	Peters	Watt
Dougherty	Lackey	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Larkin	Quade	
Ehr			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Geizler	Henne	Weisbeck
Elmer	Goranson	Jones	Weld
Erickson	Hardy	Link	Yeater
16th Dist.	Hart	Swett	
	Heibling	Tweten	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Hoople	Miller	Walker
Fedje	Kellogg	Opland	
Hempel	Lakie	Sage	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Valley City, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 99, nays 2, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Kelly	Quade
Burlleigh	Erickson	Kopp	Quam
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Larkin	Radcliffe
Anderson	16th Dist.	Larson	Root
Sargent	Flom	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Frandsen	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Link	Sims
Royd	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Shiminski
Bratsberg	Geizler	McManus	Sproul
Brown	Halcrow	Maddock	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Streich
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Barns	Hart	McGauvran	Swett
Carr	Haugland	Morton	Traynor
Cart	Heaton	Muus	Trubshaw
Cole	Heibling	Norden	Tweten
Craig	Henne	Oberg	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Doyte	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Dougherty	Jackson	Opland	Watt
Darkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weld
Phi	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Yeater
Ellingson	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Goranson	Lynch

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Fedje	Jardine	Miller	Sagen
Hempel	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Vozel
Hoople	Lakie	Rustad	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 7660, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 7660, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Causes for a New Trial in Civil Actions.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 77, nays 25, absent and not voting 11.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Kopp	Root
Burke-Divide	Ellingson	Lackey	Rustad
Anderson,	Elmer	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Erickson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	16th Dist.	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Flom	Martin	Sims
Boyd	Fredrickson	McCay	Slominski
Bratsberg	Freeman	McDowell	Starke
Brown	Goranson	McGauvran	Steen
Bryans	Halcrow	Morton	Shurr
Burk	Harrington	Muus	Tweten
Burkhardt	Hart	Norden	Twitchell
Burns	Heaton	Olafson	Veitch
Carr	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Vogel
Cart	Hoople	Orange	Walker
Cole	Iverson	Patterson	Watt
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Weisbeck
Doyle	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Weid
Dougherty	Kellogg	Quam	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Kelty	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Helbling	Lazier	Streich
Erickson,	Hempel	Levin	Swett
26th Dist.	Henne	Link	Trynorn
Frandsen	Jackson	Loudenbeck	Ulland
Geisler	Johnson, Traill	Maddock	Yeater
Hardy	Jones	Oberg	
Haugland	Larkin	Rabe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Onland
Burleigh	Hanson	Miller	Peters
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Sproul
			Trubshaw

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption from Mortgage foreclosure or Execution Sales and Providing for a Redemptioner Making a Credit on His Claim Against the Debtor as a Part of the Redemption.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 98, nays 2, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Peters
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Plath
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Jones	Quade
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Kellogg	Quam
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe
Sargent	Flom	Larkin	Radeljffe
Arduser	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Lazier	Rustad
Boyd	Freeman	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Geitzler	Link	Sothre, Williams
Brown	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bryans	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Steen
Burns	Harrington	Martin	Streich
Carr	Hart	McCay	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	McDowell	Swett
Cole	Henton	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Craig	Helbling	Miller	Tweten
Currie	Hempel	Morton	Twitchell
Doyle	Henne	Muus	Walker
Dougherty	Heddes	Norden	Weisbeck
Durkee	Hoople	Oberg	Weld
Eckert	Iverson	O'afson	Yeater
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Jackson	Traynor

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Fedde	Olson, Ransom	Sproul	Watt
Kopp	Omland	Ulland	
Lackey	Patterson	Veitch	
Lackie	Sagen	Vogel	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 179. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Placement of Children in Family Homes for Temporary or Permanent Care, and Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Persons or Corporations Engaged in that Work, and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws for 1915.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 3, absent and not voting 16.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Root
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lackey	Rustad
Anderson	Flom	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Frandsen	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Fredrickson	Levin	Sothre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	Link	Sims
Brown	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Burk	Hardy	Maddock	Steen
Burkhart	Harrington	Martin	Streich
Burns	Hart	McCay	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McDowell	Swett

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Heaton	Miller	Trubshaw
Craig	Helbling	Morton	Tweten
Currie	Hempel	Muus	Twichell
Doyle	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoopla	Oberg	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Townner	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Weld
Brickson	Jones	Quade	Yeater
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Gelszler	Henne	Orange

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Patterson
Burleigh	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Quam
Bollinger	Jackson	McGauvran	Sproul
Bratsberg	Lackie	Opland	Traynor
Cole			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act Concerning the Transfer of Rights in Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 77 of the Laws of 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 2, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Radcliffe
Sargent	Flem	Larson	Root
Arduser	Frandsen	Lazier	Rustad
Boyd	Fredrickson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Freeman	Link	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Burk	Hardy	McManna	Sproul
Burkhart	Harrington	Maddock	Starke
Burns	Hart	Martin	Steen
Carr	Haugland	McCay	Streich
Cole	Heaton	McDowell	Shurr
Craig	Helbling	Miller	Swett
Currie	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Dougherty	Hoopla	Norden	Twichell
Durkee	Iverson	Oberg	Ulland
Eckert	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Townner	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Weld
26th Dist.	Jones	Peters	Yeater
	Kellogg	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

House Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act for an Appropriation to the Board of Auditors as Provided For in Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Law Approved November 2nd, 1920.

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the ~~levying~~ **levying** of a Tax to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating and Winding up the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore, or Hereafter Issued by the State of North Dakota, in Any Case Where Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing (Negotiating or Delivering the same, or where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; or Where Bonds Are Re-transferred for Cancellation and Providing for the Re-issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced or Re-transferred Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913 Relating to the selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of Other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Lease Hold Premises Held under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners may Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Providing the Breadth of the Operation in such Injunction by Making it Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include any Place Within the State.

House Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 153 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Bonds of North Dakota, Mill and Elevator Series.

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota, Relating to Board of Administration.

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Member of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and For the Apportionment and Term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; to Provide for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Section 501 of the Revised Code of 1899, Section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905 and Sections 857, 859, 889, 901a,

Define and Establish the Bar Association of the State of North Dakota, and Providing for the Publication of Its Proceedings and Filing Copies Thereof with the State Bar Board and State Libraries, and as Otherwise Provided and Making an Appropriation for the Expenses Connected Therewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 89, nays 10, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Plath
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Quade
Anderson	Fedge	Lackie	Quam
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Rabe
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lazier	Radcliffe
Sargent	Freeman	Levin	Root
Arduser	Geiszler	Link	Rustad
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sagen
Bratsberg	Halerow	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Slominski
Bryans	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Burk	Hart	McCay	Streich
Burkhart	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Burns	Helbling	McGauvran	Tweten
Carr	Penne	Miller	Twichell
Cole	Hodges	Morton	Ulland
Craig	Iverson	Norden	Veitch
Currie	Jardine	Oberg	Vogel
Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Walker
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Eckert	Kellogg	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Kelly	Patterson	
Ellingson		Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Frandsen	Jones	Swett
Erickson	Haugland	Sims	Yeater
26th Dist.	Hoople	Shurr	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Jackson	Opland	Trubahaw
Elmer	Lackie	Sethre, Williams	Weld
Hanson	Maddock	Sproul	
Hempel	Muus	Starke	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act to Amend and re-enact Sections 5109 and 5110 of the Compiled Laws for 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 88, nays 7, absent and not voting 18.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Quam
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe
Anderson.	Erickson	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lackey	Root
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Flom	Lazier	Sagen
Arduser	Franson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Freeman	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Brown	Halcrow	Lynch	Starke
Bryans	Hardy	HcManus	Steen
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Streich
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Heaton	Miller	Sweet
Carr	Helbling	Morton	Traynor
Cole	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Twitshell
Currie	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Doyle	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Dougnerty	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Trail.	Peters	Yeater
Ehr	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
		Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Goranson	Henne	McGauvran	Orange
Hanson	McDowell	Norden	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hart	Maddock	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	Opland	Ulland
Ellingson	Jackson	Sethre, Williams	Walker
Elmer	Lackie	Sproul	Weld
Fredrickson	Larson		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The House reverted to the Twelfth Order of Business.

Consideration of Messages from the Senate.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following Concurrent Resolution introduced by Senator Porter:

Which the Senate adopted, and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Porter.

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly, the House of Representatives Concurring Therein:

WHEREAS: It has been made to appear to the Legis-

lative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, that Martin Tabert, a young man of about twenty-two years of age, a respected, respectable and law-abiding citizen of the State, left his home in the fall of 1921 on a lawful and proper undertaking, which in the month of December of said year took him within the county of Leon in the state of Florida;

And, that on the 15th day of said month he was arrested in said county for a violation of some penal statute or regulation of the State of Florida, prescribing conditions or circumstances under which it was unlawful to ride upon a railroad train;

And, that he was thereupon summarily convicted of such **offense and sentenced** to pay a fine of twenty-five dollars or be imprisoned for a period of three months, and that being unable to pay such fine immediately, he was committed to the custody of the sheriff of said county, to-wit J. R. Jones.

That, whereupon under the provisions of some statute or regulation of the State of Florida he was leased as a prisoner to the Putnam Lumber Company, to work for it as a convict at Clara, Florida, and was also immediately surrendered into its possession or custody.

That immediately upon his conviction as aforesaid he did communicate with his parents by telegraph asking for funds with which to pay his fine as aforesaid, and almost immediately his parents did forward to him by telegraph, in the care of said sheriff, more than sufficient funds to pay said fine, but said sheriff did not accept said message of remittance of said money, but caused the same to be returned to the senders without reporting any reason therefor, or disclosing anything with reference to the whereabouts of said Tabert.

That thereupon and on the 21st day of December, 1921, the parents of said Martin Tabert did by registered letter send to him, in the care of said sheriff more than sufficient money with which to pay said fine, and said letter came into the hands of the said sheriff within a few days; that thereupon said sheriff did indorse on said letter a statement to the effect that said Tabert had gone away, and directed said letter to be returned to the sender, without in any way disclosing the facts with reference to the condition or whereabouts of said Tabert.

That on or about the first day of February, 1922, said Tabert died while in the custody of said Putnam Lumber Company, and from careful investigation made by relatives and friends of said Tabert, and officials of the State of North Dakota, the results of which have been laid before the legislative assembly, together with **correspondence and affidavits** it is convinced that said Tabert died as the direct and proximate result of physical abuse and torture inflicted upon him by the said Putnam Lumber Company, and its employes, and more particularly by one T. W. Higginbotham, and it is further believed;

That such abuse occurred after the money intended for

the payment of said fine had come into the hands of said sheriff and should have been devoted to the purpose of releasing said Tabert, and that said sheriff by connivance and conspiracy with the said lumber company purposely refrained from either forwarding said money to said Tabert, or communicating to the senders thereof the facts as to his then custody or whereabouts, and that he purposely so indorsed said letter and caused it to be returned to the senders, to lead them to believe that he had been released from custody and prevent them from obtaining his release, and it is further believed;

That a corrupt understanding and agreement existed between said sheriff and said lumber company to the effect that the sheriff should endeavor to obtain the arrest and conviction of men for pretended or petty offenses, to the end that when convicted they might be leased to said Lumber Company, and that for each convict so obtained from the custody of said sheriff he should receive a cash compensation, and that said Tabert was a victim of such conspiracy. It is further believed;

That while the legislative assembly is convinced by the showing made to it of the substantial accuracy of the facts heretofore set forth, the State of Florida is in no manner party to the great wrong and that as represented by its legislature it will feel the same sense of indignation as is felt by the State of North Dakota represented by its legislature, and that it will to the utmost of its ability desire to redress the wrong done to the citizen of a sister state, and make impossible the commission of such abuses in the future.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring, that the legislature of the Commonwealth of Florida is hereby memorialized and requested by the legislature of the Commonwealth of North Dakota, to cause a full investigation to be made of the circumstances surrounding the conviction, leasing and death of said Martin Tabert and to cause such action to be taken as will most surely and expeditiously lead to the punishment of all parties concerned therein.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: The State of North Dakota in a spirit of comity and friendship extends its greeting from the furthest side of the Union to the State of Florida, and requests that such recognition as this communication shall receive be transmitted to the Governor of the State, this assembly being about to adjourn.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that an engrossed copy hereof, attested by the presiding officers of the Senate and House of Representatives be transmitted by the Secretary of the State, to each house of the legislature of the State of Florida.

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution introduced by Senator Rusch, which the Senate adopted and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Senator Rusch

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that

WHEREAS, There is a wide-spread feeling among the people of the state that the affairs of the different departments of government, and of the educational and penal institutions, are not properly co-ordinated, efficiently organized or economically administered, and

WHEREAS; It is well known that large private concerns commonly apply to the organization of their affairs the services of men expert in such matters, and it is known that there are efficiency experts in regard to the organizing and conducting of business affairs of states,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Governor, at his convenience, investigate or cause an investigation to be made, to determine whether there are skillful and reliable concerns specializing in the work of co-ordinating and organizing the business of states, and their institutions, in the interest of economy and efficiency, and whether it seems advisable for the State of North Dakota to procure the advice and assistance of some such persons or concerns in re-organizing the public business of this state, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Governor report to the next Legislative Assembly the results of his investigations, together with any recommendations he may have to make with reference thereto.

Referred to committee on State Affairs.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 133.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.
Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Consolidation of Counties, or Portions Thereof into a New County; Organization Thereof and Disposal of Any Portions of Such Counties Not Included Therein; Provided for the Appointment of County Officers.

Which the Senate has passed unamended.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 1, item 2, line 3, after the words "Power House" strike out the figures "6,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,000.00". Below the words "Floor for Cow Barn" insert the following words and figures, "Antiseptic Tank 5,000.00"

"Root Cellar \$2,000.00."

On page 2 in miscellaneous item, below the word "interest" insert the following words and figures "Deficit to Dormitory B, 7,500.00."

After the word "total" strike out the figures "179,900.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "188,400.00."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Watt moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 88, and that a conference committee be appointed.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Which the senate has amended as follows:

In Section 1, line 3, of the Engrossed Bill, strike out the figures "219,200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "217,900.00"

In item 1, strike out line 13.

In line 14, after the word "total" strike out the figures "129,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "127,700.00."

On page 2, line 1, after the word "Forward" strike out the figures "129,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "127,700.00".

In item 4, after the words "Grand Total" strike out the figures "219,200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "217,900.00".

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Starke moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 85.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Starke moved that the Rules be suspended; that House Bill No. 85 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

he question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 102, nays none, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Rabe
Burleigh	18th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazler	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sims
Boyd	Goranson	Lynch	Slominski
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McManus	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	Maddock	Starke
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Steen
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	Miller	Swett
Cole	Heaton	Morton	Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Helbling	Muus	Trubshaw
Currie	Hempel	Norden	Twaten
Doyle	Hodges	Oberg	Twitchell
Dougherty	Hoople	Olafson	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
Ehr	Johnson,	Orange	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Walker
Elser	Johnson, Trail	Plath	Yeater
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jones	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Kellogg	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Jackson	McGauvran	Ulland
Cart	Lakie	Opland	Weld
Henne	Link	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors:

A. C. Lawson, Kenmare, N. D.; Nels Nelson, Norma, N. D.; B. E. Groom, Langdon, N. D.; F. V. Hutchinson, Fargo, N. D.; Olof A. Refling, Harold Ingvaldson, O. B. Herigstad, Minot, N. D.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the house do now recess un-til 7:30 o'clock P. M., this evening.

Which motion prevailed and the house recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND
FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
February 27 and 28.

NIGHT SESSION

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$5,000.00 for the Biennium, to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Agents in the Arrest and Return of Fugitives from Justice as Prescribed by Section 11162 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of Expenses and Fees of Appraisers of Inheritances, Devises, Bequests, Legacies, and Gifts, as Provided for in Section 8991 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide Funds to Pay the Necessary Expenses and Reasonable Compensation to Commissioners Appointed in Actions to Release Insane Patients, Prescribed by Section 2552 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 77. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Per Diem and Expenses of the State Budget Board as Prescribed by Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the Institute for the Feeble Minded.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 338. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money to Reimburse the Common School Fund of the State of North Dakota for Losses Resulting From a Misappropriation of Such Fund Occurring Previous to January 1, 1917.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 140. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$1,500.00 for the Biennium Out of Any Money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Purpose of Upkeeping of Ten State Parks.

Senate Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Biennium, to the Humane Society for Office Supplies, Printing, Office Phone, and Traveling Expense.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 300. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2110 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 221 of the Session Laws of 1919 and Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Taxation of Corporate Excess.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 222 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Providing for a Tax on Shares of Stock and Bonds of Corporations Organized or Doing Business in this State.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relating to the Assessment of the Capital Stock of Banks, Loan and Trust Companies and of Moneyed Capital Entering Into Competition Therewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 24 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Issuance of Bonds of the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Two Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Home Building Series."

Also,

Senate Bill No. 317. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1003 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 6 of the Special Session Laws of 1918, Relating to the Printing of Absent Voter Ballots.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 318. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 974 of the Compiled Laws of North

Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Certification of Nominations.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3784 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 120 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Municipal Elections in Cities.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 164. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1303 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of the Amount of Bonds of Independent School Districts.

Senate Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act Transferring to the Industrial Commission the Custody, Control and Management of the Property and Assets of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, for the Purpose of Liquidat-

Also,

Senate Bill No. 208. A Bill for an Act Relating to County Finances; Providing That all County Officials and All Officers in Charge of any Institution, Office or Undertaking Supported in Whole or in Part by the County Shall File an Itemized Statement of Amounts Necessary for Maintenance of Such Office or Institution; Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Annually Prepare a Budget Providing for Publication of Such Budget and of the Proposed Levy; Providing for a Public Hearing in Regard to the Proposed Expenditures and Levy; Fixing a Date for Levy; Providing That All Expenditures must Conform to the Budget as Adopted, and That all Unappropriated Balances in any Fund at the End of the Fiscal Year Shall Become a Part of the General Fund; Repealing Sections 3312, 3313, and 3314, of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 32. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4016 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating Bonded Indebtedness of Cities, and Purposes for Which Incurred.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Appointment of Representatives on Behalf of the State of North Dakota to Negotiate a Compact and Agreement Between the States of North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana, and Between Said States and the United States of America, Respecting the Use and Distribution of the Waters of the Missouri River and the Rights of said States and the United States Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act to Safeguard the Business of Beekeeping Against Contagious and Infec-

tious Diseases; Defining Apiaries; Providing for State Inspection Under the Direction and Control of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor; Prohibiting the Sale, Barter, Offer of Sale or Barter, Moving, Transportation, Shipping or Offering for Shipping or Transportation, of any Bees, Brood, Comb or Beekeeping Appliances That are Infected; Providing for the Proper Certification of Shipments into the State, and the Reporting of Such Shipments by the Purchaser or Importer; Fixing Penalties for Violation.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 295. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 211 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Supreme Court Reporter and State Law Librarian.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 355. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 375 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 21 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the State Auditing Board, its Duties and the Membership Thereof.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 292. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2141 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 35, Special Session Laws of 1919; Providing for the Substitution of the State Auditor and State Tax Commissioner as Members of the State Board of Equalization Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Attorney General; Providing that the Tax Commissioner Shall Be Secretary Thereof Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Prescribing the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Equalization in Regard to the Equalization and Assessment of Property.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 381. A Bill for an act Providing for Assistant State's Attorneys in Counties With a Population exceeding thirty-five thousand.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 326. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 3711 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and to Provide for Special Assessment Funds, the Issuance and Payment of Warrants.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 395. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3969 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Section 79 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and Chapter 32 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Re-

lating to Excluding Farm Lands from the Limits of City, Town and Villages.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act to Provide \$300.00 for the Burial Expense of Honorably Discharged Sailors, Soldiers and Marines of the United States War of the Rebellion and Erection of Headstones therefor, as Authorized by Sections 3181, 3182, 3183, and 3184 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

tion:

Senate Bill No. 346. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Creation of Deficits by State Officials, State Boards and Heads of State Institutions, and Prescribing a Penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Presidential Electors as Prescribed by Section 1038 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Defray the Expenses of the Delegates to National Political Conventions as Prescribed by Section 916 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Reward and Apprehension of Criminals According to Chapter 200 of the Session Laws of 1917.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$250.00 for the Biennium, to Defray the Expenses of the State Canvassing Board.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 155. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 4, 6, 8, 34, 35 and 65, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, and Section 27, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Section 2, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 36, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Section 5, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 46, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 134, Session Laws 1921 and Section 80, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Game and Fish.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 329. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 33 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Rehearings of the Determination of

Inheritance Taxes, and Providing that No Report Need Be Made to the Tax Commissioner in Case of Insolvent Estates.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 207. A Joint Resolution by Senator Gardiner.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Bringing of Children into the State, or Taking Children Therefrom, For Placement in Family Home; for the licensing or regulation of Persons or Corporations Engaged in That Work; and for the Repeal of Section 5107 and 5108, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Also,

Senate Bill 330. A Bill for an Act to Authorize County Commissioners to Lay Out and Construct or Contract for the Construction of Highways on State Lines.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 236. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Cancellation, Conversion and Exchange of Bonds Issued Under and by Virtue of Chapter 128, Session Laws of 1919.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act Amending Section 4571 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Providing for the Assessment of Shares of Stock in Corporations.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 188. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the placing of Children, Either for Temporary or Permanent Care, in Almshouses, or in Institutions, Charitable, Penal or Reformatory, Where Delinquent Children are Kept.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 181. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Homes and Institutions Caring for Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 378. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7741 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 156 of the Session Laws of 1915 Relating to Partnership Exemptions.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 302. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Gross Earnings Tax on Certain Freight Line and Car Equipment Companies Owning and Operating or Leasing and Operating Over Railroad Lines Within This State for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of State Government; Repealing Sections 2 to

11 Inclusive, of Chapter 59. Special Session Laws of 1919 and all Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 299. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 62 of the Laws of North Dakota Enacted at the Special Session of 1919, and Declaring that an Emergency Exists, and that This Act Shall Become Effective Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 304. A Bill for an Act to Permit Mutual Insurance Companies to Classify Their Business by Trades, Occupations or Professions, and to Pay Dividends to Policyholders Based Upon Each Trade, Occupation or Profession's Proportion of Losses Received to the Premiums Paid by Them; and Providing the Method of Determining Such Dividends.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 386. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 16, 33, 44, 49, 56, 62, 83, 88 and 89 of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Regulating the Operation of All Coal Mines in North Dakota; Providing for Their Inspection; Creating the Office of Coal Mining Inspector; Fixing His Qualifications, Duties, Powers and Compensation; Providing for His Appointment; Creating a Board of Examiners; Fixing Its Powers and Compensation; Providing the Method of Appointment Thereof; Providing for the Registry, Examination and Issuing of Certificates to Certain Employees of Coal Mines.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of War History Commission Between the Following Dates: June 30th, 1923 to July 1st, 1925,

Also,

Senate Bill No. 122. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Training School.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 100. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the School of Science at Wahpeton.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 158. A Bill for an Act Making an Appro-

apropriation of \$19,540.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Expenses of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Mine Inspection.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 392. A Bill for an Act to Provide a Custodian for the Property Belonging to the State of North Dakota Known as the Biological Station and Located on the Shores of Devils Lake, Ramsey County, North Dakota, and to Designate the Purposes for Which Said Property May Be Used.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or so Much Thereof as may be Necessary for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Mileage of Witnesses Incurred by the Special Investigating Committee of the Senate, in Considering the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, During the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-Enact Section 9367 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Prescribing of an Oath.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 280. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7643 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 133, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Directed Verdicts.

Also,

Senate Bill No.206. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Verdict in Civil Cases by Five-Sixths of the Jury After Twelve Hours Deliberation.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-Enact Section 7644 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919, (Regular Session) and Chapter 129 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to Change of Judges in Civil and Criminal Actions in the District Court, for Prejudice or Bias of Judge Thereof Providing for the Calling in of Another Judge of Another Judicial District, and the Payment of His Expenses, and

the discharge of Jurors Therein, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 203. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 160 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 18 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Appointment of Regular and Special Assistant Attorneys General, and Repealing Chapter 20 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 389. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Reservation of Mineral Rights and Providing for the Transfer of Same.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 211. A Bill for an Act to Amend an Re-enact Section 3451, Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to County Bonds, Rate of Intrest and Mode of Issue.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 135. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to pay the Burial Expenses of Inmates of the Penitentiary and Reform School as Provided for Under Section 11302 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 375. A Bill for an Act Validating Taxes Assessed Against Bank Stocks in the Years 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners and the Tax Commissioners to Compromise Such Taxes Upon Bank Stock for 1919, 1920, and 1921, as Have Not Been Paid, and Confirming and Ratifying Such Settlements as Have Been Made.

Senate Bill No. 319: A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 973 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Filing of Certificates of Nomination.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 363. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Regulating and Fixing the Hours of Labor for Females, and Providing Penalties for the Violation Thereof.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act Amending and Repealing Chapter 153, Laws of 1909, the Same Being Sections 1404 to 1414 Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, Regulating the Employment of Child Labor and to Provide for

the Enforcement Thereof, and to Prescribe Penalties for Violations of the Act.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the Senate.

HOUSE CHAMBER

Bismarck, N. D., Feb. 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that House refuses to concur in the Senate Amendments to House Bill No. 88, and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Watt, Arduser and Ellingson to act as a conference ~~committee~~ committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act Defining and Regulating Maternity hospitals and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 79, nays 4, absent and not voting 30.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Erickson 16th Dist.	Johnson, Trall	Peters
Arduser	Fedge	Jones	Plath
Bollinger	Frandsen	Kelly	Quade
Boyd	Fredrickson	Kopp	Rabe
Brown	Freeman	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burkhart	Goranson	Larson	Root
Burns	Halcrow	Lazier	Rustad
Carr	Hanson	Levin	Sagen
Cart	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Cole	Harrington	McManus	Sathre, Williams
Craig	Hart	Martin	Slominski
Currie	Haugland	McCay	Sproul
Doyle	Helbling	Miller	Starke
Durkee	Hempel	Morton	Steen
Eckert	Hodges	Muus	Traynor
Ehr	Hoople	Oberg	Trubshaw
Ellingson	Iverson	Olafson	Tweten
Erickson, 26th Dist.	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Mr. Speaker
		Orange	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Flom	Geiszler	Veitch	Watt

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Lynch	Streich
Burleigh	Heaton	Maddock	Shurr
Anderson,	Henne	McDowell	Swett
Burke-Divide	Jackson	McGauvran	Vogel
Bratsberg	Kellogg	Norden	Walker
Bryans	Lakie	Patterson	Weisbeck
Burk	Larkin	Quam	Weld
Dougherty	Link	Sims	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 192. A Bill for an Act Relating to Indecent Liberties.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 76, nays 1, absent and not voting 36.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Root
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Rustad
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Sagen
Sargent	Flom	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Frandsen	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Levin	Slominaki
Boyd	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Brown	Geiszler	McManus	Starks
Burkhart	Goranson	McDowell	Steen
Burns	Halerow	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Hardy	Morton	Trubshaw
Cart	Harrington	Oberg	Twetén
Cole	Haugland	Olafson	Twichell
Craig	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Currie	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Watt
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Rabe	
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Hanson

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Heston	Maddock	Streich
Burke-Divide	Helbling	Martin	Shurr
Bratsberg	Hempel	McCay	Swett
Bryans	Henne	Miller	Ulland
Burk	Hoople	Muus	Vogel
Doyle	Jones	Norden	Weisbeck
Eckert	Lakie	Opland	Weld
Elmer	Larkin	Patterson	Yeater
Hart	Link	Quam	
	Lynch	Sims	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

HOUSE CHAMBER

Bismarck, N. D., Feb. 27, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Jardine, Elmer and Quade to act as a conference committee on House Bill No. 21.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

Senate Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act Relating to Un-

dren Born out of Wedlock and to Make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto, and for the Repeal of Sections 10483 to 10500 Inclusive, Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 70. Laws of 1917.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 88, nays 4, absent and not voting 21.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Radeliffe
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Lackey	Root
Anderson	Erickson	Larson	Rustad
Sargent	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sagen
Arduser	Fedre	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Flom	Loudenbeck	Sims
Boyd	Fredrickson	Lynch	Slominski
Bratsberg	Freeman	McManus	Sproul
Brown	Geiszler	Maddock	Starke
Bryans	Goranson	McCay	Steen
Burk	Halcrow	McDowell	Traynor
Burkhart	Hanson	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burns	Hardy	Morton	Tweten
Carr	Harrington	Norden	Twichell
Cart	Haugland	Oberg	Ulland
Cole	Helbling	Olafson	Veitch
Craig	Hempel	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Currie	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Doyle	Jardine	Orange	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Yeater
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
Ellingson	Jones	Quam	
Elmer	Kelly	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Frandon	Hodges	Sathre, Steele	Walker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Hoople	Link	Opland
Burke-Divide	Jackson	Martin	Streich
Eckert	Kellogg	Miller	Shurr
Hart	Lakie	Muns	Swett
Heaton	Larkin	Patterson	Weld
Henne			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Walker: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it made a matter of record. I vote "no" on Senate Bill No. 187 because I believe the existing law better protects the child born out of wedlock.

Senate Bill No. 396. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10943 and 10944 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and Section 10948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Indetermined Sentences of Persons Convicted of Certain Crimes, and the Discharge or Paroling of Prisoners Serving Indeterminate

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 2, absnt and not voting 17.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Fedge	Larson	Root
Anderson	Flom	Lazier	Rustad
Sargent	Franson	Levin	Sagen
Arduser	Fredrickson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geisler	McManus	Sims
Bratsberg	Goranson	Maddock	Slominski
Bryans	Halcrow	Martin	Sproul
Burk	Hanson	McCay	Starke
Burns	Hardy	McDowell	Steen
Carr	Harrington	McGauvran	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	Morton	Swett
Cole	Helbling	Muus	Traynor
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hoople	Oberg	Tweten
Doyle	Iverson	Olafson	Twichell
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Vogel
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Walker
26th Dist.	Jones	Plath	Watt
Erickson,	Kelly	Quade	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	Yeater
	Lackey	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
	Larkin	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Durkee

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Eckert	Jackson	Opland
Brown	Hart	Kellogg	Patterson
Dougherty	Heaton	Lakie	Streich
	Hempel	Lynch	Weld
	Henne	Miller	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Exclusion of Spectators from the Trial of Minors.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays none, absent and not voting 18.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson	Lackey	Rustad
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Larkin	Sagen
Sargent	Fedge	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Flom	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Franson	Levin	Sims
Boyd	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Freeman	Lynch	Sproul
Bryans	Geisler	McManus	Starke
Burk	Goranson	Maddock	Steen
Burkhart	Halcrow	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Hanson	McDowell	Swett
	Hardy	McGauvran	Traynor
	Harrington	Morton	Trubshaw

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Haugland	Muus	Tweten
Cart	Helbling	Norden	Twichell
Cole	Hempel	Oberg	Ulland
Craig	Hodges	Olafson	Vogel
Currie	Hoopie	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Weld
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Quade	
Elmer	Jones	Quam	
Erickson	Kelly	Radcliffe	
26th Dist.	Kopp	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Heaton	Link	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Henne	Martin	Streich
Brown	Jackson	Miller	Veitch
Dougherty	Kellogg	Opland	Walker
Hart	Lackie	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Powers of Certain Societies for the Care and Placement of Dependent Children, and to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5100 and 5101, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays none, absent and not voting 18.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe
Anderson	Fedge	Larkin	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Link	Sims
Bollinger	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Sprul
Bratsberg	Halerow	Maddock	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Swett
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Traynor
Carr	Helbling	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Hempel	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Currie	Hoopie	Oberg	Ulland
Doyle	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Yeater
Elmer	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Kelly	Quade	
16th Dist.			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Henne	Miller	Streich
Cart	Jackson	Opland	Walker
Eckert	Kellogg	Patterson	Watt
Hart	Lakie	Root	
Heaton	Lynch	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 15. A Bill for An Act to Transfer Money From the Hail Insurance Fund to the Hail Insurance Operating Fund For the Purpose of Paying the Unpaid Bills Incurred by the Hail Insurance Department During the Year Beginning January 1, 1922, and Ending December 31, 1922.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays none, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Rabe
Burleign	16th Dist.	Kopp	Radeliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson	Frandsen	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Geisler	Loudenbeck	Sims
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Slominski
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Maddock	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	Martin	Starke
Bryans	Hardy	McCay	Steen
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Swett
Burns	Haugland	Morton	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Muns	Trubshaw
Cole	Helbling	Norden	Tweten
Craig	Hempel	Oberg	Twichell
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Ulland
Doyle	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Dougherty	Iverson	O'son, Towner	Vogel
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Walker
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Yeater
Erickson	Johnson, Trall	Quam	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Jones		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Kellogg	Lynch	Patterson
Eckert	Lakie	Miller	Streich
Henne	Link	Opland	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 199. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use of the Board of Administration in Administering Child Welfare Laws.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 102, nays none, absent and not voting 11.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Rustad
Burleigh	Flom	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Freeman	Levin	Sims
Sargent	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Arduser	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Bollinger	Halerow	Maddock	Starke
Boyd	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	McCay	Shurr
Bryans	Harrington	McDowell	Swett
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Traynor
Burkhart	Haugland	Miller	Trubshaw
Burns	Heaton	Morton	Tweten
Carr	Helbling	Muus	Twitchell
Cole	Hempel	Norden	Ulland
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Veitch
Currie	Hoople	Olafson	Vogel
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Yeater
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Quam	Mr. Speaker
. 26th Dist.	Jones	Quade	
Erickson	Kellogg	Rabe	
. 16th Dist.	Kelly	Radeliffe	
	Kopp	Root	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Eckert	Link	Patterson
Cart	Henne	Lynch	Streich
Dougherty	Lakie	Opland	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 344. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3294 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Erection, Repair and Maintenance of County Buildings.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 2, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Quam
Burleigh	. 16th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe
Anderson	Fedge	Kopp	Radeliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Root
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Bratsberg	Halerow	McManus	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	Maddock	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Swett
Carr	Haugland	McGauvran	Traynor
Cart	Heaton	Morton	Trubshaw
	Helbling	Muus	Tweten

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Qale	Hempel	Norden	Twichell
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Veitch
Carrie	Hoopie	O'afson	Vogel
Boyle	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Burke	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Weisbeck
Billingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Yeater
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Jones		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Steen	Ulland

Absent and not votng:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Henne	Lynch	Patterson
Dougherty	Lakie	Milner	Streich
Eckert	Link	Opland	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Twichell asked the unanimous consent of the House to offer amendments to Senate Bill No. 288.

Which consent was granted.

Mr. Twichell offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 288, and moved their adoption:

In line 5 of Section 3, after word "acre," insert a comma. In line 3 of Section 6, after word "section," insert a comma. In line 4 of Section 6, after word "first," insert a comma. In first line of page 6, after the comma following the word "official," insert the word "and."

Which motion prevailed and the amendments were adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that Senate Bill No. 288 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Senate Bill No. 288. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Upon Reserves of Coal and Minerals, Providing for the Obtaining of Tax Titles to Such Reserves When Taxes Thereon Remain Unpaid and Repealing Section 2119, Section 2120 and Section 2121, Compiled Laws of 1913, and All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays 1, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burleigh	Erickson	Kellogg	Radcliffe
Anderson	16th Dist.	Kelly	Root
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Kopp	Rustad
	Flom	Lackey	Sagen
		Larkin	Sathre, Steele

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Kelly	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Freeman	Kopp	Shms
Arduser	Geizler	Lackey	Slominski
Bollinger	Goranson	Larkin	Sproul
Boyd	Halcrow	Lazier	Starke
Bratsberg	Hanson	Levin	Steen
Bryans	Hardy	Lynch	Streich
Burk	Harrington	McManus	Shurr
Burkhart	Hart	Maddock	Swett
Burns	Haugland	Martin	Tweten
Carr	Heaton	McCay	Trubshaw
Cart	Helbling	McDowell	Twichell
Cole	Hempel	McGauvran	Ulland
Craig	Henne	Morton	Veitch
Currie	Hodges	Muus	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Walker
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Yeater
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Townner	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Jones	Olson, Ransom	
Frandsen	Jarson	Quade	
	Kellogg	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Jackson

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Lakie	Miller	Patterson
Dougherty	Link	Opland	Traynor
Eckert			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded. Although I would like to see this property taxed, I vote "no" for the reason that under this law delinquent taxes do not pursue the same course as is the case with other property. I do not favor any tax by which property is summarily forfeited to the state when the tax becomes delinquent.

Senate Bill No. 337. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Bounty for the Destruction of Magpies.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 71, nays 35, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Durkee	Jones	Quam
Burleigh	Eckert	Kellogg	Rabe
Anderson,	Ehr	Lackey	Root
Burke-Divide	Elmer	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson,	Erickson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Erickson	Levin	Sims
Bollinger	26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Fedge	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Frandsen	Maddock	Shurr
Burk	Fredrickson	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Hardy	McCay	Traynor
Burns	Harrington	McGauvran	Tweten
Carr	Haugland	Morton	Vogel

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Heaton	Muus	Walker
Cole	Helbling	Norden	Yeater
Craig	Hodges	Oberg	Mr. Speaker
Currie	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	
Doyle	Jackson	Olson, Towner	
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Hempel	McDowell	Steen
Ellingson	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Flom	Hoople	Olafson	Twichell
Freeman	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Geizler	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Veitch
Goranson	Johnson, Trail	Quade	Watt
Halerow	Kelly	Radcliffe	Weisbeck
Hanson	Kopp	Rustad	Weld
Hart	Lynch	Sproul	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Link	Opland	Streich
Lakie	Miller	Patterson	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" for the reason that our farmers are being damaged a thousand times more by the wild ducks than they are being damaged by magpies. I failed to have this bill amended to include wild ducks; so I therefore vote "no."

Mr. Twichell and Mr. Vogel also explained their votes.

Senate Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-Enact Section 1, of Chapter 242, Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Bounty on Wolves and Coyotes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 86, nays 17, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Messrs. Nelson Quam
Anderson	Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Elmer	Jones	Root
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Sagen
Sargent	26th Dist.	Kelly	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Erickson	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	16th Dist.	Larkin	Sims
Boyd	Fedge	Larson	Slominski
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Lazier	Sproul
Bryans	Fredrickson	Levin	Starke
Burk	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Steen
Burkhart	Geizler	McManus	Shurr
Burns	Goranson	Maddock	Sweet
Carr	Halerow	Martin	Traynor
Cart	Hardy	McCay	Trubshaw
Cole	Harrington	McDowell	Tweten
Craig	Hart	McGauvran	Vogel
Currie	Haugland	Morton	Walker
	Heaton	Muus	Watt
	Hempel	Norden	Weisbeck

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Doyle	Hodges	Oberg	Weld
Dougherty	Hoople	Olafson	Yeater
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Rustad
Hanson	Kopp	Peters	Twichell
Heibling	Lynch	Quade	Ulland
Jackson	Olson, Towner	Radcliffe	Veitch
Jardine			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Lackie	Opland	Plath
Chas	Link	Patterson	Streich
Henne	Miller		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$30,950.00 for the purpose of carrying out the Provisions of Chapter 115 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to Vocational Education and Vocational Rehabilitation.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 71, nays 28, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Radcliffe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Ehr	Jones	Roof
Anderson, Sargent	Ellingson	Kellogg	Rustad
Arduser	Elmer	Kelly	Sagen
Boyd	Erickson, 26th Dist.	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Fedge	Levin	Sims
Burk	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sleminski
Burkhart	Frederickson	McManus	Spreul
Earns	Gefszler	Martin	Starke
Cart	Halcrow	McCay	Steen
Oble	Hardy	Merton	Swett
Craig	Harrington	Muns	Traynor
Currie	Haugland	Oberg	Trubshaw
Doyle	Heaton	Olafson	Vogel
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Walker
	Hoople	Peters	Watt
	Iverson	Plath	Weisbeck
		Quam	Weld

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Henne	Lynch	Rabe
Flom	Jackson	Maddock	Shurr
Freeman	Jardine	McDowell	Twetén
Goranson	Johnson, Pembina	McGauvran	Twichell
Hanson	Johnson, Traill	Norden	Veitch
Hart	Kopp	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Heibling	Lazier	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Lackey	Miller	Patterson
Brown	Lakie	Olson, Townner	Strelch
Eckert	Link	Opland	Ulland
Hempel			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Maddock changed his vote from "aye" to "no" and served notice of his intention to move reconsideration.

Senate Bill No. 196. A Bill for an Act to Provide an Appropriation for the Eradication of the Barberry Bushes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 66, nays 38, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Dougherty	Kelly	Sagen
Burleigh	Durkes	Kopp	Sathre, Steele
Anderson	Ehr	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Larkin	Slominski
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sims
Sargent	Franson	Levin	Sproul
Arduser	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Bollinger	Freeman	McManus	Shurr
Bratsberg	Goranson	Maddock	Swett
Bryans	Halcrow	Martin	Traynor
Burk	Hardy	Muns	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Harrington	Oberg	Twichell
Burns	Haugland	Olafson	Vogel
Carr	Heaton	Peters	Walker
Cart	Hoople	Plath	Watt
Currie	Iverson	Radcliffe	Yeater
Doyle	Jackson	Rustad	Mr. Speaker
	Kellogg	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Hart	Larson	Quade
Craig	Helbling	Lynch	Rabe
Ellingson	Hempel	McCay	Root
Elmer	Henne	McDowell	Steen
Erickson	Hodges	McGauvran	Twetten
26th Dist.	Jardine	Morton	Ulland
Fedge	Johnson, Nelson	Norden	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Geisler	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Townner	Weld
Hanson	Jones	Orange	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Lackie	Miller	Patterson
Cole	Link	Opland	Streich
Eckert			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Mr. Twichell asked unanimous consent of the House to offer an amendment to Senate Bill No. 185.

Which consent was granted.

Mr. Twichell offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 185, and moved its adoption:

On page 6, Section 7, lines 5 and 6, strike out the words "and shall supervise and direct county child welfare board, when they exist."

Which motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that Senate Bill No. 185 be considered properly engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 185 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Support of Needy Women who are the Mothers of and Who are Compelled to Support one or More Children Under Sixteen Years of Age.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 4, absent and not voting 22.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Erickson,	Jones	Root
Anderson	26th Dist.	Kellogg	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Kopp	Sims
Anderson,	Flom	Larkin	Slominski
Sargent	Frandsen	Larson	Sproul
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lazier	Starke
Boyd	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Lynch	Shurr
Bryans	Goranson	McManus	Swett
Burk	Goranson	Waddock	Traynor
Burkhart	Hardy	Martin	Trubshaw
Burns	Harrington	Morton	Tweten
Carr	Hart	Muus	Twichell
Cart	Haugland	Oberg	Ulland
Cole	Helbling	Olafson	Vogel
Craig	Hedges	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Currie	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Watt
Foyie	Iverson	Peters	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Jackson	Plath	Weld
Durkee	Jardine	Quade	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Quam	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Henne	McDowell	Sagen	Veitch

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Heaton	Link	Orange
Bollinger	Hempel	McCay	Patterson
Eckert	Kelly	McGauvran	Rustad
Erickson	Lackey	Miller	Sethre, Williams
16th Dist.	Lakie	Norden	Streich
Hanson	Levin	Opland	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$54,000.00 for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River From Burleigh County to Morton County in the State of North Dakota Under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Sixteenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, Approved March 5, 1919, in Addition to the Sums Appropriated by Chapter 4 of the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly, Approved December 12, 1919, and Chapter 6 of the Laws Passed at the Seventeenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota Approved March 9, 1921, and That Such Appropriation Be Made From the State Highway Fund.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 4, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Kopp Larkin Larson Lazier Levin Loudenbeck Lynch McManus Maddock Martin McCay McDowell McGarran Morton Muus Norden Oberg Olafson Olson, Ransom Olson, Townner Orange Peters Piath Quade Quam Rabe	Radcliffe Rcot Rustad Sagen Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams Sims Slominski Sproul Starke Steen Shurr Swett Traynor Trubshaw Tweten Twitchell Ulland Veitch Vogel Walker Watt Weld Yeater Mr. Speaker
Anderson Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom Frandsen Freeman Goranson Halcrow Hanson Hardy Harrington Hart Haugland Heaton Helbling Hoople Iverson Jackson Jardine Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Trail Jones Kellogg Kelly		
Arduser Bollinger Boyd Bratsberg Bryans Burk Burns Carr Cart Craig Currie Dougherty Durkee Ehr Ellingson Elmer Erickson 26th Dist.			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Getzler	Henne	Hodges	Weisbeck

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown Burkhart Cole Doyle	Eckert Fredrickson Hempel Lackey	Lackie Link Miller	Opland Patterson Streich

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

There being no objection the House reverted to the Twelfth Order of Business.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) for the Retirement of Part of the Bonds Issued Against the Present Bridge Across the Red River of the North from a Point in the County of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a Point in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota at Oslo, and That Such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Funds.

Which Senate has amended as follows:

In title of Engrossed Bill, in line 1 after the word "to" strike out the balance of title and insert in lieu thereof the following words and figures: "amend and re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 4, of the Session Laws of North Dakota, as passed at the Special Session for the Year 1919, as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 5, of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921. Being an act to appropriate out of the State Highway Fund the sum of \$3,500.00 for the retirement of part of the Bonds, issued against the present bridge, across the Red River of the North, from a point in the county of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a point on the county of Marshall and State of Minnesota, at Oslo, Minnesota, Under the provisions of Chapter 73 of the laws passed by the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota in the year 1919."

In line 2, Section 1 of the Engrossed Bill, after the word "of" strike out the words "the State Highway Fund" and insert in lieu thereof the words "any monies in the State Highway Fund, under paragraph 2A, of Section 11, of Chapter 44, of the laws of the Special Session of North Dakota for the year 1919."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Slominski moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 74.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Slominski moved that the Rules be suspended; that House Bill No. 74 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) for the Retirement of Part of the Bonds Issued Against the Present Bridge Across the Red River of the North from a Point in the County of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a Point in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota at Oslo, and That Such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Funds.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 104, nays none, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kellogg	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Root
Anderson	Franson	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Goranson	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Halerow	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bryans	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	Maddock	Steen
Burns	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Cart	Heaton	McDowell	Trubshaw
Craig	Helbling	McGauvran	Tweten
Currie	Hempel	Morton	Twichell
Doyle	Henne	Muus	Ulland
Dougherty	Hodges	Norden	Veitch
Dougherty	Hoopel	Oberg	Vogel
Ehr	Iverson	Olafson	Walker
Ellingson	Jackson	Oison, Ransom	Watt
Ermer	Jardine	Oison, Townner	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weid
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Yeater
	Johnson, Trail.	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Jones	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Lackie	Opland	Streich
Cole	Miller	Patterson	Traynor
Eckert			

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return,

Senate Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expense of the State Normal and Industrial School at Ellendale, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 1 of the Engrossed Bill in line 3, strike out the word "Twenty-eight" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Fourteen."

In item 3, strike out the figures "\$20,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$12,000.00."

In item 2, on page 2, strike out the figures "\$4,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,000.00."

On page 2 after the "Total" strike out the figures "\$34,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$24,000.00."

On page 2, after the word "Purposes" strike out the figures "\$124,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$114,000.00."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 81.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the Rules be suspended; that House Bill No. 81 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expense of the State Normal and Industrial School at Ellendale, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 2, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kelly	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Flom	Lackey	Root
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Freeman	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Geiszler	Levin	Sathre, Williams
Bollinger	Goranson	Link	Sims
Boyd	Halerow	Loudenbeck	Stominski
Bratsberg	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Burk	Hart	Martin	Steen
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Burns	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Carr	Helbling	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Tweten
Cole	Hodges	Muus	Twichell
Craig	Hoople	Norden	Ulland
Currie	Iverson	Oberg	Veitch
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Vogel
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Trail.	Peters	Weld
26th Dist.	Jones	Piath	Yeater
	Kellogg	Quande	Mr. Speaker
		Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Harrington	Henne

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Fedze	Miller	Streich
Doyle	Lakie	Opland	Swett
Eckert	Maddock	Patterson	

So the bill passed as the Senate amended it and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return ,

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 1, line 3, of the Engrossed bill strike out the figures "\$290,710.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$326,510.00."

On page 2, in item 3, below line 1, insert the following words and figures, "Girls Cottage \$30,000.00."

In line 3, strike out the figures "\$19,200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,000.00."

In line 4, after the word "total" strike out the figures "\$82,200.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$118,000.00."

On page 3, item 5, line 6 ,strike out the figures "\$290,-710.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$326,510.00"

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Watt moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 92, and requested that a Conference Committee be appointed.

Mr. Walker moved as a substitute motion, that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 92.

Which substitute motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Watt; which motion prevailed.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Traveling Expenses and Propagation of Game Departments of the State Game and Fish Board.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Money for the Expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the State Government, and for Public Schools, Specifying the Amount and Time for Which Such Appropriations Shall be Available, and Repealing all Acts, or Parts of Acts, Insofar as the Same Shall Relate to Appropriations Conflicting Herewith, or to Appropriations for the Same Matters or Purposes Provided for Herein.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Treasurer's Office.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Relating to What Shall be Carried as "Consolidated Tax Account," and Repealing Section 2274, Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 253, Session Laws of 1915.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to provide Funds to Pay the Necessary Expenses and Reasonable Compensation to Commissioners Appointed in Actions to Release Insane Patients Prescribed by Section 2552 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Teachers' College at Valley City, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 98. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred by the Flood Control Commission.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Executive Department.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acceptance of the Provisions of the Sheppard-Towner Act; making an Appropriation to meet the Allotments of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Authorizing the State Department of Health to Accept Funds for Infant and Maternal Hygiene Work.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 46, nays 47, absent adn not voting 20.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Quam
Burleigh	Erickson	Jones	Sims
Boyd	16th Dist.	Kellogg	Starke
Barkhart	Frandsen	Kelly	Shurr
Bryans	Fredrickson	Larkin	Swett
Burk	Freeman	Lazier	Vogel
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Levin	Walker
Burns	Harrington	Loudenbeck	Weisbeck
Carr	Haugland	Martin	Weid
Cart	Hempel	Muus	Yeater
Currie	Hoople	Oberg	
Elmer	Iverson	Olafson	
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hanson	Larson	Root
Burke-Divide	Hardy	Lynch	Slominski
Arduser	Hart	McManus	Sproul
Bollinger	Heaton	McDowell	Steen
Cole	Heibling	McGauvran	Traynor
Craig	Henne	Olson, Towner	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hodges	Orange	Tweten
Ehr	Jackson	Peters	Twichell
Ellingson	Jardine	Plath	Ulland
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Quade	Veitch
Geiszler	Kopp	Rabe	Watt
Goranson	Lackey	Radcliffe	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Eckert	Miller	Rustad
Sargent	Fedge	Morton	Sagen
Brown	Lakie	Norden	Sathre, Steele
Doyle	Link	Opland	Sathre, Williams
Dougherty	Maddock	Patterson	Stretch
	McCay		

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on this bill because I believe the Sheppard-Towner Act to be the most un-American, socialistic and iniquitous piece of legislation the Federal Government has ever put on its statute books.

Mrs. Craig changed her vote from "aye" to "no" and served notice of intention to reconsider the vote.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 56 was lost, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider laid on the table.

Mr. Starke moved that the House do now recess until 12:30 P. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND
FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

The House re-assembled at 12:30 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars to the Bovine Tuberculosis Fund for Carrying Out the Provisions of Article 17, Revised Code 1913 and Amendments Thereto, Relating to the Reimbursement of Owners of Tuberculous Cattle.

Also,

House Bill No. 80. A Bill for an act to Make Appropriation for Postage, Office Supplies, Furniture and Fixtures, Printing, Miscellaneous Expenses, Traveling Expense, Maintenance of Game Farms, Salary and Expenses of Fish Commissioner and Deputy Fish Commissioner, and Expenses and Maintenance of Fish Hatchery.

Also,

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing when the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be printed, and what Matter shall be Excluded Therefrom, and repeal All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Also,

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Six Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Glanders and Dourine Indemnity Fund.

Also,

House Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Five Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Grand Forks for the Years 1923 and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Also,

House Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Ten Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to

State Fair at Fargo for the Year 1923, and 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Also,

House Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Funds to Indemnify Owners of Animals Infected with Bovine Tuberculosis.

Also,

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

Also,

House Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act Authorizing Abatements to Purchasers of Tax Certificates on State Land.

Also,

House Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 58 of the Special Session of North Dakota for 1919.

Also,

House Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists.

Also,

House Bill No. 195. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to Interest to be Charged Upon Delinquent Inheritance Taxes.

Also,

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

Also,

House Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act for an Appropriation to the Board of Auditors as Provided for in Section 359 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Law Approved November 2nd, 1920.

Also,

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Levying of a Tax to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Pay-

ing the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating and Winding Up the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore or Hereafter Issued by the State of North Dakota, in Any Case Where Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing, Negotiating or Delivering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold, or Where Bonds Are Re-transferred for Cancellation; and Providing for the Re-issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced or Re-transferred Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

Also,

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913 Relating to the Selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of Other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Leasehold Premises Held Under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners May Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Providing the Breadth of the Operation in Such Injunction by Making It Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include Any Place Within the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 153 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Bonds of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Series.

Also,

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota, Relating to Board of Administration.

Also,

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

Also,

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Member of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and for the Apportionment and Term of Office and the

Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committee-men; for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Sections 857, 859., 889, 901a, 910, 912, 917, 918, 919, and 971a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and all Other Acts or Parts of Acts that Are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosures of Mortgages by Agent or Attorney and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgment in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

Were delivered to the Governor for his approval at the hour of 2:30 o'clock P. M.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 92 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Watt, Opland and Kelly to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Senators Ettestad, Ployhar and Porter to act as a conference committee on House Bill No. 311.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Carr moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 305.

Which motion prevailed.

There being no objection, the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mrs. Craig moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 56 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Jackson moved that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

A demand for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result: Ayes 20, nays 79, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Durkee	Hart	Lynch	Root
Ellingson	Henne	McDowell	Stominski
Elmer	Hodges	McGauvran	Traynor
Flom	Jackson	Norden	Twichell
Geiszler	Kopp	Peters	Ulland

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Frandsen	Levin	Sage.
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Anderson	Goranson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Halcrow	Levin	Sims
Anderson,	Hanson	Link	Sproul
Sargent	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Starke
Arduser	Harrington	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Haugland	Martin	Streich
Bryans	Heaton	McCay	Shurr
Burk	Helbling	Miller	Swett
Burns	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Carr	Hoople	Muus	Tweten
Cart	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Craig	Jardine	Olafson	Watt
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Doyle	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Weld
Dougherty	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Yeater
Eekert	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson,	Kellogg	Quade	
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quam	
Erickson	Lackey	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Lackie	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Cole	Maddock	Veitch
Boyd	Ehr	Opland	Walker
Brown	Fedge	Orange	
Burkhart	Freeman	Rustad	

So the motion to lay on the table was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mrs. Craig, to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 56 was lost, the motion prevailed.

Mr. Starke moved that Senate Bill No. 56 be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acceptance of the Provisions of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Making an Appropriation to Meet the Allotments of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Authorizing State Department

of Health to Accept Funds for Infant and Maternal Hygiene Work.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 81, nays 21, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Kelly	Rabe
Burleigh	Frandsen	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lackie	Sagen
Sargent	Freeman	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Goranson	Larson	Sathre, Williams
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lazier	Sims
Bryans	Hanson	Levin	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	Link	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	Loudenbeck	Steen
Burns	Haugland	McManus	Streich
Carr	Heaton	Martin	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Currie	Hodges	Morton	Vogel
Doyle	Koople	Muus	Walker
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Watt
Ehr	Jardine	Olafson	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Jones	Plath	
	Kellogg	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	McDowell	Root
Burke-Divide	Hart	McGauvran	Slominski
Bollinger	Henne	Norden	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Elmer	Kopp	Peters	
Flom	Lynch	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Dougherty	Opland	Trubshaw
Brown	Ellingson	Rustad	Twichell
Cole	Maddock	Traynor	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Watt explained his vote.

Mrs. Craig moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 56 was passed be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to

House Bill No. 305 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Carr, Vogel and Ehr to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 24 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Issuing of Bonds of the State of North Dakota in a sum not Exceeding Two Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Home Building Series."

Also,

House Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Reporting at the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Contracts Involving Labor Entered Into by All Political Subdivisions of the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 215. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1921, Relating to Enforcement of Payment of Premiums to the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Also,

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking Their Ballots.

Also,

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, An Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for Which the Appropriation is Made.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

There being no objection, the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Maddock moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 89 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that the House request the Senate to return Senate Bill No. 175.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

House Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 4, of the Session Laws of North Dakota, as Passed at the Special Session for the Year 1919, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 5 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921. Being an Act to Appropriate Out of the State Highway Fund the Sum of \$3,500.00 for the retirement of Part of the Bonds, Issued Against the Present Bridge, Across the Red River of the North, from a Point in the County of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a Point on the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, at Oslo, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed by the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota in the Year 1919.

Also,

House Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Maintenance of the State Capitol and for Improvements, Repairs and Equipment Thereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Minot, North Dakota, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the School for the Deaf at Devils Lake, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and En-
grossment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the State Hospital for the Insane at Jamestown, North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making Appropriations for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Penitentiary and for Making of Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of One Hundred Seventy-Six Thousand Dollars for Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Dunseith.

Also,

House Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$10,000.00 for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Free Employment Service Under Chapter 117, Session Laws of 1921.

Also,

House Bill No. 98. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Forty-Eight and 48-100 Dollars (\$12,548.48) According to Chapter 327 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919 of the State of North Dakota for the Purpose of Stamping out Venereal Diseases.

Also,

House Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to Aid in the Educational Work being carried on by the North Dakota Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Prevention of the Spread of Tuberculosis More Definitely Prescribed in Chapter 7 of the Session Laws of North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Completion and Furnishing of the Liberty Memorial Building.

Also,

House Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Twelve Thousand Sixty-five and 15-100 Dollars (\$12,065.15) for the Payment to Bishop Brissman & Co. of the Sum Due them for the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, and for other Services rendered.

Were delivered to the Governor for his approval at the hour of 2:30 o'clock P. M.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Sathre of Steele moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Sathre to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 175. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Examination, Commitment, Care and Maintenance, Release and Discharge of Persons Alleged or Found to be Feeble-minded.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Section 4, line 1, change the word "two" to the word "a."

Line 2, strike out the word "physicians" and in lieu thereof insert "physician and some other person"; also on the same line strike out the "s" of the word "judges."

Insert a period after the last word "board" in line 14, and strike out the remainder of the sentence.

Section 10, line 1, change the word "probate" to "county."

Line 4, strike out the words "each examiner" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the physician and layman."

Line 5, change the word "ten" to "five."

After the word "court" in line 14, strike out the balance of the section.

And when so amended recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 352. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9235 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Sabbath Breaking.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 12, strike out the line and insert in lieu thereof the following: "(6) Public Dancing."

And when so amended recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 325. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 551, 552 and 557 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Governing the Practice of Certified Public Accountants in the State, and Providing a Penalty for Violation of the Laws Governing Accountancy.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Strike out all of Sections 1 and 2, and number what is now Section 3 as Section 1.

Under Section 557, in line 6 (printed bill) after the word "shall" insert "have his certificate revoked and."

In same line 6, strike out the words "a misdemeanor" and insert in lieu thereof the words "guilty of a felony."

In line 9, strike out the words "county jail" and in lieu thereof insert the words "State Penitentiary."

In line 10, strike out the words "exceeding thirty days" and in lieu thereof insert the words "less than one year or more than three years."

Amend the title of the bill by striking out "Sections 551, 552 and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Section."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 186. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Abandonment or Neglect of Wife or Child, and the Desertion and Non-support of Family, and for the Repeal of Sections 9589 and 9603 Inclusive. Compiled Laws of 1913.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Printed Bill:

Section 2. Line 6, strike out the word "misdemeanor" and insert in lieu thereof the words "felony, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished therefor by imprisonment in the State Penitentiary for not more than five years."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 197. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 146 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Office of Commissioner of Immigration, Prescribing His Powers and Duties, and Making an Appropriation Therefor, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Amend Section 2 by adding thereto as follows:

"The Commissioner of Agriculture shall also co-operate with the North Dakota Coal Operators Association and shall, so far as practical and possible, assist in the development of the lignite coal industry."

Amend Section 4 of said bill by striking out the figures \$12,000 and inserting in lieu thereof the figures \$18,000.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

P. O. SATHRE,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

A request that the report of the Committee of the Whole be divided, was granted.

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bills Nos. 175, 352, 325 and 186, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed, and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to the four bills mentioned, was adopted.

Mr. Maddock moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 197, be adopted.

A demand for a roll call was granted.

Mr. Hempel moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present except: Messrs. Burk, Rustad and McGauvran.

The Speaker instructed the Sargeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Jardine moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Maddock, that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 197, be adopted, the roll was called and disclosed the following result: Ayes 67, nays 40, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Eckert	Kopp	Opland
Burlingh	Elmer	Kopp	Patterson
Anderson	Erickson	Lackey	Quam
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Lakie	Rabe

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fedge	Levin	Sims
Bollinger	Frandsen	Link	Slominski
Boyd	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Bratsberg	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Brown	Harrington	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Burns	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Cart	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Cole	Iverson	Muus	Walker
Doyle	Jones	Oberg	Watt
Dougherty	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Weld

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Halerow	Lynch	Radcliffe
Carr	Hanson	McDowell	Root
Craig	Henne	McGauvran	Sproul
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Traynor
Durkee	Jackson	Olafson	Trubshaw
Ellingson	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Veitch
Freeman	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weisbeck
Geiszler	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Yeater
Goranson	Larson	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ehr	Heaton	Sagen	Twichell
Hart	Rustad		

So the motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 197, was adopted.

Mrs. Craig: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" because I have a fear that this amendment will kill the bill.

Mr. Heaton: Mr. Speaker, I desire to pass. I hate to vote against my colleagues and I cannot vote with them.

Mr. Heaton was excused from voting.

Mr. Hanson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

The House convened at 2:00 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. F. Alfson.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Burkhardt, Craig, Fedge, Henne, Rustad and Steen.

Mr. Frandson moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Communications made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Communications to whom was referred three petitions sent Representative Ehr against Senate Bill No. 371, have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be read but not printed in the Journal.

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sproul moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bill:

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And find the same correctly enrolled.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May Be Pardoned.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 4, of the Session Laws of North Dakota, as Passed at the Special Session for the Year 1919, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 5 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921. Being an Act to Appropriate Out of the State Highway Fund the Sum of \$3,500.00 for the retirement of Part of the Bonds, Issued Against the Present Bridge, Across the Red River of the North, from a Point in the County of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a Point on the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota, at Oslo, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed by the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota in the Year 1919.

Also,

House Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Maintenance of the State Capitol and for Improvements, Repairs and Equipment Thereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Minot, North Dakota, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the School for the Deaf at Devils Lake, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the

Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the State Hospital for the Insane at Jamestown, North Dakota.

Also,

House Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making Appropriations for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Penitentiary and for Making of Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of One Hundred Seventy-six Thousand Dollars for Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Dunsenith.

Also,

House Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$10,000.00 for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Free Employment Service Under Chapter 117, Session Laws of 1921.

Also,

House Bill No. 98. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Fort-eighty and 48-100 Dollars (\$12,548.48) According to Chapter 237 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919 of the State of North Dakota for the Purpose of Stamping Oue Venereal Diseases.

Also,

House Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to Aid in the Educational Work Being Carried On by the North Dakota Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Prevention of the Spread of Tuberculosis More Definitely Prescribed in Chapter 7 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 for the Salary and Traveling Expenses.

Also,

House Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Completion and Furnishing of the Library Memorial Building.

Also,

House Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Twelve Thousand Sixty-five and 15-100 Dollars (\$12,065.15) for the Payment to Bishop Brissman & Co. of the Sum Due them for the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, and for other Services rendered.

And find the same correctly enrolled.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

House Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) for the Retirement of Part of the Bonds Issued Against the Present Bridge Across the Red River of the North from a Point in the County of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a Point in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota at Oslo, and that Such Appropriation Be Made from the State Highway Funds.

Also,

House Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Maintenance of the State Capitol and for Improvements, Repairs and Equipment Thereof.

Also,

House Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Minot, North Dakota, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

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Also,

House Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to Aid in the Educational Work Being Carried On by the North Dakota Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Prevention of the Spread of Tuberculosis More Definitely Prescribed in Chapter 7 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 for the Salary and Traveling Expenses.

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Also,

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And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred a Concurrent Resolution introduced by Senator Gross,

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Cart moved, as a substitute motion, that the report be not adopted.

Which substitute motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Twichell, the motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 341. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Tax Upon Gasoline, Stored, Shipped, Distributed or Held for Sale Within this State, for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying the Expenses of the State Government; Providing for the Administration of the Same; Repealing Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1919 as Amended by Chapter 64 of the Special Session Laws of 1919.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Amendments are to the engrossed bill as it came from the Senate:

In line 2, Section 4, strike out the word "oils" and insert the word "gasoline."

In line 4, Section 9, strike out the word "oil" and insert the word "gasoline."

In line 8, Section 9, strike out the word "oil" in the two places where the word appears in that line and insert the word "gasoline" in each such place.

In line 11, Section 9, strike out the word "oil" and insert the word "gasoline."

In line 3, Section 10, strike out the word "oil" and insert the word "gasoline."

In line 10, Section 7, strike out the word "oils" and insert the word "gasoline."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 371. A Bill for an Act for the Protection of Health and Prevention of Fraud and Deception in Articles of Food and Drugs; etc.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 373. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Fraud and Deception in the Manufacture and Sale of Beverages; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; etc.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 379. A Bill for an Act to Regulate the Sale of Petroleum Products; to Provide for the Inspection of Kerosene and Gasoline; to Provide Specifications Therefor; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide for Inspection Fees, Collection and Disposition of Same; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Inspection of Lubricating and Power Oils; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Act; to Provide Penalties for the Violation Thereof and to Repeal Existing Acts Relating Thereto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Porter.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be adopted.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 70. A Bill for an Act to Incorporate and Establish the North West Agricultural, Live Stock and Fair Association, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that Senate Bill No. 70 be referred to General Orders.

Which motion was lost.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Watt, the motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$573,118.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, and Equipment of the Agricultural College, Fargo, for the Biennium.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the figures "\$544,906.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$567,906.00."

In line 3 strike out the figures "\$544,906.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$567,906.00."

Under Improvements and Repairs add the following: "Mechanical Arts Building \$5,000.00; Auditorium \$3,000.00; Armory \$5,000.00; Trunk Sewer to River (College share) \$10,000.00."

In line Total of Improvements and Repairs strike out the figures \$15,000.00 and insert the figures "\$38,000.00."

In line 2 under Recapitulation strike out the figures "\$15,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$38,000.00."

In the last line of total net Budget strike out the figures "\$544,906.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$567,906.00."

In line 74 add the following: "Interest \$10,000.00."

In line 75 strike out the word "Insurance" also figures "\$16,000.00" and insert the figures "\$26,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$1,042,965.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Equipment, etc., of the State University at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the figures "\$1,042,965.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,058,615.00" and also the same change in line 3 of Section 1.

In line 7 strike out the figures "\$15,360.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,360.00."

In line 3 of Maintenance Administration, strike out the figures "\$20,830.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$22,280.00."

In line 5 of the same section strike out the figures "\$8,260.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$9,460.00."

In line 12 of the bottom of page 2 of the printed bill strike out the figures "\$901,863.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$907,513.00."

In line 7 of page 4 of the printed bill insert the following: "Maintenance Briquetting Plant \$10,000.00."

In line 8 strike out the figures "\$44,280.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$54,280.00."

In line 11 strike out the figures "\$38,280.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$48,280.00."

In line 13 strike out the figures "\$1,042,965.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,058,615.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Money for the Expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the State Government, and for Public Schools, Specifying the Amount and Time for Which Such Appropriations Shall be Available, and Repealing all Acts, or Parts of Acts, Insofar as the Same Shall Relate to Appropriations Conflicting Herewith, or to Appropriations for the Same Matters or Purposes Provided for Herein.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Under sub-division one replace line 14 which the Senate committee struck out.

In line 17 strike out the figures "\$21,600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$21,500.00."

In line 7 of sub-division 7 strike out the figures "\$10,000.00" in the engrossed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,000.00." Also in line 8 of the same sub-division strike out the figures "\$4,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,500.00." Also in line 18 of the same sub-division strike out the figures "\$28,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$40,000.00."

In line 8 of sub-division 17 strike out the figures "\$8,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$7,200.00." In line 25 of the same sub-division strike out the figures "\$98,300.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$97,100.00."

In line 4 of sub-division 21 strike out the figures "\$6,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,500.00." Also in line 7 of the same sub-division strike out the words "part time" and the small letter "a" on the word "accountant" and in lieu thereof place a capital letter "A." In line 16 of the same sub-division strike out the figures "\$400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,400.00" and in line 17 strike out the figures "\$1,600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$600.00." In line 22 strike out the figures "\$58,920.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$59,920.00."

In line 11 of sub-division 24 strike out the figures "\$800.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00." Also in line 16 strike out the figures "\$400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$200.00." Also in line 19 strike out the figures "\$20,240.00" of the engrossed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$19,140.00" c. In line 11 of sub-division 4 strike out the word "new" and insert following the word "Reports" the word "Deficit" in parenthesis.

Strike out all of sub-division 18.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit incurred by the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$292,250.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements, Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Purchase of Live Stock, for the Experiment Station at the Agricultural College at Fargo, for the Biennium.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the figures "\$293,350.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$287,350.00."

In line 3 strike out the figures "\$293,350.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$287,350.00."

In line 3 under "Maintenance" strike out the figures "\$10,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$15,000.00."

In line 8 strike out the "and" and insert the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line between lines 8 and 9 strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00" and number said line 8½.

In line 11 strike out the figures "\$247,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$267,400.00."

In line 5 under "Improvements and Repairs" in engrossed bill strike out the whole of line five. Also in line

6 strike out the figures "\$17,250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$7,250.00."

Strike out all of lines 4, 5 and 6 under "New Buildings" in the engrossed bill; also strike out the figures "\$22,700.00" in line 8 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,700.00."

In line 45 strike out the figures "\$293,350.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$287,350.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 198. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, for the Purpose of Carrying Out, Maintaining General Supervision and Regulation of Grain Grading, Elevator Accounting and Inspection of Elevators, Warehouses and Flour Mills in Handling of all Agricultural Products.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 3 of the engrossed bill strike out the figures "\$60,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$50,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 105. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$18,825.00 for the Purpose of Paying Per Diem, Clerk Hire, Traveling Expense etc., in Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 126 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relative to the Depositors Guaranty Fund Commission.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the figures "\$18,825.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,800.00."

In line 4 after the figures 1917 insert the following: "and amendments thereto."

In line 3 of Section 1 strike out the figures "\$18,825.00"

and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,800.00" and after the figures 1917 in the same section insert the following: "and amendments thereto."

In line 7 of the printed bill strike out the word "three" and also the figures "\$1200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1500.00."

Strike out all of line 8.

In line 9 strike out the figures "\$3600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3000.00."

In line 10 insert the words "or Inspectors" just following the word "Supervisors." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$4400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4,000.00."

In line 12 strike out the figures "\$300.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00."

In line 14 strike out the figures "\$600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1000.00."

In line 15 strike out the figures "\$250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$450.00."

In line 17 strike out the figures "\$300.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$400.00."

Strike out all of line 18.

In line 19 strike out the figures "\$1800.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2000.00."

In line 20 strike out the figures "\$3300.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4,000.00."

In line 22 strike out the figures "\$18,825.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,800.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$117,238.00 as an Offset for Federal Aid in Extension Division Work of the Agricultural College.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 3 of the printed bill strike out the figures "\$117,338.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$131,200.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The committee on Judiciary made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 256. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties, and for other Purposes.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

C. H. STARKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Starke moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted .

The committee on Elections and Election Privileges made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Elections and Election Privileges to whom was re-referred:

Senate Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 869 and 983 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 119, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in Primary and General Elections.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

In line 1 of the original bill strike out the word "amended" and insert in lie uthereof the word "amendment."

In line 7 of the original bill following the words "seven o'clock P. M." insert the following "twenty minutes prior to the hour of closing the inspector shall proclaim to the electors outside the number of minutes before the polls will be closed."

In line 5 of the original bill strike out the period following the word "when" and insert in lieu thereof the words, capitalized, "AT PRIMARY ELECTIONS."

In line 17 of the original bill strike out the word "amended" and insert in lieu thereof the word "amendment."

On page 2 line 1, of the original bill, capitalize the words "WHEN POLLS ARE TO BE OPENED OR CLOSED."

Strike out the period after the word "closed" in line 1,

page 2, of the original bill, and insert in lieu thereof in capitals the words "AT GENERAL ELECTIONS."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON,
Chairman.

The committee on Livestock made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Livestock to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 31 of the Special Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Purchase of Dairy Cattle by Counties.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be referred to General Orders.

H. McDOWELL,

The committee on Conference on House Bill No. 35 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Conference to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Prescribing the rate of mileage allowed the Sheriff.

Have had the same under consideration and beg leave to advise you that the Senate Conference Committee has agreed to recede from the Senate Amendments, and that your Joint Conference Committee recommend that said Bill be amended to read as follows in the body of the bill:

Section 3521. MILEAGE. In addition to the salary prescribed by the preceding section the Sheriff or his deputy or deputies shall be allowed twenty cents per mile for each and every mile actually and necessarily traveled in the performance of any of their official duties when such travel is by motor vehicle or by team; and that the sheriff or his deputy or deputies shall be allowed ten cents per mile for each and every mile actually and necessarily so traveled by rail; Provided, however, that in lieu of such mileage any sheriff shall be allowed actual expenses only in travel outside of the State on official business.

For the Senate:
VAN CAMP,
P. J. MURPHY,
D. H. HAMILTON.

For the House:
JOSEPH MCGAUVRAN,
R. M. SPROUL,
J. H. BURKHART,

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOS. MCGAUVRAN,
Chairman.

Mr. McGauvran moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Patterson moved that the report of the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 35, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burkhart moved that the Rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 35 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 88, nays 17, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Eckert	Keitogg	Peters
Burleigh	Ehr	Kelly	Quade
Anderson,	Ellingson	Kopp	Quam
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Lakie	Rabe
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Larkin	Radcliffe
Sargent	Flom	Larson	Root
Arduser	Frandsen	Levin	Sagen
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Freeman	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Goranson	McManus	Sims
Brown	Halerow	Maddock	Slominski
Bryans	Hardy	Martin	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Steen
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Streich
Burns	Haugland	Miller	Shurr
Carr	Hodges	Morton	Traynor
Cart	Hoople	Muus	Tweten
Cole	Iverson	Norden	Veitch
Craig	Jackson	Oberg	Vogel
Currie	Jardine	Olafson	Walker
Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Durkee	Jones	Patterson	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Elmer	Heaton	Lazier	Ulland
Erickson	Helbling	Link	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Hempel	McCay	Weld
Fedge	Henne	Swett	
Geisler	Johnson, Traill	Trubshaw	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hanson	Opland	Plath	Starke
Lackey	Orange	Rustad	Twichell

So the bill passed as amended by the Conference Committee and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Messrs. Murphy, Martin and Kelsh to act as a conference committee on House Bill No. 88.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 185 and the President has appointed Messrs. Baird, Baker and Stevens to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bills Nos. 369, 387, 196, 103, 288 and 344.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bills Nos. 311 and 337 and the President has appointed Messrs Whitmer, Sperry and Ward to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners' Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Le on Competitive Bids.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In line 3 of the Engrossed Bill strike out "purpose" and insert in lieu thereof "purchase."

In line 4 strike out "stationery" and insert "election" between "and" and "supplies."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Anderson moved that the House do concur in the Senate Amendments to House Bill No. 172.

Which motion wasl ost.

Mr. Hempel moved that the vote by which the motion that the House do concur in the Senate Amendments to House Bill No. 172, was lost be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Anderson moved tha the Rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 172 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading an final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act Granting to and Imposing Upon the Board of Administration Certain Powers and Duties with Reference to the Welfare of Children and the Administration and Enforcement of Laws Relating Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 47, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Eckert	Kellogg	Opland
Burleigh	Elmer	Kopp	Patterson
Anderson	Erickson	Lackey	Quam
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Lackie	Rabe
Anderson,	Erickson	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fedge	Levin	Sims
Bratsberg	Frandson	Link	Starke
Brown	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Shurr
Burk	Hart	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Burns	Heaton	Miller	Vogel
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Walker
Cole	Hoople	Muus	Weisbeck
Craig	Iverson	Norden	Weld
Doyle	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Root
Carr	Hardy	Lynch	Sagen
Currie	Helbling	McDowell	Slominski
Dougherty	Henne	McGauvran	Sproul
Durkee	Hodges	Oberg	Steen
Ehr	Jackson	Olafson	Traynor
Ellingson	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Trubshaw
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Twichell
Freeman	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Ulland
Geiszler	Johnson, Trail	Plath	Veitch
Goranson	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Halcrow	Larson	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Rustad	Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel explained his vote.

Mr. Anderson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 172 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$5,000.00 to the Missouri Slope Agricultural and Fair Association at Mandan for the fairs to be held in the years 1923 and 1924, as authorized by Sections 1860 to 1866, both inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In the title of the Engrossed Bill, strike out the figures "10,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "5,000.00."

In Section 1, line 2, strike out the figures "10,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "5,000.00."

In line 4, strike out the figures "5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,500.00".

In line 5, strike out the figures "5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "2,500.00"

In line 7, after the number "1860" strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "to"

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Walker moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 114.

Which motion prevailed.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 114 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Peters, Walker and Bollinger to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Starke, Jardine and Sathre of Steele to act as a conference committee on Senate Bill No. 185.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Kelly, Oberg and Anderson of Burleigh to act as a conference committee on Senate Bill No. 311 and Senate Bill No. 337.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Twichell moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present except Messrs. Bryans and Rustad.

The Speaker instructed the Sargeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Twichell moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act Re-establishing the North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association, Defining its Powers and Duties, and Providing for the Control, Management and Operation of State Owned Grain Warehouses, Elevators and Flour Mills and the Conduct of all Business Relating Thereto, Especially as Relates to the State Owned Mill and Elevator at Grand Forks and Providing for the Appointment of a Board of Managers Thereof and Repealing Chapter 152 Laws of North Dakota 1919, Entitled "An Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Business of Manufacturing and Marketing of Farm Products, and for Establishing a Warehouse, Elevator and Flour Mill System Under the Name of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation, and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; and Making an Appropriation Therefor."

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 55, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geisler	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Roet
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Slominski
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Sproul
Burns	Heaton	Muus	Starke
Carr	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twitchell
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Freeman	Kelty	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lackie	Patterson
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam
Anderson,	Erickson,	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	16th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fedgo	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Sweet
Cole	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Morton	Walker
Eckert	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weld
	Kellogg	Opland	Yeater

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mrs. Craig: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" because I consider this another bold attempt on the part of the Independents to

thwart the expressed will of the people as registered by their vote on measures referred to them in the past.

Mr. Haugland: Mr. Spaker, I want to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on this bill, because I have made no promise "to finish the job," and I regard this measure as a step in that direction. Shifting the responsibility where the parties cannot be held accountable is indeed "finishing the job." I vote "no."

Mr. Hempel: I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" on Senate Bill No. 261, for the reason that at the election when Mr. Nestos, by a majority vote was elected Governor, the people, with a larger majority voted "No" on such a law — showing that they wanted the mill and elevator operated under the old law. Therefore, I vote "no" in compliance with the wishes of the majority of the people of North Dakota.

Mr. Maddock: Mr. Speaker, I vote 'no' because the people of this great state have expressed their approval of the present law in placing direct responsibility upon their elective officials, without any intervening boards or persons.

Mr. Martin: Mr. Speaker, I vote "no" because I do not believe it good policy to place the mill and elevator in the hands of an appointed commission. I vote "no" because under section four of the present law the Industrial Commission have ample power to employ all the help they need to make the mill and elevator a success.

Mr. Sims: Mr. Speaker, I believe this is an effort to thwart the will of the people by this brilliant Assembly. I vote "no" and I ask that my remarks be recorded in the Journal.

Mr. Vogel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded in the Journal. I am compelled to vote "no" on this bill because this is another effort on the part of the majority of this House to defeat the will of the people as expressed at the polls. I vote "no" on this bill because I am confident that the people who placed the present Industrial Commission in power, demand of their commission that they fulfill their pledges to them. I vote "no" on this bill because it is a concerted effort on the part of the elected officials of this state to "pass the buck" to a board of appointed officials elected for six year terms, making it impossible, in case the appointed officials are derelict in their duty, for the people of this state to reach these officials through the power of the ballot.

Mr. Walker: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have same recorded. I vote "no" on this bill because it permits the Industrial Commission to shift the responsibility to a board not responsible to the will of the people. I vote "no" upon this bill because it substitutes government by bureaucracy for government by the

people; and, in fact, is a "buck-passing" piece of legislation.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 261 was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 284. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 782, 783, 784, 787, 799, 808, 809, 810, 811 and 812 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 69 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919, Relating to the Creating of a State Bar Board, Its Members, Their Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and the Issuance of License to Practice.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 69, nays 40, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Lackey	Peters
Burleigh	Goranson	Larkin	Plath
Anderson,	Halerow	Larson	Quade
Sargent	Hanson	Levin	Rabe
Bollinger	Harrington	Loudenbeck	Radcliffe
Boyd	Hart	Lynch	Root
Bryans	Heaton	McManus	Rustad
Burk	Hempel	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Henne	McGauvran	Sproul
Carr	Hodges	Miller	Starke
Cole	Iverson	Morton	Trubshaw
Currie	Jackson	Muus	Tweten
Dougherty	Jardine	Norden	Twichell
Durkes	Johnson, Nelson	Oberg	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Olafson	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Towner	Watt
Flom	Kelly	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Freeman	Kopp	Orange	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Kellogg	Sims
Arduser	Erickson	Lakie	Steen
Bratsberg	16th Dist.	Lazier	Streich
Bryans	Fedge	Link	Shurr
Burkhart	Frandsen	Maddock	Swett
Cart	Fredrickson	Martin	Vogel
Craig	Hardy	McCay	Weisbeck
Doyle	Haugland	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Eckart	Helbling	Patterson	Yeater
Elmer	Hoople	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Sagen	Sathre, Steele	Traynor	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

There being no objection, the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Maddock moved that Senate Bill No. 197 be placed on the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 44 was lost.

Which motion was lost.

Senate Bill No. 197. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 146 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Office of Commissioner of Immigration, Prescribing His Powers and Duties, and Making an Appropriation Therefor, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 52, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Cole	Jones	Patterson
Burleigh	Craig	Kopp	Quam
Anderson,	Dougherty	Lackey	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Ehr	Larkin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Elmer	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Erickson	Levin	Sims
Arduser	26th Dist.	Link	Slominski
Bollinger	Erickson	Loudenbeck	Starke
Boyd	16th Dist.	HeManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Maddock	Streich
Brown	Fredrickson	Martin	Shurr
Bryans	Harrington	Miller	Sweet
Burkhart	Haugland	Muus	Vogel
Burns	Helbling	Oberg	Weld
Cart	Hempel	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
	Iverson	Opland	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burk	Hanson	Lackie	Radcliffe
Carr	Hardy	Larson	Root
Currie	Hart	Levin	Rustad
Doyle	Henne	McCay	Sproul
Durkee	Hodges	McDowell	Traynor
Eckert	Hoople	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Ellingson	Jackson	Norden	Tweten
Fedge	Jardine	Olafson	Twichell
Flom	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Freeman	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Vaitch
Geizler	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Watt
Goranson	Kelly	Plath	Weisbeck
Halcrow	Lynch	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Heaton	Morton	Sagen	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

A verification of the roll call disclosed the vote as correctly announced.

Mr. Jackson: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have the explanation extended to the Journal. I vote "no" for the reason that I do not believe that the state has any more right to engage in the real estate or immigration business or promoting coal mines, than it has to engage in the milling or banking business.

Mr. Carr and Mr. Halcrow also explained their votes.

Mr. Harrington moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 197 was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 315. A Bill for an Act Defining Carnivals; Prohibiting Itinerant Carnivals and Declaring the Same a Public Nuisance and Providing Penalties for the Participation Therein.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 89, nays 3, absent and not voting 21.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson 26th Dist.	Jones Kopp	Quade Rabe
Anderson Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lakie Larkin	Radcliffe Root
Anderson Sargent	Flom Fredrickson	Larson Lazier	Rustad Sathre, Steele
Arduser Bollinger	Freeman Galaxier	Levin Link	Sethre, Williams Sims
Bratsberg Brown	Goranson Halcrow	Loudenbeck McManus	Slominski Sproul
Bryans Burk	Hanson Harrington	Martin McDowell	Starke Steen
Burkhart Burns	Harrington Hart	Miller Morton	Streich Sweet
Carr Cart	Heaton Heibling	Muus Norden	Traynor Trubshaw
Cole Craig	Henne Hodges	Oberg Olafson	Tweten Veitch
Doyle Dougnaerty	Hoople Iverson	Olson, Ransom Olson, Towner	Vogel Walker
Durkee Ehr	Jackson Jardine	Orange Patterson	Weld Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Traill	Peters Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boyd Eckert	Helbling Kellogg	McGauvran Opland	Ulland Watt
Etmer Fedge	Kelly Lackey	Quam Sagen	Weisbeck
Hardy Haurland	Maddock McCay	Shurr Twichell	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Frandsen	Lynch

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act Permitting the Increase of the Limitation of Indebtedness of Common, Special, and Independent School Districts by an Additional Five Per Centum on the Assessed Value of the Taxable Property Therein, Beyond the Present Constitutional Limit of Five Per Centum, Providing a Method of Effecting Such Increase, and for Submitting the Question of Such Increase to the Electors of the School Districts at Annual or Special Elections, and Providing for Preserving a Record of Such Increase of the Limit of Indebtedness.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3890 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Publishing of Village Treasurer's Reports and Prescribing the Form Thereof.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expenses of the Department of Motor Vehicle Registration.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$20,710.00 for the purpose of paying salary, Clerk Hire and General Expense of the State Historical Society.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 316. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7625 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to a Trial Jury in Civil Cases.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 347. A Concurrent Resolution to Amend and Re-enact Section 173 of Article 10 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Election of County Officials.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 170. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred by the Flood Control Commission.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Normal School at Dickinson.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Mayville and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal and Industrial School at Ellendale, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Traveling Expenses and Propagation of Game Departments of the State Game and Fish Board.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$25,000.00 for the Biennium, which is known as a Miscellaneous Refund.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 125. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Miscellaneous Refunds of the State.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 136. A Bill for an Act to Provide a State Contingency Fund to be Placed at the Disposal of the State Emergency Commission to be Used as Provided by Chapter 26 and 152 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915; and Making an Appropriation of \$50,000.00 Which Shall Be Known as the State Contingency Fund.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Teachers' College at Valley City, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 7660 of the Compiled Laws of the State

of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 7660 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 131, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Causes for a New Trial in Civil Actions.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption from Mortgage Foreclosure or Execution Sales and Providing for a Redemptioner Making a Credit on His Claim Against the Debtor as a Part of the Redemption.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 179. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Placement of Children in Family Homes for Temporary or Permanent Care, and Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Persons or Corporations Engaged in the Work, and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws for 1915.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act Concerning the Transfer of Rights in Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 77 of the Laws of 1919.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 4444 and 4446 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Adoption of Minor Children.

Also,

Senate Bill No. 336. A Concurrent Resolution for an Amendment to Section 182, Article 12 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, as Amended by Article 31 of the Amendments Thereof, Relating to Issuing or Guaranteeing of Bonds by the State and Providing that Such Bonds in Excess of Two Million Dollars Shall be Secured by First Mortgage on Certain Classes of Property; and Providing for the Submission of this Amendment to the Voters of the State for Rejection or Approval as Provided by Section 292, as amended, of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

Mr. Starke moved that the House do now recess until 7:00 o'clock tonight.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND FIFTY-
NINTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28 and March 1, 1923.

NIGHT SESSION

Senate Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 4424, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Custody, Service and Earnings of Minor Children.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 82, nays none, absent and not voting 31.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Quade
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Quam
Anderson,	Erickson,	Johnson, Traill	Rabe
Sargent	18th Dist.	Jones	Radcliffe
Arduser	Fedge	Kelly	Root
Bollinger	Florn	Kopp	Rustad
Boyd	Frandsen	Larson	Sims
Brown	Fredrickson	Lazier	Shurr
Burk	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Burkhart	Geiszler	Lynch	Sproul
Burns	Halcrow	McCay	Starke
Carr	Hanson	McManus	Steen
Cart	Harrington	Maddock	Trubshaw
Cole	Haugland	Martin	Tweten
Craig	Helbling	Miller	Twitchell
Dougherty	Hempel	Morton	Ulland
Boyle	Henne	Muus	Veitch
Durkee	Hodges	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Hoople	Olafson	Weld
Ehr	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Ellingson	Jackson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Jardine	Plath	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hart	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Heaton	McGauvran	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Kellogg	Norden	Streich
Bryans	Lackey	Olson, Towner	Sweet
Currie	Lakie	Opland	Traynor
Elmer	Larkin	Orange	Vogel
Goranson	Levin	Patterson	Watt
Hardy	Link	Sagen	Weisbeck

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$56,600.00 for the Enforcement of the Feeding Stuffs, Fertilizer, Beverage and Sanitary Inspection Laws.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 67, nays 17, absent and not voting 29.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Eckert	Johnson,	Nelson Olafson
Burke-Divide	Ehr	Jonsson,	Pembina Olson, Towner
Arduser	Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Olson, Ransom
Bollinger	Brickson	Kellogg	Peters
Boyd	20th Dist.	Kelly	Quade
Bratsberg	Erickson	Kopp	Quam
Brown	16th Dist.	Larson	Rabe
Burk	Fedge	Lazier	Radcliffe
Burkhart	Flom	Levin	Starke
Burns	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Steen
Carr	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Cart	Freeman	Maddock	Twichell
Cole	Halcrow	Martin	Vogel
Craig	Harrington	McCay	Walker
Currie	Hoople	Miller	Weisbeck
Doyle	Iverson	Morton	Yeater
Dougherty	Jackson	Muus	Mr. Speaker
Durkee		Oberg	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Geiszler	Hodges	Root	Trubshaw
Hanson	Jones	Rustad	Tweten
Haugland	Lynch	Slominski	Veitch
Hempel	Plath	Sproui	Weld
Henne			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hart	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Heaton	McGauvran	Sims
Anderson,	Helbling	Norden	Streich
Sargent	Jardine	Opland	Swett
Bryans	Lackey	Orange	Traynor
Elmer	Lakie	Patterson	Ulland
Goranson	Larkin	Sagen	Watt
Hardy	Link	Sethre, Williams	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$20,000.00 for the Maintenance of the Pure Seed Laboratory and Pure Seed Law Enforcement at the Agricultural College, Fargo.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays 4, absent and not voting 31.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kellogg	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Kelly	Radcliffe
Arduser	Erickson	Larkin	Root
Bollinger	26th Dist.	Kopp	Slominski
Boyd	Flom	Larson	Sproul
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Lazier	Starke
Brown	Fredrickson	Levin	Stær
Burk	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Streich
Durkhart	Geiszler	Maddock	Shurr
Burns	Halcrow	Martin	Traynor
Bryans	Hanson	McCay	Tweten
Carr	Harrington	McManus	Twichell
Cart	Haugland	Miller	Ulland
Cole	Henne	Morton	Veitch
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Vogel
Doyle	Hoople	Oberg	Walker
Doyle	Iverson	Olafsoy	Weisbeck
Burns	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Weld
Mar	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Trail.	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jones	Lynch	Olson, Reason	Trubshaw

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Elmer	Lackie	Patterson
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Peters
Anderson	Hardy	Link	Rustad
Sargent	Hart	McDowell	Sagen
Bryans	Heaton	McGauvran	Sathre, Steele
Burk	Heibling	Norden	Sethre, Williams
Currie	Hempel	Orange	Sims
Eckert	Jardine	Opland	Swett
			Watt

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 134. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for a Bounty for Wolves and Coyotes, as Provided for by Chapter 242 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 3, absent and not voting 23.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Plath
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Kelly	Quade
Arduser	Fedge	Kellogg	Quam
Bollinger	Flom	Kopp	Rabe
Boyd	Frandsen	Larkin	Root
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Larson	Rustad
Brown	Freeman	Lazier	Shurr
Burk	Geiszler	Levin	Slominski
Durkhart	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Burns	Halcrow	Maddock	Starke
Carr	Hanson	Martin	Steen
Cart	Harrington	McManus	Swett
Cole	Haugland	McCay	Traynor
Craig	Hempel	Miller	Trubshaw

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Hodges	Morton	Tweten
Dougherty	Hempel	Muus	Twichell
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Vogel
Durkee	Iverson	Oberg	Veitch
Eckert	Jackson	Olafson	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Yeater
16th Dist.		Peters	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Henne	Lynch	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Hardy	Link	Sethre, Williams
Anderson, Sargent	Hart	McDowell	Sims
Bryans	Heaton	McGauvran	Streich
Currie	Helbling	Opland	Ulland
Eimer	Jardine	Patterson	Watt
	Lackey	Sagen	
	Lakie	Sethre, Williams	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 357. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Creation of a Commission for the Purpose of Making a Study of the Lignite Industry and Reporting to the Next Regular Session of the Legislature its Findings with Respect to Methods of Developing Such Industry, and Providing an Appropriation for the Purpose of Defraying Necessary Expenses.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 52, nays 43, absent and not voting 18.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Durkee	Iverson	Morton
Arduser	Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Muus
Bollinger	Ehr	Jones	Oberg
Boyd	Erickson	Kellogg	Quam
Bratsberg	26th Dist.	Kopp	Rabe
Brown	Erickson	Larkin	Starke
Burk	16th Dist.	Larson	Steen
Burkhart	Fedge	Lazier	Shurr
Burns	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Vogel
Cart	Hardy	McManus	Walker
Cole	Harrington	Maddock	Weisbeck
Doyle	Haugland	Martin	Yeater
Dougherty	Helbling	McCay	Mr. Speaker
	Hempel	Miller	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Sargent	Hanson	Levin	Root
Carr	Hart	Lynch	Rustad
Craig	Heaton	Norden	Slominski
Ellingson	Henne	Olafson	Sproul
Flom	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Traynor
Frandsen	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Trubshaw
Freeman	Jackson	Orange	Tweten
	Jardine	Peters	Twichell

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Geiszler	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Veitch
Goranson	Johnson, Traill	Quade	Watt
Halcrow	Kelly	Radcliffe	Weld

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Lackey	Opland	Sims
Burleigh	Lakie	Patterson	Streich
Bryans	Link	Sagen	Swett
Currie	McDowell	Sathre, Steele	Ulland
Elmer	McGauvran	Sethre, Williams	

So the bill was lost.

Senate Bill No. 342. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Subdivision 2 of Section 1 and Section 13a of Chapter 231 of the Session Laws of 1917 as Amended by Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, and to Amend Section 2 of Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Inheritance Taxes Upon Estates of Deceased Non-Residents.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 86, nays 11, absent and not voting 16.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Jones	Orange
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kellogg	Plath
Anderson,	Frandsen	Kelly	Quade
Sargent	Fredrickson	Kopp	Quam
Arduser	Freeman	Larkin	Rabe
Bollinger	Geiszler	Larson	Radcliffe
Boyd	Goranson	Lazier	Root
Brown	Halcrow	Levin	Rustad
Burk	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Burkhart	Hardy	Lynch	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	McManus	Sprout
Carr	Haugland	Maddock	Starke
Cart	Heaton	Martin	Shurr
Cole	Helbling	McDowell	Traylor
Craig	Hempel	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hodges	Miller	Tweten
Dougherty	Hoople	Morton	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Muus	Vogel
Eckert	Jackson	Norden	Yeater
Ehr	Jardine	Oberw	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	
16th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Towner	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Hart	Peters	Walker
Erickson	Henne	Steen	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	McCay	Swett	Weld

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Lackey	Sagen	Ulland
Burleigh	Lakie	Sethre, Williams	Watt
Bryans	Link	Sims	
Currie	Opland	Streich	
Elmer	Patterson	Twichell	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 388. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Renewal of the Period of Corporate Existence of Certain Corporations whose Period of Duration has Expired Without the Renewal Thereof, and Legalizing Acts and Contracts of Such Corporations Made or Done and Performed Subsequent to the Expiration of the Original Period of Existence of Such Corporations, and Providing that this Act Shall Take Effect Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, 103, nays none, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kellogg	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe
Anderson	Fedge	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Root
Anderson	Frandsen	Larkin	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Sagen
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin	Slominski
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bratsberg	Halerow	Lynch	Starke
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Steen
Burk	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	Martin	Swett
Burns	Hart	McCay	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	McDowell	Trubshaw
Cart	Heaton	McGauvran	Tweten
Cole	Helbling	Miller	Twitshell
Craig	Hempel	Morton	Veitch
Doyle	Henne	Muus	Vogel
Dougherty	Hodges	Norden	Walker
Durkee	Hoople	Oberg	Watt
Eckert	Iverson	Olafson	Weisbeck
Ehr	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Weid
Ellingson	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Plath	
	Jones	Quade	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Opland	Sims
Currie	Patterson	Streich
Lackie	Sethre, Williams	Ulland
Link		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 289. A Bill for an Act Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Have Power to Abate Certain Assessments Levied by Boards of Irrigation Districts Upon Application of the District Board Approved by the Director of the Reclamation Service.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 1, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Plath
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade
Anderson,	Fedge	Kelly	Quam
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kopp	Rabe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lackey	Radcliffe
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larkin	Root
Arduser	Freeman	Larson	Rustad
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lazier	Sagen
Boyd	Goranson	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Sproul
Burk	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	Maddock	Steen
Eurns	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Carr	Haugland	McCay	Swett
Cart	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Cole	Helbling	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Craig	Henne	Miller	Tweten
Boyle	Hodges	Morton	Twitchell
Dougherty	Hoopel	Muus	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Norden	Vogel
Eckert	Jackson	Oberg	Walker
Ehr	Jardine	Olafson	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Weld
26th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Yeater
		Peters	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Elmer			
Absent and not voting:			
Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Bryans	Lakie	Patterson	Streich
Currie	Link	Sethre, Williams	Ulland
Hempel	Opland	Sims	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 321. A Bill for an Act Providing that Discharged Soldiers Shall Receive Credit for Their Military Service in the Particular Profession, Vocation or Trade in Which They Were Engaged at the Time of their Entrance Into the Military Service of the United States.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, 103, nays none, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kellogg	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Root
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Rustad
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sagen
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Starke
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Steen
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Burns	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Heaton	Haugland	McGauvran	Swett
	Carr	Miller	Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Helbling	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Hempel	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Doyle	Hoople	Oberg	Veitch
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weisbeck
Elffingson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Yeater
Erickson,	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Lakie	Opland	Ulland
Currie	Link	Sethre, Williams	
Henne	Maddock	Sims	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2360a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Section 2360a of Chapter 4 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, 96, nays 7, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Lazier	Rustad
Burleigh	Fedge	Levin	Sagen
Anderson	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Lynch	Sims
Anderson,	Geiszler	McManus	Slominski
Sargent	Goranson	Maddock	Sproul
Arduser	Halcrow	Martin	Starke
Bollinger	Harrington	McCay	Steen
Boyd	Haugland	McDowell	Shurr
Bratsberg	Henton	McGauvran	Swett
Brown	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Burk	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Burns	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Carr	Iverson	Oberg	Ulland
Cart	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
Craig	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Weisbeck
Eckert	Jones	Plath	Yeater
Ehr	Kellogg	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Elffingson	Kelly	Quam	
26th Dist.	Kopp	Rabe	
Erickson	Lackey	Radeliffe	
16th Dist.	Larson	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Frandsen	Hardy	Weld
Elmer	Hanson	Hart	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Lakie	Opland	Sethre, Williams
Currie	Larkin	Patterson	Streich
Henne	Link		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The House reverted to the Third Order of Business.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Forty-sixth Day After Recess and the Fifty-seventh Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 5, bottom of Concurrent Resolution, insert the following: "Was referred to the Committee on State Affairs."

On page 14, Traynor is reported as voting "nay" and should be "aye."

On page 20, under the last line of Senate Bill No. 316, strike out the following "Home Building Series."

On page 26, insert the following: "The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried."

On page 28, strike out all of House Bill No. 142 and insert in lieu thereof "Senate Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$25,000 for the Biennium, Which Is Known as a Miscellaneous Fund."

On page 30 Bratsberg is reported voting twice.

On page 48, under the report of Senate Bill No. 44, insert the following: "Mr. Freeman moved that the vote by which the majority report was adopted be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table."

On page 61, under the report of Senate Bill No. 46, insert the following: "Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Highways and Bridges to whom was referred: Senate Bill No. 45. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6, 11, 12, 16, and 17 of Chapter 44 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Registration and Licensing of Motor Vehicles, the Creation of a State Highway Fund, the Distribution of Such Fund, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith. Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed. Joseph MacGauvran, Chairman."

On page 64, insert the following: "Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2078, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 223, Session Laws of 1919, and Chapter 122, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Exemption of Certain Property from Taxation. Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows: That, in Section 14 of the engrossed bill, line 5 after the word "the" the word "corporate" be stricken out. That, in Section 14, line 5 of the engrossed bill after the word "city" the word "comma town" be inserted. That, Section 15 of the en-

grossed bill be stricken out in its entirety. And when so amended recommend the same do pass. J. A. Jardine, Chairman. Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted."

On page 83 at bottom of roll call insert the following: "The Speaker declared the Emergency Clause carried."

On page 97, line 8, strike out the words "indefinitely postponed" and insert in lieu thereof the words "passed unamended."

On page 95 strike out everything pertaining to Senate Bill Nos. 341, 260 and 174 and 56.

Top of page 97 insert the following: "Senate Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the Hotel Inspection Department."

At bottom of page 97 the words "General Orders and Senate Bills" should be transposed to top of page just above "Senate Bill No. 175." On same page strike out Senate Bill No. 341.

At bottom of page 98 insert "Senate Bill No. 20. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 5, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 20, 26 and 27 of Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance." On same page add "Concurrent Resolution by Mr. Trubshaw."

On page 27 Traynor should be reported as voting "aye" on Senate Bill No. 87.

And when so corrected recommend the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

There being no objection, the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

Mr. Jardine moved that Senate Bill No. 89 be placed on the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Relating to What Shall be Carried as "Consolidated Tax Account," and Repealing Section 2274, Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 253, Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 78, nays 22, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Geiszler	Freeman	Root
Burleigh	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Rustad
Arduser	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Bollinger	Hardy	McManus	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Harrington	Maddock	Slominski
Brown	Hart	Martin	Sproul
Burk	Haugland	McDowell	Starke
Burkhardt	Heaton	McGauvran	Steen
Burns	Henne	Muus	Streich
Carr	Hodges	Norden	Swett
Cart	Hoople	Norden	Traynor
Cole	Iverson	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Twitchell
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Vogel
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Watt
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quade	Weld
Erickson	Kopp	Quam	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe	
Flom	Larson	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Sims
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Shurr
Anderson	Helbling	Levtn	Tweten
Sargent	Hempel	McCay	Walker
Bratsberg	Jones	Morton	Weisbeck
Craig	Kellogg	Patterson	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Eckert	Goranson	Miller
Currie	Elmer	Lackie	Opland
Doyte	Frandsen	Link	Sethre, Williams
			Streich

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Jackson moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Jackson to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 126 of the Laws of 1917, as Amended by Chapter 110 of the Laws of 1919 and as Further Amended by Chapter 21 of the Laws of 1921.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 11, page 1, of the printed bill (line 1, page 2 of the engrossed bill) strike out the word "succeeding."

In line 19, page 2 of the printed bill (line 12, page 2 of the engrossed bill) strike out the words "each of" and commence the word "the" following such words with a capital "T."

In line 23, 25 and 26, page 2 of the printed bill (being lines 18, 20, 21 and 22 on page 2 of the engrossed bill) insert commas after the words "commission" as it appears in two places and after the words "shall be its treasurer" and after the words "by the Commission."

Following the word "same" in line 38, page 10, of the printed bill (that being the end of page 13 of the engrossed bill) insert the following: "and if he deems it necessary, he may call upon the State Examiner to furnish a deputy Examiner to work with such Inspector, and the two officers shall as far as practicable co-operate in the examination of such bank."

In line 43, page 14, of the printed bill (line 3, page 21 of the engrossed bill) change the word "other" to "others."

In line 9, page 24, of the engrossed bill change the spelling of the second word in the line from "creit" to "credit."

In line 14, page 24, of the engrossed bill, correct the spelling of the word "depositors."

In line 3, page 37, of the engrossed bill, correct the spelling of the word "depositors."

In line 3, page 37, of the engrossed bill (line 2, page 25 of the printed bill) insert the word "dollars" after the words "twenty thousand."

In line 14, page 28 of the printed bill (line 18, page 41 of the engrossed bill) insert the word "as" after the word "security."

Add to the engrossed bill, Section 40, the emergency clause as found in the printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State with Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for the Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court with Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation Proceedings, and Requesting It to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner, Fixing His

Compensation, and Defining His Powers and Authority, and Providing for the Appointment of Receivers of Insolvent Banks, and Making an Appropriation to Meet the Expenses Incident to Carrying Out the Purpose of the Act.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 4, page 6 of the engrossed bill change the word "Commission" to "Commissioner."

Add to the title the following: "And directing the Supreme Court to exercise its supervisory authority over the district court in proceedings for liquidating the affairs of insolvent banks."

Insert as Section 18 the following: "Section 18. In case the Supreme Court shall be of the opinion that its original jurisdiction does not extend to the controversy or controversies referred to in this act, or if for any other reason the Supreme Court shall refrain from exercising its original jurisdiction with respect thereto, the proceeding shall not be dismissed, but all papers and files therein shall be transmitted to the Clerk of the District Court of Burleigh County, and that court shall be and is thereupon vested with full jurisdiction of such proceedings, and thereupon the Supreme Court, in the exercise of its supervisory jurisdiction, shall designate some district judge to hear and try said controversy or controversies, and the judge so designated shall give precedence to such controversy or controversies over all other work and in the disposition thereof he shall be governed by the provisions of this act, and endeavor in every way to carry the same into effect. The District Judge so designated shall perform all of the duties which the act requires to be performed by the Court Commissioner, and in such case no court commissioner shall be appointed. In such case the acts of the District Court shall be subject to review by the Supreme Court in the same manner herein provided for review by the Supreme Court of the acts of the court commissioner. Provided that all acts of such district court performed under the provisions of this act, including the appointment of a receiver, shall be subject to the supervisory control of the Supreme Court. In case of the designation of a District Judge as herein provided for, all his necessary traveling expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this act shall be paid out of the general fund of the state upon vouchers duly presented, as in other cases of the expenses of district judges.

"In case of the designation of a District Judge as in this section provided, all further insolvency proceedings, in this act hereinbefore provided to be instituted in the Supreme Court, shall be instituted in the District Court of Burleigh County, and conducted in like manner.

"In case of the designation of a District Judge as in this section provided for, the rules of procedure prescribed by the act for the Court Commissioner shall govern the procedure before such District Judge, and the Supreme Court

shall likewise make necessary rules governing the conduct of such proceeding or proceedings."

Number Section 18 in the printed bill as Section 19 and number Section 19 of the printed bill as Section 20.

Add to the engrossed bill, the emergency clause as found in the printed bill.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 78. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Oil Inspection.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 2 strike out the word "treasury" and insert therein the words "Oil Inspection Fund."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the Hotel Inspection Department.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 2 strike out the words "State Treasury" and insert in lieu thereof "Hotel Inspection Fund."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2078, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 223, Session Laws of 1919, and Chapter 122, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Exemption of Certain Property From Taxation.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

That in Section 14 of the engrossed bill, line 5, after the word "the" the word "corporate" be stricken out.

That in Section 14, line 5 of the engrossed bill after the word "city" the word "comma, town" be inserted.

That Section 15 of the engrossed bill be stricken out in its entirety.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4929 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 76 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Fees to be Paid by Insurance Companies Doing Business in This State.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

At the end of the bill, change the period to a comma, and add the following words: "such per diem charge not to exceed twenty dollars."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 220 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

That in line 11, Section 1 of the engrossed bill, after the word "full" insert the words "and true."

That in line 12 of the engrossed bill after the word "auditor" insert the following words: "after equalization by the state board of equalization."

In line 1 of the title, after word "Chapter" insert the words "59 of the Session Laws of 1919 as Amended by Chapter."

In line 1, Section 1, after the word "Chapter" insert the words "59 of the Session Laws of 1919 as amended by Chapter."

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2263 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to the Levy of a Tax by County Commissioners to be Used in Carrying on Cooperative Agricultural Extension Work as Defined by This Act and Providing for Referendum by Ballot, Audit of Funds and Disposition of Accumulated Funds.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

On line 24 of printed bill strike out the first four words, also in line 30 strike out after word "county" the balance of lines 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and up to the word "shall" in line 36.

Strike out the last word in line 36 and the first five words in line 37.

In line 13, second paragraph of engrossed bill, strike out the word "follows" after the word "as" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Provided in this act for a referendum in counties carrying on extension work prior to the taking effect of this act."

Following Section 2 strike out "For the Extension Work Against the Extension Work" (Engrossed Bill).

In line 43 of printed bill strike out the words "personal property or."

In line 55, printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the words "filing of such petitions" and insert in lieu thereof "elections at which said agricultural extension work was adopted."

In line 112 of printed bill after the word "undersigned" strike out the words "personal property or."

In line 134 after the word "least" strike out the word "thirty" and insert in lieu the word "twenty."

And when so amended recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 20. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 5, 6, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 20, 26, and 27 Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Amend the title of the bill by inserting the numeral "6" and a comma after the numeral "5."

After the word "Dakota" insert the words "for the year 1919."

In line 1, page 1 of the printed bill, insert the numeral "6" and a comma, after the numeral "5."

In line 2, after the word "Dakota" insert the words "for the year 1919."

Between Sections 5 and 9 insert the following:

"Section 6. **FLAT TAX AND PERMANENT SURPLUS.** There is hereby levied for the years 1923, 1924, and 1925, upon each and every acre of tillable land in the state, a flat tax of one cent per annum for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, and creating a permanent surplus in the Hail Insurance Fund to be applied in paying losses more promptly. Provided, that lands used exclusively for public roads, rights of way of common carriers, mining or manufacturing purposes, and lands included within the platted portion of any incorporated city, town or village, shall be exempt from such tax. **Provided, further, that all moneys heretofore or hereafter collected under the provisions of Sections 7 and 10 of this act, over and above that which is required to pay hail losses, also all moneys such as penalties and interest for non-payment of hail taxes and interest on balances already accrued and which may in the future accrue, shall be turned into the permanent surplus as created under the provisions of this section, until such permanent surplus reaches the sum of \$4,000.00; provided further that that permanent surplus created under the provisions of this section shall at no time exceed the sum of five million dollars. Provided, further, that whenever the fund as created under this section exceeds five million dollars, such excess levy shall be turned back into the State Hail Insurance Fund to pay losses in the next succeeding year. All moneys collected under the provisions of this section shall be paid into the State Hail Insurance Fund, but a separate record of such moneys collected from such flat tax shall be kept by the County and State Treasurer."**

Strike out all of Section 12, and insert the following in lieu thereof:

"Section 12. **WITHDRAWAL.** Any owner of land liable for the indemnity tax herein provided for, may at any time prior to the 15th day of June in each year withdraw any portion or all land owned by such person from the levy of said indemnity tax upon making an affidavit in duplicate, giving the legal description of the land, the number of acres withdrawn and stating that he desires to withdraw therefrom, and filing such affidavit in duplicate with the County Auditor, and the County Auditor shall, within three days, file a copy of same with the Commissioner of Insurance, and the party making withdrawal shall note upon his crop-listing affidavit the number of acres and the legal description of land so withdrawn, and shall note upon a diagram upon such withdrawal of affidavit the location of land so withdrawn. Such affidavit shall be sworn to before any Notary Public or County Auditor or a qualified Justice of the Peace, provided, that no assessor shall acknowledge any affidavit of withdrawal. Provided further that it shall be the duty of the Hail Insurance Department to furnish each County Auditor for distribution by the Assessors ~~withdrawals~~ blanks, crop-listing blanks, reinstatement blanks and loss report blanks necessary in their respective townships.

Should such owner wish to withdraw all his land subject to indemnity tax, then he should, if possible, surrender also the crop-listing affidavit and file same together with the application for withdrawal with the County Auditor, provided, that, in case said land or any portion thereof is rented, such owner shall first procure the written consent of such tenant for any withdrawal authorized in this Act, such consent to be filed with the County Auditor, together with the owner's application for withdrawal. Provided, if land is leased for a money consideration, then the lessee, if he has full interest in all the crops grown on the land may make affidavit of withdrawal as above provided, and file with same certified copy of his lease in duplicate, provided further, that if the owner in making an affidavit of withdrawal stating therein that he has no tenant whereas there actually is a tenant on such land, the Hail Insurance Department shall not be relieved from liability for such loss, but the owner making such fraudulent affidavit shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not less than Ten Dollars nor more than Twenty-five Dollars, or to be confined in the county jail for not more than thirty days or both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the court, and in case of loss by hail to crops grown on such lands the Hail Insurance Department shall adjust and pay such loss, such indemnity to be the actual percentage of loss based upon the tenant's share in such crop and may recover the amount of any indemnity paid for such loss from such landowner in an action brought in any court of competent jurisdiction. Provided that the owner shall have a self-executing first lien upon all crops and grain belonging to the tenant grown upon the land as security for the payment of said tax or the part of such tax properly chargeable against the tenant's share of such crop or grain. The owner shall also have a first lien chargeable against tenant's share of hail indemnity as security for payment of tenant's share of such tax if filed with the Commissioner of Insurance prior to October 1st. Provided, further, that the withdrawal from hail indemnity tax may be cancelled and the insurance re-instated any time prior to July 5th by filing an affidavit of application for such re-instatement in duplicate with the County Auditor on blanks furnished by the Hail Insurance Department, and the County Auditor shall stamp on both the original and duplicate of such application the hour and date when such application was received in his office, and shall within three days file a copy of such application with the Hail Insurance Department. Provided, that, if land is rented, both the owner's and tenant's signature must appear on such application for re-instatement, one or both of such signatures to be acknowledged by a Notary Public. It is further provided that any portion of the crops originally withdrawn may be re-instated and that such re-instated insurance as above provided shall not take effect prior to twenty-four hours after such application for re-instatement is filed in the County Auditor's office. The Hail Insurance Department shall not be liable for loss during the time withdrawal is in effect and the application for reinstatement

shall contain a sworn statement to the effect that such crops have no been daamaged or destroyed by hail prior to the making of such application."

On page 6, line 14, strike out the words "fifty cents per each 1000 acres of tillable area plus." In line 15 strike out everything after the word "of" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "cropped area actually listed" and a comma. On page 7, line 16, strike out the words "indemnity tax." In line 3, page 7, change the word "first" to "fifth."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Concurrent Resolution by Mr. Trubshaw.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 13 of engrossed bill change the word "which" to "whom" and strike out the word "holdover."

And recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Money for the Expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the State Government, and for Public Schools, Specifying the Amount and Time for Which Such Appropriations Shall be Available, and Repealing all Acts, or Parts of Acts, Insofar as the Same Shall Relate to Appropriations Conflicting Herewith, or to Appropriations for the Same Matters or Purposes Provided for Herein.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

Under sub-division one replace line 14 which the Senate committee struck out.

In line 17 strike out the figures "\$21,600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$21,500.00."

In line 7 of sub-division 7 strike out the figures "\$10,000.00" in the engrossed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$20,000.00." Also in line 8 of the same sub-division strike out the figures "\$4,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,500.00." Also in line 18 of the same sub-division strike out the figures "\$28,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$40,000.00."

In line 8 of sub-division 17 strike out the figures "\$8,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$7,200.00." In line 25 of the same sub-division strike out the figures

"\$98,300.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$97,100.00."

In line 4 of sub-division 21 strike out the figures "\$6,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,500.00." Also in line 7 of the same sub-division strike out the words "part time" and the small letter "a" on the word "accountant" and in lieu thereof place a capital letter "A." In line 16 of the same sub-division strike out the figures "\$400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,400.00"; and in line 17 strike out the figures "\$1,600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$600.00."

In line 22 strike out the figures "\$58,920.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$59,920.00."

In line 11 of sub-division 24 strike out the figures "\$800.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00." Also in line 16 strike out the figures "\$400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$200.00." Also in line 19 strike out the figures "\$20,240.00" of the engrossed bill and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$19,140.00."

In line 11 of sub-division 4 strike out the word "new" and insert following the word "reports" the word "deficit" in parenthesis.

Strike out all of sub-division 18.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

A. B. JACKSON, Jr.,
Chairman.
W. F. CUSHING,

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the Chair.

A request that the report of the Committee of the Whole be divided, was granted.

Mr. Kopp moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bills Nos. 86, 20, 255, 59, 146, 132, 78, 267 and 250, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed, and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to the bills mentioned, was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to the Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Trubshaw, be not adopted.

Mr. Vogel moved that the motion by Mr. Twichell be laid on the table.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to the Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Trubshaw, be adopted.

Which substitute motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion by Mr. Twichell, the motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to the Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Trubshaw, was not adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Trubshaw, be adopted.

Mr. Vogel moved a Call of the House.

Which motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion by Mr. Twichell, that the Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Trubshaw be adopted, a demand for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 46, nays 35, absent and not voting 32.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Johnson, Trail	Quade
Burleigh	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Geiszler	Larson	Root
Boyd	Halcrow	McDowell	Sagen
Brown	Harrington	McGauvran	Slominski
Burk	Henne	Muus	Sproul
Burns	Hodges	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Hoople	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Franson	Levin	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Steen
Anderson, Sargent	Hart	Maddock	Swett
Burkhart	Haugland	Martin	Tweten
Cart	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Craig	Iverson	Miller	Weisbeck
Elmer	Jones	Oberg	Wald
Erickson	Kopp	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
26th Dist.	Larkin	Opland	
	Lazier	Patterson	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Fedge	Link	Starke
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Lynch	Streich
Bryans	Goranson	McManus	Shurr
Cole	Hanson	Morton	Trubshaw
Currie	Heaton	Quam	Ulland
Doyle	Heupel	Rustad	Walker
Eckert	Kellogg	Sims	
Erickson	Lackey	Sathre, Steele	
16th Dist.	Lakte	Sethre, Williams	

So the motion prevailed and the Concurrent Resolution was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which the Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Trubshaw, was adopted, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

A demand for a roll call was granted ,and disclosed the following result:

Ayes 49, nays 35, absent and not voting 29.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Lackey	Rabe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Lackie	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Root
Boyd	Harrington	McDowell	Sagen
Brown	Henne	McGauvran	Skominski
Burk	Hodges	Muus	Sproul
Burns	Jackson	Norden	Traynor
Garr	Jardine	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Townner	Weitch
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kelly	Plath	
Flom	Kopp	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Opland
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkin	Patterson
Anderson	Franson	Lazier	Quam
Sargent	Goranson	Levin	Steen
Burkhart	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Swatt
Cart	Hart	Martin	Tweten
Craig	Haugland	McCay	Vogel
Eckert	Helbling	Miller	Weisbeck
Elmer	Hoople	Oberg	Weld
	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Fedge	Maddock	Starke
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Morton	Steich
Bryans	Hanson	Rustad	Shurr
Cole	Heaton	Sathre, Steele	Trubshaw
Currie	Hempel	Sethre, Williams	Ulland
Doyle	Kellogg	Sims	Walker
Erickson	Link		
16th Dist.	Lynch		
	McManus		

So the motion prevailed.

Mr. Anderson moved that the House do not adopt the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 235.

Which motion prevailed, and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 235, was not adopted.

Mr. Jardine moved that the House do now recess until 10:00 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which motion prevailed and the House recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND FIFTY-NINTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

The house re-assembled at 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

The House reverted to the Fourteenth Order of the Business.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
February 28, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to Senate Bill No. 337 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Kelly, Oberg, and Anderson of Burleigh to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
February 28, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to Senate Bill No. 311 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Kelly, Oberg and Anderson of Burleigh to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
February 28, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to infrom you that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to Senate Bill No. 185 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Starke, Jardine and Larkin to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
February 28, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that

the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 92 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs Watt, Kelly and Opland to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

Senate Bill No. 371. A Bill for an Act for the Protection of Health and Prevention of Fraud and Deception in Articles of Food and Drugs; for the Prevention of Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; Requiring Labeling Thereof; Providing for Sales by Weight, Measure or Numerical Count; Providing for Fixing of Standards of Purity and Quality and Fitness of Consumption; Prescribing the Duties of the State Board of Administration and Providing for the Appointment of a State Food Commissioner and Chemist and Prescribing His Duties and Powers; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act; Defining Certain Offenses in Connection Therewith; Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Certain Acts Relating Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 48, nays 44, absent and not voting 21.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Dougherty	Lakie	Root
Burleigh	Fedge	Larkin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Floam	Larson	Slominski
Burke-Divide	Halerow	McManus	Sproul
Anderson,	Hardy	Martin	Starke
Sargent	Harrington	McDowell	Trubshaw
Burk	Heaton	Muus	Tweten
Burns	Jardine	Olafson	Twichell
Carr	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Townner	Vogel
Cart	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Watt
Cole	Kellogg	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
Currie	Kelly	Plath	
Doyle	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Frandsen	Jones	Quade
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Lazier	Rabe
Bryans	Freeman	Link	Rustad
Craig	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sagen
Durkee	Goranson	Lynch	Steen
Ehr	Hart	McCay	Traynor
Fillingson	Haugland	McGauvran	Ulland
Elmer	Helbling	Miller	Veitch
Erickson	Henne	Morton	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Iverson	Norden	Weld
Erickson	Jackson	Oberg	
16th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hempel	Opland	Shurr
Boyd	Hodges	Peters	Swett
Brown	Hoople	Quam	Walker
Burkhardt	Lackey	Sathre, Steele	Yeater
Bekert	Levin	Sims	
Hanson	Maddock	Streich	

So the bill was lost.

Senate Bill No. 373. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Fraud and Deception in the Manufacture and Sale of Beverages; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act and to Provide Penalties for Violations Thereof and to Repeal Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 60, nays 38, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Kopp	Rustad
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Slominski
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sprout
Angerson,	Freeman	Levin	Starke
Sargent	Halcrow	McDowell	Traynor
Bryans	Hardy	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Burk	Harrington	Muus	Twichell
Burns	Heaton	Olafson	Ulland
Carr	Hodges	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Cole	Hoople	Orange	Vogel
Currie	Iverson	Patterson	Walker
Dougherty	Jardine	Quam	Watt
Burkee	Johnson, Nelson	Rabe	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Radcliffe	Yeater
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Root	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Franson	Lakie	Olson, Ransom
Boyd	Geisler	Link	Opland
Bratsberg	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Plath
Cart	Hart	Lynch	Quade
Craig	Haugland	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Doyle	Helbling	McCay	Steen
Elmer	Henne	Miller	Shurr
Erickson	Jackson	Morton	Tweten
26th Dist.	Jones	Norden	Weisbeck
Fedge	Kelly	Oberg	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hanson	Maddock	Sims
Brown	Hempel	Martin	Streich
Burkhart	Kellogg	Peters	Swett
Eckert	Lackey	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 379. A Bill for an Act to Regulate the Sale of Petroleum Products; to Provide for the Inspection of Kerosene and Gasoline; to Provide Specifications Therefor; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide for Inspection Fees, Collection and Disposition of Same; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Inspection of Lubricating and Power Oils; to Provide for the En-

forcement of the Act; to Provide Penalties for the Violation Thereof and to Repeal Existing Acts Relating Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ays 70, nays 34, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh	Erickson, 26th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Peters
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson, 16th Dist.	Kellogg	Plath
Anderson, Sargent	Flom	Kelly	Quade
Boyd	Fredrickson	Kopp	Quam
Bratsberg	Freeman	Larson	Rabe
Bryans	Geizler	Lazier	Root
Burk	Halcrow	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Burkhart	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	Martin	Starke
Carr	Hart	McCay	Traynor
Cole	Hodges	McDowell	Twichell
Currie	Hoople	McGauvran	Ulland
Doyle	Iverson	Muus	Veitch
Dougherty	Jackson	Norden	Vogel
Durkee	Jardine	Oberg	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Weld
	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Yeater
		Opland	Mr. Speaker
		Patterson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Hempel	Miller	Streich
Cart	Henne	Morton	Shurr
Craig	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Swett
Elmer	Lackey	Orange	Trubshaw
Fedge	Lackie	Radcliffe	Tweten
Frandson	Larkin	Rustad	Walker
Goranson	Link	Sims	Weisbeck
Haugland	Lynch	Sproul	
Helbling	McManus	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Boilinger	Ellingson	Heaton	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Eckert			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The question being on the final passage of Senate Bill No. 250.

Mr. Carr moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present except: Messrs. Eckert, Rabe and Sathre of Steele.

The Speaker instructed the Sargeant-at-Arms to summon the absentees to the House.

Mr. Root moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 126 of the Laws of 1917, as Amended by Chapter 110 of the Laws of 1919 and as Further Amended by Chapter 21 of the Laws of 1921.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 57, nays 55, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Kopp	Root
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Twitshell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade	
Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sagen
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Franson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Cole	Hoopel	Morton	Vogel
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Doyle	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Emer	Kellogg	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Lake	Patterson	Yeater
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.
Eckert

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Burkhart: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" because I cannot see the justice of paying the depositor four per cent interest on his money and giving the bank the privilege of loaning it out again at ten per cent.

Mr. Cole: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" because I consider it an unusual and unwise procedure to take control of the banking supervision out of the hands of the state

bank examiner and place it in the hands of appointed officials.

Mr. Craig: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" because I believe the guaranty fund will be greatly depleted by the payment of high salaries. I vote "no" as a protest against the reduction in the rate bankers are allowed to pay for money, when a corresponding reduction is not given the farmers. I vote "no" because I believe this is a continuation of the effort on the part of the larger banks to crush the small banks.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" for the reason that I feel this bill, if it becomes a law, would change the old law from a "Depositor's Guaranty," what it now is, to a "Banker's Guaranty" law. I vote "no" for the reason that I want to keep the law as we now have it,—guaranteeing the depositors. I vote "no" for the reason that this new law would protect the banker more than the depositor. I vote "no" for the reason that the first word in the old law, "Depositors"—was left out in this new law,—showing right on the face of it what this new law contemplates, by omitting the very heart of the original law.

Mr. Maddock: Mr. Speaker, I vote "no" on Senate Bill No. 250 for the reason that this bill with its companion bills, is vicious legislation,—not in the interests of the people of the state, not even in the interests of the majority of the bankers of the state—but clearly for the benefit of the larger, controlling bankers, the more direct representatives of the huge centralized money power of the east.

Mr. Sims: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. This bill, Senate Bill No. 250, was indefinitely postponed recently. Its tendency is to give an undue advantage to the larger banks, to the detriment of the smaller banks. Therefore, I vote "no." I feel, however, that if the bill becomes a law may tend to hasten the conditions we are hoping for. We are almost upon the brink of ruin as it is, and this bill may hurry us to our destination from which we may the sooner emerge, the sooner we arrive, at a place of financial chaos.

Mr. Swett: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on Senate Bill No. 250, because Section 8 gives the guaranty commission more power than the Spanish Inquisition had in its palmist days. Under this act any farmer debtor may be haled into court and if he refuses he may be held for contempt. It is entirely un-American in principle.

Mr. Vogel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and be recorded. I vote "no" because both by correspondence and conversation I have found that the smaller bankers of North Dakota, irrespective of politics, are opposed to this bill and have had no voice in its enact-

ment. I vote "no" because Section 8 gives to this board inquisitorial powers, contrary to American principles. I vote "no" because I do not believe in creating one Board whose duty it will be to watch another board.

Mr. Carr moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 250 was passed, be reconsidered and the motion be reconsidered be laid on the table.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to send you Concurrent Resolution by Mr. Trubshaw and ask your favorable consideration.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

State of North Dakota,
Office of the Governor,
Bismarck, N. D.

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have today approved and

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall Be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Also,

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

Also,

House Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 58 of the Special Session of North Dakota for 1919.

Also,

House Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 258 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists.

Also,

House Bill No. 195. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to Interest to be Charged Upon Delinquent Inheritance Taxes.

Also,

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers Institutes.

Also,

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Levying of a Tax to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating **and winding up** the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

Also,

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore or Hereafter Issued by the State of North Dakota, in Any Case Where Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing, Negotiating or Delivering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; and Providing for the Re-Issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Also,

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913 Relating to the Selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Lease Hold Premises Held Under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners May Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Providing the Breadth of the Operation in Such Injunction by Making it Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include any Place Within the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota Relating to Board of Administration.

Also,

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

Yours very truly,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State with Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for the Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court with Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation Proceedings, and Requesting It to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner, Fixing His Compensation, and Defining His Powers and Authority, and Providing for the Appointment of Receivers of In-

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 58, nays 54, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Goranson	Larson	Sagen
Burleigh	Halcrow	Lynch	Slominski
Bollinger	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Boyd	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Brown	Hart	Muus	Traynor
Burk	Heaton	Norden	Trubshaw
Burns	Henne	Olafson	Twichell
Carr	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Currie	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Dougherty	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Burkee	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Rabe	
Flom	Kelly	Radcliffe	
Freeman	Kopp	Root	
Geiszler	Lackey	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Fedge	Gink	Sims
Sargent	Franson	Loudenbeck	Steen
Arøuser	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Swett
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Cole	Hoopel	Morton	Walker
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	Yeater
Erickson	Lakie	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.
Eckert

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Swett: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have the explanation recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on Senate Bill No. 267, because Section 1 gives to the Supreme Court powers not given it by the Constitution, which we at the beginning of this session

gave our solemn oaths to uphold. Section 5, of this bill, makes the Supreme Court the final judge of its own acts, the court of last resort as well as the first. This bill is merely an attempt to place the larger banks in final control of all the financial affairs of this state.

Mr. Carr moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 267 was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

There being no objection the House reverted to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Rabe moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 371 was lost, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kopp moved that Senate Bill No. 371 be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 371. A Bill for an Act for the Protection of Health and Prevention of Fraud and Deception in Articles of Food and Drugs; for the Prevention of Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; Requiring Labeling Thereof; Providing for Sales by Weight, Measure or Numerical Count; Providing for Fixing of Standards of Purity and Quality and Fitness of Consumption; Prescribing the Duties of the State Board of Administration and Providing for the Appointment of a State Food Commissioner and Chemist and Prescribing His Duties and Powers; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act; Defining Certain Offenses in Connection Therewith; Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Certain Acts Relating Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 73 nays 42, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flora	Larkin	Rabe
Burleigh	Freeman	Larson	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Goranson	Levin	Root
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Rustad
Brown	Hanson	Maddock	Sagen
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Stominaki
Burkhart	Heaton	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Hodges	Muus	Streich
Carr	Hoopie	Norden	Traynor
Cart	Jardine	Olafson	Trubshaw
Cole	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Currie	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Ulland
Dougherty	Johnson, Trail	Patterson	Veitch
Durkee	Kelly	Peters	Walker
Ehr	Kopp	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Lackey	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Laxer	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Franson	Liak	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Sargent	Geiszler	McManus	Sproul
Bratsberg	Hart	Martin	Steen
Bryans	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Craig	Helbling	Miller	Swett
Doyle	Iverson	Morton	Tweten
Erickson	Jackson	Oberg	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weid
Erickson	Lakie	Opland	Yeater
16th Dist.			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Hardy	Henne	Quam
Elmer	Hempel	Kellogg	Vogel

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Money for the Expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the State Government, and for Public Schools, Specifying the Amount and Time for Which Such Appropriations Shall be Available, and Repealing all Acts, or Parts of Acts, Insofar as the Same Shall Relate to Appropriations Conflicting Herewith, or to Appropriations for the Same Matters or Purposes Provided for Herein.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 78, nays 30, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kellogg	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Rabe
Anderson,	Flom	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Geiszler	Lackie	Rustad
Boyd	Goranson	Larson	Sagen
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Hanson	Maddock	Slominski
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Sproul
Burkhardt	Hart	McDowell	Starke
Burns	Haugland	McGauvran	Shurr
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Cart	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Hodges	Olafson	Twitchell
Currie	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Opland	Walker
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Fhr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hardy	McCay	Steen
Sargent	Helbling	Miller	Streich
Ardauser	Jones	Morton	Swett
Bryans	Larkin	Oberg	Tweten

Messrs. Craig Doyle Fedge Frandon	Messrs. Lazier Link Loudenbeck Lynch	Messrs. Patterson Quam Sethre, Williams Sims	Messrs. Vogel Weisbeck Yeater
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Absent and not voting:

Messrs. Erickson 26th Dist.	Messrs. Fredrickson	Messrs. Hoople	Messrs. McManus
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So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Vogel: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote on Senate Bill No. 86, and request that the explanation be recorded. I vote "no" as a protest against the increase in appropriations for every department or state government, contrary to the platform of the Independents in this House who pledged a reduction in taxation.

Mr. Loudenbeck: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" on Senate Bill No. 86 because the appropriation in every budget is raised. Therefore, I vote "no."

Mr. Miller: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" on this bill because it is an increase in appropriations in the majority of items over the appropriations of previous years, and I believe it is a poor time to increase expenditures.

Mr. McCay and Mr. Watt also explained their votes.

Mr. Peters moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 86 was passed be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 20. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 5, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 20, 26 and 27 of Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 59, nays 53, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson Burleigh Bollinger Boyd Brown Burk Burns Carr Cole	Messrs. Freeman Geiszler Goranson Halcrow Hanson Harrington Hart Heaton Henne	Messrs. Kelly Kopp Lackey Larson Lynch McDowell McGauvran Muus Norden	Messrs. Rabe Radcliffe Root Rustad Sagen Slominski Sproul Starke Traynor
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Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.		
Anderson.	Erickson	Lazier	Quam
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Sathre, Williams
Sargent	Franson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Strcich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kellogg	Opland	Weld
26th Dist.	Lakie	Patterson	Yeater

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.

Eckert

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

A verification of the roll call disclosed the vote as correctly announced.

Mr. Cart: Mr. Speaker, I want to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" on this bill because the method of creating a permanent fund is unjust. I vote "no" because the permanent fund under the new law is taken from the people using the hail insurance law at this time, instead of all the people who have an equity in the permanent fund.

Mr. Kellogg: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and be recorded. Individually I thought this was a good bill as originally drawn. I was in favor of the bill as it was passed by the Senate, but I am not in favor of it as it has been changed recently. Therefore, I vote "no."

Mr. Martin: Mr. Speaker, I was in favor of this bill as it came from the Senate, but I am opposed to the rider put on by the House. Therefore, I vote "no."

Mr. Sims: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" upon Senate Bill No. 20, because it is an insidious effort to weaken and eventually destroy the machinery of the hail insurance department, thereby letting down the bars to the old line insurance companies, who have robbed me for years,—and that kind of thing is against the best interests of the whole people of this state. I vote "no."

Mr. Swett: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote on Senate Bill No. 20, and ask that the explanation be recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on this bill because

the attached rider, Section 6, is just what the farmers have been looking for,—namely, the knife in the best established part of the Industrial Program.

Mr. Vogel: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" on this measure because it is one of a series of bills introduced by the majority in this House for the purpose of injuring the Industrial Program approved by a majority of the people of North Dakota. This is an effort of the majority to put the state hail insurance department on a basis of equality with the private insurance companies in North Dakota, and I therefore, vote "no."

Mr. Kopp and Mr. Patterson also explained their votes.

Senate Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Reenact Section 2078, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 223, Session Laws of 1919, and Chapter 122, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Exemption of Certain Property From Taxation.

Wrs read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 59, nays 49, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geisler	Larson	Radeliffe
Burleigh	Goranson	Lynch	Root
Bollinger	Halcrow	McDowell	Rustad
Boyd	Hanson	McGauvran	Sagen
Brown	Harrington	Muus	Slominski
Burk	Hart	Norden	Sproul
Burns	Henne	Olafson	Starke
Carr	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Traynor
Cole	Jackson	Opland	Tweten
Currie	Jardine	Orange	Twichell
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Kopp	Rabe	
Freeman	Lackey		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson,	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sims
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Steen
Sargent	Frandson	Loudenbeck	Strieh
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Shurr
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Swett
Eryans	Haugland	Martin	Vogel
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Walker
Cart	Hoople	Miller	Weisbeck
Craig	Iverson	Morton	Weld
Doyle	Jones	Oberg	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	
Erickson	Lakie	Opland	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	
Eckert	Hempel	Sathre, Steele	Trubshaw
Heaton			

Mr. Swett: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote on Senate Bill No. 146, and request that the explanation be recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on Senate Bill No. 146 because it is a shift in the burden of taxation from the plutocracy to the poorer, earning class. Under this bill every poor widow working woman, with only a bed and wash tub to her name, will be liable to taxation. As introduced the bill was all right, but as amended it is rotten.

Mr. Lokie also explained his vote.

Mr. Hanson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 146, was passed, be reconsidered, and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Carr moved the previous question on Senate Bill No. 255.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-Year 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final pasage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 60, nays 49, absent and not voting 4.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.		
Anderson,	Geiszler	Kopp	Rustad
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Sagen
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Heaton	Mtus	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Currie	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Flom	Johnson, Trail.	Radcliffe	
Freeman	Kelly	Root	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Quam
Burke-Divide	14th Dist.	Levin	Rabe
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Swett
Gurkhart	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Vogel
Craig	Hoopel	Morton	Walker
Doyle	Jones	Oberg	Weid
Erickson,	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
26th Dist.	Lokie	Opland	
	Larkin	Patterson	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Elmer	Steen	Weisbeck

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause lost.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 255 passed be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Reenact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners' Powers and Duties with Regard to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

And file the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, An Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for Which the Appropriation is Made.

Also,

House Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Reporting at the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Contracts Involving Labor Entered Into by All Political Subdivisions of the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking Their Ballots.

Also,

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Reenact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

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Also,

House Bill No. 215. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1921, Relating to Enforcement of Payment of Premiums to the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Also,

House Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Purchase by the Industrial Commission of Claims Against the Returned Soldiers' Fund and for the Financing of Such Purchase by Such Commission, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

And file the same correctly enrolled.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, An Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for Which the Appropriation is Made.

Also,

House Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Reporting at the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Contracts Involving Labor Entered Into by All Political Subdivisions of the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking their Ballots.

Also,

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

Also,

House Bill No. 215. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for

the Year of 1921, Relating to Enforcement of Payment of Premiums to the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Also,

House Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Purchase by the Industrial Commission of Claims Against the Returned Soldiers' Fund and for the Financing of Such Purchase by Such Commission, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

Mr. Vogel moved that the House do no wadjourn.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-NINTH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

The House convened at 2:00 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. F. Alfson.

Roll Call. All members present except Messrs. Bollinger, Bratsberg, Cole, Eckert, Frandson, Halcrow, Haugland, Larkin, Link, Maddock, McGauvran and Opland.

Mr. Rabe moved that all absentees be excused.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform the House that the Senate reconsidered the vote by which the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 255 was lost and then passed the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 255.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 153. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Payment of Compensation Out of the Workmen's Compensation Fund and Providing that Compensation Shall be Paid for Injuries and Deaths from Injuries Occurring Outside the State of North Dakota Only Under Circumstances as Provided in the Act.

Also,

House Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8325 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Actions Arising out of Personal Injury or Death Resulting from Wrongful Acts.

Also,

House Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 959 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Preparation of Ballots for Constitutional Amendments and Extending the Same to Cover Initiated and Referred Measures.

Also,

House Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Concerning Declaratory Judgments and Decrees and to Make Uniform the Laws Relating thereto.

Also,

House Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The House reverted to the Third Order of Business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Fifty-seventh Day After Recess and Fifty-eighth Day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 15, under the roll call on Senate Bill No. 15, insert the following: "The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried."

On page 18, under the roll call, strike out the following: "Those voting in the negative were:" and insert in lieu thereof "Absent and not voting."

At bottom of page 24 strike out everything pertaining to Senate Bill No. 74.

Page 29, bottom of roll call, strike out the following: "passed and the title was agreed to" and insert in lieu thereof the words, "was lost."

On page 61 strike out everything pertaining to Senate Bill No. 172 wherever it appears, and insert in lieu thereof, "House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, relating to County Commissioners' Powers and Duties with Regard to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids."

On page 67, under the roll call, Senate Bill No. 197, Lynch is not reported as voting; should be voting "nay." Same report, Kelly is reported as voting twice.

On page 68, Senate Bill No. 212 should read 112; in the same bill the figures "\$22,230.00" should read "\$20,710.00."

And when so corrected recommend that the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,
Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 272. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Method of Levying Tax for the Care of Patients at the Hospital for the Insane, Institution for the Feeble Minded and the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium; Providing the Method of Settlement Between County and State; Providing a Penalty for Failure to Pay; Providing a Method of Settling Disputed Claims and Repealing Sections 2572 and 2573, Compiled Laws of 1913 and All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

(Amendments are to the engrossed bill as the same came from the Senate.)

Amend the bill by striking out all of the balance of Section 2 beginning with the word "If" in line 22 thereof.

Insert in lieu thereof as a part of said Section 2. the following: "It is hereby made the duty of the County Treasurer and the County Auditor, and they and each of them, are hereby required to remit to the State Treasurer

for the amount of the State Auditor's draft. Provided, however, that if there is included as a part of the amount for which such draft is drawn by the State Auditor upon the County Treasurer, any charge or charges for any patient or patients, which patient or patients have or shall be by proper resolution of the Board of County Commissioners declared not chargeable against such county, the amount of such so disputed claim or claims may be deducted in making remittance for such draft.

"Such claims so disputed shall be determined, adjusted and payment made in manner by Sections 2576 and 2577 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, provided."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401, and 403, Compiled Laws of 1913, Declaring Emergency.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

Strike out all of line five after the word "receive" and all of line six up to the word "necessary" in Section three and insert in lieu thereof of the following: "Such compensation as shall be appropriated for that office from time to time by the Legislative Assembly, and"

In line seven of Section three strike out the "period" after the word "business" and insert in lieu thereof a "comma." Also in same line strike out the words "He shall not engage in any"

In line 8 of Section 3 strike out the following: "other occupation or business."

In line 10 of Section 9 strike out "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,800.00" and strike out the figures "\$10,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$3,600.00."

Strike out all of lines 11, 12, 13 and 14.

In line 16 strike out the figure "2" before the word "Clerks" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "1." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$2,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$1,200.00." And also in same line strike out the figures "\$4,800.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$2,400.00."

In line 17 strike out the figures "\$500.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$200.00." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$1,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$400.00."

In line 18 strike out the figures "\$800.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$200.00." Also in same line strike out the figures "\$1,600.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$400.00."

In line 19 strike out the figures "\$750.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$100.00." Also in same line strike out the figures "\$1,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$200.00."

In line 21 strike out the figures "\$200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$100.00." Also in same line strike out the figures "\$400.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$200.00."

In line 22 strike out the figures "\$1,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$200.00." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$2,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$400.00."

In line 24 strike out the figures "\$400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$250.00." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$800.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00."

In line 25 strike out the figures "\$1,200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$2,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof \$1,000.00."

Strike out all of lines 26, 27, 28 and 29.

In line 31 strike out the figures "\$21,450.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4,550.00." And also in the same line strike out the figures "\$42,900.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$9,100.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

WM. WATT,
Chairman.

The Committee on Conference made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Conference to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Care and Treatment of Indigent, Crippled or Deformed Children.

Have conferred with the Conference Committee appointed by the Senate, and are unable to reach an agreement with reference to the following House amendment:

"Nothing in this act shall be construed as limiting the right of a parent or guardian to determine what treat-

ment shall be provided for a child, or the agency to be employed for that purpose."

Your committee suggests receding from the above amendment and substituting in its place the following: "Nothing in this act shall be construed as compelling any specific treatment to be given to any child, contrary to the objection of the parent, guardian or person standing in *loco parentis*."

R. M. SPROUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Conference Committee on House Bill No. 92 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on House Bill No. 92 beg leave to report as follows:

We recommend that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to said House Bill No. 92.

For the Senate:

P. T. KRETSCHMAR,
RALPH INGERSON,
P. J. MURPHY.

For the House:

WM. WATT,
M. W. KELLY,
O. H. OPLAND.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Watt moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 92 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed and House Bill No. 92 was placed on third reading and final passage.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 96, nays 5, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Frandsen	Lakie	Root
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larkin	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Larson	Sagen

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Sargson	Goranson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Halcrow	Link	Sims
Boyd	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Hart	Maddock	Streich
Burns	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Carr	Heaton	McCay	Swett
Cart	Helbling	McDowell	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Miller	Trubshaw
Craig	Hodges	Morton	Tweton
Currie	Hoopie	Muus	Ulland
Doyle	Iverson	Norden	Veitch
Durkee	Jackson	Oberg	Vogel
Eckert	Jardine	Olafson	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Weld
26th Dist.	Jones	Plath	Yeater
Erickson,	Kellogg	Quade	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Kelly	Quam	
	Kopp	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Ehr	Lynch	Steen
Dougherty			

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Fedge	McGauvran	Peters
Burk	Harrington	Opland	Sproul
Burkhart	Hempel	Orange	Twichell

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series"; Prescribing the Terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, and to Carry into Effect the Provisions of This Act; and Declaring This Act to be an Emergency Measure.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 4, line 7, of the engrossed bill, after the word "Act" change the semi-colon to a period and strike out the balance of the line, and all of lines 8, 9, 10, 11 and a part of line 12, to the word "they."

In Section 7, line 1, of the engrossed bill, after the word "such" substitute the word "assignment" for "delivery."

In Section 9, line 14, page 8, of the engrossed bill, after the word "Act" insert, "or he may require the Bank of North Dakota to substitute new mortgages therefor as provided in Section 10 of this Act."

In Section 9, page 7, of the engrossed bill, strike out line 29, after the word "foreclosure" and line 30 to the word "legal" and insert the word "which," on page 8, before the word "shall" in line 1.

In Section 13, line 7, of the engrossed bill, strike out the word "fifteen" and in lieu thereof insert the word "twenty-five."

After the word "paid" in line 8, Section 14, of the engrossed bill, strike out the remainder of the section and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Provided, however, that in case any section or clause of this act shall be declared by the courts to be inoperative, the remainder thereof shall nevertheless be in full force and effect."

Add: "Section 15. EMERGENCY. Whereas, the Bank of North Dakota is about to prepare a new amortization table and it is desirable that the period of amortization be made approximately thirty years; now, therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this act shall take effect and be in force from and after March 31, 1923."

In the title of the bill, line 2 of the engrossed bill, after the word "exceeding" strike out the word "fifteen" and in lieu thereof insert the word "twenty-five."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Conference Committee on House Bill No. 305 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on House Bill No. 305 report as follows:

We recommend:

First. That the bill be amended by striking out the period after the word "Act" in Section 9, line 14, page 8 of the engrossed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof a comma.

Second. That when so amended the House do concur in Senate amendments.

• For the House:
F. A. VOGEL,
JOHN EHR,
JNO. W. CARR.

For the Senate:
W. R. BOND,
E. H. PAGE,
JOHN L. MIKLETHUN.

Mr. Carr moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Carr moved that the rules be suspended, and House Bill No. 305 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed and Senate Bill No. 305 was placed on third reading and final passage.

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for scribing the Terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series;" Pre- and to Carry Into Effect the Provisions of this Act; and Declaring this Act to be an Emergency Measure.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 102, nays none, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Those voting in the affirmative were:			
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackey	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lackie	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sims
Bollinger	Geizler	Levin	Slominski
Boyd	Goranson	Link	Sproul
Bratsberg	Halerow	Loudenbeck	Starks
Bryans	Hardy	Lynch	Steen
Burk	Hart	McManus	Shurr
Burkhart	Haugland	Maddock	Swett
Eurns	Heaton	Martin	Traynor
Carr	Heibling	McCay	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	McDowell	Tweten
Cole	Henne	McGauvran	Twichell
Craig	Hodges	Miller	Ulland
Currie	Hoople	Morton	Veitch
Doyle	Iverson	Norden	Vogel
Dougherty	Jackson	Oberg	Walker
Durkee	Jardine	Olafson	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Yeater
Erickson	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Brown	Harrington	Patterson	Sethre, Williams
Eckert	Muus	Plath	Streich
Hanson	Orange	Quam	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hemple: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote

and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "aye" on House Bill No. 305 at this time for the reason that I do not want to place anything in the way of the present administration speeding up the farm loan business of the Bank of North Dakota; and for the further reason that the Independent members of the House have assured us that this new law will help the Bank of North Dakota to speed up and make loans to farmers, faster. Therefore, I vote "aye," although down deep in my heart I still feel this law is a camouflage and in time we will all find it will work out that way—but at this time submit to what seems almost unanimous opinion in favor of this law.

The Conference Committee on House Bill No. 88 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on House Bill No. 88 beg leave to report as follows:

We recommend that the House concur in the Senate amendments to said bill and that the Senate recede from its amendment of inserting in said bill "Root Cellar \$2,-000.00."

For the Senate:

P. J. MURPHY,

T. J. KELSH,

For the House:

WM. WATT,

E. O. ELLINGSON,

J. C. ARDUSER.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Watt moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 88 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays none, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.

Anderson,
Burleigh

Anderson,
Sargent

Arduser
Boyd

Messrs.

Geizler
Goranson
Halcrow

Hardy
Harrington
Hart
Haugland

Messrs.

Levin
Link
Loudenbeck
Lynch

McManus
Maddock
Martin

Messrs.

Rustad
Sagen
Sathre, Steele
Sethre, Williams
Sims
Slominski
Spruill

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Heaton	McCay	Starke
Burk	Helbling	McDowell	Steen
Carr	Henne	McGauvran	Streich
Cole	Kedges	Miller	Shurr
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Swett
Currie	Iverson	Muus	Traynor
Doyle	Jackson	Norden	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jardine	Oberg	Tweten
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Twitchell
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ellingson	Jones	Opland	Vogel
Elmer	Kellogg	Orange	Walker
Erickson,	Kelly	Patterson	Watt
26th Dist.	Kopp	Peters	Weisbeck
Erickson	Lackey	Plath	Weld
16th Dist.	Lackie	Quade	Yeater
Frandsen	Larkin	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
Fredrickson	Larson	Radcliffe	
Freeman	Lazier	Root	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Bryans	Eckert	Hanson
Burke-Divide	Burkhart	Fedge	Hempel
Bollinger	Burns	Flom	Quam
Brown	Cart		

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

The committee on Conference on Senate Bill No. 185 made the following report:

Senate Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 185 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the support of Needy Women Who are Mothers of and Who Are Compelled to Support One or More Children Under Sixteen Years of Age.

Have had the same under consideration and beg leave to advise you that the Senate Conference Committee has agreed to recommend that the Senate do concur in the House Amendments, and that your Joint Conference Committee recommend that the bill be further amended as follows: on page 5 of the engrossed bill, line 23, before the word "any," insert the words "the applicant or" making the sentence read "the applicant or any interested tax-payer, etc."

L. R. BAIRD,
J. E. STEVENS,
B. L. BAKER,

For the Senate.

C. H. STARKE,
J. A. JARDINE,
B. C. LARKIN,

For the House.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.

March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that

the House has concurred in the Conference report to House Bill No. 88.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$100,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River of the North, Between the City of Fargo, Cass County, North Dakota, and the City of Moorhead, Clay County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1919.

House Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North Dakota under the provisions of Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919 and That Such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Fund.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 303. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1951 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 72 of the Laws of 1919, Relating to the Construction of Bridges by County Commissioners.

Which the House has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Daokta,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$3,450.00 for the Payment of the Per Diem and Expenses of the Board of Experts; and the Salary, and Other Expenses of the Field Officer to be Incurred Under Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, for the Biennial Period.

House Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting any **Person from Driving or Operating a Motor Truck of More than Five Tons Carrying Capacity Upon any Public Highway, Street or Avenue in the State.**

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Daokta,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to request the return of House Bills Nos. 88, 305.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Daokta,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to request the return of House Bill No. 169.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Daokta,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that **the Senate** has adopted the reports of the Conference Committees on House Bills Nos. 88, 305 and 92.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck North Dakota.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the conference report to House Bill No. 305, and return the bill as requested.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Relating to What Shall be Carried as "Consolidated Tax Account," and Repealing Section 2274, Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 253, Session Laws of 1915.

Which the House has requested.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Vogel moved that the House do not accede to the request of the Senate for the return of House Bill No. 169.

Mr. Jackson moved as a substitute motion that the House do accede to the request of the Senate for the return of House Bill No. 169.

Which substitute motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Vogel, which motion prevailed.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Messrs. Bond, Miklethun and Page to act as a conference committee on House Bill No. 305.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Messrs. Kretschmar, Inger-

son and Murphy to act as a conference committee on House Bill No. 92.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act Designating the Depositories of Public Funds and Fixing the Minimum Rate of Interest; Requiring Competitive Bids for Such Deposits; Providing for Publicity with Reference to Such Funds and Depositories; Prescribing Penalties for Violation of This Act; Defining Terms Used Herein, and Repealing Sections 147, 147a, 147b and Sections 370 to 374, Inclusive, Sections 1472 to 1488, Inclusive, Sections 3315 to 3329, Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 50 Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 56 Session Laws of 1921.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 6, Line 6, of the Engrossed Bill after the word "county" when it appears the first time insert the following "qualified as depositories."

In Section 8, line 24, of the Engrossed Bill, after the figures "(2%)" insert the following "or over three per cent "(3%)"

In Section 8, line 25 of the Engrossed Bill, after the figures "(4%)" insert the following "or over six per cent (6%)"

In Section 10, line 16, of the Engrossed Bill, after the word "cent" insert the following "or over three per cent."

In Section 10, line 17, of the Engrossed Bill, after the word "cent" insert the following "or over six per cent."

In Section 13, line 3, of the Engrossed Bill, after the figures "(2%)" insert the following "or over three per cent "(3%)"

In Section 13, line 4, of the Engrossed Bill, after the figures "(4%)" insert the following "or over six per cent (%)."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 194.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Maddock moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 194.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Vogel moved that the Rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 194 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act Designating the Depositories of Public Funds and Fixing the Minimum Rate of Interest; Requiring Competitive Bids for Such Deposits; Providing for Publicity with Reference to Such Funds and Depositories; Prescribing Penalties for Violation of this Act; Defining Terms Used Herein, and Repealing Sections 147, 147a, 147b and Sections 370 to 374, inclusive; Sections 1472 to 1488, inclusive, and Sections 3315 to 3329, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws for 1913, and Chapter 59, Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 56, Session Laws of 1921.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 64, nays 46, absent and not voting 3.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Geiszler	Larson	Sagan
Burleigh	Goranson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Halerow	McManus	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Hart	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Heaton	Muus	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Norden	Tweten
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Rabe	
Flom	Kelly	Radcliffe	
Freeman	Kopp	Root	
	Lackey	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Lakie	Opland
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Larkin	Patterson
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Lazier	Quam
Sargent	Frandsen	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fredrickson	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Haugland	Maddock	Shurr
Burkhardt	Helbling	Martin	Sweet
Cart	Hempel	McCay	Vogel
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Walker
Doyre	Jones	Oberg	Weisbeck
Eckert	Kellogg	Olson, Ransom	Weld
			Yeater

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Fedge	Streich	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Vogel: I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded. I vote "no" on this bill because I was opposed to the bill as originally introduced and I am opposed to it as it has been amended.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which House Bill 194, as amended by the Senate was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D
March 1, 1921.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 105. An Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 1, line 3, of the Engrossed Bill strike out the figures "78,220.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "94,220.00."

On page 2, item 4, in line 5, strike out the figures "20,000.00" and in lieu thereof insert the figures "36,000.00."

In line 7, after the words "Grand Total" strike out the figures "78,220" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "94,220.00."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Rustad moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 105.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rustad moved that the Rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 105 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 105. An Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 76, nays 31, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Levin	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geisler	Lynch	Root
Anderson,	Halerow	McManus	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Hanson	Maddock	Sagen
Bollinger	Harrington	Martin	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Haugland	McCay	Sims
Bratsberg	Heaton	McDowell	Slominski
Brown	Hodges	McGauvran	Starke
Burk	Hoopie	Miller	Streich
Burkhart	Iverson	Morton	Shurr
Burns	Jackson	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Jardine	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Tweten
Craig	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Currie	Kelly	Olson, Towner	Uland
Dougherty	Kopp	Opland	Veitch
Durkee	Lackey	Orange	Walker
Ehr	Lakie	Patterson	Weld
Ellingson	Larkin	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Larson	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Helbling	Quam
Sargent	Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fedje	Jones	Steen
Bryans	Flom	Kellogg	Swett
Cart	Frandsen	Lazier	Vogel
Doyle	Fredrickson	Link	Weisbeck
Elmer	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Yeater
Erickson	Hardy	Oberg	
26th Dist.	Hart	Quade	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Henne	Sproul	Watt
Hempel	Peters		

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 118. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Fourteen Thousand, Five Hundred and Eight Dollars and 66-100 (\$14,508.66) or so Much Thereof as May Be Needed, for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Expenses of Employees, the Pier Diem and Mileage of Witnesses and expenses for Printing and Supplies, Incurred by the Special Audit Committee Appointed by the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in Considering the Audit of and Investigating the State Bank and State Industries as Authorized and Directed by Said House of Representatives.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In title of the Engrossed Bill, in line 1, after the word "of" strike out balance of line, also all of line 2, and insert the following words and figures "Ten Thousand,

Nine Hundred and Fifty-three Dollars and 65-100 (10,953.65.)”

In Section 1, line 3, after the word “of” strike out the balance of line. Strike out all of line 4, up to the word “or” and insert in lieu thereof the following words and figures “Ten Thousand, Nine Hundred and Fifty-three Dollars and 65-100 (\$10,953.65).”

On page 3 in line 3, strike out the figures “1,232.76” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “1,000.00.”

In line 9, strike out the figures “1,700.00” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “1,200.00.”

In line 11, strike out the figures “4,000.00” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “2,500.00.”

In line 12 strike out the figures “4,000.00” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “2,500.00.”

On page 4, in line 10,, after the word “total” strike out the figures “14,686.41” and insert in lieu thereof the figures “10,953.65.”

Emergency failed to carry.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 118.

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 118.

A demand for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following result: Ayes 58, nays 54, absent and not voting 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Larkin	Rabe
Bucke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Fedge	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Frandsen	Link	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bratsberg	Geiszler	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Burkhart	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Cole	Hempel	Miller	Twetan
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Elmer	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kellogg	Opland	Weld
26th Dist.	Kopp	Patterson	Yeater
	Lackie	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Goranson	Lackey	Root
Bollinger	Halcrow	Larson	Rustad
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Sagen
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Slominski
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Turns	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Currie	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Doucherty	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Eckert

So the substitute motion prevailed and the Senate amendments were concurred in.

Mr. Vogel moved that the vote by which the House concurred in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 118, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Vogel moved that the Rules be suspended, House Bill 118 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 118. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Fourteen Thousand, Five Hundred and Eight Dollars and 66-100 (\$14,508.66) or so Much Thereof as May Be Needed, for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Expenses of Employees, the Pier Diem and Mileage of Witnesses and expenses for Printing and Supplies, Incurred by the Special Audit Committee Appointed by the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly

of the State of North Dakota, in Considering the Audit of and Investigating the State Bank and State Industries as Authorized and Directed by Said House of Representatives.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 62, nays 49,, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Goranson	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Lackey	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Hanson	Larson	Root
Boyd	Halcrow	Lynch	Rustad
Brown	Harrington	McDowell	Sagen
Burk	Hart	McGauvran	Sathre, Steele
Burns	Heaton	Miller	Slominski
Carr	Henne	Muus	Starke
Cole	Hodges	Norden	Traynor
Currie	Iverson	Olafson	Trubshaw

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Dougherty	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Durkee	Jardine	Opland	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Trail	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Freeman	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Sims
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Steen
Anderson	Fedge	Link	Streich
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Swett
Bratsberg	Haroy	Maddock	Tweten
Bryans	Haugland	Martfn	Vogel
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Walker
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Weisbeck
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Weid
Currie	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Patterson	
Erickson	Lakie	Quam	
26th Dist.	Larkin	Sethre, Williams	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Sproul

So the bill passed as amended by the senate and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 312. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 44 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 4 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relaing to Legislative Apportionment.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

“Section 1. Amendment. That Section 44 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 4 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1915, as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 2 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1917 be and the same is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:”

Strike out the title of the engrossed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 44 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 4 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1915 as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 2 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1917, relating to Legislative Apportionment.”

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 312.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved that the Rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 312 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present.

Mr. Jackson moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 312. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 44 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 4 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to Legislative Apportionment.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes **58**, nays 55, absent and not voting none.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Geiszler	Kopp	Root
Bollinger	Goranson	Lackie	Rustad
Boyd	Halcrow	Larson	Sagen
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Sproul
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Starke
Cole	Heaton	Muus	Traynor
Currie	Henne	Norden	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Olafson	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Watt
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Trall	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Lazier	Rabe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Fedge	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arduser	Fredrickson	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Swett
Cart	Hempel	Miller	Tweten
Craig	Hoople	Morton	Vogel
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Walker
Eckert	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Elmer	Kellogg	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Lakie	Patterson	Yeater
26th Dist.	Larkin	Quam	

So the bill passed, as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Hempel. Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" for the reason that this bill still proposes to give two counties, both of which are over eight thousand, one senator, and give two senators to one county.

Mr. Sims: Mr. Speaker, I vote "no" on this bill because it is not in accordance with the will of the people. This kind of gerrymandering is not only vile and vicious and infamous, it is absolutely contemptible and I vote "no."

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 312, as amended by the Senate was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

On Page 1 of the Engrossed Bill, on the first line after the enacting clause, before the word "Section" insert the following "Section 1. AMENDMENT."

On Page 1, of the Engrossed Bill, on the third line after the enacting clause, strike out the following "Section 1, AMENDMENT."

In Section 1, line 5 of the engrossed bill, strike out "7" and insert in lieu thereof "6."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 306.

Which motion prevailed.

Mrs. Craig moved that the Rules be suspended that House Bill No. 306 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 106, nays none, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Burleigh	Flom	Lakie	Radcliffe
Anderson	Franson	Larkin	Root
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Rustad
Arduser	Freeman	Lazier	Sagen
Bollinger	Geiszler	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Goranson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Halerow	Loudenbeck	Sims
Brown	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Bryans	Hardy	HcManus	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Starke
Burkhart	Hart	McCay	Steen
Burns	Haugland	McDowell	Streich
Carr	Heaton	McGauvran	Shurr
Cart	Helbling	Miller	Trayner
Cole	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Craig	Henne	Muus	Tweten
Currie	Hodges	Norden	Twichell
Doye	Hoope	Oberg	Ulland
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Watt
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Jones	Patterson	Weld
Erickson	Kellogg	Peters	Yeater
16th Dist.	Kelly	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Kopp	Quam	

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Eckert	Jardine	Quade
Burke-Divide	Elmer	Maddock	Swett

So the bill passedd as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N D.
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return House Bill No. 35 which the Senate has amended as shown on the conference committee report herewith attached.

The committee on Conference on House Bill No. 35 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committe on Conference to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

Beg leave to advise you that the Senate Conference Committee has agreed to recommend that the Senate recede from the Senate amendment, and that your Joint Conference Committee recommend that said bill be amended to read as follows in the body of the bill:

Section 3521. MILEAGE. In addition to the salary prescribed by the preceding section the Sheriff or his deputy or deputies shall be allowed twenty cents per mile for each and every mile actually and necessarily traveled in the performance of any of their official duties when such travel is by motor vehicle or by team; and that the Sheriff or his deputy or deputies shall be allowed ten cents per mile for each and every miles actually and necessarily so traveled by rail; Provided, however, that in lieu of such mileage any Sheriff shall be allowed ten cents per mile for each and every of the state on official business.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 26, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Administration of Non-Resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of Tuition of Such Non-Resident Students by the County of **their Residence.**

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

On page 1, of the Engrossed Bill on the first line after the enacting clause, before the word "that" insert the following "Section 1. Amendment."

On page 1, of the Engrossed Bill on the fourth line after the enacting clause, after the figures "1462" insert the following "school free to whom, admission of non-residents."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mrs. Craig moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 226.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Goranson moved that the Rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 226 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Administration of Non-Resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of

Tuition of Such Non-Resident Students by the County of Their Residents.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 8, absent and not voting 18.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fredrickson	McManus	Sagen
Burleigh	Goranson	Maddock	Sathre, Steele
Anderson,	Halerow	Martin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Hanson	McDowell	Sims
Arduser	Hardy	McGauvran	Slominski
Bollinger	Harrington	Miller	Starke
Boyd	Hart	Morton	Steen
Brown	Haugland	Muus	Streich
Burk	Heaton	Norden	Shurr
Burkhart	Helbling	Oberg	Swett
Burns	Hodges	Olafson	Traynor
Carr	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Trubshaw
Craig	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Tweten
Currie	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Twichell
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Veitch
Durkee	Jones	Patterson	Vogel
Ehr	Kelly	Peters	Walker
Erickson	Kopp	Plath	Watt
26th Dist.	Lackey	Quam	Weisbeck
Erickson	Larson	Rabe	Weld
16th Dist.	Lazier	Radcliffe	Yeater
Flom	Levin	Root	Mr. Speaker
Frandson	Link	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Cart	Geiszler	Johnson, Traill
Burke-Divide	Doyle	Henne	Sproul
Bryans			

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fedge	Kellogg	McCay
Cole	Freeman	Lakie	Quade
Eckert	Hempel	Larkin	Ulland
Ellingson	Hoople	Loudenbeck	
Elmer	Jardine	Lynch	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 28, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return Senate Bill No. 176 at the request of the House.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary,

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1923

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House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 226.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 306.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 312.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House adopted the conference report on Senate Bill No. 176 and has passed the bill as amended.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report of the conference committee be adopted, that the Rules be suspended, Senate Bill 176 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Any County in North

Dakota to Issue Funding or Refunding Bonds for the Purpose of Funding or Refunding Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Indebtedness.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays, none, absent and not voting 6.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Quade
Burleigh	Flom	Lakte	Quam
Anderson	Frandsen	Larkin	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larson	Rout
Anderson,	Freeman	Lazier	Rustad
Sargent	Geiszler	Lazier	Sagen
Arduser	Goranson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Sims
Boyd	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Sproul
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Starke
Burk	Hart	Martin	Steen
Burkhardt	Haugland	McCay	Streich
Burns	Heaton	McDowell	Shurr
Carr	Hempel	McGauvran	Swett
Carr	Hempel	Miller	Traynor
Cole	Henne	Morton	Trubshaw
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Currie	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Doyle	Iverson	Oberg	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Walker
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail	Opland	Watt
Erickson	Jones	Orange	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Patterson	Weld
Erickson	Kelly	Peters	Yeater
16th Dist.	Ropp	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eratsberg	Elmer	Rabe	Sathre, Steele
Eckert	Jardine		

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

There being no objection, the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Starke moved that the Senate be requested to return Senate Bill No. 18.

Which motion prevailed.

The House referred to the Fifth Order of Business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Limit County Road and Bridge Tax Levies; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 122 of the Session Laws of 1921.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

J. A. JARDINE,
Chairman.

Mr. Jardine moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 335. A Bill for an Act to Create the Office of State Food Commissioner and Chemist; Providing for His Appointment, Term of Office, Removal and Salary; Defining His Powers and Duties; Defining the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Administration Relating Thereto; Creating a State Regulatory Fund and Providing for Payments Therefrom and Repealing Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act and Especially Repealing Sections Two and Five of Chapter Two Hundred of the Session Laws of 1915.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows:

(The amendments being upon the engrossed bill as the same came from the Senate.)

In line 1, page 2, engrossed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two."

In line 2, of page 2, insert after the word "cause," "without appeal."

On page 3, following the twelfth line thereof and as an additional paragraph, insert the following: "The State Board of Administration shall annually and on or before

the first day of July in each year, prepare an annual budget covering the expenditures to be made during the next ensuing year from each of the several funds comprising the state regulatory fund, and such budget, as so made, shall be adhered to during such ensuing year."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the house has concurred in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 118.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 284 and the President has appointed Senators Baird, Kaldor and Garberg to act as a conference committee.

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Olafson, Patterson and Brown to act as a conference committee on Senate Bill No. 284.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that

the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 194.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 105.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the conference report on Senate Bill No. 176.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return the Concurrent Resolution introduced by Rep. Trubshaw, which the Senate has adopted.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 311 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 311 have had the same under consideration and beg leave to advise that the Senate does not concur in the House amendments of Senate Bill No. 311, and your Joint Conference Committee recommend that said bill be amended as follows:

"Section 1. STATE BOUNTY FOR WOLVES AND COYOTES. For the purpose of encouraging the destruc-

tion of wolves and coyotes, a bounty shall be paid by the State of North Dakota for each wolf and coyote killed as follows: Five Dollars for each wolf or coyote and Two Dollars for each wolf or coyote pup killed prior to the first day of September in each year. Provided further, that no bounty shall be paid on wolves or coyotes killed by the Extension Division of the North Dakota Agricultural College, through the directors thereof co-operating with the Bureau of the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture."

For the House:

M. W. KELLY,
V. L. ANDERSON,
OSCAR S. OBERG.

For the Senate:

CHAS. M. WHITMER,
C. A. WARD,
L. W. SPERRY.

Mr. Cart moved that the report of the conference committee on Senate Bill No. 311 be not adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to request the return of House Bills Nos. 30 and 51.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House accede to the request of the Senate for the return of House Bills Nos. 30 and 51.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate

Bills Nos. 261, 315, 197, 86, 250 with the emergency clause lost, 267 with the emergency clause lost, and 20.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to return House Bills Nos. 30 and 51, as per your request.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House refuses to adopt the conference report on Senate Bill No. 311 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Kelly, V. S. Anderson and Oberg to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

GENERAL ORDERS

Mr. Carr moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of General Orders; which motion prevailed, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

The Speaker called Mr. Carr to the chair.

When the committee arose it submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2263 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to the Levy of a Tax by County Commissioners to be Used in Carrying on Cooperative Agricultural Extension Work as Defined by This Act and Providing for Referendum by Ballot, Audit of Funds and Disposition of Accumulated Funds.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

On line 24 of the printed bill, strike out the first four words, also in line 30 strike out after word "county" the balance of lines 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and up to the word "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen."

Strike out the last word in line 36 and the first five words in line 37.

In line 13, second paragraph of engrossed bill, strike out the word "follows" after the word "as," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "provided in this act for a referendum in counties carrying on extension work prior to the taking effect of this act."

Following Section 2, strike out "for the extension work against extension work" (engrossed bill).

In line 43 of the printed bill, strike out the words "personal property or."

In line 55, printed bill, after the word "the" strike out the words "filing of such petitions" and insert in lieu thereof "elections at which said agricultural extension work was adopted."

In line 112 of the printed bill, after the word "under-sign" strike out the words "personal property or."

In line 134 after the word "least" strike out the word "thirty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty."

In the engrossed bill, page 5, line 9, strike out the word "twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen."

In page 6, engrossed bill, line 6, strike out the word "shall" in line 36.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Conduct of the Business of Warehouses and Providing Penalties for its Violation.

And recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 341. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Tax Upon Gasoline, Stored, Shipped, Distributed or Held for Sale Within this State, for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying the Expenses of the State Government; Providing for the Administration of the Same; Repealing Chapter 227 of the Special Session Laws of 1919 as Amended by Chapter 64 of the Special Session Laws of 1919.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 2, Section 4, strike out the word "oils" and insert the word "gasoline."

In line 4, Section 9, strike out the word "oil" and insert the word "gasoline."

In line 8, Section 9, strike out the word "oil" in the two places where the word appears in that line and insert the word "gasoline" in each such place.

In line 11, Section 9, strike out the word "oil" and insert the word "gasoline."

In line 3, Section 10, strike out the word "oil" and insert the word "gasoline."

In line 10, Section 7, strike out the word "oils" and insert the word "gasoline."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$573,118.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, and Equipment of the Agricultural College, Fargo, for the Biennium.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the figures "\$544,906.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$577,906.00."

In line 3 strike out the figures "\$544,906.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$577,906.00."

Under Improvements and Repairs add the following: "Mechanical Arts Bldg. \$5,000.00, Auditorium \$3,000.00, Armory \$5,000.00; Trunk Sewer to River (College Share) \$10,000.00."

In line Total of Improvements and Repairs strike out the figures "\$15,000.00" and insert the figures "\$38,000.00."

In line 2 under Recapitulation strike out the figures "\$15,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$38,000.00."

In the last line of Total Net Budget strike out the figures "\$544,906.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$577,906.00."

In line 74 add the following: "Interest \$10,000.00."

In line 75 strike out the word "Insurance" also figures "\$16,000.00" and insert the figures "\$26,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$1,042,965.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Equipment, etc., of the State University at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the figures "\$1,042,965.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,058,615.00" and also the same change in line 3 of Section 1.

In line 7 strike out the figures "\$15,360.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,360.00."

In line 3 of Maintenance Administration, strike out the figures "\$20,830.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$22,280.00."

In line 5 of the same section strike out the figures "\$8,260.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$9,460.00."

In line 12 of the bottom of page 2 of the printed bill strike out the figures "\$901,863.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$907,513.00."

In line 7 of page 4 of the printed bill insert the following: "Maintenance Briquetting Plant \$10,000.00."

In line 8 strike out the figures "\$44,280.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$54,280.00."

In line 11 strike out the figures "\$38,280.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$48,280.00."

In line 13 strike out the figures "\$1,042,965.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,058,615.00."

On page 2 engrossed bill line 11, strike out the figures "\$21,240.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$29,240.00"; also change total at bottom of page to correspond.

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$292,250.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements, Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Purchase of Live Stock, for the Experiment Station at the Agricultural College at Fargo, for the Biennium.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the figures "\$293,350.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$287,350.00."

In line 3 strike out the figures "\$293,350.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$287,350.00."

In line 3 under Maintenance strike out the figures "\$10,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$15,000.00."

In lin 8 strike out the "and" and insert the figures "\$10,000.00."

In line between lines 8 and 9 strike out the figures "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00" and number said line 8½.

In line 11 strike out the figures "\$247,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$267,400.00."

In line 5 under Improvements and Repairs in engrossed bill strike out the whole of line 5. Also in line 6 strike out the figures "\$17,250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$7,250.00."

Strike out all of lines 4, 5 and 6 under New Buildings in the engrossed bill, also strike out the figures "\$22,700.00" in line 8 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,700.00."

In line 45 strike out the figures "\$293,350.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$287,350.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 198. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, for the Purpose of Carrying Out, Maintaining General Supervision and Regulation of Grain Grading, Elevator Accounting and Inspection of Elevators, Warehouses and Flour Mills in Handling of all Agricultural Products.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 3 of the engrossed bill strike out the figures "\$60,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$50,000.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 105. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$18,825.00 for the Purpose of Paying Per Diem, Clerk Hire, Traveling Expenses, etc., in Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 126 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relative to the Depositors Guarantee Fund Commission.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 1 of the title strike out the figures "\$18,825.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,800.00."

In line 4 after the figures 1917 insert the following: "and amendments thereto."

In line 3 of Section 1 strike out the figures "\$18,825.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,800.00" and after the figures 1917 in the same section insert the following: "and amendments thereto."

In line 7 of the printed bill strike out the word "three" and also the figures "\$1200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1500.00."

Strike out all of line 8.

In line 9 strike out the figures "\$3,600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,000.00."

In line 10 insert the words "or Inspectors" just following the word "Supervisors." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$4,400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4,000.00."

In line 12 strike out the figures "\$300.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00."

In line 14 strike out the figures "\$600.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1000.00."

In line 15 strike out the figures "\$250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$450.00."

In line 17 strike out the figures "\$300.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$400.00."

Strike out all of line 18.

In line 19 strike out the figures "\$1800.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2000.00."

In line 20 strike out the figures "\$3,300.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4,000.00."

In line 22 strike out the figures "\$18,825.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,800.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$117,338.00 as an Offset for Federal Aid in Extension Division Work of the Agricultural College.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 3 of the printed bill strike out the figures "\$117,338.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$131,200.00."

In the title of the bill strike out the figures "\$117,338.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$131,200.00."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 869 and 983 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 119, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in Primary and General Elections.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

In line 1 of the original bill strike out the word "amended" and insert in lieu thereof the word "amendment."

In line 7 of the original bill, following the words "seven o'clock p. m." insert the following: "twenty minutes prior to the hour of closing the inspector shall proclaim to the electors outside the number of minutes before the polls will be closed."

In line 5 of the original bill strike out the period following the word "when" and insert in lieu thereof the words, capitalized, "at primary elections."

In line 17 of the original bill strike out the word "amended" and insert in lieu thereof the word "amendment."

On page 2, line 1, of the original bill, capitalize the words "when polls are to be opened or closed."

Strike out the period after the word "closed" in line 1, page 2, of the original bill, and insert in lieu thereof in capitals the words, "at general elections."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 31 of the Special Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Purchase of Dairy Cattle by Counties.

And recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The Committee of the Whole have had under consideration:

Senate Bill No. 272. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Method of Levying Tax for the Care of Patients at the Hospital for the Insane, Institution for the Feeble Minded and the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium; Providing the Method of Settlement Between County and State; Providing a Penalty for Failure to Pay; Providing a Method of Settling Disputed Claims and Repealing Sections 2572 and 2573, Compiled Laws of 1913 and All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committee's amendment as follows:

(Amendments are to the engrossed bill as the same came from the Senate.)

Amend the bill by striking out all of the balance of Section 2 beginning with the word "If" in line 22 thereof.

Insert in lieu thereof as a part of said Section 2, the following: "It is hereby made the duty of the County Treasurer and the County Auditor, and they and each of them, are hereby required to remit to the State Treasurer for the amount of the State Auditor's draft. Provided, however, that if there is included as a part of the amount for which such draft is drawn by the State Auditor upon the County Treasurer any charge or charges for any patient or patients, which patient or patients have or shall be by proper resolution of the Board of County Commissioners declared not chargeable against such county, the amount of such so disputed claim or claims, may be deducted in making remittance for such draft.

"Such claims so disputed shall be determined, adjusted and payment made in manner by Sections 2576 and 2577 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913 provided."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

The committee of the whole have had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401, and 403, Compiled Laws of 1913, Declaring Emergency.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

Strike out all of line five after the word "receive" and all of line six up to the word "necessary" in section three and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Such compensation as shall be appropriated for that office from time to time by the Legislative Assembly and"

In line seven of Section three strike out the "period" after the word "business" and insert in lieu thereof a "comma." Also in same line strike out the words "He shall not engage in any"

In line 8 of section 3 strike out the following: "other occupation or business."

In line 10 of Section 9 strike out "\$5,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1800.00" and strike out the figures "\$10,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$3600.00."

Strike out all of lines, 11, 12, 13 and 14.

In line 16 strike out the figure "2" before the word "clerks" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "1." Also in the same line strike out figures "\$4800.00" and insert in lieu thereof \$2400.00.

In line 17 strike out the figures "\$500.00" and insert

in lieu thereof "\$200.00." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$1000.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$400.00."

In line 18 strike out the figures "\$800.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$200.00." Also in same line strike out the figures "\$1600.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$200.00."

In line 21 strike out the figures "\$200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$100.00." Also in same line strike out the figures "\$400.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$200.00."

In line 22 strike out the figures "\$1000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$200.00." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$2000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$400.00."

In line 24 strike out the figures "\$400.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$250.00." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$800.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00."

In line 25 strike out the figures "\$1200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$500.00." Also in the same line strike out the figures "\$2400.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$1000.00."

Strike out all of lines 26, 27, 28, 29.

In line 31 strike out the figures "\$21,450.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$450.00." And also in the same line strike out the figures "\$42,900.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$9100.00."

Strike out section 10 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Emergency: Whereas, an emergency exists, this Act shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

Also,

Mr. Speaker: The committee of the whole have had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 335. A Bill for an Act to Create the Office of State Food Commissioner and Chemist; Providing for His Appointment, Term of Office, Removal and Salary; Defining His Powers and Duties; Defining the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Administration Relating Thereto; Creating a State Regulatory Fund and Providing for Payments Therefrom and Repealing Acts Parts of Acts in Conflict with this Act and Especially Repealing Sections Two and Five of Chapter Two Hundred of the Session Laws of 1915.

And recommend the adoption of the standing committees amendment as follows:

In line 1, page 2, engrossed bill, strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two."

In line 2, page 2, insert after the word "cause," "without appeal."

On page 3, following the 12th line thereof and as an additional paragraph, insert the following: "The State Board of Administration shall annually and on or before the first day of July in each year, prepare an annual budget covering the expenditures to be made during the next ensuing year from each of the several funds comprising the state regulatory fund, and such budget, as so made, shall be adhered to during such ensuing year."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

JOHN W. CARR,
Chairman.

Speaker Roy Johnson resumed the chair.

A request that the report of the Committee of the Whole be divided, was granted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to all bills considered with the exception of Senate Bill No. 11, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with the exception of the report as to Senate Bill No. 11., was adopted.

Mr. Jackson moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 11, be adopted.

Mr. Vogel moved, as a substitute motion, that the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 11, be not adopted.

The question being on the substitute motion of Mr. Vogel, a demand for a roll call was granted and disclosed the following results: ayes 50, nays 55 absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Lakie	Opland
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Larkta	Patterson
Anderson	Erickson	Laxier	Quam
Sargent	16th Dist.	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Fedge	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Steen
Bryans	Fredrickson	McManus	Streich
Burkhart	Hardy	Maddock	Shurr
Cart	Haugland	Martin	Sweet
Craig	Helbling	McCay	Tweten
Doyle	Hoople	Miller	Vogel
Eckert	Iverson	Morton	Watt
Esmer	Jones	Oberg	Weisbeck
		Olson, Ransom	Yeater

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Johnson, Traill	Rabe
Burleigh	Freeman	Kelly	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Geiszler	Kopp	Root
Boyd	Goranson	Lackey	Rustad
Brown	Halerow	Larson	Sagen
Burk	Hanson	McDowell	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Currie	Heaton	Muus	Traunor
Carr	Henne	Olafson	Trubshaw
Cole	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Orange	Ulland
Durkee	Jardine	Peters	Veitch
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hart	Kellogg	Norden	Sproul
Hempel	Lynch	Sathre, Steele	Weld

So the substitute motion by Mr. Vogel was lost.

The question now being on the motion by Mr. Jackson, which motion prevailed and the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 11, was adopted.

Mr. Twichell moved that the vote by which the report of the Committee of the Whole, with respect to Senate Bill No. 11, was adopted, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
February 27, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 105. An Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 1, line 3, of the Engrossed Bill strike out the figures "78,220.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "94,220.00."

On page 2, item 4, in line 5 strike out the figures "20,000.00" and in lieu thereof insert the figures "36,000.00."

In line 7, after the words "Grand Total" strike out the figures "78,220" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "94,220.00."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 105.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign

Senate Bill No. 286. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 25 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Create, Define and Establish the Bar Association of the State of North Dakota, and Providing for the Publication of Its

Proceedings and Filing Copies Thereof with the State Bar Board and State Libraries, and as Otherwise Provided and Making an Appropriation for the Expenses Connected Therewith.

Senate Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act to Amend and re-enact Sections 5109 and 5110 of the Compiled Laws for 1913.

Senate Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act Defining and Regulating Maternity hospitals and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Senate Bill No. 192. A Bill for an Act Relating to Indecent Liberties.

Senate Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act Relating to Children Born out of Wedlock and to Make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto, and for the Repeal of Sections 10483 to 10500 Inclusive, Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 70. Laws of 1917.

Senate Bill No. 396. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10943 and 10944 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and Section 10948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Indetermined Sentences of Persons Convicted of Certain Crimes, and the Discharge or paroling of Prisoners Serving Indeterminate Sentences, Abolishing the Board of Experts, and Repealing all Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Senate Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Exclusion of Spectators from the Trial of Minors.

Senate Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Powers of Certain Societies for the Care and Placement of Dependent Children, and to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5100 and 5101, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Senate Bill No. 15. A Bill for an Act to Transfer Money From the Hail Insurance Fund to the Hail Insurance Operating Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Unpaid Bills Incurred by the Hail Insurance Department During the Year Beginning January 1, 1922, and Ending December 31, 1922.

Senate Bill No. 199. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use of the Board of Administration in Administering Child Welfare Laws.

Senate Bill No. 369. A Bill for an Act to Eliminate Railroad Grade Crossings and Other Dangerous Places on State and County Highways.

Senate Bill No. 344. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Reenact Section 3294 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Erection, Repair and Maintenance of Buildings.

Senate Bill No. 288. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Upon Reserves of Coal and Minerals, Providing for the Obtaining of Tax Titles to Such Reserves When Taxes Thereon Remain Unpaid and Repealing Section 2119, Section 2120 and Section 2121 Compiled Laws of 1913, and all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With This Act.

Senate Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$30,950.00 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 115 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to Vocational Education and Vocational Rehabilitation.

Senate Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acceptance of the Provisions of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Making an Appropriation to Meet the Allotments of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Authorizing State Department of Health to Accept Funds for Infant and Maternal Hygiene Work.

Senate Bill No. 196. A Bill for an Act to Provide an Appropriation for the Eradication of the Barberrry.

Senate Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$54,000.00 for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River From Burleigh County to Morton County in the State of North Dakota Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Sixteenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, Approved March 5, 1919, in Addition to the Sums Appropriated by Chapter 4 of the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly, Approved December 12, 1919, and Chapter 6 of the Laws Passed at the Seventh Session of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota Approved March 9, 1921, and That Such Appropriation Be Made From the State Highway Fund.

Senate Bill No. 387. A Bill for an Act Designating the Sheriff of the Different Counties in the State as Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures, and Giving Him Power to Appoint a Deputy Inspector; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Prescribing Fees to be Charged for Inspection; Providing for Complaints and Penalties for Its Violation; Providing for Inspectors' Compensation; Naming Custodian of State Standards and Prescribing His Duties; and Repealing Sections 2999, 3000, 3003, 3004, 3005 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, and Chapter 241 of the Sesion Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Jane Ann O'Leary, Minot, N. D.; R. O. Bryant, Amidon, N. D.

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do now recess until 8:00 o'clock P. M. this evening.

Mr. Larkin moved, as a substitute motion, that the House do now recess until 8:30 o'clock this evening.

Which substitute motion was lost.

The question now being on the motion of Mr. Jackson, the motion prevailed and the House recessed until 8:00 o'clock P. M. this evening.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-NINTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND SIXTIETH
DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1 and 2, 1923.

AFTER RECESS
NIGHT SESSION

The House referred to the Fourteenth Order of Business.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 256. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties, and for other Purposes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 75, nays 28, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lackey	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Freeman	Larkin	Root
Anderson,	Goranson	Larson	Rustad
Sargent	Halcrow	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Hanson	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Steen
Burk	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Heaton	McGauvran	Swett
Burns	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Cole	Hoople	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Iverson	Norden	Twichell
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Weld
Erickson	Kellogg	Plath	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Kelly	Quade	
Flom	Kopp	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Hodges	Opland
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Jardine	Sims
Boyd	Fedgo	Lakie	Sproul

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Lazier	Streich
Cart	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Vogel
Doyle	Haugland	McCay	Walker
Elmer	Henne	Oberg	Weisbeck
		Olson, Ransom	Yeater

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Jones	Patterson	Sathre, Steele
Currie	Link	Quam	
Ellingson	McDowell	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Anderson, of Burke and Divide, explained his vote.

Senate Bill No. 70. A Bill for an Act to Incorporate and Establish the North West Agricultural, Live Stock and Fair Association, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passag of th bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 62, nays 43, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Lakie	Sethre, Williams
Burleigh	Ellingson	Larkin	Sims
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Slominski
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Levin	Starke
Boyd	Fredrickson	Lynch	Streich
Bratsberg	Freeman	McManus	Shurr
Brown	Halcrow	Maddock	Swett
Burk	Harrington	McCay	Traynor
Burkhart	Heaton	Miller	Tweten
Burns	Jardine	Muus	Twihell
Carr	Johnson, Nelson	Norden	Ulland
Cart	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Veitch
Doyle	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Walker
Dougherty	Kellogg	Rebe	Watt
Durkee	Kelly	Radcliffe	Yeater
Eckert	Kopp	Rustad	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Goranson	Jones	Orange
Sargent	Hanson	Lazier	Plath
Arduser	Hardy	Link	Quade
Bryans	Hart	Loudenbeck	Root
Craig	Haugland	Martin	Sproul
Elmer	Helbling	McDowell	Steen
Erickson	Hempel	McGauvran	Trubshaw
26th Dist.	Henne	Morton	Vogel
Erickson	Hodges	Oberg	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Hoople	Olafson	Weld
Fedge	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	
Geiszler	Jackson	Olson, Towner	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Currie	Patterson	Sagen
Cole	Lackey	Quam	Sathre, Steele

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Vogel explained his vote.

Mr. Anderson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 70 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 186. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Abandonment or Neglect of Wife or Child, and the Desertion and Non-support of Family, and for the Repeal of Sections 9589 and 9603 Inclusive, Compiled Laws of 1913.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 102, nays 3, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Quade
Burke-Divida	Flom	Lackey	Rabe
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lakte	Radcliffe
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larkin	Root
Arduser	Freeman	Larson	Rustad
Bollinger	Gelszter	Lazier	Sathre, Williams
Boyd	Goranson	Levin	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Link	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bryans	Hardy	Lynch	Starke
Burk	Harrington	McManus	Steen
Burkhart	Hart	Martin	Streich
Burns	Haugland	McCay	Shurr
Carr	Heaton	McDowell	Swett
Cart	Helbitng	McGauvran	Traynor
Cole	Hempel	Miller	Trubshaw
Craig	Hodges	Morton	Tweten
Doyle	Hoopie	Muus	Twichell
Dougherty	Iverson	Norden	Ulland
Eckert	Jackson	Oberg	Veitch
Ehr	Jardine	Olafson	Vogel
Ellingson	Johnson,	Nelson Olson, Ransom	Watt
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Townner	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Johnson, Trail.	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Orange	Yeater
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Durkee	Elmer	Henne	
Absent and not voting			
Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Maddock	Quam	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Patterson	Sagen	Walker
Currie			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4929 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 76 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Fees to be Paid by Insurance Companies Doing Business in this State.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 104, nays 1, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lackey Lackie	Rabe Radeliffe
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Fedge Flom	Larkin Larson	Root Rustad
Anderson, Sargent	Frandsen Fredrickson	Laxer Levin	Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Arduser Boyd	Geizler Goranson	Link Loudenbeck	Sims Slominski
Bratsberg Brown	Halerow Hanson	Lynch McManus	Sproul Starke
Bryans Burk	Hardy Harrington	Maddock Martin	Steen Streich
Burkhart Burns	Hart Haugland	McCay McDowell	Shurr Swett
Carr Cart	Heaton Helbling	McGauvran Miller	Traynor Trubshaw
Cole Craig	Hempel Henne	Morton Muus	Twet Twichell
Doyle Dougherty	Hodges Iverson	Norden Oberg	Ulland Veitch
Durkes Eckert	Jackson Johnson, Nelson	Olafson Olson, Ransom	Vogel Watt
Ehr Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Trail.	Olson, Townner Opiland	Weisbeck Weld
Elmer Erickson	Jones Kellogg	Orange Plath	Yeater Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Kelly Kopp	Quade Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Jardine

Absent and not voting.

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger Currie	Freeman Hoopie	Patterson Peters	Sagen Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 341. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Tax Upon Gasoline, Stored, Shipped, Distributed or Held for Sale within this State, for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying the Expenses of the State Government; Providing for the administration of the Same; Repealing Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1919 as Amended by Chapter 64 of the Special Session Laws of 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 73, nays 28, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Flom Fredrickson	Johnson, Pembina Johnson, Trail.	Plath Quade
Anderson, Sargent	Freeman Geizler	Jones Kelly	Rabe Root
Boyd Bratsberg	Goranson Halerow	Kopp Lackey	Sethre, Williams Sims
Brown Burk	Hanson Hardy	Lackie Larson	Slominski Starke
Burkhart Burns	Harrington Hart	Levin McManus	Streich Shurr
Carr Craig	Heaton Helbling	Martin McCay	Traynor Tweten

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Dougherty	Henne	McDowell	Twitchell
Durkee	Hodges	Miller	Ulland
Eckert	Hoople	Muus	Veitch
Ehr	Iverson	Olafson	Watt
Ellingson	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Weld
Elmer	Jardine	Opland	Mr. Speaker
Fedge	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	McGauvran	Sproul
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Morton	Steen
Arduser	Frandsen	Oberg	Swett
Bryans	Haugland	Olson, Ransom	Trubshaw
Cart	Lazier	Orange	Vogel
Doyle	Link	Quam	Weisbeck
Erickson	Loudenbeck	Radcliffe	Yeater
26th Dist.	Lynch	Rustad	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hempel	Maddock	Sagen
Cole	Kellogg	Norden	Sathre, Steele
Currie	Larkin	Peters	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.
The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 325. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 551, 552 and 557 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Governing the Practice of Certified Public Accountants in the State, and Providing a Penalty for Violation of the Laws Governing Accountancy.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays 2, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Quade
Burleigh	Flom	Lakie	Quam
Anderson,	Frandsen	Larkin	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Larson	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Freeman	Lazier	Root
Sargent	Gelsler	Levin	Rustad
Arduser	Goranson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Sims
Boyd	Hardy	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Harrington	McManus	Sproul
Urvana	Hart	Maddock	Starke
Burk	Haugland	Martin	Steen
Burkhart	Heaton	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Helbling	McGauvran	Shurr
Carr	Hempel	Miller	Swett
Cart	Henne	Morton	Traynor
Craig	Hodges	Muus	Trubshaw
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Tweten
Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg	Twichell
Durkee	Jackson	Olafson	Ulland
Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Watt
Erickson	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Weisbeck
26th Dist.	Jones	Patterson	Weld
Erickson	Kelly	Peters	Weld
16th Dist.	Kopp	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	McCay

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Eckert	Kellogg	Sathre, Steele
Currie	Halcrow	Saga	Walker

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$1,042,965 for the Purpose of Paying the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Equipment, etc., of the State University at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 76, nays 25, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Fredrickson	Larson	Quade
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Levin	Rabe
Boyd	Halcrow	McManus	Root
Bratsberg	Hanson	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Harrington	Martin	Sims
Bryans	Haugland	McCay	Slominski
Burkhart	Heaton	McDowell	Sproul
Burns	Hodges	McGauvran	Starke
Carr	Hoople	Miller	Streich
Cart	Iverson	Morton	Shurr
Craig	Jackson	Muus	Sweet
Dougherty	Jardine	Norden	Traynor
Durkes	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Trubshaw
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Ransom	Twichell
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Ellingson	Kellogg	Opland	Veitch
Erickson	Kelly	Orange	Watt
26th Dist.	Kopp	Patterson	Weisbeck
Erickson	Lackey	Peters	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Lakie	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Franson	Larkin	Radcliffe
Sargent	Goranson	Lazier	Steen
Arduser	Hardy	Link	Tweten
Burk	Helbling	Loudenbeck	Vogel
Doyle	Hempel	Lynch	Weld
Elmer	Henne	Oberg	
Fodge	Jones	Quam	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Currie	Hart	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Flom	Rustad	Walker
Bollinger	Geiszler	Saga	Yeater
Cole			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$292,250.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements, Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Purchase of Live Stock for the Experiment Station at the Agricultural College at Fargo for the Biennium.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 10, absent and not voting 8.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	Kelly	Quade
Burke-Divide	Flom	Kopp	Quam
Anderson,	Franson	Lackey	Rabe
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lackie	Radcliffe
Boyd	Freeman	Larson	Root
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Levin	Rustad
Brown	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Halcrow	HcManus	Sims
Burkhart	Hanson	Maddock	Skominski
Burns	Hardy	Martin	Sproul
Carr	Harrington	McCay	Starke
Craig	Hart	McDowell	Streich
Doyle	Haugland	McGauvran	Shurr
Dougherty	Heaton	Miller	Swett
Durkee	Helbling	Morton	Traynor
Eckert	Hempel	Muus	Trubshaw
Ehr	Hodges	Norden	Twitchell
Ellingson	Hoople	Oberg	Ulland
Elmer	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Erickson	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
26th Dist.	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Welsbeck
16th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weld
	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Yeater
	Kellogg	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Jones	Link	Tweten
Burk	Larkin	Lynch	
Henne	Lazier	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Cole	Orange	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Currie	Sagen	Walker
Bollinger			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$573,118.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, and Equipment of the Agricultural College, Fargo, for the Biennium.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 83, nays 20, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Flom	Larson	Root
Burke-Divide	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Freeman	McManus	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Maddock	Slominski
Brown	Hanson	McCay	Sproul
Bryans	Hardy	McDowell	Starke
Burkhart	Harrington	McGauvran	Streich
Burns	Heaton	Miller	Shurr
Carr	Halbling	Muus	Swett
Cart	Hodges	Oberg	Traynor
Boyle	Hoople	Olafson	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Tweten
Durkes	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Veitch
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Watt
Elmer	Jones	Peters	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kellogg	Plath	Weld
26th Dist.	Kelly	Quade	Yeater
Erickson	Lackey	Quam	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Lackie	Rabe	
Fedge	Larkin	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Frandsen	Hempel	Lynch
Sargent	Geiszler	Henne	Martin
Arduser	Goranson	Kopp	Morton
Burk	Hart	Lazier	Norden
Craig	Haugland	Link	Steen
			Vogel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Cole	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Currie	Rustad	Walker
Bollinger	Jackson	Sagen	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 198. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, for the Purpose of Carrying Out, Maintaining, General Supervision and Regulation of Grain Grading, Elevator Accounting and Inspection of Elevators, Warehouses and Flour Mills in Handling of All Agricultural Products.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 6, absent and not voting 13.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kellogg	Quade
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Quam
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Larkin	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Larson	Root
Sargent	Freeman	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Geiszler	Levin	Sims
Bollinger	Goranson	Link	Slominski
Boyd	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Starke
Brown	Hanson	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Hardy	Maddock	Streich
Burk	Harrington	Martin	Shurr
Burns	Hart	McCay	Swett
Cart	Haugland	Miller	Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Heaton	Morton	Trubshaw
Doyle	Helbling	Muus	Tweten
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	Twitchell
Durkee	Hodges	Oberg	Veitch
Eckert	Hoople	Olafson	Vogel
Ehr	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Ellingson	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weld
26th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Yeater
	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Lynch	Sproul	Ulland
Flom	McDowell		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Hempel	Lackie	Rustad
Carr	Jackson	McGauvran	Sagen
Cole	Lackey	Orange	Sathre, Steels
Currie			

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 105. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$18,825.00 for the Purpose of Paying Per Diem, Clerk Hire, Traveling Expense etc., in Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 126 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relative to the Depositors Guarantee Fund Commission.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 6, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Kellogg	Plath
Burleigh	Erickson	Kelly	Quade
Anderson,	16th Dist.	Kopp	Quam
Burke-Divide	Fedge	Lackey	Rabe
Anderson,	Flom	Larkin	Radcliffe
Sargent	Franson	Larson	Root
Arduser	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sagen
Bollinger	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geiszler	Link	Sims
Bratsberg	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Brown	Halcrow	McManus	Sproul
Bryans	Hanson	Maddock	Starke
Burk	Hardy	McCay	Strelch
Burkhart	Harrington	McDowell	Shurr
Burns	Hart	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	Morton	Trubshaw
Cart	Hart	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Helbling	Norden	Twitchell
Doyle	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Dougherty	Hoople	Olafson	Veitch
Durkee	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
Elmer	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Peters	Yeater
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Henne	Steen	Swett
Hempel	Martin		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Lakie	McGauvran	Sathre, Steele
Jackson	Lynch	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Flom moved a Call of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll call disclosed all members present except: Mr. Currie and Mr. Sathre of Steele.

Mr. Twichell moved that further proceedings under the Call of the House be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 869 and 983 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 119, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in Primary and General Elections.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 60, nays 51, absent and not voting 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Goranson	Kopp	Root
Burligh	Harrow	Lackey	Rustad
Bollinger	Hanson	Larson	Sagen
Boyd	Harrington	Lynch	Slominski
Brown	Hart	McDowef.	Sproul
Burk	Heaton	McGauvran	Starke
Burns	Helbling	Muas	Trynor
Carr	Hempel	Norden	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, owner	Ulland
Durkee	Jackson	Orange	Veltch
Ehr	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Flom	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	
Freeman	Johnson, Trail	Rabe	
Geisler	Kelly	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Link	Steen
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Streich
Anderson,	Fedje	McManus	Shurr
Sargent	Frandsen	Maddock	Swett
Arduser	Fredrickson	Martin	Tweten
Bratsberg	Hardy	McCay	Vogel
Bryans	Haugland	Miller	Walker
Burkhart	Hoople	Morton	Weisbeck
Cart	Iverson	Oberg	Weld
Craig	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Doyle	Kellogg	Opland	
Eckert	Lakie	Patterson	
Elmer	Larkin	Quam	
Erickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams	
26th Dist.	Levin	Sims	

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Sathre, Steele

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Sims: Mr. Speaker, I desire to explain my vote and have it recorded. Senate Bill No. 11 will doubtless cost many farmers their votes. Therefore, its tendency is detrimental to a Democratic form of government, and I vote "no" in the interests of the farmers and laborers, as usual.

Mr. Maddock: Mr. Speaker, I vote "no" because I believe in government of the people, for the people and by the people, instead of government of the bankers, for the bankers and by the bankers.

Mr. Swett: Mr. Speaker, I wish to explain my vote and have it recorded in the Journal. I vote "no" on Senate Bill No. 11 because this is a direct attempt to disfranchise the laboring men in North Dakota. I vote "no" for the further reason that this measure is vicious and vile, and I am glad that this is the last of the vicious and vile measures we have had this session.

Mr. Hempel: Mr. Speaker, I would rather pass my vote, but as I am forced to vote on Senate Bill No. 11 I wish to explain my vote and be recorded in the Journal. I feel that the people of Sheridan county want me to vote for this law, and I therefore, vote "aye."

Mr. Lakie and Mr. Twichell also explained their votes.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 11 was passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 31 of the Special Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Purchase of Dairy Cattle by Counties.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 79, nays 27, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burleigh	Flom	Lackey	Root
Anderson,	Frandsen	Lackie	Rustad
Sargent	Fredrickson	Larson	Sagen
Bollinger	Freeman	Levtn	Sathre, Williams
Boyd	Geisler	Link	Sims
Brown	Goranson	Lynch	Stominski
Bryans	Halcrow	Maddock	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Burkhart	Hart	McGauvran	Streich
Burns	Heaton	Muus	Shurr
Carr	Fenne	Norden	Traynor
Cole	Hodges	Oberg	Trubshaw
	Hoople	Olafson	Twichell

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Veitch
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Weld
Ellingson	Jones	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Kelly	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Kopp	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fedge	McManus	Steen
Burke-Divide	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Arduser	Haugland	McCay	Tweten
Bratsberg	Helbling	Miller	Walker
Cart	Kellogg	Morton	Yeater
Elmer	Larkin	Opland	
Erickson,	Lazier	Patterson	
26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Hanson	Iverson	Vogel
Doyle	Hempel	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Maddock explained his vote.

Senate Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2263 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to the Levy of a Tax by County Commissioners to be Used in Carrying on Cooperative Agricultural Extension Work as Defined by this Act and Providing for Referendum by Ballot, Audit of Funds and Disposition of Accumulated Funds.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 76, nays 27, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	McManus	Sagen
Burleigh	Freeman	Maddock	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Geiszler	Martin	Sims
Bratsberg	Halcrow	McCay	Slominski
Brown	Hardy	McDowell	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	Muus	Starke
Burkhart	Heaton	Norden	Streich
Burns	Hodges	Oberg	Shurr
Carr	Hoople	Olafson	Traynor
Cart	Jackson	Olson, Townner	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Tweten
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Twichell
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Ulland
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Veitch
Ellingson	Kelly	Plath	Vogel
Elmer	Kopp	Quade	Watt
Erickson	Larkin	Quam	Weisbeck
16th Dist.	Larson	Rabe	Yeater
Frandsen	Loudenbeck	Radcliffe	Mr. Speaker
	Lynch	Rustad	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Doyle	Hempel	Morton
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Iverson	Olson, Ransom
Anderson	26th Dist.	Jones	Root
Sargent	Fedge	Lakie	Steen
Arduser	Goranson	Lazier	Swett
Bollinger	Hart	Levin	Weld
Bryans	Haugland	Link	
Craig	Helbling	McGauvran	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Hanson	Lackey	Walker
Currie	Henne	Miller	
Flom	Kellogg	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 272. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Method of Levying Tax for the Care of Patients at the Hospital for the Insane, Institution for the Feeble Minded and the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium; Providing the Method of Settlement Between County and State; Providing a Penalty for Failure to Pay; Providing a Method of Settling Disputed Claims and Repealing Sections 2572 and 2573, Compiled Laws of 1913 and all Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 6, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lackie	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson,	Franson	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sims
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Slominski
Bollinger	Geiszler	Link	Sproul
Boyd	Halcrow	Loudenbeck	Starke
Bratsberg	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Brown	Harrington	Maddock	Streich
Bryans	Hart	McCay	Shurr
Burk	Haugland	McDowell	Swett
Burkhart	Heaton	McGauvran	Traynor
Burns	Helbling	Miller	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	Morton	Tweten
Cart	Hodges	Muus	Twitcheil
Doyle	Hoople	Norden	Ulland
Dougherty	Iverson	Oberg	Veitch
Durkee	Jackson	Olafson	Vogel
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Weld
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Yeater
Erickson,	Jones	Peters	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Plath	
	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Lynch	Patterson	Rustad
Goranson	Martin		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Hanson	Rabe	Walker
Garnie	Henne	Sathre, Steele	

So the bill passed, and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared that the emergency clause carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate requests the return of House Bill No. 156.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

House of Representatives,

Mr. President: I have the honor to return House Bill No. 156 as per your request. Also House Bill No. 30.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee to whom was referred House Bill No. 114, have conferred with a like committee from the Senate and were unable to reach an agreement.

D. L. PETERS,
R. H. WALKER,
JACOB BALLINGER.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate requests the return of House Bill No. 30.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

There being no objection the House referred to the Seventh Order of Business.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the House accede to the Senate request for the return of House Bills Nos. 150 and 30.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jackson introduced the following Concurrent Resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Jackson.

Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate Concurring,

That the State Printing Commission be, and is hereby authorized and empowered to supervise the comparison and indexing of the Journals of the Eighteenth (18th) Legislative Assembly and that the cost of such work be charged to Legislative expense, such work to be done under the supervision of such Commission; that W. E. Parsons, Secretary of the Senate and A. D. McKinnon be employed to complete the Senate Journal and that H. L. Holdren, Bill Clerk and J. P. Tucker, Chief Enrolling and Engrossing Clerk, be employed to complete the House Journal; and be it further resolved that the Printing Commission is hereby required to use due diligence in expediting the work of comparison and indexing the Journals of the two Houses, to the end that the bound volumes of the Journals shall be ready for distribution within the shortest possible time from the date of adjournment of this Legislative Assembly; that the temporary Journals of the last days of the Session, not delivered the Members during the Session of the Eighteenth (18th) Legislative Assembly, be mailed to them as soon as printed.

Mr. Patterson moved the resolution be adopted and so a roll call disclosed the following result: ayes 108, nays none, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Lakie	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lazier	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandon	Levin	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Sims
Rollinger	Geiszler	Lynch	Slominski
Boyd	Halerow	McManus	Sproul
Bratsberg	Hardy	Maddock	Starke
Brown	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Bryans	Hart	McCay	Streich
Burk	Haugland	McDowell	Shurr
Burkhart	Heaton	McGauvran	Swett
Burns	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Cart	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Craig	Hoople	Norden	Twitchell
Doyte	Iverson	Oberg	Ulland
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Veitch
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Ransom	Vogel

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Opland	Watt
Ellingson	Johnson, Trail.	Orange	Weisbeck
Elmer	Jones	Patterson	Weld
Erickson	Kellogg	Peters	Teater
26th Dist.	Kelly	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Kopp	Quade	
	Lackey	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Hanson	Henne	Sathre, Steele
Currie			

So the resolution was adopted.

House of Representatives,
March 1, 1923.
Bismarck,, N. D.

Mr. President: I have the honor to transmit the following concurrent resolution introduced by Mr. Jackson which the House has adopted and your favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401 and 403, Compiled Laws of 1913, Declaring an Emergency.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 100, nays 4, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lackey	Quam
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lakie	Rabe
Anderson	Fedge	Larkin	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Root
Anderson,	Franson	Lazier	Sagen
Sargent	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Link	Sims
Hollinger	Geisler	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Boyd	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Maddock	Starke
Brown	Hardy	Martin	Steen
Bryans	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Burk	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Burkhart	Heaton	McGauvran	Swett
Burns	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Carr	Hodges	Morton	Trubshaw
Cart	Hoople	Muus	Twetes.
Craig	Iverson	Norden	Twichell
Doyle	Jackson	Oberg	Veitch
Dougherty	Jardine	Olafson	Watt

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Weld
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Opland	Yerter
Ellingson	Jones	Patterson	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Kellogg	Peters	
Erickson	Kelly	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kopp	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Lynch	Orange	Rustad	Ulland

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cole	Haugland	Sathre, Steele	Walker
Currie	Hempel	Vogel	
Hanson	Henne		

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

The Speaker declared the emergency clause carried.

Senate Bill No. 335. A Bill for an Act to Create the Office of State Food Commissioner and Chemist; Providing for his Appointment, Term of Office, Removal and Salary; Defining his Powers and Duties; Defining the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Administration Relating Thereto; Creating a State Regulatory Fund and Providing for Payments Therefrom and Repealing Sections Two and Five of Chapter Two Hundred of the Session Laws of 1915.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 33, absent and not voting 17.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Lackey	Root
Burleigh	Freeman	Lakie	Sagen
Anderson,	Geiszler	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Halcrow	Levin	Slominski
Bollinger	Harrington	McManus	Sproul
Boyd	Hart	McCay	Starke
Brown	Heaton	McDowell	Streich
Burk	Hodges	Miller	Swett
Burkhart	Iverson	Muus	Traynor
Burns	Jackson	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Jardine	Oberg	Twetten
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Olafson	Twichell
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Ulland
Eckert	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Veitch
Ehr	Kelly	Peters	Walker
Ellingson	Kopp	Plath	Watt
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Lynch	Steen
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	McGauvran	Shurr
Arduser	Hardy	Morton	Vogel
Bryans	Haugland	Olson, Ransom	Weisbeck
Cart	Helbling	Orange	Weld
Craig	Jones	Quade	Yerter
Doyle	Larkin	Quam	
Elmer	Lazier	Radcliffe	
Erickson	Link	Rustad	
26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Sims	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Hoople	Rabe
Cole	Goranson	Kellogg	Sathre, Steele
Currie	Hanson	Maddock	
Fedge	Hempel	Martin	
Frandsen	Henne	Opland	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 122 of the Session Laws of 1921.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 36, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Halcrow	Larson	Root
Bollinger	Harrington	Levin	Rustad
Boyd	Hart	Lynch	Sagen
Brown	Heaton	McDowell	Slominski
Burkhart	Henne	McGauvran	Sproul
Burns	Hodges	Muus	Starke
Carr	Hoople	Norden	Steen
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Traynor
Durkee	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Trubshaw
Ehr	Jardine	Orange	Twichell
Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Ulland
Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Veitch
Flom	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Watt
Freeman	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Gelsler	Kopp	Rabe	
Goranson	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Link	Quam
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Anderson	Erickson	Lazier	Sims
Sargent	16th Dist.	McManus	Streich
Bratsberg	Fedge	Maddock	Shurr
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Swett
Cart	Haugland	McCay	Walker
Craig	Helbling	Morton	Weisbeck
Doyle	Jones	Oberg	Yeater
Eckert	Lakie	Olson, Ransom	Weld

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Currie	Hempel	Opland
Burleigh	Frandsen	Kellogg	Sathre, Steele
Bryans	Fredrickson	Larkin	Vogel
Cole	Hanson	Miller	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 253 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$117,338.00 as an Offset for Federal Aid in Extension Division Work of the Agricultural College.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 59, nays 45, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe
Bollinger	16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail.	Radcliffe
Boyd	Flom	Kelly	Root
Brown	Fredrickson	Lackey	Sagen
Bryans	Freeman	Larson	Slominski
Burns	Geiszler	Lazier	Starke
Carr	Halcrow	Levin	Steen
Carr	Harrington	Maddock	Traynor
Craig	Helbling	Miller	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Hodges	Muus	Twichell
Durkee	Hoople	Olafson	Veitch
Eckert	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Vogel
Ehr	Jackson	Patterson	Watt
Ellingson	Jardine	Peters	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hardy	McManus	Quam
Burke-Divide	Hart	Martin	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Haugland	McCay	Sims
Sargent	Hempel	McDowell	Sproul
Bratsberg	Henne	McGauvran	Streich
Burk	Jones	Morton	Shurr
Cole	Kopp	Norden	Swett
Doyle	Lakie	Oberg	Twetan
Erickson	Larkin	Olson, Ranson	Ulland
26th Dist.	Link	Opland	Walker
Fedge	Loudenbeck	Orange	Weisbeck
Goranson	Lynch	Quade	Weld

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Currie	Heaton	Sathre, Steele
Burleigh	Frandsen	Kellogg	
Burkhart	Hanson	Rustad	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the Hotel Inspection Department.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 105, nays 1, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Erickson	Lackey	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lakie	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Larkin	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larson	Rustad
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sagen
Sargent	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Geiszler	Link	Sims
Bollinger	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Boyd	Halcrow	McManus	Sproul
Bratsberg	Hardy	Martin	Starke
Brown.	Harrington	McCay	Streich

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Burk	Haugland	McGauvran	Swett
Burkhardt	Heaton	Miller	Traynor
Burns	Helbling	Morton	Trubshaw
Carr	Hempel	Muus	Twetten
Cart	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Cole	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Craig	Hoople	Olafson	Veitch
Doyle	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Dougherty	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Walker
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Weld
Ellingson	Jones	Peters	Yeater
Elmer	Kellogg	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Kelly	Quade	
26th Dist.	Kopp		

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Steen

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Hanson	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Frandsen	Jackson	Maddock	

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 78. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Oil Inspection Department.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 92, nays 10,, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Kopp	Quam
Sargent	Flora	Lackey	Rabe
Arduser	Frandsen	Lackie	Radeliffe
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Larson	Root
Boyd	Freeman	Lazier	Sagen
Bratsberg	Geiszler	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Goranson	Link	Sims
Bryans	Halcrow	McManus	Slominski
Burk	Hardy	Maddock	Starke
Burkhardt	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Burns	Hart	McCay	Streich
Carr	Haugland	McDowell	Shurr
Cole	Heaton	McGauvran	Swett
Craig	Helbling	Miller	Traynor
Doyle	Hempel	Morton	Trubshaw
Durkee	Hodges	Muus	Twetten
Eckert	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Ehr	Iverson	Oberg	Ulland
Ellingson	Jardine	Olafson	Veitch
Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Weisbeck
24th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Opland	Weld
Erickson	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
16th Dist.	Kelly	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Larkin	Orange	Rustad	Yeater
Loudenbeck	Patterson	Sproul	
Lynch	Peters	Vogel	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burleigh Anderson Burke-Divide	Cart Currie Dougherty	Hanson Henne Jackson	Kellogg Walker Sathre, Steele

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 185 as reported by the Conference Committee and have further amended the bill as follows. In line 23, of page 5 of the engrossed bill before the word "any" insert the following: "The applicant or."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Starke moved that the Rules be suspended, that Senate Bill No. 185 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 185 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Support of Needy Women who are the Mothers of and Who are Compelled to Support one or More Children Under Sixteen Years of Age.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 106, nays none, absent and not voting 7.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson Burleigh Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist. Fedge Flom Franson Fredrickson Freeman Gelszler Goranson Halcrow Hardy Harrington Hart Haugland Heaton Helbling Henne Hodges Hoople Iverson Jackson Jardine	Lackey Lackie Larkin Larson Larson Levin Lunk Loudenbeck Lynch McManus Maddock Martin McCoy Miller Morton Muus Norden Oberg Olafson Olson, Ransom Olson, Towner Opiland	Rabe Radcliffe Root Rustad Sagen Sethre, Williams Sims Slominski Sproul Starke Steen Streich Shurr Swett Traynor Trubshaw Tweten Twichell Ulund Veitch Vogel Walker

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Weid
Elmer	Jones	Plath	Yeater
Erickson,	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker
26th Dist.	Kopp	Quam	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Humpel	McDowell	Sathre, Steele
Hanson	Kellogg	McGauvran	

So the bill passed as amended by the conference committee and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Speaker: Your conference committee to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 114 have conferred with a like committee from the Senate and were unable to reach an agreement.

D. L. PETERS,
R. H. WALKER,
JACOB BOLLINGER,

Mr. Peters moved that the report of the Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 114, be adopted and the committee discharged.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 222. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Supervision and Regulation of the Transportation of Persons and Property for Compensation Over Any Public Highway by Motor Propelled Vehicles; Defining Transportation Companies; Providing for Supervision and Regulation Thereof by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of North Dakota; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of This Act and for the Punishment of the Violations Thereof.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In line two of Section five strike out the word "company" and insert in lieu thereof the word "carrier."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Harrington moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 222.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harrington moved that the Rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 222 be considered properly re-

engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage. Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 222. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Supervision and Regulation of the Transportation of Persons and Property for Compensation Over any Public Highway by Motor Propelled Vehicles; Defining Transportation Companies; Providing for Supervision and Regulation Thereof by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of North Dakota; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of this Act and for the Punishment of the Violations Thereof.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 107, nays 1, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson,	Kopp	Rabe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Root
Burke-Divide	Flom	Larkin	Rustad
Anderson,	Frandson	Larson	Sagan
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Arduser	Freeman	Levin	Sims
Bollinger	Geiszler	Link	Slominski
Boyd	Goranson	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Lynch	Starke
Brown	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Streich
Burk	Hart	Martin	Shurr
Burkhart	Haugland	McCay	Swatt
Burns	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Carr	Helbling	Miller	Trubshaw
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Tweten
Cole	Henne	Muus	Twitchell
Craig	Hodges	Norden	Ulland
Doyle	Hoople	Oberg	Veitch
Dougherty	Iverson	Olafson	Vogel
Durkes	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Eckert	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Weisbeck
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Yeater
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Jones	Plath	
26th Dist.	Kellogg	Quade	
	Kelly	Quam	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Weld

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	McCauvran	Patterson	Sathre, Steele
Hanson			

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$200,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River, Between Williams County, North Dakota and McKenzie County, North Dakota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Add to bill:

"Section 2. Provided, however, that any money appropriated by this act shall not be available or expended until the counties of McKenzie and Williams shall have raised and appropriated a sum equal to the amount appropriated by this act nor until the Federal Government shall have appropriated its proportionate share towards the completion of the Bridge provided for herein.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Vogel moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 66.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Eckert moved that the Rules be suspended, House Bill No. 66 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$200,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River, Between Williams County, North Dakota and McKenzie County, North Dakota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays 5, absent and not voting 5.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Andersen,	Erickson	Lakie	Radeliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Root
Anderson,	Fedge	Larson	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Lazter	Sagen
Anderson	Fredrickson	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Freeman	Link	Sims
Arduser	Gelszier	Lynch	Slominski
Bollinger	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Boyd	Halerow	Maddock	Starke
Bratsberg	Hardy	Martin	Steen
Brown	Harrington	McCay	Streich
Bryans	Hart	McDowell	Shurr
Burk	Haugland	Miller	Swett
Burkhart	Heaton	Morton	Traynor
Burns	Helbling	Muus	Tweten

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Hempel	Norden	Twichell
Cart	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Cole	Hoople	Olafson	Vogel
Craig	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Doyle	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
Dougherty	Jardine	Opland	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weld
Eekert	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Trail.	Peters	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Kellogg	Plath	
Elmer	Kelly	Quade	
Erickson	Kopp	Quam	
16th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Flora	Jones	Loudenbeck	Trubshaw
Henne			

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	McGauvran	Sathre, Steele	Feitch
Hanson			

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate, and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Providing a method by which Taxing Districts May Make Short Time Borrowings and Conduct Their Current Business Upon a Cash Basis; Providing That No Warrants May be Issued in Excess of Cash on Hand; Providing for the Funding of Floating or Unfinished Indebtedness of Counties, Cities, Villages, Townships, School Districts, and Other Taxing Districts; making the County Treasurer Custodian of Sinking Funds of All Taxing Districts; Providing for the Registering of the County Auditor's Office of All Bond Issues and Certificates of Indebtedness; Prohibiting the Incurring Indebtedness in Excess of Anticipated Revenues; Making Criminal Certain Violations of This Act and Providing Penalties Therefor, and Repealing all Acts and of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 3 line 16 of the engrossed bill, after the word "officer" insert the following "knowingly and"

In Section 13. line 7, after the word "officials" insert the following "knowingly and willfully."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Jackson moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 129.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the rules be suspended; that House Bill No. 129 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Providing a Method by Which Taxing Districts May Make Short Time Borrowings and Conduct Their Current Business Upon a Cash Basis; Providing that No Warrants May Be Issued in Excess of Cash on Hand; Providing for the Funding of Floating or Unfunded Indebtedness of Counties, Cities, Villages, Townships, School Districts, and Other Taxing Districts; Making the County Treasurer Custodian of Sinking Funds of All Taxing Districts; Providing for the Registering in the County Auditor's Office of All Bond Issues and Certificates of Indebtedness; Prohibiting the Incurring of Indebtedness in Excess of Anticipated Revenues; Making Criminal Certain Violations of This Act, and Providing Penalties Therefor, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 40, absent and not voting 10.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Johnson, Trall	Plath
Burleigh	Flom	Kellogg	Quade
Arduser	Frandsen	Kelly	Rabe
Bollinger	Freeman	Lackey	Rustad
Boyd	Geiszler	Lakie	Sagen
Bratsberg	Halcrow	Larkin	Sims
Brown	Harrington	Larson	Slominski
Bryans	Hart	Lynch	Sproul
Burk	Heaton	McDowell	Streich
Burns	Henne	McGauvran	Shurr
Carr	Hodges	Muus	Traynor
Cole	Iverson	Norden	Trubshaw
Dougherty	Jackson	Olafson	Tweten
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Towner	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	
Ellingson			

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Williams
Burke-Divide	Goranson	McManus	Starke
Anderson,	Hardy	Maddock	Steen
Sargent	Haugland	Martin	Sweet
Burkhart	Helbling	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Hempel	Morton	Walker
Craig	Hoople	Oberg	Weisbeck
Doyle	Jones	Olson, Ransom	Yeater
Erickson,	Kopp	Opland	
26th Dist.	Lazier	Patterson	
Erickson,	Levin	Quam	
16th Dist.	Link	Radcliffe	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Miller	Twichell	Weld
Elmer	Root	Ulland	
Hanson	Sathre, Steele	Veitch	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Jackson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 129 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bill:

House Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Keeping Open, Running, or Permitting the Running of Any Place for Public Dancing on the First Day of the Week, Commonly Called the Sabbath, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 129.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 66.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that

the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 305.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 222 as amended by the conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to Senate Bill No. 185 as amended by the conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum not Exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series;" Prescribing the Terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, and to Carry Into Effect the Provisions of this Act; and Declaring this Act to be an Emergency Measure.

Which the Senate has passed as amended by the conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 149 and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Peters, Arduser and Kopp to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

Also,

House Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 6, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Special Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 84 Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, and Supervising the Licensing and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxicab or Auto Liveries, Places Where Soft Drinks Are Retailled or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls, Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes; Providing Fees Therefor, Inspectors, Office Help and Supplies Thereof; Defining Powers and Duties and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

Also,

House Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Minimum Wage, Health and Morals of Women Workers, for Salary, Postage, Office Supplies, Printing, Traveling Expenses, Hearings, Conferences, Witness Fees, Legal Fees and Office Rent.

Also,

House Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Legalizing Certain Acts of City, Village and School District Officials.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bill:

House Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$100,000.00, from Any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River of the North, Between the City of Fargo, Cass County, North Dakota, and the City of Moorhead, Clay County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Forestry State Normal School, at Bottineau, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In title and line 6 of Section 1 of the engrossed bill strike out "Forestry Normal School" and insert in lieu thereof "North Dakota School of Forestry."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Miller moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 83.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller moved that the rules be suspended; that House Bill No. 83 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Forestry State Normal School, at Bottineau, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 94, nays 8, absent and not voting 11.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson,	Kellogg	Orange
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Kelly	Peters
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Plath
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Lackey	Quade
Anderson,	Fedge	Lakie	Quam
Sargent	Flom	Larkin	Rabe
Arduser	Frandsen	Parson	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Frederickson	Lazier	Root
Boyd	Freeman	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bratsberg	Geiszle,	Link	Sims
Brown	Halerow	Loudenbeck	Slotninski
Bryans	Hardy	McManus	Sproul
Burk	Harrington	Maddock	Starke
Burkhart	Hart	Martin	Steen
Burns	Heaton	McCay	Streich
Carr,	Helbling	McDowell	Shurr
Cart	Hempel	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Cole	Henne	Miller	Tweten
Doyle	Hodges	Morton	Twichell
Doucherty	Hoople	Muus	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Oberg	Veitch
Eckert	Jardine	Olafson	Watt
Ehr	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ransom	Weld
Ellingson	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Johnson, Trail.	Opland	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Jackson	Lynch	Traynor
Goranson	Jones	Sagen	Weisbeck

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Norden	Sathre, Steele	Walker
Hanson	Patterson	Swett	Yeater
Haugland	Rustad	Vogel	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

The Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 21 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Conference to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919, an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associa-

tions and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Income for the Purpose of Taxation, Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases, Describing a Method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of This Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Have had the same under consideration and beg leave to advise you that: The Senate Conference Committee has agreed and recommend that the Senate do concur in the House amendments to Sections 21 and 23 of the printed bill, and that the Senate do not concur in the House amendment to Section 27 of the printed bill; that the House Conference Committee has agreed to recommend that the House recede from the House amendments to Section 27 of the printed bill; and your Joint Conference Committee recommends that sub-division 4 of Section 27, as it appears on page 21 of the printed bill, be amended by changing the period at the end thereof to a comma and adding: "except Building and Loan Associations which receive savings deposits."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

For the Senate:

P. O. THORSON,
A. G. STORSTAD,
OLE ETTESTAD.

For the House:

J. A. JARDINE,
A. I. QUADE,
J. F. ELMER.

Mr. Jardine moved that the House adopt the report of the Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 21.

Which motion prevailed.

The Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 337 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Conference to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 337. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Bounty for the Destruction of Magpies.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the Senate do concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 337, and recommend that the bill be further amended as follows: Wherever the word "head" appears strike out the word "head" and insert in lieu thereof the word "wings."

For the Senate:

CHAS. M. WHITMER,
L. W. SPERRY,
C. A. WARD.

For the House:

M. W. KELLY,
V. L. ANDERSON,
OSCAR S. OBERG.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report of the conference committee on Senate Bill No. 337 be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate Amendment to House Bill No. 83.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has adopted the Conference report on Senate Bill No. 21.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Conference Committees:

On Senate Bill No. 80.—Messrs. Kelly, Opland and Peters.

On Senate Bill No. 88.—Messrs. Watt, Olson of Ransom, and Mr. Halcrow.

On Senate Bill No. 325.—Messrs. Starke, Plath and Weld.
On House Bill No. 157.—Messrs. Watt, Maddock and Ellingson.

Mr. Vogel moved that the house do now recess until 10 o'clock A. M. tomorrow which motion prevailed and the house recessed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

FIFTY-NINTH DAY AFTER RECESS AND SIXTIETH
DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
March 2, 1923

The house reassembled at 10 o'clock A. M. pursuant to recess taken, Speaker Roy Johnson, presiding.

Senate Chamber.
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House Amendments to Senate Bills Nos. 255, 146, 186, 59, 341, 11, 105, 198, 235, 272, 335, 132, 78.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber.
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 325 and the President has appointed Messrs. Rusch, Bird and Olson of Barnes to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber.
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 88 and the President has appointed Messrs.

Kretschmar, Kaldor and Kelsh to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber.
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 80 and the President has appointed Messrs. Kretschmar, Murphy and Van Camp to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.
Senate Chamber.

Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 157 and the President has appointed Messrs. Kretschmar, Kaldor and Kelsh to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber.
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 76, and the President has appointed Messrs. Kretschmar, Kaldor and Kelsh to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber.
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate refuses to concur in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 54 and the President has appointed Messrs. Whitman, Porter and Baker to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber.
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation, Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

The Senate adopted the report of the conference committee and has further further amended on third reading as follows:

At the end of subdivision 4, Section 27, change period to comma and add: "except building and loan associations which receive savings deposits"

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Jardine moved that the House do concur in the Senate Amendments to Senate Bill No. 21.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that the Rules be suspended; that Senate Bill No. 21 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 67, nays 24, absent and not voting 22.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Rustad
Burleigh	24th Dist.	Kopp	Sagen
Anderson	Flom	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Sargent	Fredrickson	Lynch	Sims
Bollinger	Freeman	Maddock	Stominski
Boyd	Geisler	McCay	Sproul
Bratsberg	Goranson	McDowell	Starke
Brown	Hanson	McGauvran	Steen
Burk	Harrington	Muus	Shurr
Burkhart	Hart	Norden	Swett
Burns	Henne	Olafson	Traynor
Carr	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Trubshaw
Cole	Iverson	Opland	Tweten
Currie	Jackson	Orange	Twichell
Dougherty	Jardine	Plath	Ulland
Durkee	Johnson, Nelson	Quade	Yeater
Mar	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lakie	Miller
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larkin	Oberg
Arduser	Franson	Lazier	Quam
Cart	Haugland	Link	Vogel
Craig	Helbling	Loudenbeck	Walker
Doyle	Jones	McManus	Weisbeck
		Martin	Weid

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Hardy	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Eckert	Heaton	Morton	Streich
Ellingson	Wemapel	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Elmer	Hoople	Patterson	Watt
Fedge	Kellogg	Peters	
Halcrow	Lackey	Root	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$1,000.00 to provide for the payment of a deficit incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 1, line 3 of the Engrossed Bill, strike out the figures "200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "500.00."

In line 6, strike out the figures "\$200.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$500.00"

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Kelly moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 279.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kelly moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 279 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 95, nays 2, absent and not voting 16.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson.	Erickson	Clarkin	Root
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larson	Rustad
Anderson.	Florn	Lazier	Sagen
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	Levin	Sathre, Steele
Anderson	Fredrickson	Link	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Froeman	Loudenbeck	Sims
Arndser	Geissler	Lynch	Slominski
Bollinger	Goranson	McManus	Sproul
Boyd	Hanson	Maddock	Starke
Bratsberg	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Brown	Hart	McCay	Streich
Bryans	Heaton	McDowell	Shurr
Burk	Helbling	McGauvran	Swett
Burns	Henne	Muus	Travnor
Carr	Hodges	Norden	Trubshaw
Carr	Iverson	Oberg	Tweten
Cole	Jardine	Olafson	Twichell
Craig	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Townner	Ulland
Doyle	Johnson, Pembina	Orland	Veitch
Dougherty	Johnson, Traill	Orange	Walker
Durkee	Jones	Peters	Weisbeck
Ehr	Kellogg	Plath	Yeater
Ellingson	Kelly	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Erickson	Konn	Quam	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe	
	Lakie	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.
Weld	Vogel

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Fedze	Hempel	Morton
Currie	Halcrow	Hoople	Olson, Ransom
Eckert	Hardy	Jackson	Patterson
Elmer	Haugland	Miller	Watt

So the bill passed, as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the sum of \$18,000 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In title of Engrossed Bill, strike out the figures "12,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10,000.00."

In Section 1, line 3, strike out the figures "12,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "10,000.00."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Kelly moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 97.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the Rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 97 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$18,000.00 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 81, nays 17, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Eckert	Hoople	Olson, Townner
Burleigh	Ear	Iverson	Opland
Anderson	Efner	Jackson	Orange
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Jardine	Peters
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Johnson, Nelson	Plath
Sargent	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Quade
Arduser	16th Dist.	Johnson, Traill	Radcliffe
Bollinger	Flom	Jones	Rustad
Eord	Frandsen	Kellogg	Sagen
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Kelly	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Freeman	Lackey	Sethre, Williams
Bryans	Geisler	Lakie	Slominski
Bark	Goranson	Larkin	Sproul
Burkhart	Hanson	Larson	Starke
Burns	Hardy	Lynch	Traynor
Carr	Harrington	McManus	Trubshaw
Cart	Hart	McCay	Tveten
Cole	Heaton	McDowell	Ulland
Craig	Hobling	McGauvran	Yeater
Doyle	Hempel	Muns	Mr. Speaker
Dougherty	Henne	Norden	
Durkee	Hodges	Olafson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Kopp	Maddock	Streich	Weisbeck
Lazier	Martin	Shurr	Wald
Levin	Oberg	Swatt	
Link	Rabe	Vogel	
Loudenbeck	Steen	Walker	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Currie	Haugland	Patterson	Twitchell
Elmgson	Miller	Quam	Valch
Fedge	Morton	Root	Watt
Halcrow	Olson, Ransom	Sims	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Providing That Public Officials of Taxing Districts Issuing Certificates of Indebtedness or Bonds Shall Advertise for Bids in Certain Cases and Providing the Procedure to Be Followed in Connection Therewith, Prescribing Penalties for the Violation of this Act, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In Section 2, line 1 of the printed bill strike out the word "sealed."

In Section 2, line 4 of the printed bill strike out the word "opening" and insert in lieu thereof the word "receiving."

In section 2, line 13 of the printed bill strike out the word "opening" and insert in lieu thereof the word "receiving."

Strike out Section 3 of the printed bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 3. The notice shall specify the time and place at which bids will be received. Except in case of cities of over four thousand population or school districts of over four thousand population the notice shall specify that bids will be received at the county auditor's office on the date and at the hour specified in the notice. At the time and place specified, the governing board of the taxing district shall be represented by one of its officials or by the county auditor or some other person acting at the request of the board who shall receive competitive bids whether submitted in writing or orally.

"All bids shall be accompanied by a certified check to the amount of not less than 5 per cent of the bid."

After all bids have been received, the governing board of the taxing district may act upon the same at its convenience, but within ten days after the bids have been

received and the contract shall be awarded to the bidder who agrees to purchase the bonds upon the terms most favorable to the taxing district, unless the board determines to reject all bids.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Jardine moved that the House concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 130.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that the Rules be suspended, House Bill No. 130 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Providing that Public Officials of Taxing Districts Issuing Certificates of Indebtedness or Bonds Shall Advertise for Bids in Certain Cases and Providing the Procedure to be Followed in Connection Therewith, Prescribing Penalties for the Violation of This Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 68, nays 20, absent and not voting 25.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Burkee	Kellogg	Rabe
Barleigh	Ehr	Kelly	Redcliffe
Anderson,	Fedge	Kopp	Rust
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lakie	Rustad
Arduser	Fredrickson	Larson	Sagen
Bollinger	Freeman	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Getzler	McCay	Slominski
Bratsberg	Goranson	McDowell	Sproul
Brown	Hanson	McGauvran	Steen
Bryans	Harrington	Muus	Streich
Burk	Henne	Norden	Traynor
Barkhart	Hodges	Olafson	Trubshaw
Burns	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Twichell
Carr	Jackson	Opland	Ulland
Cart	Jardine	Patterson	Weld
Cole	Johnson, Nelson	Peters	Yeater
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Johnson, Trall	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Jones	Maddock
Sargent	16th Dist.	Lazier	Oberg
Craig	Franson	Levin	Quam
Boyle	Hardy	Link	Swett
Erickson,	Helbling	Loudenbeck	Vogel
26th Dist.	Hoople	McManus	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Curtie	Heaton	Olson, Ransom	Veitch
Eckert	Hempel	Orange	Walker
Billingston	Lackey	Sethre, Williams	Watt
Elmer	Larkin	Sims	Weisbeck
Palcrow	Martin	Starke	
Hart	Miller	Shurr	
Haugland	Morton	Tweten	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, an Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for Which the Appropriation is Made.

House Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Reporting at the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Contracts Involving Labor Entered Into by All Political Subdivisions of the State.

Also,

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking their Ballots.

Also,

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

Also,

House Bill No. 215. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1921, Relating to Enforcement of Payment of Premiums to the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Also,

House Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Purchase by the Industrial Commission of Claims Against the Returned Soldiers' Fund and for the Financing of Such Purchase by Such Commission, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Were delivered to the Governor for his approval at the hour of 11:10 o'clock A. M.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North Dakota Under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 and that Such Appropriation Be Made from the State Highway Fund.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

"Section 2. Provided, however, that any money appropriated by this Act shall not be available or expended until the Counties of Burke and Ward, in the State of North Dakota, shall have raised and appropriated a sum equal to the amount appropriated by this Act, nor until the Federal Government shall have appropriated its proportionate share towards the completion of the bridge provided for herein."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Sagen moved that the House concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 51.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Cart moved that the rules be suspended; that House Bill No. 51 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North Dakota Under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 and that Such Appropriation Be Made from the State Highway Fund.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 85, nays 4, absent and not voting 24.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burke-Divide	Erickson 16th Dist.	Lakie Larkin	Radcliffe Root
Anderson, Sargent	Fedge Flom	Larson Lazier	Rustad Sagen
Arduser Bollinger	Franson Fredrickson	Levin Link	Sathre, Steele Sethre, Williams
Boyd Brataberg	Freeman Geiszler	Loudenbeck McManus	Slominski Sproul
Brown Bryans	Geranson Hanson	Maddock McCay	Stambe Steen
Burk Burns	Harrington Hart	McDowell McGauvran	Streich Shurr
Cart Craig	Heaton Helbling	Miller Muns	Swett Traynor
Currie Doyle	Hodges Hoople	Norden Oberg	Tweten Ulland
Dougherty Durkee	Iverson Jardine	Olafson Olson, Towner	Vogel Walker
Ehr Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson Johnson, Pembina	Patterson Plath	Weisbeck Weld
Erickson 26th Dist.	Jones Kellogg	Quade Quam	Mr. Speaker
	Kelly	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Jackson	Johnson, Trail	Kopp	Trubshaw

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson, Burlleigh	Elmer Halcrow	Lackey Lynch	Orange Peters
Burkhart Carr	Hardy Haugland	Martin Morton	Sims Twitshell
Cole Eckert	Hempel Henne	Olson, Ransom Opland	Veitch Watt Yeater

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Patterson moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 51 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act to Limit the Aggregate Amounts That May be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing Maximum Limitations Upon the Rate in Mills Which May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing a Method of Suspending Such Limitations in Certain Cases; Prescribing Penalties for Violations of This Act by County Auditors; and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

Engrossed Bill:

In Section 3, line 4, strike out the word "twelve" and the figures "12" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fourteen" and the figures "14."

In Section 3, line 7, strike out the word "fourteen" and the parenthesis and the figures "14" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "sixteen (16)."

In Section 3, lines 8 and 9, after the word "exceed" strike out the word "sixteen" and the parenthesis and figures "16" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "eighteen (18)."

In Section 3, line 9, after the word "mills" strike out the balance of line 9, line 10, line 11, and 12 up to and including the word "valuation."

In Section 3, line 14, strike out the word "fourteen" and the figures "14" and insert in lieu thereof "sixteen (16)."

In Section 6, line 6, strike out the word "an" and insert in lieu thereof the words "a regular or special."

In Section 6, line 6, after the word "election" insert the following: "provided, however, that the excess levy shall not be more than twenty-five per cent over and above the legal levy by a majority vote. But a fifty per cent increase may be levied if two thirds of the voters voting thereon vote in the affirmative."

In Section 4, line 2, after the word "of" strike out the word "two" and parenthesis and figure "2" and insert in lieu the following: "one and one-half (1½)."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Jardine moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 131.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following conference committee on House Bill No. 131: Messrs. Jardine, Larkin and Ehr.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 1, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

House Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

The Senate adopted the report of the conference committee and the Senate has further amended on third reading as follows:

Strike out the last word in line 4 of Section 1, all of lines 5, 6, 7, and first two words in line 8 and insert in lieu thereof "five dollars for each mature wolf or coyote killed, and two dollars for each wolf or coyote pup killed prior to September 1st of the year of the whelping of such wolf or coyote pup."

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Lynch moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to Senate Bill No. 311.

Mr. Burkhart moved, as a substitute motion, that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to Senate Bill No. 311.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burkhart moved that the rules be suspended; that Senate Bill No. 311 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1, of Chapter 242, Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Bounty on Wolves and Coyotes.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 82, nays 11, absent and not voting 20.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kopp	Radcliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Lackie	Root
Anderson	Fedge	Larkin	Saga
Burke-Divide	Franson	Larson	Sathre, Steels
Anderson	Fredrickson	Lasier	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Freeman	Levin	Sims
Arduser	Goranson	Link	Slominski
Bollinger	Halerow	Loudenbeck	Starke
Boyd	Hardy	McManus	Steen
Bryans	Harrington	Maddock	Streich
Burkhart	Haugland	Martin	Shurr
Burns	Helbling	McCay	Traynor
Carr	Henne	Miller	Trubshaw
Sart	Hodges	Muus	Tweten
Cole	Hoople	Norden	Twichell
Craig	Iverson	Oberg	Vogel
Currie	Jardine	Olafson	Walker
Doyle	Johnson, Nelson	Olson, Ranson	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Johnson, Pembina	Olson, Towner	Wela
Durkee	Johnson, Traill	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Jones	Quam	
Elmer	Kellogg	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Ellingson	Hempel	McGauvran	Sproul
Hanson	Lynch	Quade	Ulland
Hart	McDowell	Rustad	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Flom	Morton	Veitch
Brown	Geiszler	Opland	Watt
Burk	Heaton	Orange	Yeater
Eckert	Jackson	Patterson	
Erickson	Kelly	Peters	
26th Dist.	Lackey	Swett	

So the bill passed as amended by the conference committee and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on House Bill No. 311 beg leave to report that they have met with the committee of the Senate, and that your Conference Committee is unable to agree.

L. L. TWICHELL,
MINNIE D. CRAIG,
C. H. STARKE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following new conference committee on House Bill No. 311: Messrs. Twichell, Walker and McGauvran.

The Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 325 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 325. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 551, 552 and 557 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Governing the Practice of Certified Public Accountants in the State, and Providing a Penalty for Violation of the Laws Governing Accountancy.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the House amendments be concurred in.

For the Senate:
H. J. RUSCH,
C. J. OLSON,
L. R. BAIRD.

For the House:
C. H. STARKE,
JOHN G. PLATH,
ROY B. WELD.

Mr. Stark moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Conference Committee made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Conference Committee to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 284. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 782, 783, 784, 787, 799, 808, 809, 810, 811 and 812 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 69 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919, Relating to Creation of a State Bar Board, its Members, their Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and the Issuance of Licenses to Practice.

Have had the same under consideration and beg leave to advise that the Senate Conference Committee has agreed to recommend that the Senate concur in the House Amendments.

J. K. OLAFSON,
L. L. BROWN,
G. PATTERSON.

For the House.

L. R. BAIRD
THEO. KALDOR,
P. B. GARBERG,

For the Senate.

Mr. Olafson moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senate Chamber.
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Messrs. Whitmer, Hamilton and Ward, to act as a new conference committee on House Bill No. 114.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber.
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Messrs. Peterson, Gardiner and Byrne to act as a conference committee on House Bill No. 149.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Messrs. Eastgate, Ployhar and Atkins to act as a new conference committee on House Bill No. 311.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 337. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Bounty for the Destruction of Magpies and Crows.

The Senate adopted the report of the conference committee and has amended on third reading as follows:

Wherever the word "head" appears, strike out and insert "wings"

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Patterson moved that the House do concur in the conference committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 337.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Patterson moved that the rules be suspended; that Senate Bill No. 337 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 337. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Bounty for the Destruction of Magpies and Crows.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 72, nays 8, absent and not voting 33.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Loudenbeck	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Frandsen	McManus	Sethre, Williams
Anderson,	Fredrickson	Maddock	Sims
Sargent	Freeman	Martin	Slominski
Arduser	Geiszler	Miller	Sproul
Bollinger	Goranson	Morton	Starke
Bratsberg	Hanson	Muus	Streich
Brown	Hardy	Norden	Shurr
Bryans	Harrington	Oberg	Sweet
Burk	Heatou	Olafson	Traynor
Burkhart	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Trubshaw
Burns	Hoople	Olson, Townner	Twetén
Carr	Iverson	Opland	Twichell

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Jackson	Patterson	Ulland
Craig	Johnson,	Nelson Peters	Veitch
Currie	Johnson, Pembina	Plath	Vogel
Doyle	Jones	Quade	Walker
Dougherty	Kellogg	Quam	Watt
Ehr	Kopp	Rabe	Weisbeck
Elmer	Lackie	Radcliffe	Weld
Erickson	Larkin	Root	Yeater
29th Dist.	Larson	Rustad	Mr. Speaker
Fedge	Levin	Sagen	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	Johnson, Traill	McDowell	Orange
Jardine	Lynch	McGauvran	Steen

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Eckert	Hart	Lackey
Burleigh	Ellingson	Haugland	Lazier
Boyd	Erickson	Helbling	Link
Cole	16th Dist.	Hodges	McCay
Durkee	Halerow	Kelly	

So the bill passed as amended by the conference committee and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$5,000.00 to the Missouri Slope Agricultural and Fair Association at Mandan for the Fairs to be Held in the Years 1923 and 1924, as Authorized by Sections 1860 to 1866. Both Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Have had the same under consideration and your Conference Committee recommend Six Thousand Dollars for the Biennium Period instead of \$5,000.00.

For the Senate:
 WHITMER,
 HAMILTON,
 WARD,

For the House:
 ROOT,
 ELMER,
 VEITCH,

Mr. Root requested unanimous consent of the House to offer an amendment to House Bill No. 114 as amended by the report of the Conference Committee.

Which request was granted.

Mr. Root moved to amend House Bill No. 114 by changing the figures \$5,000.00 to \$6,000.00 in the title and in the body of the bill.

Which motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Root moved that the rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 114 be considered properly re-engrossed, as amended, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$5,000.00 to the Missouri Slope Agricultural and Fair Association at Mandan for the Fairs to be Held in the Years 1923 and 1924, as Authorized by Sections 1860 to 1866, Both Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 66, nays 26, absent and not voting 21.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Elmer	Johnson, Nelson	Quam
Burke-Divide	Erickson	Johnson, Pembina	Rabe
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Kellogg	Sathre, Steels
Sargent	Erickson	Lakie	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	16th Dist.	Larson	Sims
Boyd	Fedge	Levin	Starke
Bratsberg	Frandsen	Link	Streich
Brown	Fredrickson	Loudenbeck	Shurr
Bryans	Freeman	McManus	Sweet
Burk	Geiszler	Maddock	Trubshaw
Burkhart	Halcrow	Martin	Tweten
Burns	Hanson	McCay	Vogel
Cart	Hardy	Muus	Walker
Ourrie	Harrington	Oberg	Wald
Doyle	Heaton	Olafson	Yeater
Dougherty	Henne	Olson, Ransom	Mr. Speaker
Eckert	Hoople	Opland	
Ehr	Iverson	Patterson	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Johnson, Trail	Orange	Sproul
Craig	Jones	Plath	Steen
Floss	Laxer	Quade	Traynor
Goranson	Lynch	Radcliffe	Ulland
Hempel	McDowell	Root	Weisbeck
Hodges	Norden	Rustad	
Jackson	Olson, Towner	Slominski	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hart	Lackey	Sagen
Burleigh	Haugland	Larkin	Twichell
Arduser	Helbling	McGauvran	Veitch
Cole	Jardine	Miller	Watt
Durkee	Kelly	Morton	
Ellingson	Kopp	Peters	

So the bill passed as amended by the conference committee and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Elmer moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 114 passed, be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1923

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House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a Method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Which the House has passed unchanged as amended by the Senate.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate Amendment to House Bill No. 131.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House refuses to concur in the Senate Amendments to House Bill No. 131, and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Jardine, Kellogg and Ehr to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House refuses to concur in the Senate Amendments to

House Bill No. 311, and the Speaker has appointed Messrs. Twitchell, Craig and Starke to act as a conference committee.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that the House has concurred in the Senate Amendment to House Bill No. 279.

Very respectfully,

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Patterson moved that the House do now recess, to reassemble at the call of the chair.

Which motion prevailed.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

AFTER RECESS

The House re-assembled at the call of the Chair.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the President has appointed Messrs. Thorson, Ettestad and Storstad to act as a conference committee on Senate Bill No. 131.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on Senate No. 76 beg leave to report as follows:

The committee recommends that the Senate concur in the House amendments to said Senate Bill No. 76.

For the Senate:

P. T. KRETSCHMAR,
THEO. KALDOR,
T. J. KELSH.

For the House:

WM. WATT,
M. W. KELLY,
O. H. OPLAND.

Mr. Opland moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 88 beg leave to report as follows:

The committee recommends that the House recede from its amendment under line three, of page one of the Engrossed Bill and that this item be \$10,000.00 in place of \$15,000.00, and that the Senate do concur.

For the Senate:

P. T. KRETSCHMAR,
THEO. KALDOR,
T. J. KELSH,

For the House:

WM. WATT,
JOHN HALCROW.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 157 beg leave to make the following report:

Your committee recommends:

That the House recede from the item of Armory of \$5,000.00 under Improvements and Repairs on page three of the engrossed bill and that item one under Maintenance—Physical Plant on page two of the engrossed bill of \$44,160.00 be stricken out and that \$39,160.00 be inserted in lieu thereof.

That the figures \$79,500.00 on line two of page two of the engrossed bill be stricken out and that the figures \$74,500.00 be inserted in lieu thereof.

That the figures "\$25,000.00" in line three of the same section, on page 2 of the engrossed bill be stricken out and that the figures "\$21,138.00" be inserted in lieu thereof. That the total figures of "\$154,660.00" be stricken out and that the figures "\$140,798.00" under Total Maintenance—Physical Plant, be inserted in lieu thereof. Also that the totals at the bottom of page two be stricken out and that "\$801,944.00" be inserted in lieu thereof. That the figures "\$481,806.00" as Total Net Maintenance on line four of page three of the engrossed bill be stricken out and that the figures "\$467,944.00" be inserted in lieu thereof. Also that the same change be made in the total of Maintenance under "Recapitulation" and also that the total net budget figures on page four of the engrossed bill be changed from "\$544,906.00" to "\$559,044.00" That the totals in the title of the bill be changed to "\$559,044.00."

That the Senate will then concur.

For the Senate:

P. T. KRETSCHMAR,
THEO. KALDOR,
T. J. KELSH,

For the House:

WM. WATT,
E. O. ELLINGSON,
WALTER MADDOCK.

Mr. Watt moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 80, make the following report:

Recommend that the Senate do concur in the House amendments excepting in line 7, on page 4, of the printed bill (and item 6 on page 4 of the engrossed bill) that the figures \$10,000 be changed to \$5,000, and the totals corrected in the title, and the body of the bill, to read \$1,061,615.00.

For the Senate:

P. T. KRETSCHMAR,
P. J. MURPHY,
FRED VAN CAMP.

For the House:

M. W. KELLY,
O. H. OPLAND,
D. L. PETERS.

Mr. Kelly moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
February 22, 1923.

Mr. Speaker I have the honor to return herewith the following bills:

House Bill No. 281. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties and for Other Purposes.

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

House Bill No. 231. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Signing of Recall Petitions; Preventing Fraud and Corruption and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Provisions of this Act.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Speaker: Your conference committee to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 149. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Da-

Vote for the Year 1919, to Empower the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to Classify Employments, Fix Rates for Premium, Provide for Reserves and Surplus, Provide for Establishment of a System of Merit Rating, and to Provide for the Payment of Premiums Into the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the Senate recede from its amendments to House Bill No. 149.

For the House:
D. L. PETERS,
J. C. ARDUSER,
PIUS KOPP.

For the Senate:
NILS PETERSON,
R. J. GARDINER,
ROBERT BYRNE.

Mr. Kopp moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on House Bill No. 311 have met with a like committee from the Senate and have been unable to agree.

L. L. TWICHELL,
R. H. WALKER,
JOSEPH McGAUVRAN.

Mr. Twichell moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 311.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kelly moved that the rules be suspended; that House bill No. 311 be considered properly re-engrossed, as amended, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 3, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Fedge	Larkin	Radcliffe
Burleigh	Frandsen	Larson	Root
Anderson.	Fredrickson	Laxler	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Freeman	Link	Sathre, Steele
Anderson.	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sethre, Williams
Sargent	Halerow	Lynch	Sims

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bollinger	Hanson	McManus	Slominski
Boyd	Hardy	Maddock	Sproul
Bratsberg	Harrington	Martin	Steen
Brown	Hart	McCay	Streich
Burk	Haugland	McDowell	Shurr
Burkhardt	Heaton	McGauvrn	Swett
Burns	Helbling	Morton	Traynor
Carr	Hempel	Muus	Tweten
Cart	Henne	Norden	Twichell
Cole	Hodges	Oberg	Ulland
Craig	Hoople	Olafson	Valte
Currie	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Doyle	Jackson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Opland	Watt
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Orange	Weisbeck
Eckert	Johnson, Traill	Patterson	Weld
Ehr	Jones	Peters	Yeater
Ellingson	Kellogg	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Elmer	Kelly	Quade	
Erickson,	Kopp	Quara	
16th Dist.	Lackie	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Flom	Goranson

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bryans	Jardine	Miller	Trubshaw
Erickson,	Lackey	Sagel	
26th Dist.	Levin	Starke	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

The courtesy of the floor was extended to the following visitors: Mrs. Evelyn Brink, Mrs. Jessie Myhre, W. G. Childs, Coleharbor, N. D.; A. L. Maxwell, Washburn, N. D.; J. C. Spaulding, Turtle Lake, N. D.; Geo. Gibson, Washburn, N. D.; E. G. Larson, Aneta, N. D.; W. P. Nye, Coop-erstown, N. D.

Mr. Vogel moved that the House do now adjourn, which motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

W. F. CUSHING,
Chief Clerk.

SIXTIETH DAY

House of Representatives,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

The House convened at 2 o'clock P. M. pursuant to adjournment, Speaker Roy Johnson presiding.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. F. Alfson.

Roll call; all members being present.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 70. A Bill for an Act to Incorporate and Establish the North West Agricultural, Live Stock and Fair Association, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

The Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revision and Correction of the Journal have carefully examined the Journal of the Fifty ninth day and recommend that the same be corrected as follows:

On page 24 under roll call Yeater is reported as voting "Aye"; should be absent and not voting. Same correction on roll call on Senate Bills 373 and 379.

On page 26, beginning with the second line below roll call, strike out the next six lines down to "The question being on final passage, etc."

On page 38, between the first and second lines insert the following: "The Speaker declared the emergency clause lost."

On page 76, at the bottom of Senate Bill No. 198, insert the following: "and when so amended recommend the same do pass."

On page 16, in title of Senate Bill No. 20, insert the figure "6" and a comma before the figure "9" in the second line of title.

And when so corrected recommend the same be approved.

A. L. ORANGE,

Chairman.

Mr. Orange moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith the following bill:

House Bill No. 149. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, to Empower the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to Classify Employments, Fix Rates for Premium, Provide for Reserves and Surplus, Provide for Establishment of a System of Merit Rating, and to Pro-

vide for the Payment of Premiums Into the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Which the Senate has passed unchanged.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Swett.

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota, the Senate Concurring Therein,

That:

WHEREAS, Section 23 of the Bank Act, Session Laws of 1919, provides as follows:

"The State Examiner shall personally or through deputy examiners visit the Bank of North Dakota at least twice annually, and shall inspect and verify the assets in its possession and under its control, with sufficient thoroughness of investigation to ascertain with reasonable certainty whether the valuations are correctly carried in its books. He shall investigate its methods of operation and accounting. He shall report the results of each such examination and investigation to the Industrial Commission as soon as practicable, and to the Legislative Assembly at its next ensuing session, and as provided in paragraph numbered 5, of Section 5146 of the Civil Code, Compiled Laws 1913, to the State Banking Board." And

WHEREAS, Section 10 of the Mill and Elevator Association, Session Laws of 1919, provides as follows:

"The State Examiner shall personally or through deputy examiners visit the Association at least twice annually, and shall inspect and verify the assets in its possession and under its control, with sufficient thoroughness of investigation to ascertain with reasonable certainty whether the valuations are correctly carried on its books. He shall report the results of each such examination and investigation to the Industrial Commission as soon as practicable, and to the Legislative Assembly at its next ensuing session." And

WHEREAS, The State Examiner has failed or neglected to make the report required to be made by him to this Legislative Assembly in accordance with Section 23 of the Bank Act and Section 10 of the Mill and Elevator Act; and

WHEREAS, It is of vital importance that the members of this Legislative Assembly and the people of this State should know the financial condition of our industrial institutions; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That the State Examiner is requested to forthwith submit to the Legislative Assembly the

reports required of him by the above mentioned sections of the Bank and Mill and Elevator Acts, or inform this Legislative Assembly why the provisions of these Acts have not been complied with. And

WHEREAS, It is of vital importance to the members of this Legislative Assembly, and the people of this State, to know what expenditures have been made by the Industrial Commission and to have a complete and detailed financial statement of each utility, industry, enterprise and business project under the State's control as required by the Industrial Commission Act; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be requested to submit for examination to the House of Representatives and the Senate, the report filed in his office by the Industrial Commission as ending December 31st, 1922, as required by law, or inform the Legislative Assembly why he is unable to comply with this request.

Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

The Conference Committee on House Bill No. 131 made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act to Limit the Aggregate Amounts that May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing Maximum Limitations Upon the Rate in Mills Which May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing a Method of Suspending Such Limitations in Certain Cases;

Have had the same under consideration and have concurred on the following Senate amendments:

Engrossed Bill:

In Section 3, line 4, strike out the word "twelve" and the figures "12" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fourteen" and the figures "14."

In Section 3, line 7, strike out the word "fourteen" and the parenthesis and the figures "14" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "sixteen (16)."

In Section 3, lines 8 and 9, after the word "exceed," strike out the word "sixteen" and the parenthesis and figures "16" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "eighteen (18)."

In Section 3, line 9, after the word "mills" strike out the balance of line 9, line 10, line 11 and 12 up to and including the word "valuation."

In Section 3, line 14, strike out the word "fourteen" and the figures "14" and insert in lieu thereof "sixteen (16)."

In Section 6, line 6, strike out the word "an" and insert in lieu thereof the words "a regular or special."

Your Conference Committee has agreed on the following amendment:

In Section 6, line 6, after the word "election" insert the following: "Provided, however, that the excess levy shall not be more than forty per cent over and above the legal levy by a majority vote. But a fifty per cent increase may be levied if two-thirds of the voters voting thereon vote in the affirmative."

Your Conference Committee has agreed to strike out the Senate amendment of Section 4, leaving park levies at two mills as in the printed bill.

Engrossed Bill:

In Section 3, line 4, strike out the word "twelve" and the figures "12" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fourteen" and the figures "14."

In Section 3, line 7, strike out the word "fourteen" and the parenthesis and the figures "14" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "sixteen (16)."

In Section 3, lines 8 and 9, after the word "exceed" strike out the word "sixteen" and the parenthesis and figures "16" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "eighteen (18)."

In Section 3, line 9, after the word "mills" strike out the balance of line 9, line 10, line 11 and 12 up to and including the word "valuation."

In Section 3, line 14, strike out the word "fourteen" and the figures "14" and insert in lieu thereof "sixteen (16)."

In Section 6, line 6, strike out the word "an" and insert in lieu thereof the words "a regular or special."

In Section 6, line 6, after the word "election" insert the following: "provided, however, that the excess levy shall not be more than forty per cent over and above the legal levy by a majority vote. But a fifty per cent increase may be levied if two-thirds of the voters voting thereon vote in the affirmative."

In Section 4, line 2, after the word "of" strike out the word "two" and parenthesis and figures "2" and insert in lieu thereof the following "one and one-half (1½)"

Mr. Jardine moved that the House do concur in the conference committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 131.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jardine moved that the rules be suspended; that Senate Bill No. 131 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act to Limit the Aggregate Amounts that May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing Maximum Limitations Upon the Rate in Mills Which May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing a Method of Suspending Such Limitations in Certain Cases;

Prescribing Penalties for Violations of This Act by County Auditors; and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 88, nays 22, absent and not voting 3.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ehr	Jardine	Olson, Towner
Burleigh	Ellingson	Johnson, Nelson	Opland
Anderson	Elmer	Johnson, Pembina	Orange
Burke-Divide	Erickson,	Johnson, Trail	Patterson
Anderson,	26th Dist.	Jones	Peters
Sargent	Erickson	Kellogg	Plath
Arduser	16th Dist.	Kelly	Quade
Bollinger	Flom	Kopp	Rabe
Boyd	Frandsen	Lackey	Radcliffe
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	Larkin	Root
Brown	Freeman	Larson	Rustad
Bryans	Geiszler	Lazier	Sethre, Williams
Burk	Halcrow	Levin	Sims
Burkhart	Hanson	Link	Slominski
Burns	Harrington	Lynch	Sproul
Carr	Hart	McManus	Streich
Cart	Heaton	McDowell	Traynor
Cole	Helbling	McGauvran	Trubshaw
Currie	Henne	Morton	Tweten
Doyle	Hodges	Muus	Twichell
Dougherty	Hoople	Norden	Ulland
Durkee	Iverson	Olafson	Veitch
Eckert	Jackson	Olson, Ransom	Watt
			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Craig	Loudenbeck	Sagen	Walker
Fedge	Maddock	Sathre, Steele	Weisbeck
Goranson	Martin	Starke	Weld
Hardy	McCay	Steen	Yeater
Haugland	Oberg	Swett	
Lakie	Quam	Vogel	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hempel	Miller	Shurr

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Watt moved that Senate Bill No. 80 be placed on third reading and final passage.

The Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 54 made the following report:

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$1,042,965.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Equipment etc. of the State University at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 87, nays 12, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Jones	Radcliffe
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Root
Anderson	Fedge	Larson	Rustad
Burke-Divide	Flom	Levin	Sagen
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Link	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Freeman	Lynch	Sethre, Williams
Brown	Geizler	McManus	Sims
Burk	Goranson	Maddock	Slominski
Berkhart	Halcrow	McCay	Sproul
Burns	Harrington	McDowell	Starke
Carr	Hart	McGauvran	Streich
Cole	Haugland	Morton	Sweet
Craig	Heaton	Muus	Trubshaw
Currie	Helbling	Norden	Tweten
Doyle	Henne	Olafson	Twichell
Dougherty	Hodges	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Durkee	Hoople	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Ehr	Iverson	Opland	Walker
Ellingson	Jackson	Orange	Watt
Elmer	Jardine	Peters	Weisbeck
Erickson	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Weid
26th Dist.	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Yeater
	Johnson, Trail.	Rabe	Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Hardy	Loudenbeck	Traynor
Sargent	Kopp	Oberg	Vogel
Arduser	Larkin	Quam	
	Lazier	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Bratsberg	Franson	Lackey	Patterson
Bryans	Hanson	Lackie	Shurr
Carr	Hempel	Martin	
Eckert	Kellogg	Miller	

So the bill passed as amended by the conference committee and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$1,042,965.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Equipment etc. of the State University at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Which the Senate has passed as the conference committee recommended.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 325.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to inform you that the Senate has concurred in the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 76 as the conference committee recommended.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401, and 403, Compiled Laws of 1913, Declaring Emergency.

Which the Senate has passed as the conference committee recommended.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401 and 403 of the Compiled Laws of 1913; Declaring an Emergency.

Have had the same under consideration and beg leave to advise that said conference committee has agreed upon the following amendments thereto:

In Section 2, line 2 of the printed bill, strike out the word "seven" and the figure "7" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five" and the figure "5."

In line 3 of the same section strike out the word "five" and the figure "5" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three" and the figure "3."

In line 13 of Section 2 strike out the word "three" before the word "years" and insert in lieu thereof the word "four."

In line 14 of Section 2 strike out the word "four" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six" and substitute a period for the comma after the word immediately following, viz: "years," and strike out the balance of line 14 and the first seven words in line 15 down to the word "thereafter."

In line 17 of Section 2 strike out the third word, which is "two" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "one."

In line 18 of Section 2 strike out the word "women" and substitute in lieu thereof the words "a woman"; and in the same line strike out the word "two" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "one," and substitute for the last word in said line the words "a physician."

In line 19 strike out the words "are graduates" and substitute in lieu thereof the words "is a graduate."

In line 9 of Section 3 strike out the word "five" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "three."

The conference committee recommends that the House recede from the amendment to Section 3, line 5 of the printed bill, and that the figures "\$5,000" in said line 5 of Section 3 be stricken out and the figures "\$3,600" be inserted in lieu thereof, and further recedes from the House amendment to lines 7 and 8 so that the same shall read as in the printed bill.

In line 10 of Section 9 of the printed bill strike out the figures "\$5,000" and insert in lieu thereof "\$3,600" and strike out the figures "\$10,000" and insert in lieu thereof

the figures "\$7,200," the House receding from its amendment to said line 10.

In line 16 of Section 9 of the printed bill the House recedes from its amendments, leaving the same as in the printed bill.

In line 17 of Section 9 of the printed bill strike out the figures "\$500" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$300" and strike out the figures "\$1000" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$600," the House receding from its amendment to said line 17.

In line 18 of Section 9 of the printed bill strike out the figure "\$800" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "\$400" and strike out the figure "\$1,600" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "\$800," the House receding from its amendments.

In line 19 of Section 9 of the printed bill strike out the figure "\$750" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "\$500" and strike out the figure "\$1,500" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "\$700," the House receding from its amendment.

In line 21 of Section 9 of the printed bill the House recedes from its amendments, leaving said line 21 as in the printed bill.

In line 22 of Section 9 of the printed bill strike out the figure "\$1,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "\$500" and strike out the figure "\$2,000" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "\$1,000," the House receding from its amendment.

In line 24 of Section 9 of the printed bill, the House amendment is agreed to, leaving the figures in said line "\$250" and "\$500."

In line 25 of Section 9 of the printed bill strike out the figure "\$1,200" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "\$800" and strike out the figure "\$2,400" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "\$1,600," the House receding from its amendment.

The House amendment to lines 26, 27, 28 and 29 is agreed to.

In line 31 of Section 9 of the printed bill strike out the figures "21,450" and "42,900" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$9,050" and "\$17,800."

The House amendment to Section 10 of the printed bill is agreed to.

For the House:

C. A. SAGEN,
V. L. ANDERSON,
WM. WATT.

For the Senate:

W. S. WHITMAN,
W. H. PORTER,
B. F. BAKER.

Mr. Kelly moved that the House do concur in the conference committee's amendments to Senate Bill No. 54.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kelly moved that the rules be suspended; that Senate Bill No. 54 be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401 and 403, Compiled Laws of 1913; Declaring Emergency.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 103, nays 1, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Erickson	Lakie	Root
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Larkin	Sagen
Anderson	Fedge	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Burke-Divide	Flom	Lazier	Sathre, Williams
Anderson,	Franson	Levin	Sims
Sargent	Fredrickson	Link	Slominski
Arduser	Geiszler	Loudenbeck	Sproul
Bollinger	Goranson	Lynch	Starke
Boyd	Halcrow	McManus	Steen
Bratsberg	Hanson	Maddock	Streich
Brown	Hardy	Martin	Shurr
Bryans	Harrington	McCay	Swett
Burk	Hart	Morton	Traynor
Burkhart	Haugland	Muus	Trubshaw
Burna	Heaton	Norden	Tweten
Carr	Helbling	Oberg	Ulland
Cart	Hodges	Olafson	Veitch
Cole	Hoople	Olson, Ransom	Vogel
Craig	Iverson	Olson, Towner	Walker
Currie	Jackson	Opland	Weld
Doyle	Jardine	Orange	Watt
Dougherty	Johnson, Nelson	Patterson	Weisbeck
Durkee	Johnson, Pembina	Peters	Yeater
Ehr	Johnson, Trail	Plath	Mr. Speaker
Ellingson	Jones	Quade	
Elmer	Kelly	Quam	
Erickson	Kopp	Rabe	
16th Dist.	Lackey	Radcliffe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Rustad

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Henne	McDowell	Miller
Freeman	Kellogg	McGauvran	Twichell
Hempel			

So the bill passed as amended by the conference committee and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:

Senate Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$573,118.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, and Equipment of the Agricultural College, Fargo, for the Biennium.

Which the Senate has passed as the conference committee recommended.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Watt moved the Rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 157, as amended by the Conference committee be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$573,118.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, and Equipment of the Agricultural College, Fargo, for the Biennium.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 101, nays 3, absent and not voting 9.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kelly	Quam
Burleigh	26th Dist.	Lackey	Rabe
Anderson	Erickson	Lekie	Radcliffe
Burke-Divide	16th Dist.	Larkin	Root
Anderson,	Fodge	Larson	Sagen
Sargent	Flom	Lazier	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Frandsen	Levin	Sethre, Williams
Bollinger	Fredrickson	Link	Sims
Boyd	Gelazier	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Goranson	Lynch	Sproul
Brown	Halerow	McManus	Starke
Bryans	Hanson	Maddock	Streich
Burk	Hardy	Martin	Sweet
Burkhart	Harrington	McCay	Traynor
Burns	Hart	Miller	Trubshaw
Carr	Haugland	Morton	Tweten
Cole	Heaton	Muus	Twichell
Craig	Helbling	Norden	Ulland
Currie	Hodges	Oberg	Veitch
Doyle	Hoople	Olafson	Vogel
Dougherty	Iverson	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Durkee	Jardine	Olson, Townner	Watt
Eckert	Johnson, Nelson	Orange	Weisbeck
Ehr	Johnson, Pembina	Patterson	Weid
Ellingson	Johnson, Traill	Peters	Yeater
Elmer	Jones	Plath	Mr. Speaker
	Kellogg	Quade	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Kopp	Opland	Rustad

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Cart	Henne	McDowell	Steen
Freeman	Jackson	McGauvran	Shurr
Hempel			

So the bill passed as amended by the Conference committee and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

Senate Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$292,250.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements, Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Purchase of Live Stock, for the Experiment Station at the Agricultural College at Fargo, for the Biennium.
Which the Senate has passed as the conference committee recommended.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Trubshaw moved that the Rules be Suspended and Senate Bill No. 88, as amended by the Conference committee be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$292,250.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements, Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Purchase of Live Stock, for the Experiment Station at the Agricultural College at Fargo for the Biennium.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 89, nays 9, absent and not voting 15.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Ellingson	Johnson,	Nelson
Burleigh	Elmer	Johnson,	Quade
Anderson,	Erickson	Johnson,	Pembina
Burke-Divide	26th Dist.	Johnson,	Rabe
Anderson,	Erickson	Johnson,	Radcliffe
Sargent	16th Dist.	Kelly	Root
Arduser	Fedge	Lackie	Sagen
Bollinger	Flom	Larson	Sathre, Steele
Boyd	Frandsen	Levin	Sathre, Williams
Bratsberg	Fredrickson	McManus	Sims
Brown	Geiszler	Maddock	Stominski
Bryans	Goranson	McCay	Sproul
Burk	Halerow	Miller	Starke
		Morton	Streich
			Traynor

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Burkhart	Hanson	Muus	Trubshaw
Burns	Harrington	Norden	Tweten
Carr	Hart	Olafson	Twichell
Cart	Haugland	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Cole	Heaton	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Craig	Helbling	Opland	Walker
Currie	Hodges	Orange	Watt
Doyle	Iverson	Patterson	Weisbeck
Dougherty	Jackson	Peters	Weld
Durkee	Jardine	Plath	Yeater
Ehr			Mr. Speaker

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Hardy	Loudenbeck	Quam	Vogel
Lazier	Martin	Rustad	
Link	Oberg		

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Eckert	Hoople	Larkin	Steen
Freeman	Kellogg	Lynch	Shurr
Hempel	Kopp	McDowell	Swett
Henne	Lackey	McGauvran	

So the bill passed as amended by the conference committee and the title was agreed to.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return:
House Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$100,000.00 From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River of the North Between the City of Fargo, Cass County, North Dakota, and the City of Moorhead, Clay County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Which the Senate has amended as follows:

In title and 5th line of Section 1 strike out "\$100,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$75,000.00."

Also add

"Section 2. Provided (however, that any money appropriated by this Act shall not be available or expended until the Counties of Cass, in the State of North Dakota, and Clay, in the state of Minnesota, and also the State of Minnesota shall have raised and appropriated a sum equal to the amount appropriated by this Act, or until the Federal Government shall have appropriated its proportionate share towards the completion of the bridge provided for herein."

And strike out emergency clause and change June 31st to June 30th in Section 1.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Boyd moved that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 30.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Boyd moved that the Rules be suspended, that House Bill No. 30 be considered properly re-engrossed and placed on third reading and final passage.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$100,000.00 From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River of the North Between the City of Fargo, Cass County, North Dakota, and the City of Moorhead, Clay County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes 63, nays 36, absent and not voting 14.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Levin	Slominski
Burleigh	Fredrickson	Lynch	Sproul
Anderson,	Freeman	Miller	Starke
Burke-Divide	Geisler	Olafson	Strelch
Bollinger	Halcrow	Olson, Ransom	Shurr
Boyd	Hanson	Olson, Towner	Swett
Bratsberg	Harrington	Opland	Trubshaw
Brown	Haugland	Patterson	Tweten
Burkhart	Hodges	Peters	Ulland
Burns	Jackson	Plath	Veitch
Curt	Jardine	Rabe	Vogel
Cole	Johnson, Nelson	Radcliffe	Watt
Currie	Johnson, Pembina	Root	Weid
Dougherty	Kelly	Sagen	Mr. Speaker
Durkee	Lackey	Sathre, Steels	
Ehr	Lakis	Sethre, Williams	
Fedje	Larson	Sims	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Iverson	McCay
Sargent	16th Dist.	Johnson, Trail	Norden
Arduser	Frandsen	Jones	Oberg
Bryans	Goranson	Kopp	Orange
Burk	Hardy	Larkin	Quade
Craig	Hart	Lazier	Quam
Elmer	Helbling	Link	Rustad
Erickson	Hempel	Loudenbeck	Steen
26th Dist.	Hoopie	McManus	Walker
		Martin	Weisbeck
			Yeater

Absent and not voting

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Carr	Teaton	McDowell	Traynor
Doyle	Henne	McGauvran	Twichell
Eckert	Kellogg	Morton	
Hingston	Maddock	Mus	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

Mr. Sweet explained his vote.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return the following concurrent resolution which the Senate adopted.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return

Senate Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 9658 and 9659 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Crime of Vagrancy.

Which the Senate has passed as the Conference Committee recommended.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Senate Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$117,338.00 as an Offset for Federal Aid in Extension Division Work of the Agricultural College.
Was read the third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes, 91, nays 10, absent and not voting 12.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson,	Erickson	Kellogg	Radcliff.
Burleigh	16th Dist.	Kelly	Root
Anderson	Fedge	Lackey	Sagen
Sargent	Flom	Lackie	Sathre, Steele
Arduser	Frandsen	Larson	Sethre, Williams
Bellinger	Fredrickson	Lazier	Sims
Boyd	Freeman	Loudenbeck	Slominski
Bratsberg	Geizler	Maddock	Sproul
Brown	Goranson	Miller	Starke
Bryans	Halcrow	Martin	Streich
Burk	Hanson	Morton	Shurr
Burkhart	Harrington	Muus	Sweet
Burns	Hart	Norden	Traynor
Carr	Haugland	Oberg	Trubshaw
Cart	Heaton	Olafson	Tweten
Cole	Helbling	Olson, Ransom	Ulland
Craig	Hodges	Olson, Towner	Veitch
Currie	Hoopie	Opland	Vogel
Doyle	Iverson	Patterson	Walker
Dougherty	Jardine	Peters	Watt
Burkee	Johnson, Nelson	Plath	Yeater
Eckert	Johnson, Pembina	Quade	Mr. Speaker
Ehr	Johnson, Traill	Quam	
Ellingson	Jones	Rabe	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Elmer	Hempel	Link	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kopp	McCay	Weld
26th Dist.	Levin	Steen	

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Jackson	McDowell	Twichell
Burke-Divide	Larkin	McGauvran	
Hardy	Lynch	Orange	
Henne	McManus	Rustad	

So the bill passed as amended by the Senate and the title was agreed to.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Thorson.

Whereas, the employment of children of tender years in mines, factories and workshops is prohibited by the Constitution of this state, and hence has been recognized as a legal wrong during the entire existence of this state; and

Whereas, the welfare of this state and each of the states in the Union is dependent in a large measure upon the intelligence and capacity of the citizens of the other states, hence the problem of so-called "child-labor" is one national in its scope.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved, by the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring, that we urge Congress to adopt a constitutional amendment relating to child labor at this session of Congress.

Resolved, Further, that a copy of these resolutions be immediately telegraphed to the presiding officers of the United States Senate and House of Representatives.

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Rusch.

Be it Resolved by the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives Concurring Therein,

That:

Whereas, The State of North Dakota pays rent for the building occupied by the Bank of North Dakota in the sum of \$12,000.00 per annum, exclusive of heat and light which amount to the further sum of \$3,600.00, and said building is of the assessed valuation of \$35,000.00 and the annual tax thereon is about \$1,800.00, and

Whereas, Said rent is exorbitant and excessive for said building and the leases therefor are about to expire and additional rent of \$2,000.00 per annum will be demanded to renew the leases therefor, and

Whereas, the State of North Dakota is paying the sum of \$2,120.00 per annum in another part of the city of Bismarck for small quarters occupied by the Workmen's Compensation Bureau, and the further sum of \$1,080.00

for the small quarters occupied by the Fire Marshal's and Mine Inspectors's Offices, and

Whereas, those rents are excessive.

Therefore, Be it Resolved, By the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that the Board of Administration of the State of North Dakota be authorized and empowered to investigate other quarters which are or may be available, to the end that these excessive rents may be materially reduced and said Board make and cause such reductions to be made and make such other leases for other quarters for said purposes unless the lessors and owners of said buildings now rented by the state reduce the rents on said buildings.

Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Van Camp.

Beit Enacted by the Senate of the State of North Dakota, the House of Representatives Concurring Therein,

That:

Whereas, it has been necessary for the Committee appointed to investigate conditions in the Highway Commission Department, to conduct hearings, take testimony, incur expense, and compile a report, including transcribing a large amount of testimony, and

Whereas, on different occasions, portions of Committee proceedings have been recorded and transcripts thereof furnished to the members of said committee, and,

Whereas, all of said work was not within the province of any of the regular clerical force, and

Whereas, all of said work has been done in accordance with the itemized account hereto attached, and all of said expense for witness fees legally incurred,

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved, that the attached accounts, amounting to \$187.65, being for reporting and furnishing transcripts, witness fees and expense, be allowed and that the same be paid as Legislative expense in connection with the Eighteenth Legislative Assembly.

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

W. W. Moyer, witness fees one day, Highway Investigation	\$ 2.00
B. H. Tong, attending Highway Commission investigation	
Bismarck, two days witness fees.....	4.00
68 miles travel to and from Linton at 10c.....	6.80
N. T. Hadalen, to serving process for committee on Highway investigation	1.00
Taxi hire (paid)75
Aflheld O. Alfson—	
Stenographic services investigation Highway Commission	3.20

Edith Barker—
Stenographic services and writing transcripts
and copies—Highway Investigation Committee.. 169.90

Concurrent resolution by the Senator Van Camp.

Was read the third time.

The question being on the final pasage of the bill,
as amended, the roll was called and there were ayes
93, nays 1, absent and not voting 19.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Anderson	Flom	Larkin	Quade
Burleigh	Franson	Larson	Quam
Anderson	Fredrickson	Lazier	Rabe
Burke-Divide	Geisler	Levin	Radeliffe
Anderson	Goranson	Link	Root
Sargent	Hanson	Loudenbeck	Rustad
Bollinger	Hardy	Lynch	Sathre, Steele
Brown	Harrington	McManus	Sims
Bryans	Hart	Maddox	Slominski
Bark	Haugland	Martin	Sproul
Burns	Heaton	McCay	Starke
Carr	Helbling	McDowell	Streich
Craig	Hodges	Miller	Traynor
Currie	Hoopie	Morton	Trubshaw
Doyle	Iverson	Muus	Tweten
Dougherty	Jardine	Norden	Twitchell
Har	Johnson, Nelson	Oberg	Ulland
Ellingson	Johnson, Pezmbina	Olafson	Vogel
Elmer	Johnson, Trail	Olson, Ransom	Walker
Erickson	Jones	Olson, Towner	Watt
16th Dist.	Kellogg	Opiland	Weisbeck
Erickson	Kelly	Orange	Weld
18th Dist.	Kopp	Patterson	Yeater
Fedge	Lackey	Peters	Mr. Speaker
	Lackie	Plath	

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs.
Steen

Absent and not voting:

Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.	Messrs.
Arduser	Cole	Hempel	Sethre, Williams
Boyd	Durkee	Henne	Shurr
Bratsberg	Eckert	Jackson	Swett
Burkhardt	Freeman	McGauvran	Veitch
Cart	Halcrow	Sagen	

So the concurrent resolution introduced by Senator Van Camp was adopted.

The committee State Affairs made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on State Affairs to whom was referred:

Concurrent Resolution, introduced by Mr. Swett.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended by striking out "the two paragraphs on page 2 thereof, the first of which begins with the word "Whereas."

And when so amended recommend the same do pass.

L. L. TWICHELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, N. D.
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return herewith:
House Bill No. 131. A Bill for an Act to Limit the Aggregate Amounts That May be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing Maximum Limitations Upon the Rate in Mills Which May Be Levied by Taxing Districts; Providing a Method of Suspending Such Limitations in Certain Cases; Prescribing Penalties for Violations of This Act by County Auditors; and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With This Act.

Which the Senate passed as recommended by the Conference Committee.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

Mr. Twichell moved that the resolution introduced by Mr. Swett as amended by the standing committee, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that the report of the Industrial Commission, for the year ending December 31, 1922, be printed in the Journal of today.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 118. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Fourteen Thousand, Five Hundred and Eight Dollars and 66-100 (\$14,508.66) or so Much Thereof as May Be Needed, for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Expenses of Employees, the Per Diem and Mileage of Witnesses and expenses for Printing and Supplies, Incurred by the Special Audit Committee Appointed by the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in Considering the Audit of and Investigating the State Bank and State Industries as Authorized and Directed by Said House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest.

House Bill No. 312. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Number of Senators and Representatives Which Shall Compose the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, to Define the Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to Prescribe the Number of Senators and Representatives Therein.

House Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Admin-

istration of Non-Resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of Tuition of Such Non-Resident Students by the County of their Residence.

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

House Bill No. 172. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3296 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 49 of the Session Laws for 1921, Relating to County Commissioners' Powers and Duties with Respect to Contracts Let on Competitive Bids.

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

House Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North Dakota under the provisions of Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919 and That Such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Fund.

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the sum of \$18,000.00 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

House Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Providing That Public Officials of Taxing Districts Issuing Certificates of Indebtedness or Bonds Shall Advertise for Bids in Certain Cases and Providing the Procedure to Be Followed in Connection Therewith, Prescribing Penalties for the Violation of this Act, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with this Act.

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT AND EN-GROSSMENT.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and En-grossment respectfully report that:

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

House Bill No. 105. An Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

House Bill No. 153. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Payment of Compensation Out of the Workmen's Compensation Fund and Providing that Compensation Shall be Paid for Injuries and Deaths from Injuries Occurring Outside the State of North Dakota only Under Circumstances as Provided in the Act.

House Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8325 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Actions Arising out of Personal Injury or Death Resulting from Wrongful Acts.

House Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act Designating the Depositories of Public Funds and Fixing the Minimum Rate of Interest; Requiring Competitive Bids for Such Deposits; Providing for Publicity with Reference to Such Funds and Depositories; Prescribing Penalties for Violation of This Act; Defining Terms Used Herein, and Repealing Sections 147, 147a, 147b and Sections 370 to 374, Inclusive, Sections 1472 to 1478, Inclusive, Sections 3315 to 3329, Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913, and

House Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

House Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 959 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Preparation of Ballots for Constitutional Amendments and Extending the Same to Cover Initiated and Referred Measures.

House Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Concerning Declaratory Judgments and Decrees and to Make Uniform the Laws Relating Thereto.

House Bill No. 118. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred and Eight and 66-100 Dollars (\$14,508.66), or so Much Thereof as May be Needed for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Expenses of Employees the Per Diem and Mileage of Witnesses and Expenses for Printing and Supplies, Incurred by the Special Audit Committee Appointed by the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in Considering the Audit of and

Investigating the State Bank and State Industries as Authorized and Directen by said House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

House Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Minimum Wage, Health and Morals of Women Workers, for Salary, Postage, Office Supplies, Printing, Traveling expenses, Hearings, Conferences, Witness Fees, Legal Fees and Office Rent.

House Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Legalizing Certain Acts of City, Village and School District Officials.

House Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 6, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 84, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Licensing, Regulating and Supervising the Licensing and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Aileys, Dance Halls, Theaters, Moving Picture Shows, Taxicabs or Auto Liveries, Places Soft Drinks are Retailed or Where Cigars and Tobacco are Sold, or Public Halls, Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes; Providing Fees Therefor, Inspectors, Office Help and Supplies Thereof; Defining Powers and Duties and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

House Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Keeping Open, Running or Permitting the Running of Any Place for Public Dancing on the First Day of the Week, Commonly Called the Sabbath, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Trubshaw.

House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest.

House Bill No. 312. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Number of Senators and Representatives Which Shall Compose the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, to Define the Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to Prescribe the Number of Senators and Representatives Therein.

House Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Admission of Non-resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of Tuition of Such Non-Resident Students by the County of their Residence.

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota

for the Year 1913, Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

House Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North Dakota Under the Provisions of Chapter 73, of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 and that Such Appropriation Be Made from the State Highway Fund.

House Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$200,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River, Between Williams County, North Dakota and McKenzie County, North Dakota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

House Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Providing That Public Officials of Taxing Districts Issuing Certificates of Indebtedness or Bonds Shall Advertise For Bids in Certain Cases and Providing the Procedure to Be Followed in Connection Therewith, Prescribing Penalties for the Violation of this Act, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with this Act.

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$18,000.00 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

And find the same correctly enrolled.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

House Bill No. 105. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

House Bill No. 153. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Da-

kota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Payment of Compensation Out of the Workmen's Compensation Fund and Providing that Compensation Shall be Paid for Injuries and Deaths from Injuries Occurring Outside the State of North Dakota only Under Circumstances as Provided in the Act.

House Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8325 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Actions Arising out of Personal Injury or Death Resulting from Wrongful Acts.

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House Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 959 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Preparation of Ballots for Constitutional Amendments and Extending the Same to Cover Initiated and Referred Measures.

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House Bill No. 118. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Fourteen Thousand Six Hundred and Eighty-six and 41-100 Dollars (\$14,686.41), or so Much Thereof as May Be Needed for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Expenses of Employees, the Per Diem and Mileage of Witnesses and Expenses for Printing and Supplies, Incurred by the Special Audit Committee Appointed by the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in Considering the Audit of and Investigating the State Bank and State Industries as Authorized and Directed by Said House of Representatives.

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House Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 6, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Special Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 84 Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, and Supervising the Licensing and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxicab or Auto Liveries, Places Where Soft Drinks are Retailed or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls, Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes; Providing Fees Therefor, Inspectors, Office Help and Supplies Thereof; Defining Powers and Duties and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

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Concurrent Resolution Introduced by Mr. Trubshaw.

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House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Prescribing the rate of mileage allowed the Sheriff.

House Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of **Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00)** Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North Dakota under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919 and that such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Fund.

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way Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River, Between Williams County, North Dakota, and McKenzie County, North Dakota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

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House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT AND ENGROSSMENT.

The committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your committee on Enrollment and Engrossment respectfully report that :

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

House Bill No. 105. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

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Were delivered to the Governor for his approval at the hour of 4:00 o'clock P. M.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

State of North Dakota

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
Bismarck
R. A. Nestos, Governor

March 2, 1923.

To the House of Representatives of the State of North Dakota:

This is to notify you that I have today approved and filed with the secretary of state House Bill No. 124, to appropriate the sum of twelve thousand sixty-five and 15-100 dollars (\$12,05.15) for the payment to Bishop Brissman & Co., of the sum due them for the audit of the State Bank and State Industries, and for other services rendered.

Also, House Bill No. 132, Entitled an act to appropriate money for the use of the board of railroad commissioners between the following dates, January 1st, 1923, and June 30th, 1923, and specifying the purpose for which the appropriation is made.

Also, House Bill No. 275, To provide for the purchase by the Industrial Commission of claims against the returned soldiers' fund and for the financing of such purchase by such commission, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Also, House Bill No. 285, to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for the offices of presidential electors, United States senator, and members of congress; for electing delegates to national party conventions, national committeeman and for the apportionment and term of office and the nomination and election of party precinct committeemen; to provide for forms of ballots and requirements of new parties with reference thereto; and to repeal Sections 501 of the Revised Code of 1899, Section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905, and Sections 857, 859, 889, 901a, 910, 912, 917, 918, 919 and 971a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, and all other acts or parts of acts that are in conflict with the provisions hereof.

Very truly yours,

R. A. NESTOS,
Governor,

RESOLUTION

Introduced by Mr. Twichell

WHEREAS, It is necessary that the House Journals be mailed out to the members, and to those upon the mailing list, and

WHEREAS, It is necessary that the Journal of the Sixtieth day be proofread,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Nels Hedalen be employed to complete the mailing out of such Journals, and that Hugh Black be retained and employed to complete such proofreading under the direction of the Printing Commission to the end that the Journal of the sixtieth day may be mailed out promptly, and that proof of the balance of Journal be properly read; the services of such employees to be paid at the wage at which they are now employed and on the direction of the Printing Commission, but as legislative expense.

Mr. Twichell moved the adoption of the resolution which motion prevailed.

Mr. Twichell moved that a complete list of all House and Senate Bills passed at this session be printed at the end of the Journal for today.

Which motion prevailed.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 325. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 551, 552 and 557 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Governing the Practice of Certified Public Accountants in the state, and Providing a Penalty for Violation of the Laws Governing Accountancy.

Senate Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1, of Chapter 242, Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Bounty on Wolves and Coyotes.

Senate Bill No. 335. A Bill for an Act to Create the Office of State Food Commissioner and Chemist; Providing for his Appointment, Term of Office, Removal and Salary; Defining his Powers and Duties; Defining the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Administration Relating Thereto; Creating a State Regulatory Fund and Providing for Payments Therefrom and Repealing Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with this Act and Especially Repealing Sections Two and Five of Chapter Two Hundred of the Session Laws of 1915.

Senate Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4929 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 76 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Fees to be Paid by Insurance Companies Doing Business in This State.

Senate Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$117,238.00 as an Offset for Federal Aid in Extension Division Work of the Agricultural College.

Senate Bill No. 337. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Bounty for the Destruction of Magpies.

Senate Bill No. 78. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Oil Inspection.

Senate Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 185 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Support of Needy Women who are the Mothers of and Who are Compelled to Support one or More Children Under Sixteen Years of Age.

Senate Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State with Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for the Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court with Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation Proceedings, and Requesting It to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner, Fixing His Compensation, and Defining His Powers and Authority, and Providing for the Appointment of Receivers of Insolvent Banks, and Making an Appropriation to Meet the Expenses Incident to Carrying Out the Purpose of the Act.

Senate Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Money for the Expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the State Government, and for Public Schools, Specifying the Amount and Time for Which Such Appropriations Shall be Available, and Repealing all Acts, or Parts of Acts, Insofar as the Same Shall Relate to Appropriations Conflicting Herewith, or to Appropriations for the Same Matters or Purposes Provided for Herein.

Senate Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 869 and 983 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 119, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in Primary and General Elections.

Senate Bill No. 198. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, for the Purpose of Carrying out, Maintaining, General Supervision and Regulation of Grain Grading, Elevator Accounting and Inspection of Elevators, Warehouses and Flour Mills in Handling of All Agricultural Products.

House Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any County in North Dakota to Issue Funding or Refunding Bonds for the Purpose of Funding or Refunding Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Indebtedness.

Senate Bill No. 341. A Bill for an Act to Impose a Tax Upon Gasoline, Stored, Shipped, Distributed or Held for Sale Within this State, for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying the Expenses of the State Government; Providing for the Administration of the Same; Repealing

Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1919 as Amended by Chapter 64 of the Special Session Laws of 1919.

Senate Bill No. 373. A Bill for an Act to Prevent Fraud and Deception in the Manufacture and Sale of Beverages; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act and to Provide Penalties for Violations Thereof and to Repeal Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Senate Bill No. 272. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Method of Levying Tax for the Care of Patients at the Hospital for the Insane, Institution for the Feeble Minded and the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium; Providing the Method of Settlement Between County and State; Providing a Penalty for Failure to Pay; Providing a Method of Settling Disputed Claims and Repealing Sections 2572 and 2573, Compiled Laws of 1913 and all Acts or Parts of Acts on Conflict Therewith.

Senate Bill No. 379. A Bill for an Act to Regulate the Sale of Petroleum Products; to Provide for the Inspection of Kerosene and Gasoline; to Provide Specifications Therefor; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide for Inspection Fees, Collection and Disposition of Same; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Inspection of Lubricating and Power Oils; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Act; to Provide Penalties for the Violation Thereof and to Repeal Existing Acts Relating Thereto.

Senate Bill No. 186. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Abandonment or Neglect of Wife or Child, and the Desertion and Non-support of Family, and for the Repeal of Sections 9589 and 9603 Inclusive. Compiled Laws of 1913.

Senate Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2078, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 223, Session Laws of 1919, and Chapter 122, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Exemption of Certain Property from Taxation.

Senate Bill No. 197. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 146 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Office of Commissioner of Immigration, Prescribing His Powers and Duties, and Making an Appropriation Therefor, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Senate Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 126 of the Laws of 1917, as amended by Chapter 110 of the Laws of 1919 and as Further Amended by Chapter 21 of the Laws of 1921.

Senate Bill No. 315. A Bill for an Act Defining Carnivals; Prohibiting Itinerant Carnivals and Declaring the Same a Public Nuisance and Providing Penalties for the Participation Therein.

Senate Bill No. 371. A Bill for an Act for the Protection of Health and Prevention of Fraud and Deception in Articles of food and Drugs; for the Prevention of Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; Requiring Labeling Thereof; Providing for Sales by Weight, Measure or Numerical Count; Providing for Fixing of Standards of Purity and Quality and Fitness for Consumption; Prescribing the Duties of the State Board of Administration and Providing for the Appointment of a State Food Commissioner and Chemist and Prescribing His Duties and Powers; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act; Defining Certain Offenses in Connection Therewith; Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Certain Acts Relating Thereto.

Senate Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 31 of the Special Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Purchase of Dairy Cattle by Counties.

Senate Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 220 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Senate Bill No. 256. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties, and for other Purposes.

Senate Bill No. 105. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$18,825.00 for the Purpose of Paying Per Diem, Clerk Hire, Traveling Expenses, etc., in Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 126 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relative to the Depositors Guarantee Fund Commission.

Senate Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the Hotel Inspection Department.

Senate Bill No. 20. A Bill for an Act to Amend and re-enact Sections 3, 5, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 20, 26 and 27 of Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 284. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 782, 783, 784, 787, 799, 808, 809, 810, 811 and 812 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 69 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919, Relating to the Creating of a State Bar Board, Its Members, Their Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and the Issuance of License to Practice.

Senate Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Relating to What Shall be Carried as "Consolidation Tax Account" and Repealing Section 2274, Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 253, Session Laws of 1915.

Senate Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$44,000.00 for the Enforcement of the Feeding Stuffs, Fertilizer, Beverage and Sanitary Inspection Laws.

Senate Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$14,000.00 for the Maintenance of the Pure Seed Laboratory and Pure Seed Law Enforcement at the Agricultural College, Fargo.

Senate Bill No. 134. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for a Bounty for Wolves and Coyotes, as Provided for by Chapter 242 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 4424, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to the Custody, Service and Earnings of Minor Children.

Senate Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2360a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Section 2360a of Chapter 4 of the Session Laws for the Years 1919.

Senate Bill No. 289. A Bill for an Act Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Have Power to Abate Certain Assessments Levied by Boards of Irrigation Districts Upon Application of the District Board Approved by the Director of the Reclamation Service.

Senate Bill No. 321. A Bill for an Act Providing that Discharged Soldiers Shall Receive Credit for Their Military Service in the Particular Profession, Vocation or Trade in which they were Engaged at the Time of Their Entrance Into the Military Service of the United States.

Senate Bill No. 342. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Subdivision 2 of Section 1 and Section 13a of Chapter 231 of the Session Laws of 1917 as Amended by Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, and to Amend Section 2 of Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Inheritance Taxes Upon Estates of Deceased Non-Residents.

Senate Bill No. 388. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Renewal of the Period of Corporate Existence of Certain Corporations Whose Period of Duration Has Expired Without the Renewal Thereof, and Legalizing Acts and Contracts of Such Corporations Made or Done and Performed Subsequent to the Expiration of the Original Period of Existence of Such Corporations, and Providing that this Act shall take Effect Immediately Upon its Passage and Approval.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

Mr. Speaker: Your Conference Committee on Senate Bill Number 235 beg leave to submit the following report:

That the House recede from its amendment the words as follows:

"In line 134 after the word 'least' strike out the word 'thirty' and insert in lieu thereof the word 'twenty.'"

That the House further recedes from its amendment as follows:

"On page 6, engrossed bill, lines 6 and 7, strike out the words 'twenty-five' and insert in lieu thereof the word 'fifteen.'"

And also further amend the engrossed bill on Page 2, paragraph 2, line 10, by striking out the words "and employing a county agent."

Senate Members:

J. E. EASTGATE,
C. W. CAREY,
R. G. GARDINER.

House Members:

V. L. ANDERSON,
WALTER MADDOCK,
O. C. MARTIN

Mr. Anderson moved that the report of the Conference Committee, on Senate Bill No. 235, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Maying an Appropriation of \$292,250.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements, Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Purchase of Live Stock, for the Experiment Station at the Agricultural College at Fargo, for the Biennium.

Senate Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act Re-establishing its Powers and Duties, and Providing for the Control, ~~the~~ North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association, Defining Management and Operation of State Owned Grain Warehouses, Elevators and Flour Mills and the Conduct of all Business Relating Thereto, Especially as Relates to the State Owned Mill and Elevator at Grand Forks and Providing for the Appointment of a Board of Managers Thereof and Repealing Chapter 152 Laws of North Dakota 1919, Entitled "An Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Business of Manufacturing and Marketing of Farm Products, and for Establishing a Warehouse, Elevator and Flour Mill System Under the Name of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation, and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; and Making an Appropriation Therefor."

Senate Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$1,042,965.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Equipment, etc., of the State University at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Senate Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$573,118.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, and Equipment of the Agricultural College, Fargo, for the Biennium.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

Senate Chamber,
Bismarck, North Dakota,
March 2, 1923.

Mr. Speaker: I have the honor to return the following CONCURRENT RESOLUTION, introduced by Mr. Swett.

Which the Senate has indefinitely postponed.

Very respectfully,

W. E. PARSONS,
Secretary.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

House Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$5,000.00 to the Missouri Slope Agricultural and Fair Association at Mandan for the Fairs to be Held in the Years 1923 and 1924, as Authorized by Sections 1860 to 1866, both inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

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And find the same correctly re-engrossed.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

Mr. Cole moved that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment made the following report:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Enrollment and Engrossment have examined the following bills:

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Concurrent Resolution introduced by Mr. Jackson.

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And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT AND ENGROSSMENT

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Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401 and 403, Compiled Laws of 1913, Declaring Emergency. Certain Cases; Prescribing Penalties for Violations of This Act by County Auditors; and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With This Act.

Were delivered to the Governor for his approval at the hour of 6 o'clock P. M.

L. E. COLE,
Chairman.

SIGNING OF BILLS

The Chief Clerk announced that the Speaker was about to sign:

Senate Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Senate Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2263 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to the Levy of a Tax by County Commissioners to be Used in Carrying on Cooperative Agricultural Extension Work as Defined by this Act and Providing for Referendum by Ballot, Audit of Funds and Disposition of Accumulated Funds.

“Senate Bill No. 21. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

And the Speaker signed the same in the presence of the House.

THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION
OF NORTH DAKOTA
Bismarck, N. Dak.

February 1st, 1923.

To the Honorable House of Representatives of the State
of North Dakota.

Gentlemen:

We submit herewith a brief report covering the operations of the activities under the control of the Industrial Commission for the calendar year ending December 31, 1922.

The report of necessity must deal largely in summaries. We shall be glad to extend any courtesy to those who may wish more complete details on any exhibits included in the report.

Respectfully yours,

LEWIS F. CRAWFORD,

Secretary of the Commission.

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA

R. A. Nestos, Governor, Chairman.

Sveinbjorn Johnson, Attorney General.

Joseph A. Kitchen, Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor.

Lewis F. Crawford, Secretary.

The Industrial Commission has control of the following institutions and activities:

1.—BANK OF NORTH DAKOTA—

C. R. Green, Manager and Director General.

H. M. Erickson, Director of Farm Loan Dept.

P. E. Halderson, Director Credit Department.

A. Johannsen, Audits Department Director.

P. H. Butler, Title Examiner.

2.—MILL AND ELEVATOR ASSOCIATION—

Drake Mill—

F. J. Gorman, Manager.

Grand Forks Mill and Elevator—

C. E. Austin, General Manager.

A. Myklebye, Fiscal Agent.

O. L. Spencer, Head Miller .

B. L. Simmons, Elevator Manager.

3.—HOME BUILDERS' ASSOCIATION—

F. E. Diehl, Manager.

4.—RETURNED SOLDIERS' FUND—

G. A. Fraser, Adjutant General.

5.—LIGNITE SURVEY—

Dr. E. J. Babcock.

Dr. A. G. Leonard, University.

Bismarck, N. Dak., February 1, 1923.

Hon. Thomas Hall, Secretary of State,

Bismarck, N. Dak.

Dear Sir:

We transmit the annual report of the Industrial Commission of North Dakota for the calendar year ending December 31, 1922, in accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of Chapter 151 of the Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919.

Respectfully submitted,

THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION,
By Lewis F. Crawford, its Secretary.

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

1. *PRELIMINARY STATEMENT*

The various activities under the control of the Industrial Commission will be commented upon briefly under proper headings. The law requires that an annual report be filed with the Secretary of State not later than February 1, reflecting the financial condition of the enterprises on December 31, preceding. Owing to the vast amount of detail work necessary to go through with in making the report it is almost a physical impossibility to prepare the data within the time limit. Such a report has little value unless it is printed and distributed. The printing and distribution of a report embodying all the detail the law seems to require would cost more than the state should pay for such a report, and even if printed the facts of most value would lie buried where the average reader would have neither the time nor the inclination to work them out.

To those who for statistical purposes desire details of

figures, not herein contained, the same will be supplied from this office.

It has been our purpose to omit no important facts the taxpayers might desire to know. The tables and summaries are commented upon where such was deemed necessary to make them plain to the ordinary reader, not trained in interpreting technical financial reports.

2. HAIL WARRANTS

In addition to its other duties the Industrial Commission also took up in December, 1921, the matter of handling the outstanding hail warrants of the state. After several preliminary court actions were settled, determining the legal authority of the Industrial Commission in connection with issuing debenture bonds against hail warrants, a contract was entered into by the Industrial Commission and the Commissioner of Insurance on February 4th, 1922, with the Minnesota Loan and Trust Company, and others associated with them, under the terms of which contract it was agreed that hail warrants should be taken during that month at two per cent below face value, and in each succeeding month the discount should be reduced one-half per cent, the warrants being taken at par during the month of June.

This contract did not compel any one to sell his hail warrant, nor did it keep any other buyers out of the market, but it did establish a price that all buyers had to meet.

During the spring of 1922 hail warrants amounting to \$1,672,055.34 were turned to the Minnesota Loan and Trust Company.

On November 10th, 1922, a somewhat similar agreement was entered into with the Minnesota Loan and Trust Company covering hail warrants to be issued December 1st, 1922. This contract gives a better rate of discount than the 1921 contract did. During the month of December the discount was one and one-half per cent off of face, January, one per cent; February, one-half per cent and March at face.

This arrangement has worked out admirably and has been the means of saving the farmers of the state large sums of money, and in addition furnished a stable outlet for all hail warrants.

3. SALE OF BONDS

When the new Industrial Commission came into office November 23rd, 1921, they found a contract entered into with Spitzer, Rorick & Company covering all the remaining real estate bonds, aggregating \$8,000,000. They also found that the Bank of North Dakota held in its possession a large amount of its own bonds unsold, said bonds bearing interest at the rate of 5%, and in most cases being of small denominations.

The new Commission, after threatening suit to test the validity of the Spitzer, Rorick & Company contract, fin-

ally agreed to compromise with them, wherein the Commission was allowed to withdraw \$4,500,000 real estate bonds from the sale and allowing \$3,500,000 to go to Spitzer, Rorick & Company, \$500,000 of which bore 5% interest and the balance 6% on the same terms as the original contract, provided that the said Spitzer, Rorick & Company should take at par \$400,000 worth of the bank bonds which bore only a 5% rate.

The Spitzer Rorick contract was also modified to the extent of allowing them to take only \$1,100,000 of Mill & Elevator bonds at 6%, as originally contracted, instead of the full \$3,000,000 worth at 6%. The saving effected by getting these modifications from Spitzer Rorick & Company amounts to many hundred thousands of dollars.

The Mill and Elevator Series Bonds thus saved for future market have since been sold at 108 for a 5½% bond, while, as stated, the original contract with Spitzer Rorick called for 6% bonds at par.

The last real estate bonds saved on the settlement with Spitzer, Rorick & Company and reprinted at 5½% were sold at 110.62, or on a basis of approximately 4¾% instead of 6%. The \$1,650,000 sold netted a premium of \$172,825. The interest on future real estate loans will be reduced to the borrowers as the rate of premium on the bonds goes up.

The law provides that the Home Building Association shall, when certain conditions are complied with, issue bonds. No Home Building bonds have been issued or probably can be issued for a number of years as the home buyers have not made sufficient payments to permit a bond issue.

EXHIBIT A—SUMMARY OF CASH TRANSACTIONS, RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS SINCE ORGANIZATION OF THE COMMISSION.

Receipts

Appropriation 1919	\$200,000.00	
Refund 1919	114.74	
Sundry refunds 1920	25.89	
Appropriation—S. B. No. 25, 1921.....	25,000.00	
Sundry Refunds	850.98	
Sundry Refunds 1922	5,292.51	
		\$231,284.12
Balance on hand	\$29,351.52	
Appropriation 1921 not carried.....	25,000.00	54,351.52
Grand Total expended by Industrial Commission since organization		\$176,932.60

Disbursements

Disbursements 1919	\$ 4,049.96	
Disbursements 1920	10,425.21	
Disbursements 1921		
General Expense—Salaries, etc.....	\$ 6,802.29	
Expense Sen. Audit Committee.....	7,482.29	
Expense Bond Sale a-c.....	70,236.50	
Expense Equitable Audit Co.....		
F. A. Pike, legal services, etc.....	25,974.07	
Expense a-c Grand Forks Mill.....	2,172.57	
		<u>112,667.72</u>

Disbursements—1922.

General Expense—Salaries, etc.	\$ 5,208.18	
Miscellaneous Expense	4,637.02	
Expense Bond Sale Account	26,205.87	
Expense Auditing	13,738.64	49,789.71

\$176,932.60

RECEIPTS (Including appropriations \$225,000 and refund)	\$231,284.12
DISBURSEMENTS	176,932.60

\$ 54,351.52

Less appropriation 1921 (since there is some question as to the legality of the appropria- tion it is not carried as a credit balance).....	25,000.00
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Balance December 31, 1922, as per Ledger State Auditor	\$ 29,351.52
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EXHIBIT B—DISPOSITION OF ACCOUNTS HELD IN
THE AUDITOR'S OFFICE JANUARY 1, 1922, AND
OTHER CLAIMS.

Accounts payable as per Industrial Commission report December 31, 1921.....	\$ 57,044.75
Commissions paid by Bank of North Dakota illegally on bond sale ac- count charged back to bank.....	\$ 21,750.50
George T. Webb, et al. bond sale.....	26,205.87
Bills disallowed	402.40
Miscellaneous paid	1,697.72
	<u>50,056.49</u>
Balance George T. Webb allowed but unpaid December 31, 1922	6,988.26
	<u>\$ 57,044.75</u>

EXHIBIT C—RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

January 1 to December 31, 1922.

Balance in appropriation January 1, 1922.....\$ 98,848.72

Deposits:

Sale of furniture, New York.....	200.00
Sale of Industrial Commission Reports and junk paper	55.68
Sale of furniture, Chicago office.....	590.00
Refund Mill and Elevator Association.....	4,446.83

\$104,141.23

Less appropriation, 1921:

Since there is some question as to the legal- ity of the appropriation it is not carried as a credit balance	25,000.00
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\$ 79,141.23*Disbursements*

Salaries:

Lewis F. Crawford, Secretary.....	\$ 3,250.00
Carrie McGuiness, Stenographer	1,625.00

(The above salaries cover a period of thir-
teen months.)

Travel Expense:

Mileage books	\$ 120.00	
L. F. Crawford, travel and expense..	200.88	
J. A. Kitchen, travel expense.....	12.30	333.18
Stationery and office supplies.....		145.04
Telephone and telegrams		191.16
Postage		297.00
Printing Reports of Industrial Commission, Farm Loan Reports, etc.....		3,597.25
Law books, Session Acts, bond tables, etc.....		32.25

Bond Delivery:

Insurance, service charge, etc.....	1,052.24
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Auditing:

Bank of North Dakota.....	\$9,847.54
Mill at Grand Forks.....	3,187.13
Mill at Drake	183.40
Industrial Commission	520.57

13,738.64

(The Home Builders Association paid for its own audits, and the mill at Drake also paid for the Bishop-Brissman audit. The item \$183.40 noted above was due the Equitable Audit Company on a previous audit.)

Bond Sale Account:

George T. Webb	25,153.63
Rural Commission—Travel and expense.....	220.83
Miscellaneous	153.49

Grand Total Disbursements\$ 49,789.71

O. K. with Auditor's balance.....\$ 29,351.52

Auditor's balance Industrial Commission Fund \$ 29,351.52

State Treasurer's balance\$ 29,378.98

Auditor's Warrants outstanding not
paid by Treasurer:

No. 291035\$ 1.17

No. 320633 10.50

No. 321261 23.41

No. 321262 6.02 41.10

.....\$ 29,337.88

Difference between the Auditor's book and the

Treasurer's books\$ 13.64

EXHIBIT D—SUMMARY OF BOND ISSUES THROUGH
INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

Bank Series

Sold\$1,533,800.00

Unsold—Unsaleable small de-
nominations 466,200.00

Total\$2,000,000.00

Real Estate Series

Sold and delivered\$5,500,000.00

Undelivered 700,000.00

Total\$6,200,000.00

Mill and Elevator Series

Sold and delivered\$2,200,000.00

Undelivered 300,000.00

Total\$2,500,000.00

.....\$10,700,000.00

Mill and Elevator Interim Certificates outs-

standing\$ 183,825.00

EXHIBIT E—BOND PRINTING FUND

Bank of North Dakota, Chapter 148 Laws of 1919:

Appropriation for printing bonds.....	\$ 10,000.00
Amount disbursed	1,736.75
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Balance December 31, 1922.....	\$ 8,263.25
Mill and Elevator, Chapter 153 Laws of 1919:	
Appropriation for printing bonds.....	\$ 10,000.00
Amount disbursed	3,123.75
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Balance December 31, 1922.....	\$ 6,876.25
Real Estate, Chapter 154 Laws of 1919:	
Appropriation for printing bonds.....	\$ 10,000.00
Amount disbursed	4,203.23
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Balance December 31, 1922	\$ 5,796.77

A \$1000 payment was made in 1921 on account of real estate bonds and charged to the Industrial Commission. It should have been charged to real estate bond fund under Chapter 154.

II.—BANK OF NORTH DAKOTA

The Bishop-Brissman report of December 31, 1921, covering the Bank of North Dakota, showed a deficit since organization of \$150,475.64. The present report shows a deficit of \$273,555.84. The statement reflects no accrued interest. The item Receivers' Certificates of Proof of Claim, amounting to \$757,199.03, has an interest accrual of \$78,809.20, and Bills Receivable in closed banks has an interest accrual of \$41,850.24. These sums are not reflected in the statement as none of it has been collected, and some portion never will be.

No one can tell the amount of loss the bank may or may not sustain until the paper is finally liquidated. The expense of running the bank has been materially cut in nearly every item, although the cost of keeping field collectors on the road, to take care of collateral, is high, and the Farm Loan Department has been running to capacity, entailing a large outlay.

A comparative statement of the running expenses of the Bank, including the Farm Loan Department, is as follows:

1920	\$188,096.04
1921	163,013.60
1922	100,126.16

The item of postage alone for the three years is as follows:

1920	\$17,925.70
1921	3,962.66
1922	2,802.51

A careful study of the exhibits will reveal a decided improvement in the bank's general condition during the year.

Under an initiated law, passed at the June primaries of the present year, an additional \$10,000,000 in real estate loans is permitted, making a maximum total of \$20,000,000 for real estate loan purposes.

1. FINANCIAL STATEMENT

At Close of Business December 30, 1922.

Resources

10 Year Bank Bonds \$50.00.....	\$	96,400.00
10 Year Bank Bonds....\$100.00		369,800.00
Warrants		74,514.44
Liberty Loan Bonds		2,000.00
Sinking Funds, W. S. S. & L. L. Bonds.....		850.00
Sinking Funds, Certificates of Deposit.....		273.63
Dep. Banks (redeposits) :		
Open	\$1,034,137.49	
Closed	214,004.06	1,248,141.55
Correspondent Banks		1,901,153.38
Bills Receivable and Discounts:		
Loans to open banks	\$805,977.83	
Loans to closed banks.....	422,682.68	
Loans on other collateral.....	83,746.19	1,312,406.70
Tr. to Public Institutions		1,055,917.48
Real Estate Bonds		700,000.00
Farm Loan Special Dep.		53,100.00
Receivers' Cert. of Proof of Claim.....		757,199.03
F. & F. Account		51,814.08
Cash items		2,110.25
Cash on hand		24,545.21
Items out for collection		422,336.63
Special collections		284,598.61
Due from Farm Loan Department.....		1,300,000.00
Interest earned but not collected.....		111,682.40
Expense—Farm Loan Department		33,800.83
Expenses paid		
Profit and Loss, being net loss over earnings		273,555.84
Exchange		
Interest paid		
Coupon Account—Bank Bonds		11,498.75
Interest due on R. E. Bonds.....		1,848.55
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		\$10,089,547.36

Liabilities

Capital	\$	2,000,000.00
Due Treas. on Bank Bonds Interest.....		90,505.49
Reserve for Dep. on Fur. and Fix.....		19,087.21

Sinking Funds due Treas.	273.63
Sinking Funds, W. S. S. & L. L. Bonds.....	850.00
Sinking Funds	620,221.88
Certificates of Deposit	1,480,264.00
Cashier's Checks	34,816.61
Individual deposits subject to check.....	14,487.72
Appr. Fees	1,056.31
Due Dep. Banks (Reserve).....	366,076.83
General Funds Due County Treasurers	723,897.71
General Funds Due City Treasurers	396.50
General Funds Due Township Treasurers ...	165,246.22
General Funds Due School Treasurers	259,672.16
General Funds Due State Treasurer	3,222,724.34
General Funds Due State Institutions	765,517.67
Registered Checks	1,096.52
Suspense Account	63,199.74
Interim Cert. Mill and Elevator Bonds.....	183,825.00
Premiums on Mill and Elevator Bonds.....	76,250.00
Discount on Hail Warrants	81.82
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	\$10,089,547.36

EXHIBIT A—LOANS CLOSED BANKS DECEMBER 30,
1922

Loans in closed banks as per Bishop-Brissman report December 12, 1921	\$551,571.05
Loans in banks closed since B.-B. report, December 12, 1921.....	\$43,326.27
Less loans in banks re-opened since B.-B. report, December 12, 1921....	24,054.72
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	19,271.55
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	\$570,842.60
Inc. loans to banks re-opened since B.-B. re- port, December 12, 1921	2,462.91
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	\$573,305.51
Less collections on loans in closed banks as of December 12, 1921.....	\$134,542.68
Less collections on loans in banks re-opened since December 12, 1921	16,080.15
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	150,622.83
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Our balance December 30, 1922.....	\$422,682.68
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Loans December 12, 1921.....	\$551,571.05

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Loans December 30, 1922	422,682.68
Total Decrease	<u>\$128,888.37</u>

EXHIBIT B—OPEN BANKS

Loans in open banks as per B.-B. report, December 12, 1921	\$ 1,310,697.04
Bowman C. D.'s charged to other collateral by B.-B.	6,250.00
Merchants National, Mandan, C. D. charged to warrants by B.-B.	4,457.51
Rec. loans set up separately by B.-B.....	<u>12,544.10</u>
	\$ 1,333,948.65
New loans made since December 12, 1921	\$9,560.00
Increase in loans	8,520.18
	<u>18,080.18</u>
	\$1,352,028.83
Loans in banks closed since December 12, 1921	\$ 43,326.27
Less loans in banks re-opened since December 12, 1921.....	24,054.72
	<u>\$ 19,271.55</u>
Less collections since December 12, 1921	516,145.57
Less collections banks closed since December 12, 1921	10,633.88
	<u>546,051.00</u>
Our balance December 30, 1922.....	\$ 805,977.83
Loans December 12, 1921	\$ 1,333,948.65
Loans December 30, 1922	<u>805,977.83</u>
	\$ 527,970.82
Total Decrease—Exhibit A	<u>\$ 128,888.37</u>
Net Total Decrease in Loans to Bank.....	\$ 656,859.19

EXHIBIT C—RE-DEPOSITS CLOSED BANKS DECEMBER 31, 1922

Redeposits in closed banks as per Bishop-Brissman report, December 12, 1921.....	\$ 1,031,744.36
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Redeposits in banks closed since		
Bishop-Brissman report	\$5,327.34	
Increase in banks re-opened.....	2,085.99	
		<u>7,413.33</u>
		<u>\$ 1,039,157.69</u>
Less redeposits transferred to		
Rec. Cert.	\$722,812.37	
Less banks re-opened since De-		
cember 12, 1921	90,218.80	
Less payments received, divi-		
dends and banks re-opened.....	12,122.46	825,153.63
		<u>214,004.06</u>
Our balance December 30, 1922.....		214,004.06
		<u>\$ 1,031,744.36</u>
Balance December 12, 1921		214,004.06
		<u>\$ 817,740.30</u>
Receivers Claims	\$ 722,812.37	
Not Liquidated	94,927.93	
		<u>\$ 817,740.30</u>

EXHIBIT D—RE-DEPOSITS OPEN BANKS

Redeposits as per Bishop-Brissman report,		
December 12, 1921, including a-c garni-		
sheed	\$ 1,096,651.53	
New accounts opened	\$ 15,388.26	
Increase in redeposits	19,367.15	
Banks reopened	90,218.80	
		<u>124,974.21</u>
		<u>\$ 1,221,625.74</u>
Less collections open banks.....	\$174,463.45	
Less banks closed since Decem-		
ber 12, 1921	5,327.34	
Less Hensel a-c charged off by		
Bishop-Brissman	1,000.00	
Less amount paid by banks closed		
since December 12, 1921.....	6,697.46	
		<u>187,488.25</u>
		<u>\$ 1,034,137.49</u>
Balance December 12, 1921.....		\$ 1,096,651.53

Balance December 30, 1922.....	1,034,137.49
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	\$ 62,514.04

EXHIBIT E—LOANS ON OTHER COLLATERAL DECEMBER 30, 1922.

Bishop-Brissman report, December 12, 1921	\$ 67,577.56
Less Bowman C. D.'s set up in this account by B.-B.	6,250.00
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	\$ 61,327.56
New Loans—Farm loans from F. L. Dept.	\$ 22,080.00
Increased old loans	5,016.43
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	27,096.43
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	\$ 88,423.99
Less loans paid	4,677.80
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Our Balance, December 30, 1922.....	\$ 83,746.19
Balance December 12, 1921	61,327.56
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Increase	\$ 22,418.63

EXHIBIT F—TRANSFER TO STATE INSTITUTIONS

Balance B.-B. report December 12, 1921.....	\$ 1,639,031.40
Increase in old loans since December 12, 1921	27,405.90
New loans to state institutions and Mill and Elevator Operating a-c	614,795.42
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	\$ 2,281,232.72
Less payment made Mill and Elevator construction	\$ 1,055,310.50
Less payment made U. of N. D.	98,318.60
Less payment made A. C., Fargo	71,686.14
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	1,225,315.24
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	\$ 1,055,917.48
Balance December 12, 1921.....	\$ 1,639,031.40
Balance December 30, 1922.....	1,055,917.48
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Net Decrease	\$ 583,113.92

EXHIBIT G—EXPENSE BANK OF NORTH DAKOTA

January 1, 1922 to December 31, 1922.

Postage	\$ 2,802.51
Freight and Express	345.15

Supplies and Printing	2,444.00
Light and Water	714.31
Heat	504.70
Rent	3,606.00
Insurance	1,575.79
Telegraph and Telephone	1,066.19
Miscellaneous Expense	2,751.90
Travel Expense	4,414.70
Salaries paid to employees of Bank..	\$ 37,863.27
Salaries paid to field collectors.....	6,506.26
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	44,369.53
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	\$ 64,594.78

2. FARM LOAN DEPARTMENT

EXHIBIT A—PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT

Losses

General Expense	\$ 1,393.51
Rent paid	3,000.00
Stationery and supplies	4,505.89
Office salaries	41,665.68
Postage	1,460.99
Interest paid to Bank of N. D. on Revolving Fund	12,757.96
Telephone and telegraph expense.....	297.64
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	\$ 65,081.67

Appraisal Expense:

Data fees, freeholders' reports, etc.	\$ 2,135.00
Appraisers' salaries and expenses..	35,544.89
Certification of tax statements.....	46.75
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	37,726.64
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	\$102,808.31

Profits

Appraisal Fees—Earned:

Total received	\$ 59,450.00
Less unearned	10,117.25
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	\$ 49,332.75

Application Fees—Earned:

Total received	\$ 23,360.00
Less unearned	4,765.00
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	18,595.00

Interest Received, Miscellaneous item	7.84
Miscellaneous earnings	10.80
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Total Earnings	\$ 67,946.39
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Total Losses	\$102,808.31
Total Earnings	67,946.39
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Net Operating Loss, to balance.....	\$ 34,861.92

EXHIBIT B

Loans closed by former administration, 755..	\$2,760,331.83
Loans closed by new administration, 1077 ..	3,470,691.12
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Old and New Administrations, 1832 loans \$6,231,022.95

EXHIBIT C—LOANS CLOSED BY MONTHS, YEAR 1922

January	None
February	None
March 7.....	\$ 34,600.00
April 22.....	79,750.00
May 69.....	214,300.00
June 74.....	273,450.00
July 131.....	437,750.00
August 162.....	494,140.00
September 144.....	428,150.00
October 163.....	538,051.12
November 134.....	438,300.00
December 170.....	532,200.00
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Totals1077.....	\$ 3,470,691.12

EXHIBIT D—SUMMARY OF UNCLOSED LOANS

In preparation section	\$ 696,950.00
In title section	196,700.00
In closing section	1,310,200.00
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Total	\$ 2,204,850.00

EXHIBIT E—LOAN ALLOTMENTS TO COUNTIES

The allotment of available funds to the respective counties of the first \$9,000,000.00 authorized for making farm loans was on the basis of .0095 per cent of the 1921 assessed valuation of the land in each county. The counties were classified in four groups. Those in the western part of the state in District Number One were allotted 200 per cent of the base; those in District Number Two, 150 per cent of the base; and those in District Number Three the base, and those in District Number Four, the Red River

Valley, one-half the base per cent of the assessed valuation.

In the second \$10,000,000.00, made available by initiated law, the allotment was the same except the counties of Burke, Divide, Mountrail, Renville, Ward and Williams, of the Second District, were included under the First District allotment base rate.

Out of each \$10,000,000.00, \$1,000,000.00 was set aside as an emergency fund to take care of loans where lands had been foreclosed and the year of redemption period was running.

Total allotted to emergency fund, \$2,000,000.00.

Amount used, \$877,600.00.

Total applications on file, 5314; amount, \$16,485,255.00.

Applications in application section not yet acted upon, \$2,105,950.00.

This amount is not included in any schedule showing loans in process nor in the charges against the county allotments.

Thirteen counties in the state have already overdrawn their allotment.

Total number of appraisals made, 3773; total cost, \$35,544.89.

Average cost per appraisal, \$9.42.

The title department has examined 2322 new abstracts and re-examined 1185 abstracts.

**BANK OF NORTH DAKOTA SALARIES PAID FOR YEAR
1922**

Name—	Salary Rec'd
Allensworth, Mildred	\$ 540.00
Anderson, N. A.	1,685.00
Baertsch, Orin	1,200.00
Bollum, A. W.	280.70
Brainard, A. C.	2,700.00
Brittin, Minnie	910.00
Buslee, C. I.	150.00
Butler, Patrick	250.00
Calderhead, J. F.	232.22
Carr, F. S.	1,350.00
Cass, G. W.	110.00
Clough, Harry	24.00
Curry, F. E.	50.80
Dahl, Ethel	920.00
DeNault, W. B.	300.00
Drake, W. C.	230.00

Erickson, A. S.	1,975.00
Erickson, F. A.	500.00
Erickson, H. M.	800.00
Farrow, F. J.	330.60
Fosteson, A. L.	915.00
Green, C. R.	5,000.00
Gunderson, A. D.	196.00
Halldorson, P. E.	3,600.00
Hanson, L. V.	937.50
Harvey, Gladys	1,500.00
Johannsen, A.	3,600.00
Johnson, Francis	100.00
Johnson, R. O.	805.00
Kamplin, L. E.	657.24
Keller, H. D.	1,250.00
Kositzky, Carl R.	200.00
Liebelt, Emanuel	525.00
McAllen, Gladys	110.00
Marr, N. S.	237.50
Miller, Leonard	90.00
Orr, H. G.	74.03
Owens, D. T.	96.00
Robinson, W. E.	1,200.00
Ronice, Inez	1,150.00
Schlenker, Mary	1,200.00
Sherwin, W. F.	872.50
Shiple, D. E.	1,312.50
Shiveley, G. W.	200.00
Simon, Emily	110.00
Slattery, D. J.	717.50
Slattery, D. M.	1,000.00
Smith, Darwin	121.93
Smith, Geo.	1,250.00
Sumner, A. T.	999.96
Varney, Bertha	100.00
Walery, Elizabeth	85.00
Wentz, Peter	1,178.30
Wik, Aslaug	463.00
Williams, F. J.	1,550.00
Heckenliable, E. C.	56.45
McQuillan, W. H.	27.41
Lofthus, Floyd	33.87
Zimmerman, Adele	32.25
Roberts, Belle	95.96
Christianson, S. C.	3.00
Knief, Nora	3.00
Bailett, ———	3.00

Machlam, W. H.	7.00
Total Paid	\$ 48,204.22

EMPLOYEES FARM LOAN DEPARTMENT—1922

Name—	Salary Rec'd
Allensworth, M. J.	\$ 365.00
Becker, Viola	1,107.50
Buetow, Johanna	296.50
Buslie, C. J.	400.00
Butler, P. H.	3,137.56
Cameron, Scott	75.00
Cass, G. W.	1,868.15
Conway, Josephine	12.00
Coulter, Mrs. F. J.	235.20
Curry, Frank E.	538.30
Dahl, Ethel	135.00
DeNault, W. B.	2,211.27
Erickson, P. A.	552.60
Fitzgerald, Mary	310.55
Fosteson, A. L.	585.00
Franey, J. E.	139.40
Geddes, Belle	113.35
Gunderson, A. D.	505.10
Gustavison, Eleanor	164.35
Hodges, Ethel B.	4.00
Houlihan, Nellie	1,054.00
Iverson, Ida	408.33
Janda, Geo. W.	1,785.50
Johnson, Frances	901.30
Johnson, W. H.	1,280.00
Kositzky, Carl R.	801.35
Krueger, Meta	410.85
Lee, Guy	666.35
Lindemann, A. H.	2,250.00
McAllen, Gladys	550.00
McGogy, Grace	384.00
McQuillan, Beatrice	653.85
Melby, Marion	334.90
Miller, L. H.	566.00
Morris, Eunice	4.50
Mosbrucker, Katherine	855.00
Mosbrucker, Edna	273.90
Nelson, Lillian	235.00
Neubauer, H. J.	528.50
Orr, Harry	438.68
Owen, G. L.	667.00

Owen, D. T.	324.51
Painter, J. A.	330.64
Ritchie, H. G.	735.00
Schee, Bjorn	1,217.93
Schlenker, Adolph	1,831.25
Schwisow, Cora	658.50
ShIPLEY, D. E.	700.00
Sherley, G. W.	639.96
Simon, Emily L.	1,397.32
Skeels, Dorothy	450.00
SlatteRY, Daniel	500.00
Thomas, C. E.	1,705.50
Varney, Bertha	1,295.63
Vogel, Neil	632.00
Walery, Elizabeth	1,200.00
Wik, Aslaug	242.00
Total	\$ 41,665.68

III.—MILL AND ELEVATOR ASSOCIATION

1. DRAKE MILL

It is cause for congratulation that the leaks at the Drake Mill have been closed temporarily at least. Our report for the year 1921 supplemented by the Bishop-Brissman audit disclosed a loss during the two and a half years of its operation of \$80,253.50, or more than \$100 a day for each working day during the period, or \$1.56 on each barrel of flour produced.

During the current year the business shows a net profit of \$6,773.13, or \$3,619.17 after paying the Industrial Commission 6% interest on the capital used. The last report shows a reserve set aside to meet losses on bad accounts. This reserve is not large enough and when final settlement is made we expect to suffer further depreciation of about \$1500.00 which will cut into the surplus given above.

During the previous administration, the mill management paid local freight on wheat in and flour out, without using the transit privilege. Deprived of our savings during the past year on transit alone our operations would have reflected a loss instead of a gain.

No flour is sold on consignment and but very little on open account. The additional machinery installed has improved and standardized our product so that we are able to hold business on a competitive basis.

It has been our effort to make the exhibits understandable and to include such information as the taxpayers might wish to know.

Owing to scarcity of wheat in the Drake territory in the spring of 1922, the mill did not run to capacity.

In order to improve the grade of our flour, it was necessary to install new machinery and overhaul the mill. While the work was going on during July and August, we were practically closed down as our production amounted only to 99 barrels. The heaviest production month was October when 2901 barrels were manufactured. The Mill's actual maximum capacity is from 112 to 115 barrels a day. Beginning with September the wagon wheat has almost supplied our requirements, while during the earlier months of the year most of the wheat had to be shipped in. The gross bushels bought during the year was 73,671 of which 50,992 was wagon wheat and 22,678 car wheat. The average price paid being \$1.115. The average dockage was 4½ per cent or 2.7 pounds per bushel.

A comparison of the expenses of the mill for 1922 and 1921 is instructive.

EXHIBIT A

	1921	1922
Flour produced	14,959	14,973
Manufacturing cost	\$18,915.15	\$11,411.48
General expense	13,914.42	6,685.19
Total	\$32,829.57	\$18,096.37
Expense per barrel	2.195	1.208

From the above it will be seen that the expense of manufacturing a barrel of flour in 1922 was but little over half what it was in 1921. Had these two items been the same for the two years instead of being almost \$4000.00 ahead this year, we would be \$11,000.00 behind.

While the earnings this year show up better than might normally be expected, yet a mistake in the manufacturing department, a slip in the sales or collection department, and the showing would have reflected a loss.

It will also be noted that the mill at Drake has been largely over-capitalized. By reducing stock and making collections we were able to turn over to the Grand Forks project \$20,000.00 in December, 1921, and January, 1922—this effecting a savings of \$100.00 a month on interest alone.

In making up the balance sheet for this year the capital in use at the beginning of the year was taken as a basis for interest charges; that is, the previous losses—\$80,-253.50—have been charged off, and what we had left was taken as a basis for a new start. In his efforts to effect savings and reduce costs, the Secretary has received the fullest co-operation from F. J. Gorman, the manager of the Mill, and his associates, and he herewith gives them deserved credit.

EXHIBIT B—MILL AND ELEVATOR ASSOCIATION,
DRAKE, NORTH DAKOTA

Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1922.

Assets

Current Assets—

Cash on hand	\$	233.92
Farmers State Bank		2,491.24
Merchants Bank		733.58
Bank of North Dakota		17.95
Accounts receivable		12,897.82
Hallet & Carey		918.22
Inventories		16,963.47

Total Current Assets\$ 34,247.20

Fixed Assets—

Furniture and Fixtures	\$	1,152.27
Plant and equipment.....	\$23,044.71	
Less depreciation	1,209.85	21,834.86

Total Fixed Assets for 1922..... 22,987.13

Other Assets—

Reserve for storage	\$	1,029.82
Expense in advance		1,007.78
Railway claims	\$	28.38
Farmers Bank, Sanish.....		740.38
County warrants	12.00	789.38

Total Assets\$ 60,060.31

Total Other Assets 2,826.98

Total Assets\$ 60,060.31

Liabilities

Short Term—

Fire and Tornado Fund.....	\$	1,272.98
Finn & Finn		216.00

Total Short Term\$ 1,488.98

Long Term—

Mill and Elevator Association of N. D.	\$	51,823.23
Interest Payable		3,153.96

Total Long Term 54,977.19

Surplus account 3,594.14

Total Liabilities\$ 60,060.31

EXHIBIT C—DRAKE MILL

Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1921.

<i>Assets</i>	
Current—	
Cash on hand and due from banks.....	\$ 17,820.46
Accounts Receivable	10,061.84
Equity Cooperative Exchange, St. Paul, Minn., for hedging	3,042.04
Inventories: Flour and feed	8,163.62
Consignment accounts, estimated worth of.....	1,200.00
	\$ 40,287.96
Fixed—	
Plant equipment, additions, furniture and fixtures	\$ 30,115.35
Less depreciation: Reserve, shrink- age of plant property.....	8,639.46
	21,475.89
Deferred—	
Prepaid insurance premium	673.67
	\$ 62,437.52

Liabilities

Mill and Elevator Association cash advanced	\$138,506.38
Less December 27, 1921 cash repaid	10,000.00
	\$128,506.38
Interest on cash advance for previous years at 6 per cent	14,184.64
	\$142,691.02
Net loss at Drake Mill	80,253.50
	\$ 62,437.52

EXHIBIT D—ABRIDGED TRIAL BALANCE MILL AND
ELEVATOR ASSOCIATION, DRAKE, NORTH DA-
KOTA

As at January 1, 1923.

	Debits	Credits
Cash on hand and in banks.....	\$ 3,476.69	
Stocks, warrants, etc.	789.38	
Accounts Receivable	12,897.82	
Plant and equipment	23,044.71	
Furniture and fixtures	1,152.27	
Inventories: Flour, feed, etc.	16,953.47	

Hallet & Carey, to protect hedges	918.22	
Prepaid expense	1,007.78	
Reserve for storage	1,029.82	
		<u>\$61,270.16</u>
Mill and Elevator Association (Capital a-c)		\$ 51,823.23
Interest Payable: Reserved for Ind. Com. 6% on net capital used during the year 1922.....		3,153.96
Reserve for Depreciation: 5% on plant equipment and furniture and fixtures		1,209.85
Fire and Tornado Fund.....		1,272.98
Finn & Finn, N. Y. Com. on sale of flour		216.00
Surplus Account — Added to net capital for January 1, 1923.....		3,594.14
		<u>\$ 61,270.16</u>

EXHIBIT E—PRODUCTION

As at December 31, 1922.

Flour and Feed from Mill—		
Total Barrels	14,973-067	
Patent Flour	9,962-147	
Straight Flour	2,436	
Clear Flour	2,571-028	
Graham	3-088	
Feed—100-lb.	14,530	
Wheat—Bushels	73,099-20	
As per Manufactured Product—		
Inventory Wheat January 1, 1922.....		None
Bought		<u>73,670-55</u>
Total		73,670-55
Ground as above		<u>73,099-20</u>
Balance		571-35
Inventory December 31		<u>696-</u>
Over-run		124-25
Average yield, 4-27½ bushels.		
Extraction Flour 71%:		
Scale Record:		
Scale Record—		

Last reading, December 31, 1922.....	243,431
Last reading, December 31, 1921.....	174,174
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Difference, net bushels ground.....	69,257
Screenings from mill	4,103
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Total wheat ground, gross bu.....	73,360
Scale record wheat ground, gross bu.....	73,360
Product record wheat ground	73,099-20
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Difference net under-run—Invisible loss.....	260-40
(Equals 1 lb. per barrel flour manufactured.)	

EXHIBIT F — SALES MILL AND ELEVATOR ASSOCIATION, DRAKE, NORTH DAKOTA

January 1 to December 31, 1922.	
Total Amount Flour	\$ 96,578.06
Total Amount Feed	13,468.64
Total Barrels Flour	14,022-014
Total Feed—100 lbs.	14,389
Summary—	
Flour Sales	\$ 96,578.06
Feed Sales	13,468.64
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Total	\$110,046.70
Flour—	
Inventory January 1, 1922	Barrels 1,376.091
Manufactured	14,973.067
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Total	16,349-158
Sales as above	14,022.014
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Balance on hand December 31.....	2,327.144
Inventory actual count (short)	14-193
Feed—	100-lb. Sacks
Inventory January 1, 1922	339
Manufactured	14,530
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Total	14,869
Sales as above	14,389
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Balance	580
Inventory actual count	498
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Shortage	82

The above table shows a shortage in the Inventory account of fourteen and a fraction barrels of flour and

eighty-two sacks of feed. The discrepancy has probably occurred in the tally machine. Careless handling will sometimes make a tally when there should have been none, and in a few cases sacks have become torn and the flour or feed, as the case may be, fed back into the mill without a subtraction from the stock having been made.

EXHIBIT G—INVENTORIES

As at December 31, 1922.

Wheat on hand—696 bushels at \$1.08%.....	\$754.29
Flour on Hand—	
1399—98s cot. Best Patent, 699½ bbl. at \$6.54	\$4,574.73
678—49s cot. Best Patent, 169½ bbl. at 6.54	1,108.53
1556—140s jute Straight Flour, 1111¾ bbl. at \$6.04	6,712.69
79—49s cot. Straight Flour, 19¾ bbl. at 6.04	119.29
236—140s jute Clear Flour, 168 4-7 bbl. at 5.14	866.45
236—98s cot. Clear Flour, 118 bbl. at 5.14	606.52
104—49s cot. Clear Flour, 25 bbl. at \$5.14.....	133.64
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	\$ 14,121.85
Feed on Hand—	
Bran, shorts, chicken feed	493.68
Sacks on Hand—	
All kinds	1,265.93
Expense—	
Coal, car lining paper, engine oil, etc.....	317.72
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Total All Inventories	\$ 16,953.47

EXHIBIT H—INCOME, PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT,
MILL AND ELEVATOR ASSOCIATION, DRAKE,
NORTH DAKOTA

As at December 31, 1922.

Gross sales (Schedule F)	\$110,046.70
Less sales returned, freight and adjustments	7,141.26
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Net Sales	\$102,905.44
Wheat purchases	\$ 78,471.35
Plus Inventory January 1, 1922.....	None
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Total	\$ 78,471.35
Less Inventory December 31, 1922 (Schedule G)	754.29
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Cost of wheat ground	\$ 77,717.06

Plus hedges	2,718.14	
Total Cost of Wheat Ground.....	\$ 80,435.20	
Plus flour and feed inventory Janu- ary 1, 1922	6,626.41	
	\$ 87,061.61	
Less flour and feed inventory De- cember 31, 1922 (Schedule G).....	14,615.53	
Cost flour and feed sold, primary....	\$ 72,446.08	
Plus:		
Expenses (Schedule I)	\$15,613.84	
Sacks used	6,159.35	
Total Costs	21,773.19	
Total Cost of Sales.....	94,219.27	
Net Operating Profit	\$ 8,686.17	
Other Income—		
Interest earned	192.50	
Total Income	\$ 8,878.67	
Less Charges to Income: (See Expense Schedule.)		
Insurance used	\$ 895.69	
Depreciation of 5% on Mill Equip- ment, furniture and feed.....	1,209.85	2,105.54
Total Gross Profits for Year.....	\$ 6,773.13	
Less 6% due Mill and Elevator Association on capital investment	3,153.96	
Net Profits to Surplus Account.....	\$ 3,619.17	

EXHIBIT I—DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENSE AND OTHER
CHARGES TO INCOME, DRAKE MILL

For Years 1921 and 1922.

	1921	1922
Coal	\$ 2,804.18	\$ 3,412.51
Water and light	222.36	102.74
Mill wages	11,905.05	5,866.46
Mill supplies	542.06	541.57
Mill repairs	543.40	623.77
Drayage	514.85	305.40

Laboratory	268.80	390.55
Taxes	460.54	116.17
Office salaries	6,707.20	2,479.30
Telephone and telegrams	514.98	341.95
Office expense	1,502.80	460.85
Exchange	38.81	128.63
Traveling expense	521.20	154.80
Insurance	1,251.34	* 895.69
Depreciation	1,491.46	* 1,209.85
Advertising	604.40	
Audit	2,603.39	
Miscellaneous	332.75	688.84
	\$ 32,829.57	\$ 17,719.08

* Reserved.

2. GRAND FORKS MILL

Work on the Grand Forks Mill and Elevator was resumed in the spring of 1922, after a fifteen month period of idleness. The work was rushed as fast as it could be done economically. The machinery for the most part had already been ordered and much of it fabricated and held in storage awaiting orders for shipment. The Elevator and one unit of the Mill were opened for business in the latter part of October and have been in operation since that time, barring short periods when the machinery was shut down to permit necessary changes and adjustments to be made.

The second unit will be completed in January and the third by February 1, according to estimates at hand. Steps have been taken to close the building contract and make settlement with the contractors, the architect and the engineers.

Mr. C. E. Austin, the Superintendent of the Mill and Elevator, will enter upon his duties on January 1. Mr. B. L. Simmons is the Manager of the Elevator and Mr. O. L. Spencer is head miller. All are experienced in their respective lines and will give the state their best efforts.

GRAND FORKS MILL AND ELEVATOR PROJECT

Mill and Elevator Association		\$ 1,484,902.25
Bank of North Dakota		1,032,476.34
Vouchers Payable		15,079.06
Furniture and fixtures a-c.....\$	1,067.82	
Suspense a-c	29.47	
Interest a-c (paid).....	53,333.37	
Insurance	28,246.55	
Equitable Audit	2,433.24	
General Salary a-c	13,100.79	

Publicity a-c	1,886.98
Engineer's Commission	54,000.00
Contractor's Commission—	
Original Contract	87,500.00
Subsequent Contract	12,000.00
Machinery Erection	14,500.00
Power Equipment Erection.	5,000.00
Sewers and watermains	24,852.52
Plumbing and heating	15,421.95
Electric Installation	37,374.87
Flour Mill Machinery	310,213.39
Flour Mill Machinery, erection, labor and material.....	46,233.48
Flour Mill Equipment (laboratory, etc.)	9,495.83
Flour Mill Test Operation a-c..	20,627.67
Elevator Equipment (tools, etc.)	1,994.87
Elevator Test Operation a-c....	1,024.45
Powerhouse Machinery	242,047.80
Spur Tracks	53,863.00
Elevator machinery and spouting	232,480.52
Unit price materials, general contract	637,389.34
Labor on general contract.....	384,901.74
Labor and Material—	
Powerhouse Bldg.	110,597.91
Machine Shop	10,140.18
Service and Office Bldg.....	20,149.43
Reservoir	8,265.86
Dust House	5,260.60
Sundry extra work	35,480.11
Labor—Elevator machinery erection	30,367.43
Labor—Powerhouse equipment erection	19,860.62
Fegles Construction Co.—	
Equipment a-c	1,315.86

\$ 2,532,457.65 \$ 2,532,457.65

Mill

Flour made November, 1922	Barrels 2,601
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Flour sold November, 1922	1,522
Average daily sale	58½
Flour made December	7,011
Flour sold December	4,581
Average daily sale	176¼

Elevator

	Bushels
Wheat unloaded, November	33,960
Wheat unloaded, December	36,401

Up to January 1st all wheat purchased was for mill purposes. No advantage has yet been taken of storage facilities offered by the elevator, although the elevator is prepared to receive grain on storage and issue storage receipts, good for collateral anywhere, and in the future it is hoped that those who have grain to store will take advantage of the privileges offered.

4. HOME BUILDING ASSOCIATION

Those who desire a more detailed account of the operations of the Home Building Association are referred to the Industrial Commission Report for 1921 and to the report of F. E. Diehl, Manager of the Home Building Association, as of December 31, 1922. To say much here would serve only to emphasize in great part what has been set forth in more detail in above mentioned reports.

In so far as building activity is concerned the Home Building Association has been in a condition of suspended animation since in the fall of 1920. A few houses already begun at that date were finished and for two years nothing has been done except to close out the stocks of material on hand and try to get matters in shape so that contracts might be entered into.

The Association's assets are gradually shrinking, its liabilities daily growing larger; there is no way to prevent the one or retard the other.

1.—Cash Receipts from January 1 to December 21, 1922 are as follows:

1. Loan contracts	\$ 2,070.82
2. Home buyers	3,733.50
3. Bills Receivable	7,022.49
4. Accounts Receivable	3,444.46
5. Warehouse and real estate	1,756.90
6. Stock sales	3,961.47
7. Interest	493.93
8. Furniture and fixtures sold	692.60
9. Empty sacks	611.11
10. Divers refunds and miscellaneous	96.40
Total	\$ 23,883.68

2.—Cash Disbursements:	
1. Administrative salaries	\$ 4,306.00
2. Refunds to depositors	686.59
3. Refund to home buyer	900.00
4. Taxes	5,594.69
5. Litigation expense	1,539.84
6. Auditing—Bishop Brissman & Co.....	3,322.61
7. Warehouse rent	941.01
8. Freight and drayage	222.08
8. Traveling	265.92
10. Miscellaneous	1,127.79
Total	\$ 18,906.53
Cash Summary—	
Cash on hand January 1, 1922.....	\$ 6,394.35
Cash receipts from January 1, to December 31, 1922	23,883.68
Total	\$ 30,278.03
Cash disbursements January 1 to December 31, 1922	\$ 18,906.53
Cash on hand December 31, 1922.....	11,371.50
Total	\$ 30,278.03

TRIAL BALANCE

December 31, 1922

	Dr.	Cr.
Administrative Expense	\$ 4,344.12	
Auditing Expense	3,322.61	
Litigation Expense	1,542.58	
Office Supplies and Expense.....		\$ 63.94
Telephone and Telegraph Ex- pense	96.11	
Traveling Expense	263.10	
Bank of North Dakota	11,371.50	
H. E. Behrens Mfg. Co.....	402.48	
Bills Receivable	4,574.18	
Bills Payable (Bank of N. Dak.)	\$413,716.16	
Interest Accrued (Bank of N. Dak.)	27,405.90	441,122.06
Appropriation used—to be re- turned to State		100,000.00
Board of Administration	1,070.40	
Depositor's Savings Ledger.....		670.20
Engineer's and Architect's Equip.	8.94	
Furniture and Fixtures	2,481.35	
Home Buyers' Ledger	334,830.77	
Interest	22,975.29	
Losses borne by State	121,758.55	
Profit and Loss	37,399.94	
Real Estate	3,288.78	
Reserve for Bad Debts.....		2,105.80
Reserve for Deprec. of Furniture		656.47
Reserve for House Building Acct.		23,696.63

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Reserve for Mat'l Inv. Depre.....		3,071.34
Scandinavian American Bank.....	74.90	
Stock Ledger	265.42	
Loan Contracts	22,593.27	
Accounts Payable		4,001.54
Accounts Receivable	2,724.69	
Totals	\$575,388.98	\$575,388.98

SUMMARY OF PROFIT AND LOSS

Administrative Expense	\$ 4,344.12	
Auditing Expense	3,322.61	
H. E. Behrens Mfg. Co.....	402.48	
Interest	22,975.29	
Litigation Expense	1,542.58	
Losses borne by State	121,758.55	
Profit and Loss	37,399.94	
Scandinavian American Bank	74.90	
Telephone and Telegraph Ex- pense	96.11	
Traveling Expense	263.10	
Office Supplies and Expense.....		63.94
Loss		192,115.74
	\$192,179.68	\$192,179.68

The above statement of Profit and Loss is made upon the assumption that the home buyers pay the book value of the houses, as fixed by the Equitable Audit Co. None of the home buyers is willing to do this, and many are unable to do so were they inclined.

Below will be found a list of the houses built by the Home Building Association and not now under contract, the original estimated cost as shown by the books of the Association, together with the payments made to date and the amounts due as at January 1, 1923. No interest has been included in the amount due although when settlement is made interest will be figured at the rate of six per cent. The houses bought and under contract are not included in this list. Only seven persons out of the list of fifty have made any payments within the year. It may be well also to note that the \$100,000 appropriated and paid for by taxes is not reflected in the cost of the houses. The taxes and other charges pro-rated, as shown at the close of this table, since October 13, 1921, are not included in the cost shown by the books as at October 13, 1921, the date of the Equitable Audit Company's audit. The column dated October 13, 1921, reflects the cost of the houses as fixed by the Equitable Audit Company.

Purchaser—		Estimated	Cost Shown	Payments	Amount
Bismarck Project No. 1:		Cost	by Books	to	Due
			Oct. 13, 1921	Jan. 1, 1923	Jan. 1, 1923
"A"	R. Mossbrucker	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 6,310.26	\$ 1,776.40	\$ 4,646.42
"B"	C. O. Fossum	4,530.00	7,293.83	1,322.45	6,190.00
"C"	A. A. Svendsgaard	4,700.00	7,395.80	1,802.20	5,819.92
"D"	F. O. Grady	5,050.00	8,691.76	1,500.00	7,369.55
"E"	A. A. Jones	4,900.00	7,972.06	1,616.64	6,556.55
"F"	J. B. Hollenbeck	5,604.00	8,652.43	2,042.45	6,781.47
"G"	J. N. Hagan	5,433.00	8,889.98	1,753.25	7,326.51
"P"	E. H. Light	5,405.00	9,167.50	2,027.55	7,395.79
"J"	O. H. Lerum	5,980.00	8,709.09	2,223.55	6,705.50
"K"	Mattie E. Payne	5,005.00	8,380.96	1,105.00	7,467.70
"L"	A. L. Sandin	5,100.00	8,236.32	1,831.30	6,785.63
"M"	Jennie T. Graham	6,850.00	12,632.70	3,200.00	9,432.70
"N"	Paul Willman	5,000.00	7,062.74	3,401.55	3,700.40
"O"	Jennie T. Holmboe	6,195.00	11,663.03	2,686.00	9,274.29
"P"	Thirza T. Taylor	5,075.00	8,746.76	2,205.30	6,604.37
Bismarck Project No. 2:					
"A"	A. J. Arnot	5,670.00	10,257.27	1,399.00	9,032.78
"B"	Oliver Lundquist	5,810.46	9,995.32	2,409.96	7,839.62
"C"	C. B. Rosen	6,700.00	13,715.43	4,201.13	9,646.48
"D"	Geo. R. Lipp	6,000.00	12,117.92	2,151.00	10,157.84
"E"	Wm. E. Kershaw	9,515.00	11,031.57	4,782.65	6,307.77
"G"	Miss Ora L. Martin	5,100.00	8,169.56	1,552.00	6,752.94
"H"	George Wallace	5,650.00	11,720.45	2,900.00	8,991.90
"P"	O. S. Jacobson	3,080.00	5,959.56	1,509.25	4,507.11
Mandan Project No. 1:					
"A"	Byron L. Surface	5,200.00	7,834.19	2,158.40	5,675.79
"B"	A. J. Peterson	5,100.00	7,648.55	1,564.05	6,118.90
"C"	Frank Lee	5,400.00	7,976.10	2,750.92	6,099.13
"D"	Anton Finz	6,225.00	10,366.93	3,590.12	6,903.20
"E"	J. I. Rovig	5,050.00	7,574.26	1,218.99	6,486.91

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HOUSE BILLS

House Bill No. 1.—(Hempel)

House Bill No. 1. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6707 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 41.
- Reference, 72, 107.
- Reported back, 96.
- Amended, 96.
- Third reading, 233.
- Indefinitely postponed, 463.
- Passed, 176, 233.
- Received from Senate, 463.
- Other action, 176, 224, 227.

House Bill No. 2.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 2. A Bill for an Act to Present to the United States Government a Stone, Suitably Inscribed to Represent the State of North Dakota, said Stone to be Placed in the Washington Monument at Washington, D. C.; Providing for the Presentation of said Stone and Making the Necessary Appropriation Therefor.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 45.
- Reference, 72.
- Reported back, 88.
- Indefinitely postponed, 88.

House Bill No. 3.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 3. A Bill for an Act Relating to Proper Meaning of Chapters 130, 131 and 132, Session Laws of 1919.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 45.
- Reference, 72.
- Reported back, 97.
- Indefinitely postponed, 97.

House Bill No. 4.—(Heaton)

House Bill No. 4. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4625 of Chapter 14 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Conditional Sale Contracts Given by Railroad Corporations.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 45.
- Reference, 72.
- Reported back, 88.
- Third reading, 100.
- Passed, 101, 203, 204.
- Messaged to Senate, 102.
- Received from Senate, 182.
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House Bill No. 5.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 5. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption of Real Estate from Tax Sales.

Introduction, first and second reading, 72.

Reference, 72.

Reported back, 97, 213.

Indefinitely postponed, 213.

House Bill No. 6.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 6. A Bill for an Act Relating to Actions on Negotiable Paper.

Introduction, first and second reading, 72.

Reference, 72.

Reported back, 88.

Indefinitely postponed, 88, 89.

House Bill No. 7.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 7. A Bill for an Act to Regulate Commission Contracts, and Option Contracts, for the Sale, or Exchange of Lands.

Introduction, first and second reading, 72.

Reference, 72.

Reported back, 90.

Indefinitely postponed, 90.

House Bill No. 8.—(Jardine)

House Bill No. 8. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Six Thousand Inhabitants, by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment of Districts or Zones Within the Corporate Limits, and to Empower Such Cities by Ordinance, to Regulate Within Such Zones or Districts, the Use or Uses of Land, the Height, the Area, the Size and the Location of Buildings, the Required Open Spaces for the Light and Ventilation of Such Buildings and the Density of Population; to Provide for a Board of Appeals, and for the Carrying Out of such Ordinances and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 73.

Reference, 73.

Reported back, 185.

Amended, 185, 223.

Third reading, 232, 679.

Passed, 233, 901.

Received from Senate, 678.

Amended by Senate, 679.

Conference committee, 901.

Other action, 228, 961, 1007.

House Bill No. 9.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 9. A Bill for an Act in Regard to Penal Contracts to the Effect that one Party May Declare a Sum of Money Due When it is Not Due.

Introduction, first and second reading, 73.

Reference, 73.

Reported back, 98.

Indefinitely postponed, 98.

House Bill No. 10.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 10. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Legal Rate of Interest on Debts, Judgments and Redemptions.

Introduction, first and second reading, 73.

Reference, 73.

Reported back, 90.

Indefinitely postponed, 90.

House Bill No. 11.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 11. A Bill for an Act to Encourage the Destruction of Wolves and Coyotes and Providing a Bounty for Same.

Introduction, first and second reading, 73.

Reference, 73.

Reported back, 103.

Indefinitely postponed, 104.

House Bill No. 12.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 12. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7643 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 133 of the Laws Passed at the Seventeenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota Relating to Directing Verdicts and Judgments in District Court and Appeals Therefrom.

Introduction, first and second reading, 73.

Reference, 73.

Reported back, 89.

Indefinitely postponed, 89.

House Bill No. 13.—(Hempel)

House Bill No. 13. For an Act to amend and re-enact Section 2185, compiled laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 67 of the 1919 Special Session, relating to Real Estate Taxes due and delinquent and penalty and interest thereon.

Introduction, first and second reading, 74.

Reference, 74.

Reported back, 214.

Amended, 214.

Third reading, 248, 677.

Passed, 248, 678.

Received from Senate, 677.

Amended by Senate, 677.

Other action, 234, 246, 733, 750.

House Bill No. 14.—(Boyd)

House Bill No. 14. A Bill for an Act Relating to Cities, Providing for Connection to Water and Sewer Mains and Installation of Toilets.

Introduction, first and second reading, 74.

Reference, 74.

Reported back, 184.

Indefinitely postponed, 184.

House Bill No. 15.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 15. A Bill for an Act Relating to Double Appeals.

Introduction, first and second reading, 76.

Reference, 76.

Reported back, 125.

Indefinitely postponed, 125.

House Bill No. 16.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 16. A Bill for an Act to Bar Technical Court Practice and to Promote Justice.

Introduction, first and second reading, 76.

Reference, 76.

Reported back, 98.

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House Bill No. 17.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 17. A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption from Foreclosure Sales Under Chattel Mortgages.

Introduction, first and second reading, 76.

Reference, 76.

Reported back, 98.

Indefinitely postponed, 98.

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Introduction, first and second reading, 77.

Reference, 77.

Reported back, 91.

Indefinitely postponed, 91.

House Bill No. 19.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 19. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the State Pool Hall Statutes.

Introduction, first and second reading, 77.

Reference, 77.

Reported back, 934.

Indefinitely postponed, 934.

House Bill No. 20.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 20. A Bill for an Act to Repeal and Re-enact Chapter 182 of the Session Laws of 1917, Amending Section 6877 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for a Lien for Repairs Upon Personality.

Introduction, first and second reading, 77.

Reference, 77.

Reported back, 98.

Indefinitely postponed, 98.

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Introduction, first and second reading, 77.

Reference, 77.

Reported back, 108.

Third reading, 119.

Indefinitely postponed, 120.

House Bill No. 22.—(Jardine—By Request)

House Bill No. 22. A Bill for an Act to Empower All Cities Having a Population in Excess of Five Thousand Inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1920, or by Any Subsequent Federal Census, to Provide for the Establishment, Government and Maintenance of the City Planning Commission in Such City; to Prescribe the Powers and Duties of Such Planning Commission and to Vest in Such Commission Jurisdiction over all New Subdivisions or Resubdivisions.

Introduction, first and second reading, 77.

Reference, 77.

Reported back, 184.

Amended, 184, 222.

Third, reading, 231.

Indefinitely postponed, 463.

Passed, 232.

Received from Senate, 463.

Other action, 228.

House Bill No. 23.—(Heaton—Burkhart)

House Bill No. 23. A Bill for an Act Providing for Investigation of Violation of Laws, Arrest and Seizure, Starting Prosecutions, Regulations Governing Same and Penalty.

Introduction, first and second reading, 82.

Reference, 82.

Reported back, 151.

Amended, 152, 164.

Third reading 201.

Indefinitely postponed, 463.

Passed, 202.

Received from Senate, 463.

House Bill No. 24.—(Carr)

House Bill No. 24. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Conciliation of Controversies.

Introduction, first and second reading, 82.

Reference, 82.

Reported back, 201.

Indefinitely postponed, 201.

House Bill No. 25.—(Halcrow—Hempel)

House Bill No. 25. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting Dancing in Public School Buildings and Providing Penalty.

Introduction, first and second reading, 82.

Reference, 82.

Reported back, 180.

Indefinitely postponed, 180.

House Bill No. 26.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 26. A Bill for an Act Relating to Sheriff's Fees.

Introduction, first and second reading, 92.

Reference, 92.

Reported back, 138.

Indefinitely postponed, 138.

House Bill No. 27.—(McCay)

House Bill No. 27. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3239 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 as Amended by Chapter 102 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to the Frequency of Holding an Election for the Removal of County Seats not Located on the Railroad and Providing a Primary Election Thereon and Prescribing the Number of Votes Required for Such Removal.

Introduction, first and second reading, 92.

Reference, 93.

Reported back, 104.

Amended, 104, 120, 121.

Third reading, 127.

Indefinitely postponed, 182.

Passed, 127.

Received from Senate, 182.

House Bill No. 28.—(Helbling)

House Bill No. 28. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Out of any Monies in the State Treasury, Belonging to The Home Building Association, and not Otherwise Appropriated, the Sum of \$1,863.09, with the Interest Thereon at the rate of 5½% per cent. per Annum from the 21st day of October, 1921, for the Purpose of Reimbursing the Estate of Frank Lee, Deceased, Formerly a Member of Home Buyers League No. 1, of Mandan, North Dakota, for Moneys Paid by Said Frank Lee, Deceased, to Said Home Building Association Prior to His Death.

Introduction, first and second reading, 93.

Reference, 93.

Reported back, 259.

Indefinitely postponed, 260.

House Bill No. 29.—(Hanson)

House Bill No. 29. A Bill for an Act Providing for Suspended Sentences in Certain Cases, Revocation of Such Suspension and Regulations Governing the Same.

Introduction, first and second reading, 93.

Reference, 93.

Indefinitely postponed, 178, 179.

House Bill No. 30.—(Boyd)

House Bill No. 30. A Bill for an Act to Appropriately the Sum of \$100,000.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River of the North, Between the City of Fargo, Cass County, North Dakota, and the City of Moorhead, Clay County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1919.

Introduction, first and second reading, 93.

Reference, 93.

Reported back, 820.

Third reading 884.

Indefinitely postponed, 1404, 1467.

Passed, 885, 1508.

Messaged to Senate, 885, 1424.

Received from Senate, 1404, 1467.

Amended by Senate, 1507.

Other action, 1534, 1535.

House Bill No. 31.—(Lynch)

House Bill No. 31. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 924, 925, 926, 927, 928 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913 relative to the Publicity Pamphlet.

Introduction, first and second reading, 99.

Reference, 99.

Reported back, 116.

Indefinitely postponed, 116.

House Bill No. 32.—(Cole)

House Bill No. 32. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921; Relating to County Brand Inspectors of Live Stock, their Duties, etc.

Introduction, first and second reading, 99.

Reference, 99.

Reported back, 743.

Indefinitely postponed, 743.

House Bill No. 33.—(Peters)

House Bill No. 33. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended by Chapter No. 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Introduction, first and second reading, 99.

Reference, 99.

Reported back, 662, 718.

Indefinitely postponed, 719.

House Bill No. 34.—(McGauvran)

House Bill No. 34. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 3522 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Livery Allowed Sheriffs.

Introduction, first and second reading, 100.

Reference, 100.

Reported back, 249.

Third reading, 268, 674.

Passed, 269, 674.

Messaged to Senate, 275.

Received from Senate, 673.

Amended by Senate, 673.

Other action, 256, 734, 750.

House Bill No. 35.—(McGauvran)

House Bill No. 35. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3521 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Prescribing the Rate of Mileage Allowed the Sheriff.

Introduction, first and second reading, 100.

Reference, 100.

Reported back, 249.

Third reading, 267, 1341.

Passed, 268, 1342.

Messaged to Senate, 274.

Received from Senate, 1029.

Amended by Senate, 1029.

Conference committee, 1340.

Other action, 256, 1416, 1519, 1522.

House Bill No. 36.—(Carr)

House Bill No. 36. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Requiring the Register of Deeds of Counties to Furnish a Complete Abstract of all Mortgages and other Liens Upon Grain Grown During Such Year in Such County to All Elevators Making Application for Same, and Pay a Fee of Five Dollars Therefor.

Introduction, first and second reading, 105.

Reference, 105.

Reported back, 368.

Indefinitely postponed, 368.

House Bill No. 37.—(Carr)

House Bill No. 37. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6855 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Procedure to Obtain a Thresher's Lien, and Fixing the Time Within Which the Same Must be Filed.

Introduction, first and second reading, 106.

Reference, 106.

Reported back, 126.

Amended, 143.

Third reading, 154.

Indefinitely postponed, 241.

Passed, 155.

House Bill No. 38.—(Twichell)

House Bill No. 38. A Bill for an Act Regulating Procedure and Prescribing Rules of Evidence in Actions Brought by Holders of Grain Storage Tickets, for the Recovery of the Possession or Value of Grain Stored in Public Warehouses, Which Grain Has Been Converted or Improperly Detained From the Owner.

Introduction, first and second reading, 106.

Reference, 106.

Reported back, 125.

Third reading, 141.

Passed, 142, 183.

Received from Senate, 183.

Other action, 213, 260.

House Bill No. 39.—(Twichell)

House Bill No. 39. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.

Introduction, first and second reading, 106.

Reference, 106.

Reported back, 153.

Third reading, 162.

Indefinitely postponed, 162.

House Bill No. 40.—(Twichell)

House Bill No. 40. For an Act to cancel uncollected personal property taxes assessed for 1913 and prior years, Whereas, there are a large number of uncollectible personal property taxes on the tax books of the various counties of the State for the year 1913 and prior years which the Boards of County Commissioners have neglected to cancel as provided by law.

Introduction, first and second reading, 106.

Reference, 106.

Reported back, 303.

Amended, 303, 338.

Third reading, 353.

Passed, 353.

Received from Senate, 642.

Other action, 344, 732, 751.

House Bill No. 41.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 41. A Bill for an Act Repealing Chapter 230 of the Session Laws of 1919 of the State of North Dakota, Entitled "An Act Authorizing the Courts to Review the Levy and Apportionment of Special Assessments."

Introduction, first and second reading, 106.

Reference, 106.

Reported back, 138.

Indefinitely postponed, 138.

House Bill No. 42.—(Ellingson)

House Bill No. 42. A Bill for an Act Prescribing Certain Requisites With Respect to Crop Mortgages Given for Other Than as Rental of Premises or to Secure the Purchase Price of Land, and Making all Crop Mortgages not Executed in Compliance With Such Requirement Void and Not Subject to Being Filed of Record.

Introduction, first and second reading, 106.

Reference, 106.

Reported back, 177.

Amended, 177, 208.

Third, reading, 219, 406.

Passed, 220, 406.

Received from Senate, 405.

Amended by Senate, 405.

Other action, 413, 440, 442, 450.

House Bill No. 43.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 43. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3835 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Recall of City Officials Under City or Commission Form of Government.

Introduction, first and second reading, 107.

Reference, 107.

Reported back, 153, 164.

Amended, 153, 164.

Third reading, 203, 403.

Passed, 203, 403.

Received from Senate, 403.

Amended by Senate, 403.

Other action, 413, 440, 442, 450.

House Bill No. 44.—(Larson)

House Bill No. 44. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 147 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 and Repealing Section 147a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913; Providing for Publicity of State Finances.

Introduction, first and second reading, 110.

Reference, 110.

Reported back, 139.

Amended, 139, 156.

Third reading, 165.

Passed, 166.

Messaged to Senate, 166.

Other action, 734, 751.

House Bill No. 45.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 45. A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities and Villages to Levy and Collect a Tax for the Purpose of Furnishing Musical Concerts to the Public.

Introduction, first and second reading, 110.

Reference, 110.

Reported back, 281.

Indefinitely postponed, 281.

House Bill No. 46.—(Flom)

House Bill No. 46. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 52 of the Session Laws of 1921, Providing for the Salary and Other Compensation of Certain County Officers.

Introduction, first and second reading, 110.

Reference, 110.

Reported back, 117.

Amended, 117, 133.

Third reading, 142.

Indefinitely postponed, 265.

Passed, 142.

Received from Senate, 265.

House Bill No. 47.—(Sproul—By Request)

House Bill No. 47. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3854 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, Providing for the Election and Terms of Office of Village Officials.

Introduction, first and second reading, 110.

Reference, 110.

Reported back, 138.

Amended, 139, 156.

Third reading, 162.

Passed, 163.

Messaged to Senate, 163.

Received from Senate, 376.

Other action, 388, 393, 398.

House Bill No. 48.—(Hempel—Heaton)

House Bill No. 48. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 15 of Chapter 154 of the Laws of 1919 as Amended by Initiated Measure, so as to Increase the Amount for Which Such Bonds May be Issued From a Sum Not Exceeding \$20,000,000.00 to a Sum Not Exceeding \$40,000,000.00.

Introduction, first and second reading, 119.

Reference, 119.

Reported back, 767.

Indefinitely postponed, 768.

House Bill No. 49.—(Frandsen)

House Bill No. 49. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1188 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Organization of Schools by Petition.

Introduction, first and second reading, 119.

Reference, 119.

Reported back, 183.

Amended, 183, 222, 247, 271, 274.

Third reading, 312.

Passed, 313, 433.

Messaged to Senate, 314.

Received from Senate, 433.

Other action, 296, 301, 734, 751.

House Bill No. 50.—(Miller—Halcrow)

House Bill No. 50. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 1, 2, 9 and 13 of Chapter 97, Session Laws, 1921, Relating to Legislation to Prohibit Intoxicating Liquors and Beverages and Property Intended for the Manufacture of Same; Prohibiting the Transportation of Liquor and Providing for the Forfeiture of Property Used for the Transportation of Same; to Provide for its Enforcement and Penalty and defining the crime of engaging in liquor traffic.

Introduction, first and second reading, 119.

Reference, 119.

Reported back, 215.

Amended, 215, 235.

Third reading, 266, 681.

Passed, 267, 682.

Messaged to Senate, 274.

Received from Senate, 680.

Amended by Senate, 680.

Other action, 257, 734, 750.

House Bill No. 51.—(Cart)

House Bill No. 51. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars for the Purpose of Aiding the Construction of a Bridge and Approaches Across the Des Lacs Lake on the County Line Between Burke and Ward Counties in the State of North Dakota under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919 and that such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Fund.

Introduction, first and second reading, 126.

Reference, 126.

Reported back, 820.

Third reading, 884.

Indefinitely postponed, 1404.

Passed, 884.

Messaged to Senate, 885, 1424.

Received from Senate, 1404, 1480.

Amended by Senate, 1480.

Other action, 1519, 1522.

House Bill No. 52.—(Heaton)

House Bill No. 52. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 572 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Practice of Barbering and Additional Provisions Relating Thereto.

Introduction, first and second reading, 126.

Reference, 126.

Reported back, 249.

Indefinitely postponed, 249.

House Bill No. 53.—(Martin)

House Bill No. 53. A Bill for an Act Relating to Real Estate Tax Sales.

Introduction, first and second reading, 126.

Reference, 126, 332.

Reported back, 302, 346.

Amended, 303, 384.

Indefinitely postponed, 428.

House Bill No. 54.—(Martin)

House Bill No. 54. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2191 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Tax Sales.

Introduction, first and second reading, 127.

Reference, 127.

Reported back, 285.

Indefinitely postponed, 285.

House Bill No. 55.—(Lackey)

House Bill No. 55. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2861, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Penalty for Violating Dairy Laws.

Introduction, first and second reading, 140.

Reference, 140.

Reported back, 183.

Third reading, 202, 404.

Passed, 203, 405.

Received from Senate, 404.

Amended by Senate, 404.

Other action, 413, 440, 442, 450.

House Bill No. 56.—(Harrington)

House Bill No. 56. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8122 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 180 of the Laws of 1915 and as Amended by Chapter 151 of the Laws of 1917, and Chapter 65, Laws of 1921, Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts.

Introduction, first and second reading, 140.

Reference, 140.

Reported back, 178, 221.

Amended, 221.

Third reading, 230.

Other action, 228.

Lost, 231.

House Bill No. 57.—(Doyle)

House Bill No. 57. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to Range Stock and Where Listed for the Purpose of Taxation.

Introduction, first and second reading, 140.

Reference, 140.

Reported back, 302.

Third reading, 331.

Passed, 331.

Messaged to Senate, 337.

Received from Senate, 642.

Other action, 323, 732, 751.

House Bill No. 58.—(Martin)

House Bill No. 58. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2185 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 67 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Real Estate Taxes Due and Delinquent, and Interest Thereon.

Introduction, first and second reading, 140.

Reference, 141.

Reported back, 302.

Indefinitely postponed, 302.

House Bill No. 59.—(Dougherty)

House Bill No. 59. A Bill for an Act Making it a Misdemeanor for any Person to Operate a Motor Vehicle While such Person is in an Intoxicated Condition, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 141.

Reference, 141.

Reported back, 371.

Amended, 409.

Third reading, 456.

Passed, 456.

Messaged to Senate, 459.

Received from Senate, 1023.

Other action, 441, 1111.

House Bill No. 60.—(Twichell)

House Bill No. 60. A Bill for an Act Prohibiting any Person from Driving or Operating a Motor Truck of More than Five Tons Carrying Capacity Upon any Public Highway, Street or Avenue in the State.

Introduction, first and second reading, 141.

Reference, 141.

Reported back, 259.

Amended, 295, 296.

Third reading, 313.

Indefinitely postponed, 1405.

Passed, 314.

Messaged to Senate, 314.

Received from Senate, 1405.

Other action, 302.

House Bill No. 61.—(Muus)

House Bill No. 61. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 3471, 3472, 3473, 3474, 3475, 3477, 3478, 3479, 3480, 3483, and 3486, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws, 1918, and as Amended by Chapter 177 Session Laws for 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 54 of the Special Session Laws 1919, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants to Procure Seed Grain and Feed for Needy Inhabitants.

Introduction, first and second reading, 154.

Reference, 154.

Reported back, 372.

Amended, 385.

Third reading, 431.

Passed, 431.

Messaged to Senate, 433.

Received from Senate, 1069.

Other action, 411, 1178, 1220.

House Bill No. 62.—(Muus)

House Bill No. 62. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3476, Compiled Laws, 1913 as Amended by Chapter 13, of the Special Session Laws, 1918, Relating to the Levying of Tax to Provide for a Sinking Fund to Pay County Seed and Feed Bonds.

Introduction, first and second reading, 154.

Reference, 154.

Reported back, 372.

Amended, 410.

Third reading, 457.

Passed, 457.

Messaged to Senate, 459.

Received from Senate, 1070.

Other action, 441, 1178, 1220.

House Bill No. 63.—(Muus)

House Bill No. 63. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Collection of Notes, Contracts and Indebtedness for Seed and Feed Furnished by Counties.

Introduction, first and second reading, 154.

Reference, 154.

Reported back, 371.

Amended, 385.

Third reading, 431.

Passed, 432.

Messaged to Senate, 433.

Received from Senate, 1092.

Amended by Senate, 1092.

Other action, 412, 1092, 1093, 1181, 1223.

House Bill No. 64.—(Lackey—By Request)

House Bill No. 64. A Bill for an Act Limiting the Writing and Placing of Fire, Lightning, Tornado, and Hail Insurance on Growing Crops, and on Farm Property in the State of North Dakota, to Domestic Companies.

Introduction, first and second reading, 161.

Reference, 161.

Reported back, 363.

Indefinitely postponed, 363.

House Bill No. 65.—(Dougherty)

House Bill No. 65. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 19 of Chapter 5 of the Political Code of the State of North Dakota Being Sections 524 to 539 Both Inclusive of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relative to the Practice of Optometry, Creating a State Board of Examiners in Optometry, Providing for the Registration of Optometrists, Defining and Regulating the Practice of Optometry and Providing Penalties For the Violation of the Terms of Said Act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 161.

Reference, 161.

Reported back, 303.

Amended, 304, 338.

Third reading, 352½.

Passed, 353.

Received from Senate, 1093.

Amended by Senate, 1093.

Other action, 344, 1094, 1095, 1181, 1223.

House Bill No. 66.—(Eckert)

House Bill No. 66. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$86,500.00, From any Moneys in the State Highway Fund, for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River, Between Williams County, North Dakota, and McKenzie County, North Dakota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Introduction, first and second reading, 161.

Reference, 161.

Reported back, 821.

Amended, 872.

Third reading, 920.

Passed, 921, 1462.

Messaged to Senate, 934.

Received from Senate, 1461.

Amended by Senate, 1461.

Other action, 1464, 1519, 1522.

House Bill No. 67.—(Martin)

House Bill No. 67. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4843 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Investment of the Capital, Surplus and Funds of Domestic Insurance Companies.

Introduction, first and second reading, 166.

Reference, 166.

Reported back, 346.

Amended, 385.

Third reading, 428.

Lost, 429.

Other action, 412.

House Bill No. 68.—(Burk)

House Bill No. 68. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 86 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Application of the Tuberculin Test and Eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis in Townships in Counties in North Dakota Under Direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board by Petition of a Majority of Freeholders in Such Townships.

Introduction, first and second reading, 189.

Reference, 189.

Reported back, 514.

Amended, 546.

Third reading, 570.

Passed, 571.

Messaged to Senate, 571.

Received from Senate, 1095.

Amended by Senate, 1095.

Other action, 565, 1096, 1181, 1223.

House Bill No. 69.—(Peters—By Request)

House Bill No. 69. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two and 3-100 Dollars (\$2,882.03) for the Purpose of Charging Off Losses Resulting to the State on Account of the Failure, in the Year 1909, of the First National Bank of Rugby, Rugby, North Dakota, and the Barton State Bank, Barton, North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 189.

Reference, 189.

Reported back, 247.

Third reading, 263.

Passed, 264.

Messaged to Senate, 274.

Other action 256, 734, 751.

House Bill No. 70.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 70. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 127 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921 Relating to Smoking in Certain Places.

Introduction, first and second reading, 189.

Reference, 189.

Reported back, 250.

Indefinitely postponed, 250.

House Bill No. 71.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 71. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6815 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 Relating to the Filing of a Notice of Intention to File Mechanics' Lien.

Introduction, first and second reading, 190.

Reference, 190.

Reported back, 284.

Amended, 284, 320.

Third reading, 332.

Indefinitely postponed, 452.

Passed, 333.

Messaged to Senate, 338.

Received from Senate, 451.

Other action, 323.

House Bill No. 72.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 72. A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 6816 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Requiring Notice to and Consent of Owner in Filing Mechanics' Liens Under Chapter 91.

Introduction, first and second reading, 190.

Reference, 190.

Reported back, 329.

Indefinitely postponed, 329.

House Bill No. 73.—(Starke)

House Bill No. 73. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Election of Directors of Building and Loan Association for the Term of Three Years.

Introduction, first and second reading, 190.

Reference, 190.

Reported back, 250.

Third reading, 269.

Passed, 270.

Messaged to Senate, 275.

Other action, 256, 733, 751.

House Bill No. 74.—(Slominski)

House Bill No. 74. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) for the Retirement of Part of the Bonds Issued Against the Present Bridge Across the Red River of the North from a Point in the County of Walsh and State of North Dakota to a Point in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota at Oslo, and That Such Appropriation be Made from the State Highway Funds.

Introduction, first and second reading, 190.

Reference, 190.

Reported back, 819.

Third reading, 883, 1306.

Passed, 883, 1307.

Messaged to Senate, 885.

Received from Senate, 1306.

Amended by Senate, 1306.

Other action, 1320.

House Bill No. 75.—(Traynor)

House Bill No. 75. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Provide for the Payment of Non-resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid; Repealing Acts or Parts of Acts in So Far as they Conflict With this Act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 190.

Reference, 190, 285.

Reported back, 284, 324.

Indefinitely postponed, 324.

House Bill No. 76.—(Olafson)

House Bill No. 76. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars to the Bovine Tuberculosis Fund for carrying out the provisions of Article 17--Revised Code of 1913 and Amendments thereto, Relating to the Reimbursement of Owners of Tuberculosis Cattle.

Introduction, first and second reading, 190.

Reference, 191.

Reported back, 261.

Third reading, 292.

Passed, 292.

Messaged to Senate, 298.

Received from Senate, 1189.

Other action, 280, 1243, 1313.

House Bill No. 77.—(Olafson)

House Bill No. 77. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Compensation of Election Officers.

Introduction, first and second reading, 191.

Reference, 191.

Reported back, 366.

Indefinitely postponed, 367.

House Bill No. 78.—(Johnson—Pembina)

House Bill No. 78. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 994 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating Preparing and Printing of Absent Voters' Ballots.

Introduction, first and second reading, 191.

Reference, 191.

Reported back, 366.

Indefinitely postponed, 366.

House Bill No. 79.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 79. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Purpose of Paying Insurance Tax to the Various Fire Departments of the State.

Introduction, first and second reading, 191.

Reference, 191.

Reported back, 247.

Third reading, 265.

Passed, 266.

Messaged to Senate, 274.

Other action, 256, 734, 751.

House Bill No. 80.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 80. A Bill for an Act to Make Appropriation for Postage, Office Supplies, Furniture and Fixtures, Printing, Miscellaneous Expenses, Traveling Expense, Maintenance of Game Farms, Salary and Expenses of Fish Commissioner and Deputy Fish Commissioner, and Expenses and Maintenance of Fish Hatchery.

Introduction, first and second reading, 191.

Reference, 191.

Reported back, 589.

Amended, 684.

Third reading, 791.

Passed, 792.

Messaged to Senate, 804.

Received from Senate, 1188.

Other action, 1243, 1313.

House Bill No. 81.—(Appropriations Committee.)

House Bill No. 81. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Maintenance of the State Capitol and for Improvements, Repairs and Equipment Thereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 191.

Reference, 191.

Reported back, 446.

Amended, 510, 531.

Third reading, 531, 1308.

Passed, 532, 1309.

Messaged to Senate, 532.

Received from Senate, 1307.

Amended by Senate, 1307.

Other action, 524, 1320.

House Bill No. 82.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 82. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Minot, North Dakota, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Introduction, first and second reading, 191.

Reference, 191.

Reported back, 608.

Third reading, 671.

Passed, 671.

Messaged to Senate, 673.

Received from Senate, 1310.

Other action, 1320.

House Bill No. 83.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 83. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Forestry State Normal School at Bottineau, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Introduction, first and second reading, 192.

Reference, 192.

Reported back, 765.

Third reading, 856, 1468.

Passed, 856, 1468.

Messaged to Senate, 862.

Received from Senate, 1467.

Amended by Senate, 1467.

Other action, 1533, 1535.

House Bill No. 84.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 84. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the School for the Deaf at Devils Lake, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Introduction, first and second reading, 192.

Reference, 192.

Reported back, 702.

Amended, 729.

Third reading, 849.

Passed, 850.

Messaged to Senate, 862.

Received from Senate, 1310.

Other action, 1320.

House Bill No. 85.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 85. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Dickinson Normal School at Dickinson, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Introduction, first and second reading, 192.

Reference, 192, 698.

Reported back, 698.

Amended, 728.

Third Reading, 799, 1281.

Passed, 799, 1282.

Messaged to Senate, 805.

Received from Senate, 1280.

Amended by Senate, 1280.

Other action, 1320.

House Bill No. 86.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 86. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the State Hospital for the Insane at Jamestown, North Dakota.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 192.
- Reference, 192.
- Reported back, 446.
- Third reading, 499.
- Passed, 499.
- Messaged to Senate, 503.
- Received from Senate, 1310.
- Other action, 478, 1321.

House Bill No. 87.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 87. A Bill for an Act Making Appropriations for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Penitentiary and for Making of Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 192.
- Reference, 192.
- Reported back, 589.
- Amended, 685.
- Third reading, 792.
- Passed, 793.
- Messaged to Senate, 804.
- Received from Senate, 1309.
- Other action, 1321.

House Bill No. 88.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 88. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements, and Repairs, and Equipment for the Institution of the Feeble-Minded at Grafton.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 192.
- Reference, 192.
- Third reading, 627, 1402.
- Passed, 628, 1403.
- Messaged to Senate, 648.
- Received from Senate, 1280, 1466.
- Amended by Senate, 1280.
- Conference Committee, 1402.
- Other action, 1280, 1292, 1342, 1404, 1405, 1518, 1521.

House Bill No. 89.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 89. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of One Hundred Seventy-six Thousand Dollars for Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Miscellaneous for the Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Dunseith.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 193.
- Reference, 193.
- Reported back, 446.
- Third reading, 500.
- Passed, 500.
- Messaged to Senate, 503.
- Received from Senate, 1310.
- Other action, 478, 1321.

House Bill No. 90.—(Lynch)

House Bill No. 90. A Bill for an Act Providing When the Publicity Pamphlet Shall be Printed, and What Matter Shall be Excluded Therefrom, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 193.
- Reference, 193.
- Reported back, 257, 258.
- Third reading, 290.
- Passed, 291.
- Messaged to Senate, 298.
- Received from Senate, 1088, 1153.
- Amended by Senate, 1088.
- Other action, 280, 1089, 1000, 1091, 1105, 1109, 1243, 1319.

House Bill No. 91.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 91. A Bill for an Act to appropriate Three Hundred Dollars to the North Dakota Poultry Association for the Biennium Period According to Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 193.
- Reference, 193, 291.
- Reported back, 259, 657.
- Amended, 718.
- Third reading, 795.
- Passed, 796.
- Messaged to Senate, 804.
- Received from Senate, 1188.
- Other action 280, 1243, 1313.

House Bill No. 92.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 92. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Training School at Mandan, North Dakota, and for Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 193.
- Reference, 193.
- Reported back, 777.
- Amended, 867.
- Third reading, 914, 1398.
- Passed, 915, 1399.
- Messaged to Senate, 934.
- Received from Senate, 1309.
- Amended by Senate, 1309.
- Conference Committee, 1398.
- Other action, 1377, 1517, 1520.

House Bill No. 93.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 93. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand Dollars to Provide Funds for the Payment of the Per Diem and Necessary Expenses of the Members of the State Board of Pardons, Together with Postage, Telegrams, Telephone Tolls, Printing, and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred by Such Board as Provided for in Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 193.

Reference, 193.

Reported back, 261.

Third reading, 291.

Passed, 292.

Messaged to Senate, 298.

Received from Senate, 1069.

Other action, 280, 1178, 1220.

House Bill No. 94.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 94. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the Minimum Wage, Health and Morals of Women Workers, for Salary, Postage, Office Supplies, Printing, Traveling Expenses, Hearings, Conferences, Witness Fees, Legal Fees and Office Rent.

Introduction, first and second reading, 193.

Reference, 193.

Reported back, 702.

Amended, 729.

Third reading, 850.

Passed, 851.

Messaged to Senate, 862.

Received from Senate, 1466.

Other action, 1518, 1521.

House Bill No. 95.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 95. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Florence Crittendon Home at Fargo, North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 194.

Reference, 194.

Reported back, 367.

Amended, 400.

Third reading, 400.

Passed, 401.

Messaged to Senate, 403.

Received from Senate, 1069.

Other action, 388, 1178, 1221.

House Bill No. 96.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 96. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$10,000.00 for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Free Employment Service Under Chapter 117, Session Laws of 1921.

Introduction, first and second reading, 194.

Reference, 194.

Reported back, 658.

Third reading, 706.

Passed, 706.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

Received from Senate, 1310.

Other action, 1321.

House Bill No. 97.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 97. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$12,000.00 for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

Introduction, first and second reading, 194.
 Reference, 194.
 Reported back, 701.
 Amended, 728.
 Third reading, 800.
 Passed, 801.
 Messaged to Senate, 805.
 Received from Senate, 1476.
 Amended by Senate, 1476.
 Other action, 1520, 1522.

House Bill No. 98.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 98. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Forty-Eight and 48-100 Dollars (\$12,548.48) According to Chapter 237 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919 of the State of North Dakota for the Purpose of Stamping out Venereal Diseases.

Introduction, first and second reading, 194.
 Reference, 194.
 Reported back, 345.
 Third reading, 377.
 Passed, 378.
 Messaged to Senate, 383.
 Received from Senate, 1310.
 Other action, 372, 1321.

House Bill No. 99.—(Ehr)

House Bill No. 99. A Bill For an Act Prescribing the Basis of Assessment of Property for Purposes of Taxation; Repealing Chapter 220, Laws of 1919, and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 201.
 Reference, 201.
 Reported back, 822.
 Indefinitely postponed, 823.

House Bill No. 100.—(Heaton)

House Bill No. 100. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1342 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 141 of the Session Laws for the Year 1915, as Amended by Chapter 206 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917, Relating to Compulsory Attendance, School Age and Transportation of Pupils.

Introduction, first and second reading, 216.
 Reference, 216.
 Reported back, 324.
 Indefinitely postponed, 324.

House Bill No. 101.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 101. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Eleven Hundred and Forty Dollars (\$1140.00) to Pay the Expenses of a State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners as authorized Under Section 2711 to 2720, inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 216.

Reference, 216.

Reported back, 281.

Third reading, 309.

Passed, 310.

Message to Senate, 314.

Received from Senate, 1068.

Other action, 301, 1178, 1221.

House Bill No. 102.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 102. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to Aid in the Educational Work being carried on by the North Dakota Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Prevention of the Spread of Tuberculosis More Definitely Prescribed in Chapter 7 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915 for the salary and traveling expenses.

Introduction, first and second reading 216.

Reference, 216.

Reported back, 307.

Third reading, 331.

Passed, 332.

Message to Senate, 337.

Received from Senate, 1310.

Other action, 323, 1321.

House Bill No. 103.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 103. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Glanders and Dourine Indemnity Fund.

Introduction, first and second reading, 216.

Reference, 217.

Reported back, 282.

Third reading, 310.

Passed, 310.

Message to Senate, 314.

Received from Senate, 1189.

Other action, 301, 1243, 1313.

House Bill No. 104.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 104. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Ten Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Grand Forks for the Year 1923, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Introduction, first and second reading, 217.

Reference, 217.

Reported back, 773.

Amended, 866.

Third reading, 911.

Passed, 912.

Message to Senate, 933.

Received from Senate, 1189.

Other action, 1243, 1313.

House Bill No. 105.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 105. An Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School of Science at Wahpeton, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Introduction, first and second reading, 217.

Reference, 217.

Amended, 865.

Third reading, 909, 1409.

Passed, 910, 1410.

Messaged to Senate, 933.

Received from Senate, 1409, 1435.

Amended by Senate, 1409, 1435.

Other action, 1517, 1520.

House Bill No. 106.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 106. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate One Thousand and Forty Dollars (\$1,040.00) for the Payment of \$10.00 Once Each Week During the Biennium 1923, 1924, as an Aid to the Society for the Friendless Authorized Under Chapter 46 of the North Dakota Session Laws of 1911.

Introduction, first and second reading, 217.

Reference, 217.

Reported back, 447.

Third reading, 500.

Passed, 501.

Messaged to Senate, 503.

Received from Senate, 1069.

Other action, 478, 1178, 1221.

House Bill No. 107.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 107. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Payment of the Expenses to be Incurred by the North Dakota Live Stock Association as Prescribed by Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 217.

Reference, 217.

Reported back, 764.

Third reading, 855.

Passed, 856.

Messaged to Senate, 862.

Received from Senate, 1068.

Other action, 1178, 1221.

House Bill No. 108.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 108. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for Compensation and Expenses of the Board of Trustees of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Introduction, first and second reading, 217.

Reference, 217.

Reported back, 282.

Third reading, 311.

Passed, 311.

Messaged to Senate, 314.

Received from Senate, 1070.

Other action, 301, 1179, 1221.

House Bill No. 109.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 109. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use and Benefit of the North Dakota Firemen's Association for the Purpose of Promoting the Efficiency and Growth of its Different Departments, and the Holding of an Annual Tournament, According to the Rules and Regulations of Such Associations.

Introduction, first and second reading, 217.

Reference, 218.

Reported back, 591.

Third reading, 632.

Passed, 632.

Messaged to Senate, 648.

Received from Senate, 1068.

Other action, 1179, 1221.

House Bill No. 110.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 110. A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) to Provide Funds for the Maintenance of the North Dakota National Guard, or State Militia, as Provided for Under Chapter 35 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota, and to Meet Other Requirements Prescribed by the Federal Statutes.

Introduction, first and second reading, 218.

Reference, 218.

Reported back, 592.

Third reading, 715.

Indefinitely postponed, 592.

Passed, 716.

Messaged to Senate, 804.

Received from Senate, 1068.

Other action, 704, 1179, 1221.

House Bill No. 111.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 111. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of Ten Thousand Dollars for the Biennium to the State Fair at Fargo for the Year 1924, as Provided for in Sections 1847 to 1859 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Introduction, first and second reading, 218.

Reference, 218.

Reported back, 774.

Amended, 866.

Third reading, 912.

Passed, 913.

Messaged to Senate, 933.

Received from Senate, 1188.

Other action, 1243, 1313.

House Bill No. 112.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 112. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$3,450.00 for Payment of the Per Diem and Expenses of the Board of Experts; and the Salary, and Other Expenses of the Field Officer to be Incurred Under Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, for the Biennial Period.

Introduction, first and second reading, 218.

Reference, 218.

Reported back, 447.

Third reading, 501.

Indefinitely postponed, 1405.

Passed, 502.

• Messaged to Senate, 503.

Received from Senate, 1405.

Other action, 478.

House Bill No. 113.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 113. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Funds to Idemnify Owners of Animals Infected with Bovine Tuberculosis.

Introduction, first and second reading, 218.

Reference, 218.

Reported back, 282.

Third reading, 311.

Passed, 312.

Messaged to Senate, 314.

Received from Senate, 1153.

Other action, 301, 1243, 1314.

House Bill No. 114.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 114. A Bill for an Act to appropriate \$6,000.00 to the Missouri Slope Agricultural and Fair Association at Mandan for the Fairs to be Held in the Years 1923 and 1924, as Authorized by Sections 1860 to 1866, Both inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 218.

Reference, 218.

Reported back, 774.

Amended, 866.

Third reading, 913.

Passed, 914, 1488.

Messaged to Senate, 933.

Received from Senate, 1344.

Amended by Senate, 1344.

Conference Committee, 1451, 1459.

Other action, 1345, 1487, 1533.

House Bill No. 115.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 115. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Benefit of the North Dakota Dairymen's Association, for the Purpose of Promoting and Encouraging the Dairying Interests of the State.

Introduction, first and second reading, 218.

Reference, 219.

Reported back, 659.

Third reading, 706.

Passed, 707.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

Received from Senate, 1068.

Other action, 1179, 1221.

House Bill No. 116.—(Lackey)

House Bill No. 116. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Appointment by the Attorney General of a Special Assistant Attorney General to Act as Attorney for the Board of Railroad Commissioners, Prescribing the Duties of Such Special Assistant Attorney General, Requiring a Bond to be Given, Fixing His Salary, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Introduction, first and second reading, 219.

Reference, 219.

Reported back, 305.

Amended, 305, 339.

Indefinitely postponed, 339.

House Bill No. 117.—(Walker)

House Bill No. 117. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to be Used by the Adjutant General to Assist in Defraying Part of the Expense in Connection With the Litigation by Company A, First Regiment, North Dakota National Guard Training School, a Corporation; and Protecting and Preserving the Title to the Armory and Property of said Company A Located in the City of Bismarck, and Protecting the State's Interest in said Armory.

Introduction, first and second reading, 219.

Reference, 219.

Reported back, 448.

Indefinitely postponed, 449.

House Bill No. 118.—(Freeman and Ulland)

House Bill No. 118. For an Act to appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Three Dollars and $65/100$ (\$10,953.65) or so much thereof as may be needed, for the purpose of paying the Per Diem, and expenses of employees, the Per Diem and mileage of witnesses and expenses for Printing and Supplies incurred by the Special Audit Committee appointed by the House of Representatives of the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in considering the Audit of and investigating the State Bank and State Industries as authorized and directed by said House of Representatives.

Introduction, first and second reading, 219.

Reference, 219.

Reported back, 756.

Amended, 811.

Third reading, 839, 1412.

Passed, 840, 1413.

Messaged to Senate, 849.

Received from Senate, 1410.

Amended by Senate, 1410.

Other action, 1422, 1518, 1521.

House Bill No. 119.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 119. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$63,000.00 for the Care of Insane Patients Whose Residence Can not be Determined and Whose Care Must be Borne by the State.

Introduction, first and second reading, 228.

Reference, 228.

Reported back, 449.

Third reading, 502.

Passed, 502.

Messaged to Senate, 503.

Received from Senate, 1069.

Other action, 479, 1179, 1221.

House Bill No. 120.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 120. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1190 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 199 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 53 of the Laws of North Dakota, Special Session of the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 113 Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to the Consolidation of Schools; and contracting for the transportation of pupils to and from said schools; and Providing for a board of Arbitration, and for Discontinuance of Transportation.

Introduction, first and second reading, 229.

Reference, 229.

Reported back, 325.

Indefinitely postponed, 325.

House Bill No. 121.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 121. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Discontinuance of Consolidated Schools and the Sale of Consolidated School Buildings.

Introduction, first and second reading, 229.

Reference, 229.

Reported back, 280.

Indefinitely postponed, 281.

House Bill No. 122.—(Burkhart and Burns)

House Bill No. 122. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Maintenance of the Office of Commissioner of Immigration for the Biennial Term Ending June 30, 1925, in Order to Comply with the Provisions of Chapter 146 of the Session Laws of 1919, Restricting its use to that office; for Collecting Material and Making Certain Exhibits and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

Introduction, first and second reading, 229.

Reference, 229.

Reported back, 763.

Indefinitely postponed, 764.

House Bill No. 123.—(Harrington)

House Bill No. 123. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Completion and Furnishing of the Liberty Memorial Building.

Introduction, first and second reading, 229.

Reference, 229, 450.

Reported back, 450.

Third reading, 532.

Passed, 533.

Messaged to Senate, 532.

Received from Senate, 1310.

Other action, 510, 524, 1321.

House Bill No. 124.—(Ulland and Freeman)

House Bill No. 124. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of Twelve Thousand Sixty-five and 15-100 Dollars (\$12,065.15) for the Payment to Bishop Brissman & Co. of the Sum Due them for the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, and for other Services rendered.

Introduction, first and second reading, 229.

Reference, 229.

Reported back, 696.

Third reading, 842.

Passed, 843.

Messaged to Senate, 849.

Received from Senate, 1310.

Other action, 1321.

House Bill No. 125.—(Kopp and Frandson)

House Bill No. 125. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 25 of Chapter 192, laws of North Dakota for 1919, Providing for the Appointment by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of Special Examiners, and Authorizing Such Special Examiners to Administer Oaths, Examine Witnesses, and Receive Evidence in Proceedings Before, or Investigations Made by the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Introduction, first and second reading, 229.

Reference, 230.

Reported back, 305.

Indefinitely postponed, 305.

House Bill No. 126.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 126. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Printing and Publication of Session Laws of the State of North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 242.

Reference, 242.

Reported back, 367.

Indefinitely postponed, 367.

House Bill No. 127.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 127. A Bill for an Act to appropriate the Sum of \$3,000.00 to the North Dakota Firemen's Association as Provided by Sections 1839, 1840 and 1841 of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Introduction, first and second reading, 242.

Reference, 242.

Reported back, 592.

Indefinitely postponed, 592.

House Bill No. 128.—(Harrington)

House Bill No. 128. A Bill for an Act Legalizing Certain Acts of City and Village Officials.

Introduction, first and second reading, 242.

Reference, 242.

Reported back, 491.

Amended, 546.

Third reading, 569.

Passed, 570.

Messaged to Senate, 571.

Received from Senate, 1466.

Other action, 565, 1519, 1521.

House Bill No. 129.—(Jardine)

House Bill No. 129. A Bill for an Act Providing a Method by Which Taxing Districts May Make Short Time Borrowings and Conduct Their Current Business Upon a Cash Basis; Providing That No Warrants May Be Issued in Excess of Cash on Hand; Providing for the Funding of Floating or Unfunded Indebtedness of Counties, Cities, Villages, Townships, School Districts, and Other Taxing Districts; Making the County Treasurer Custodian of Sinking Funds of All Taxing Districts; Providing for the Registering in the County Auditor's Office of All Bond Issues and Certificates of Indebtedness; Prohibiting the Incurring of Indebtedness in Excess of Anticipated Revenues; Making Criminal Certain Violations of This Act, and Providing Penalties Therefor, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict With this Act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 242, 243.

Reference, 243.

Reported back, 898.

Third reading, 933.

Passed, 933, 1463.

Messaged to Senate, 934.

Received from Senate, 1462.

Amended by Senate, 1462.

Other action, 1464, 1533, 1535.

House Bill No. 130.—(Jardine)

House Bill No. 130. A Bill for an Act Providing That Public Officials of Taxing Districts Issuing Certificates of Indebtedness or Bonds Shall Advertise For Bids in Certain Cases and Providing the Procedure to Be Followed in Connection Therewith, Prescribing Penalties for the Violation of this Act, and Repealing all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with this Act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 243.

Reference, 243.

Reported back, 896.

Amended, 897.

Third reading, 932.

Passed, 932.

Messaged to Senate, 934.

Received from Senate, 1477.

Amended by Senate, 1477.

Other action, 1520, 1522.

House Bill No. 131.—(Jardine)

House Bill No. 131. For an Act to limit the rate in mills which may be levied by taxing districts; providing a method of suspending such limitations in certain cases; prescribing penalties for violation of this act by County Auditors; and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 243.
 Reference, 243.
 Reported back, 892.
 Amended, 895, 928.
 Third reading, 929.
 Passed, 929, 1499.
 Messaged to Senate, 934.
 Received from Senate, 1481.
 Conference Committee, 1482, 1497.

House Bill No. 132.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 132. A Bill for an Act Entitled, An Act to Appropriate Money for the Use of the Board of Railroad Commissioners Between the Following Dates, January 1st, 1923 and June 30th, 1923, and Specifying the Purpose for Which the Appropriation is Made.

Introduction, First and Second Reading, 243.
 Reference, 243.
 Reported back, 329.
 Amended, 384.
 Third reading, 426.
 Indefinitely postponed, 1071.
 Passed, 427.
 Messaged to Senate, 433.
 Received from Senate, 1071, 1319.
 Other action, 412, 1245, 1261, 1392, 1479.

House Bill No. 133.—(Kopp)

House Bill No. 133. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3116 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Introduction, first and second reading, 243.
 Reference, 243.
 Reported back, 523.
 Amended, 601.
 Third reading, 668.
 Passed, 669.
 Messaged to Senate, 673.
 Received from Senate, 1111.
 Other action, 1182, 1224.

House Bill No. 134.—(Johnson of Pembina)

House Bill No. 134. A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money to Be Expended by the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor for Immigration Purposes as Defined by Chapter 147 Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917.

Introduction, first and second reading, 243.
 Reference, 244.
 Reported back, 764.
 Indefinitely postponed, 764.

House Bill 135.—(Johnson of Pembina)

House Bill No. 135. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 997 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 28 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to the Butchers Report of Branded Animals Killed.

Introduction, first and second reading, 244.

Reference, 244.

Reported back, 326.

Indefinitely postponed, 326.

House Bill No. 136.—(Johnson of Pembina)

House Bill No. 136. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Providing for the Appointment of County Brand Inspectors; Defining the Duties of Railways in the Shipment of Certain Stock; With Penalty for Violation.

Introduction, first and second reading, 244.

Reference, 244.

Reported back, 744.

Indefinitely postponed, 744.

House Bill No. 137.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 137. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings and Miscellaneous Expenses of the Rock Island Military Reservation at Devils Lake, North Dakota.

Introduction, 261.

Reference, 261.

Reported back, 281.

Other action, 261.

House Bill No. 138.—(Harrington)

House Bill No. 138. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 95 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Being an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 63, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Prescribing and Limiting Punishment of the Crime of Murder in the First Degree and Limiting the Time, Manner and Condition Whereby Such Person May be Pardoned.

Introduction, first and second reading, 261.

Reference, 261.

Reported back, 328.

Amended, 384.

Third reading, 427, 1263.

Passed, 427, 1264.

Messaged to Senate, 433.

Received from Senate, 1204.

Amended by Senate, 1204.

Other action, 412, 1244, 1314, 1327.

House Bill No. 139.—(Harrington)

House Bill No. 139. A Bill for an Act Authorizing Abate-
ments to Purchasers of Tax Certificates on State Land.

Introduction, first and second reading, 262.

Reference, 262.

Reported back, 890.

Third reading, 925.

Passed, 925.

Messaged to Senate, 934.

Received from Senate, 1189.

Other action, 1244, 1314.

House Bill No. 140.—(Sproul)

House Bill No. 140. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-
enact Section 3 of Chapter 107 of the Session Laws for
the Year 1921, Relating to Non-resident Tuition Fees and
Providing a Method for the Collection Thereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 262.

Reference, 262.

Reported back, 617.

Indefinitely postponed, 617.

House Bill No. 141.—(Carr)

House Bill No. 141. A Bill for an Act, entitled an Act, to
Amend Sections 10, 14, 15, 17, 20 and 23 of Chapter 147,
Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Being an Act Declaring
the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the
Banking Business and to Establish a System of Banking
Under the Name of the Bank of North Dakota, Operated by
the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Opera-
tion and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged
with its Management; Making an Appropriation Therefor;
and Providing Penalties for the Violations of Certain
Provisions Thereof Approved February 25th 1919, as
Amended by an Act, entitled an Act Amending the Bank
of North Dakota Act, Providing for the Deposit of all
State, County, Township, Municipal and School District
Funds, and Funds of all Penal, Educational and Indus-
trial Institutions and All Other Public Funds in the Bank
of North Dakota, Passed at the Election November 2nd,
1920.

Introduction, first and second reading, 262.

Reference, 262.

Reported back, 518.

Amended, 582.

Third reading, 630.

Lost, 631.

House Bill No. 142.—(Craig)

House Bill No. 142. A Bill for an Act Providing for the
Proper Protection of Guests in Hotels, Restaurants and
Rooming Houses.

Introduction, first and second reading, 262.

Reference, 262.

Reported back, 326.

Amended, 361.

Third reading, 399, 1032.

Passed, 400, 1032.

Messaged to Senate, 403.

Received from Senate, 1031.

Amended by Senate, 1031.

Other action, 388, 1111.

House Bill No. 143.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 143. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Notices of Taxes Due the United States, with Certain County Officers.

Introduction, first and second reading, 262.

Reference, 262.

Reported back, 364.

Amended, 385.

Third Reading, 429.

Passed 430.

Messaged to Senate, 433.

Received from Senate, 642.

Other action, 412, 732, 751.

House Bill No. 144.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 144. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Presentation, Payment and Registration of Warrants Issued by any County, City, Village, Township, School District, or Other Political Sub-Division of the State, and Prescribing the Duties of the Treasurer in Respect Thereto.

Introduction, first and second reading, 263.

Reference, 263.

Reported back, 370.

Indefinitely postponed, 370.

House Bill No. 145.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 145. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Closing and Liquidation of the Business Heretofore Conducted by the State of North Dakota in the Operation of a State Experimental Creamery; Providing for the Transfer of all Funds to the General Fund of the State Repealing Chapter 149 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Introduction, first and second reading, 263.

Reference, 263.

Reported back, 370.

Amended, 401.

Third reading, 401.

Passed, 402.

Received from Senate, 1111.

Other action, 388, 401, 413, 1182, 1224.

House Bill No. 146.—(Quade)

House Bill No. 146. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2212 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 252 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to the Duty of the County Auditor and the Requirements of the Transfer of Real Property as to Taxes, Deeds and Other Instruments of Conveyance.

Introduction, first and second reading, 263.

Reference, 263.

Reported back, 327.

Third reading, 352.

Indefinitely postponed, 750.

Passed, 352.

Messaged to Senate, 750.

Other action, 345.

House Bill No. 147.—(Sathre and Twiehell)

House Bill No. 147. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Filing of Bills of Sale and Other Transfers of Personal Property and Prescribing the Effect of Such Filing.

Introduction, first and second reading, 263.

Reference, 263, 352.

Reported back, 328, 365.

Third reading, 402.

Passed, 402.

Messaged to Senate, 402.

Received from Senate, 1070.

Other action, 345, 1179, 1221.

House Bill No. 148.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 148. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Annual Reporting by County Auditor to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of all Elective Auditors and Clerks of Political Subdivisions of the County.

Introduction, first and second reading, 287.

Reference, 287, 414.

Reported back, 414.

Amended, 438.

Third reading, 458.

Passed, 459.

Messaged to Senate, 459.

Received from Senate, 1111.

Other action, 451, 1182, 1224.

House Bill No. 149.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 149. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, to Empower the Workmen's Compensation Bureau to Classify Employments, Fix Rates for Premium, Provide for Reserves and Surplus, Provide for Establishment of a System of Merit Rating, and to Provide for the Payment of Premiums Into the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Introduction, first and second reading, 287.

Reference, 287.

Reported back, 523.

Amended, 602.

Third reading, 669.

Passed, 670.

Messaged to Senate, 673.

Received from Senate, 1495.

Conference Committee, 1492.

Other action, 1466, 1533, 1534.

House Bill No. 150.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 150. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Reporting at the Workmen's Compensation Bureau of All Contracts Involving Labor Entered Into by All Political Subdivisions of the State.

Introduction, first and second reading, 287.

Reference, 287.

Reported back, 442.

Third reading, 497.

Passed, 498.

Messaged to Senate, 502.

Received from Senate, 1319.

Other action, 479, 1392, 1479.

House Bill No. 151.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 151. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Insurance of Employers with the Workmen's Compensation Fund Providing for Compensation for Injuries or Death of the Employer Himself, in Cases Where the Employer has Contracted for such Protection with the Bureau, also Providing for the Basis of Premium for such Protection.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 287.
- Reference, 288.
- Reported back, 485.
- Third reading, 525.
- Passed, 526.
- Messaged to Senate, 532.
- Received from Senate, 1111.
- Other Action, 512, 1182, 1224.

House Bill No. 152.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 152. A Bill for an Act Requiring the County Superintendent of Schools of all Counties to Report Names of School District Clerks to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 288.
- Reference, 288.
- Reported back, 413.
- Third reading, 457.
- Passed, 458.
- Messaged to Senate, 459.
- Received from Senate, 1111.
- Other action, 441, 1224.

House Bill No. 153.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 153. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 10 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Payment of Compensation Out of the Workmen's Compensation Fund and Providing that Compensation Shall be Paid for Injuries and Deaths From Injuries Occurring Outside the State of North Dakota only Under Circumstances as Provided in the Act.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 288.
- Reference, 288.
- Reported back, 518.
- Amended, 580.
- Third reading, 629.
- Passed, 630.
- Messaged to Senate, 648.
- Received from Senate, 1394.
- Other action, 1517, 1520.

House Bill No. 154.—(Slominski)

House Bill No. 154. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 10184 and 10185 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 126 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Manufacture or Sale of Cigarettes or Cigarette Papers.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 288.
- Reference, 288.
- Reported back, 444.
- Indefinitely postponed, 444.

House Bill No. 155.—(Hoople)

House Bill No. 155. A Bill for an Act Protecting Potato Growers and Sellers in Marketing Potatoes; Providing for Bonding Commission Merchants, Solicitors and Persons Buying Same on Consignment; Providing Penalties for Violation of this Act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 288.

Reference, 288.

Reported back, 603.

Indefinitely postponed, 603.

House Bill No. 156.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 156. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Keeping Open, Running, or Permitting the Running of Any Place for Public Dancing on the First Day of the Week, Commonly Called the Sabbath, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Introduction, first and second reading, 288.

Reference, 288.

Reported back, 444.

Third reading, 498.

Indefinitely postponed, 1262.

Passed, 498, 1464.

Messaged to Senate, 503, 1451.

Received from Senate, 1262, 1464.

Other action, 479, 1451, 1519, 1522.

House Bill No. 157.—(Hardy)

House Bill No. 157. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1154 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in School Elections.

Introduction, first and second reading, 288.

Reference, 289.

Reported back, 366.

Amended, 385.

Third reading, 430.

Indefinitely postponed, 615.

Passed, 430.

Messaged to Senate, 433.

Received from Senate, 615.

Other action, 412.

House Bill No. 158.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 158. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article IV of Chapter 206 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to the Transportation of Pupils.

Introduction, first and second reading, 289.

Reference, 289.

Reported back, 325.

Amended, 360.

Indefinitely postponed, 398.

Other action, 388.

House Bill No. 159.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 159. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Retention of Certain Part of the Salary of Teachers in the Public Schools of North Dakota.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 289.
- Reference, 289.
- Reported back, 325.
- Amended, 361.
- Third reading, 398.
- Indefinitely postponed, 750.
- Passed, 399.
- Messaged to Senate, 403.
- Received from Senate, 750.
- Other action, 388.

House Bill No. 160.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 160. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921 Relating to the Payment of Non-resident Tuition Fee in the High School Department of Standardized Graded and Standardized High Schools Receiving State Aid.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 289.
- Reference, 289.
- Reported back, 391.
- Indefinitely postponed, 391.

House Bill No. 161.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 161. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1398 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Free Text Books in Public Schools.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 289.
- Reference, 289.
- Reported back, 390.
- Third reading, 432.
- Passed, 433.
- Messaged to Senate, 433.
- Received from Senate, 1087.
- Amended by Senate, 1087.
- Other action, 412, 1087, 1088, 1182, 1223.

House Bill No. 162.—(Cart)

House Bill No. 162. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Collection of Such Taxes by the State Treasurer and Providing a Method of Apportionment and Distribution Thereof.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 289.
- Reference, 289.
- Reported back, 775.
- Indefinitely postponed, 775.

House Bill No. 163.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 163. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1382, Article 21, Chapter Five General School Laws of the State of North Dakota, Entitled School Year and School Week Defined. Holidays.

Introduction, first and second reading, 289.

Reference, 290.

Reported back, 391.

Amended, 435.

Third reading, 471.

Passed, 472.

Messaged to Senate, 475.

Received from Senate, 1083.

Amended by Senate, 1083.

Other action, 451, 471, 1083, 1084, 1182, 1223.

House Bill No. 164.—(Fedge)

House Bill No. 164. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 6857 and 6858 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Farm Laborer's Lien Providing for the Lien for Labor or Services Performed on Farms.

Introduction, first and second reading, 290.

Reference, 290.

Reported back, 489.

Indefinitely postponed, 490.

House Bill No. 165.—(Hempel)

House Bill No. 165. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 58 of the Special Session of North Dakota for 1919.

Introduction, first and second reading, 290.

Reference, 290.

Reported back, 709, 765.

Third reading, 795.

Passed, 795.

Messaged to Senate, 804.

Received from Senate, 1189.

Other action, 1244, 1314.

House Bill No. 166.—(Sathre)

House Bill No. 166. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8325 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Actions Arising Out of Personal Injury or Death Resulting from Wrongful Acts.

Introduction, first and second reading, 308.

Reference, 308.

Reported back, 515.

Amended, 580.

Third reading, 628.

Passed, 629.

Messaged to Senate, 648.

Received from Senate, 1394.

Other action, 1518, 1520.

House Bill 167.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 167. A Bill for an Act Regulating Practice of Dental Hygiene and Providing for the Examination and Certification of Dental Hygienists and Regulating the Practice of Dental Hygiene.

Introduction, first and second reading, 308.

Reference, 308.

Reported back, 551.

Indefinitely postponed, 551.

House Bill No. 168.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 168. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6750 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Standardized Form of Mortgage.

Introduction, first and second reading, 308.

Reference, 308.

Reported back, 444.

Amended, 444, 445, 507.

Third reading, 530.

Passed, 531.

Messaged to Senate, 532.

Received from Senate, 1112.

Other action, 512, 1182, 1224.

House Bill No. 169.—(Kopp)

House Bill No. 169. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 988 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Disability of Electors in Marking Their Ballots.

Introduction, first and second reading, 308.

Reference, 309, 704.

Reported back, 521, 729.

Amended, 583, 603.

Third reading, 670, 851.

Lost, 670.

Passed, 851.

Messaged to Senate, 862.

Received from Senate, 1319.

Other action, 704, 1392, 1479, 1405.

House Bill No. 170.—(Walker)

House Bill No. 170. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8657 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Letters of Administration, Who Entitled to Same.

Introduction, first and second reading, 309.

Reference, 309.

Reported back, 442.

Indefinitely postponed, 443.

House Bill No. 171.—(Walker)

House Bill No. 171. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8682 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Executors, Administrators and Guardians.

Introduction, first and second reading, 309.

Reference, 309.

Reported back, 443.

Indefinitely postponed, 444.

House Bill No. 172.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 172. For an Act Relating to County Commissioners' Powers and Duties with regard to Contracts let on Competitive Bids.

Introduction, first and second reading, 309.

Reference, 309, 499.

Reported back, 445, 826.

Amended, 873.

Third reading, 923, 1343.

Indefinitely postponed, 1071.

Passed, 924, 1344.

Messaged to Senate, 934.

Received from Senate, 1070.

Amended by Senate, 1343.

Other action, 479, 1245, 1261, 1392, 1479.

House Bill No. 173.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 173. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 and Section 2 of Chapter 173 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919 Relating to Union Label.

Introduction, first and second reading, 330.

Reference, 330.

Reported back, 480.

Indefinitely postponed, 484.

House Bill No. 174.—(Lakie and McManus)

House Bill No. 174. A Bill for an Act Making it Unlawful to Drive a Closed Vehicle Without Windows.

Introduction, first and second reading, 330.

Reference, 330, 515.

Reported back, 515, 547.

Indefinitely postponed, 548.

House Bill 175.—(Lazier)

House Bill No. 175. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7 of Chapter 56, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Legal Depositories for the Funds of Public Corporations and Providing for the Procedure and Regulation Under Which Such Funds Shall be Deposited.

Introduction, first and second reading, 330.

Reference, 330.

Reported back, 596.

Indefinitely postponed, 596.

House Bill No. 176.—(Twichell)

House Bill No. 176. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Any County in North Dakota to Issue Funding or Refunding Bonds for the Purpose of Funding or Refunding Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Indebtedness.

Introduction, first and second reading, 330.

Reference, 330.

Reported back, 492.

Third reading, 529.

Passed, 530.

Messaged to Senate, 532.

Received from Senate, 1070.

Other action, 513, 1179, 1221, 1525.

House Bill No. 177.—(Cole)

House Bill No. 177. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6790 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 349.
- Reference, 349.
- Reported back, 489.
- Third reading, 526.
- Passed, 527.
- Messaged to Senate, 532.
- Received from Senate, 1103.
- Amended by Senate, 1103.
- Other action, 513, 1104, 1105, 1183, 1224.

House Bill No. 178.—(Freeman)

House Bill No. 178. A Bill for an Act Re-enacting Section 2125 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 349.
- Reference, 349, 494.
- Reported back, 493, 656.
- Indefinitely postponed, 493, 656.
- Other action, 493.

House Bill No. 179.—(Burns)

House Bill No. 179. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1506 of Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 140 of the Session Laws of 1915 and by Chapter 161 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Membership in the Teachers' Insurance and Retirement Fund.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 350.
- Reference, 350.
- Reported back, 513.
- Indefinitely postponed, 513.

House Bill No. 180.—(Burns)

House Bill No. 180. A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Levy in Unincorporated Villages for the Purpose of Purchasing and Maintaining Adequate Apparatus for the Extinguishment of Fires, and Maintaining a Fire Department.

- Introduction, first and second reading, 350.
- Reference, 350.
- Reported back, 709.
- Amended, 730.
- Third reading, 852.
- Passed, 852.
- Messaged to Senate, 862.
- Received from Senate, 1070.
- Other action, 1179, 1221.

House Bill No. 181.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 181. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, Supervising and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxi Cab or Auto Livery, Places Where Soft Drinks are Sold or Where Cigars and Tobacco are sold, or Public Halls Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes, Providing the Licensing Fees Therefor and Repealing Chapter 84 of the Session Laws of 1921 and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Herewith.

Introduction; first and second reading, 350.

Reference, 350.

Reported back, 609.

Indefinitely postponed, 615.

House Bill No. 182.—Halcrow)

House Bill No. 182. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Publication of Delinquent Tax List.

Introduction, first and second reading, 350.

Reference, 350.

Reported back, 484.

Indefinitely postponed, 484.

House Bill No. 183.—(Harrington)

House Bill No. 183. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4926, Compiled Laws 1913, Relating to Resident and Non-Resident Insurance Agents.

Introduction, first and second reading, 350.

Reference, 350.

Reported back, 515.

Indefinitely postponed, 515.

House Bill No. 184.—(Larson)

House Bill No. 184. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3126, Compiled Laws, State of North Dakota for 1913; and Providing for a Shrinkage Allowance to Local Grain Buyers, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Introduction, first and second reading, 374.

Reference, 374.

Reported back, 522.

Third reading, 567.

Passed, 568.

Messaged to Senate, 571.

Received from Senate, 1096.

Amended by Senate, 1096.

Other action, 549, 1097.

Lost, 1098.

House Bill No. 185.—(Larson)

House Bill No. 185. A Bill for an Act Defining Persons Who Are Authorized to Buy and Sell Grain Within the State of North Dakota, and Providing for a License to be Furnished by Such Grain Buyers.

Introduction, first and second reading, 374.

Reference, 374.

Reported back, 523.

Amended, 601.

Indefinitely postponed, 601.

Conference Committee, 1403.

House Bill No. 186.—(Johnson of Pembina)

House Bill No. 186. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Time of Payment of Subsequent Taxes and holders of Unredeemed Tax Sale Certificates and Rate of Interest Such Payments Shall Bear.

Introduction, first and second reading, 374.

Reference, 374.

Reported back, 771.

Indefinitely postponed, 772.

House Bill No. 187.—(Sproul)

House Bill No. 187. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Destruction of Weeds on Public Highways by the Owner or Occupant of Land Abutting Thereon, Specifying Method of Procedure in Case of Failure to Do So and Assessment and Collection of Costs and to repeal Chapter 70 of the Session Laws of 1919, Special Session.

Introduction, first and second reading, 374.

Reference, 374, 696.

Reported back, 696.

Amended, 728.

Third reading, 798.

Indefinitely postponed, 1153.

Passed, 798.

Messaged to Senate, 805.

Received from Senate, 1153.

House Bill No. 188.—(McCay)

House Bill No. 188. A Bill for an Act Creating a Board of Dental Hygienist Examiners, Providing for the Examination, Registration and Regulation of the Practice of Dental Hygiene and Prescribing a Penalty of the Violation Thereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 374.

Reference, 375.

Reported back, 552.

Indefinitely postponed, 552.

House Bill No. 189.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 189. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1574 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the State Geological Survey.

Introduction, first and second reading, 376, 393.

Reference, 376.

Reported back, 592.

Third reading, 632.

Passed, 633.

Messaged to Senate, 648.

Received from Senate, 1067.

Other action, 389, 1179, 1222.

House Bill No. 190.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 190. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 2545 and 2546 of Article 3 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing for Relief of Needy Settlers.

Introduction, first and second reading, 376, 393.

Reference, 376.

Reported back, 592.

Third reading, 633.

Passed, 634.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1067.

Other action, 390, 1180, 1222.

House Bill No. 191.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 191. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1571 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Providing an Annual Appropriation for the Biological Station.

Introduction, first and second reading, 376, 393.

Reference, 376.

Reported back, 593.

Third reading, 634.

Passed, 635.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1067.

Other action, 390, 1180, 1222.

House Bill No. 192.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 192. A Bill for an Act Creating a Workmen's Compensation Commission; Prescribing the Liability of an Employer to Make Compensation by Way of Damages for Injuries Due to Accident or Occupational Disease Received by an Employee Arising out of and in the Course of Employment; Modifying Common Law and Statutory Remedies in Such Cases; Establishing an Alternative Elective Schedule of Compensation; Regulating Procedure for the Determination of Liability and Compensation Thereunder in Certain Cases; Repealing Chapter 162, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, and Acts Amendatory Thereof, and All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent with this Act, and Defining Terms Used Therein and Prescribing Penalties and Forfeitures for the Violation Thereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 375.

Reference, 375.

Reported back, 725.

Indefinitely postponed, 725.

House Bill No. 193.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 193. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists.

Introduction, first and second reading, 375.

Reference, 375.

Reported back, 184.

Amended, 545, 568.

Third reading, 569.

Passed, 569.

Messaged to Senate, 571.

Received from Senate, 1153.

Other action, 565, 1244, 1314.

House Bill No. 194.—(Hanson)

House Bill No. 194. A Bill for an Act Designating the Depositories of Public Funds and Fixing the Minimum Rate of Interest; Requiring Competitive Bids for Such Deposits; Providing for Publicity with Reference to Such Funds and Depositories; Prescribing Penalties for Violation of this Act; Defining Terms Used Herein, and Repealing Sections 147, 147a, 147b and Sections 370 to 374, Inclusive, Sections 1472 to 1488, Inclusive, Sections 3315 to 3329, Inclusive, of the Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 59 Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 56 Session Laws of 1921.

Introduction, first and second reading, 375.

Reference, 375.

Reported back, 596.

Amended, 686.

Third reading, 831, 1408.

Passed, 842, 1408.

Messaged to Senate, 849.

Received from Senate, 1407.

Amended by Senate, 1407.

Other action, 1518, 1520.

House Bill No. 195.—(Freeman)

House Bill No. 195. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to Interest to be Charged Upon Delinquent Inheritance Taxes.

Introduction, first and second reading, 375.

Reference, 375.

Reported back, 772.

Third reading, 862.

Passed, 863.

Messaged to Senate, 864.

Received from Senate, 1192.

Other action, 1244, 1314.

House Bill No. 196.—(Rustad)

House Bill No. 196. A Bill for an Act to Amend Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 73 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and as Further Amended by Chapters 141, 142, 143, 144 and 145 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, by Adding Sections 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39, Relating to and for the **Benefit** of Employees Injured and the Dependents of Employees Killed in Hazardous Employment, Fixing the Duties and Liabilities of Employers and Employees, and Providing Additional Methods of Securing the Payment of Obligations Arising in Favor of Injured Employees and Their Dependents.

Introduction, first and second reading, 376.

Reference, 376.

Reported back, 753.

Indefinitely postponed, 754.

House Bill No. 197.—(Hoople)

House Bill No. 197. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 122 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Limitation of tax Levies on All Taxable Property.

Introduction, first and second reading, 376.

Reference, 376.

Reported back, 817.

Indefinitely postponed, 817.

House Bill No. 198.—(Freeman)

House Bill No. 198. A Bill for an Act to Amend Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 73 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, and by Chapters 141, 142, 143, 144 and 145 of the Session Laws of 1921, by Adding Section 41, Relating to the Taxation of Insurance Companies and Self-Insurers for the Support of the Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

Introduction, first and second reading, 394.

Reference, 394.

Reported back, 751.

Indefinitely postponed, 753.

House Bill No. 199.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 199. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 162 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Exemption Members of Faculties of Higher Educational Institutions and Persons Employed as Superintendents, Principals and Teachers in the Public Schools from the Operations of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 394.

Reference, 394.

Reported back, 550.

Indefinitely postponed, 550.

House Bill No. 200.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 200. A Bill to Amend Section 8121 Code of Civil Procedure Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota Relating to Foreclosure of Land Contracts, Notice of Default in, Termination of Land Contracts.

Introduction, first and second reading, 394.

Reference, 394.

Reported back, 550.

Indefinitely postponed, 550.

House Bill No. 201.—(Larkin)

House Bill No. 201. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Introduction, first and second reading, 394.

Reference, 394.

Reported back, 552.

Third reading, 625.

Passed, 625.

Messaged to Senate, 648.

Received from Senate, 1394.

Other action, 1518, 1521.

House Bill No. 202.—(Boyd, Lynch, Harrington, Starke)

House Bill No. 202. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Teaching of Foreign Languages in the State of North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 394.

Reference, 394.

Reported back, 513.

Indefinitely postponed, 514.

House Bill No. 203.—(Harrington)

House Bill No. 203. A Bill for an Act to Empower Foreign Corporations to Exercise the Right of Eminent Domain.

Introduction, first and second reading, 394.

Reference, 395, 514.

Reported back, 514.

Amended, 821.

Indefinitely postponed, 821.

House Bill No. 204.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 204. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 959 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Preparation of Ballots for Constitutional Amendments and Extending the Same to Cover Initiated and Referred Measures.

Introduction, first and second reading, 395.

Reference, 395, 852.

Reported back, 743.

Amended, 875.

Third reading, 924.

Passed, 924.

Messaged to Senate, 934.

Received from Senate, 1394.

Other action, 1518, 1521.

House Bill No. 205.—(Larson)

House Bill No. 205. A Bill for an Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1917, Relating to Farmers' Institutes.

Introduction, first and second reading, 395.

Reference, 395.

Reported back, 755.

Third reading, 853.

Passed, 854.

Messaged to Senate, 862.

Received from Senate, 1196.

Other action, 1197, 1244, 1314.

House Bill No. 206.—(Halcrow and Burkhart)

House Bill No. 206. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 6, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Special Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 84, Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, and Supervising the Licensing and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theaters, Moving Picture Shows, Taxicab or Auto Liveryes, Places Where Soft Drinks are Retailed or Where Cigars and Tobacco are Sold, or Public Halls, Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes; Providing Fees Therefor, Inspectors, Office Help and Supplies Thereof; Defining Powers and Duties and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Therewith.

Introduction, first and second reading, 395.

Reference, 395.

Reported back, 778.

Amended, 868.

Third reading, 915.

Passed, 916.

Messaged to Senate, 934.

Received from Senate, 1466.

Other action, 1519, 1521.

House Bill No. 207.—(Vogel)

House Bill No. 207. A Bill for an Act for an Appropriation to the Board of Auditors as Provided for in Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Law Approved November 2nd, 1920.

Introduction, first and second reading, 480, 496.

Reference, 396, 496.

Reported back, 766.

Amended, 865.

Third reading, 910.

Passed, 911.

Messaged to Senate, 933.

Received from Senate, 1188.

Other action, 1244, 1314.

House Bill No. 208.—(Brown)

House Bill No. 208. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2846 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 104 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to Annual Cream Station Reports and Price Discrimination, Prescribing Penalties for Violations of this Act, and Making Certain Acts Prima Facie Evidence of Violation.

Introduction, first and second reading, 395.

Reference, 395.

Reported back, 724.

Indefinitely postponed, 724.

House Bill No. 209.—(Burns)

House Bill No. 209. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1440 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 212 of the Session Laws of 1917; Relating to State Aid for Rural Schools.

Introduction, first and second reading, 396.

Reference, 396.

Reported back, 555.

Indefinitely postponed, 555.

House Bill No. 210.—(Starke)

House Bill No. 210. A Bill for an Act Concerning Declaratory Judgments and Decrees and to Make Uniform the Laws Relating Thereto.

Introduction, first and second reading, 396.

Reference, 396.

Reported back, 663.

Third reading, 713.

Indefinitely postponed, 1071.

Passed, 714.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

Received from Senate, 1071.

Other action, 1091, 1518, 1521.

House Bill No. 211.—(Dougherty)

House Bill No. 211. A Bill for an Act to Require Insurance Companies to Make Prompt Settlement of Loss.

Introduction, first and second reading, 395.

Reference, 396.

Reported back, 550.

Third reading, 624.

Indefinitely postponed, 959.

Passed, 625.

Messaged to Senate, 648.

House Bill No. 212.—(Orange)

House Bill No. 212. A Bill for an Act Providing for the levying of a Tax to Create a Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Deficit in the Funds and the Indebtedness of the Home Building Associations of North Dakota, and in Paying the Indebtedness, Salaries, Expenses and Expenditures Incurred by the Industrial Commission in Liquidating and Winding Up the Business and Affairs of Said Association.

Introduction, first and second reading, 396.

Reference, 396.

Reported back, 773.

Third reading, 863.

Passed, 864.

Messaged to Senate, 864.

Received from Senate, 1199.

Other action, 1200, 1244, 1314, 1262.

House Bill No. 213.—(Orange)

House Bill No. 213. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1889 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the State Census, and When to be Taken.

Introduction, first and second reading, 396.

Reference, 396.

Reported back, 552.

Third reading, 625.

Indefinitely postponed, 1262.

Passed, 626.

Messaged to Senate, 648.

Received from Senate, 1262.

House Bill No. 214.—(Lakie)

House Bill No. 214. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 162 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended, Providing for a Workmen's Compensation Bureau, the Number, Duties, Salaries and Terms of Office of the Workmen's Compensation Commissioners; the Organization of the Bureau and Establishing Rules of Procedure and Investigation.

Introduction, first and second reading, 396.

Reference, 396.

Reported back, 701.

Indefinitely postponed, 701.

House Bill No. 215.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 215. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1 of Chapter 144 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year of 1921, Relating to Enforcement of Payment of Premiums to the Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Introduction, first and second reading, 397.

Reference, 397.

Reported back, 779.

Amended, 870.

Third reading, 917.

Passed, 918.

Messaged to Senate, 934.

Received from Senate, 1319.

Other action, 1392, 1479.

House Bill No. 216.—(Eckert and Heaton)

House Bill No. 216. A Bill for an Act to Authorize and empower the State Auditing Board to Borrow Money to Meet the Appropriations, to Provide for the Re-payment thereof with Interest, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Introduction, first and second reading, 456.

Reference, 396.

Reported back, 763.

Indefinitely postponed, 763.

Other action, 440.

House Bill No. 217.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 217. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Article 21 of Chapter 5 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 71 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919; an Act to Create a State Board of Accountancy and Prescribe Its Duties and Powers; to Provide for the Examination and Issuance of Certificates to Qualified Accountants. With the Designation of Certified Public Accountant; and to Provide the Penalty for Violations of the Provisions thereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 397.

Reference, 397.

Reported back, 620.

Indefinitely postponed, 620.

House Bill No. 218.—(Rustad—By Request)

House Bill No. 218. A Bill for an Act to Empower the Board of County Commissioners to Provide for Not to Exceed Five Hundred Dollars in Annual Premiums for Poultry Show.

Introduction, first and second reading, 397.

Reference, 397.

Reported back, 553.

Indefinitely postponed, 553.

House Bill No. 219.—(Rustad)

House Bill No. 219. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 6 of Chapter 77 of Session Laws for the Year 1921, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 160 of the 1919 Session Laws, as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the 16th Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Introduction, first and second reading, 397.

Reference, 397.

Reported back, 591.

Indefinitely postponed, 591.

House Bill No. 220.—(Rustad)

House Bill No. 220. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11 and 12 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance, and Repealing all Acts and Provisions in Conflict With the Sections as so Amended and Re-enacted.

Introduction, first and second reading, 397.

Reference, 397.

Reported back, 590.

Indefinitely postponed, 688.

House Bill No. 221.—(Elmer)

House Bill No. 221. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3241 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Removal of County Seats.

Introduction, first and second reading, 397.
Reference, 398.
Reported back, 653.
Indefinitely postponed, 655.

House Bill No. 222.—(Harrington)

House Bill No. 222. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Supervision and Regulation of the Transportation of Persons and Property for Compensation Over Any Public Highway by Motor Propelled Vehicles; Defining Transportation Companies; Providing for Supervision and Regulation Thereof by the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of North Dakota; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of this Act and for the Punishment of the Violations Thereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 398.
Reference, 398, 791.
Reported back, 695.
Amended, 871.
Third Reading, 918.
Indefinitely postponed, 695.
Passed, 919, 1460.
Messaged to Senate, 934.
Received from Senate, 1459.
Amended by Senate, 1459.
Other action, 791, 1533, 1535.

House Bill No. 223.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 223. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Examination and Certification of Dental Hygienists and Regulating the Practice of Dental Hygiene.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 414.
Reference, 414.
Reported back, 551.
Amended, 602.
Indefinitely postponed, 602-603.

House Bill No. 224.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 224. A Bill for an Act to Authorize the County Commissioners to Sell Certain Lots or Premises Bid in by the County for Delinquent Taxes Without Giving Notice of the Expiration of Redemption.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 414.
Reference, 414.
Reported back, 772.
Third reading, 859.
Passed, 860.
Messaged to Senate, 864.
Received from Senate, 1111.
Other action, 1183, 1224.

House Bill No. 225.—(Lackey)

House Bill No. 225. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4915 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 248 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 414.

Reference, 414.

Indefinitely postponed, 557.

House Bill No. 226.—(Goranson)

House Bill No. 226. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1462 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Admission of Non-Resident Students to County Agricultural and Training Schools, Providing for the Payment of Tuition of Such Non-Resident Students by the County of their Residence.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 414.

Reference, 415.

Reported back, 555.

Amended, 626.

Third reading, 627, 1418.

Passed, 627, 1418.

Messaged to Senate, 648.

Received from Senate, 1417.

Amended by Senate, 1417.

Other action, 1419, 1519, 1522.

House Bill No. 227.—(Cole)

House Bill No. 227. A Bill for an Act to amend and re-enact Section 2186 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913 relating to tax Liens and Providing that the Lien of Taxes upon land upon which the State has a mortgage or which the State has sold upon contract shall be inferior to the rights of the State.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 415.

Reference, 415.

Reported back, 891.

Third reading, 925.

Indefinitely postponed, 1071.

Passed, 926.

Messaged to Senate, 934.

Received from Senate, 1070.

House Bill No. 228.—(Cart)

House Bill No. 228. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Consolidation of Counties, or Portions Thereof into a New County; Organization Thereof and Disposal of Any Portions of Such Counties Not Included Therein.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 415.

Reference, 415.

Reported back, 665.

Amended, 726.

Third reading, 796.

Indefinitely postponed, 1280.

Passed, 797.

Messaged to Senate, 805.

Received from Senate, 1280.

House Bill No. 229.—(Library Committee)

House Bill No. 229. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Establishment, Maintenance, and Supervision of County Libraries.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 415.
 Reference, 415, 701.
 Reported back, 701, 728.
 Third reading, 799.
 Lost, 800.

House Bill No. 230.—(Boyd)

House Bill No. 230. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3785, 3786 and 3788 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Election, the Terms of Office and the Beginning of Such Terms of Office of the City Commissioners and the Police Magistrate of Cities Operating Under the Commission Form of Government.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 415.
 Reference, 415.
 Reported back, 693.
 Indefinitely postponed, 293, 693.

House Bill No. 231.—(Craig)

House Bill No. 231. A Bill for an Act Regulating the Signing of Recall Petitions; Preventing Fraud and Corruption and Providing Penalties for the Violation of the Provisions of this Act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 415.
 Reference, 415.
 Reported back, 693.
 Amended, 726.
 Third reading, 797.
 Indefinitely postponed, 1492.
 Passed, 798.
 Messaged to Senate, 805.

House Bill No. 232.—(Ulland)

House Bill No. 232. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Cancellation and Destruction of Negotiable Bonds and Interest Coupons Accompanying the Same, Heretofore or Hereafter, Issued by the State of North Dakota, in Any Case Where Such Bonds Have Matured and Have Been Paid, or Where Any Such Bonds Have Become Mutilated or Defaced in the Course of Issuing, Negotiating or Delivering the Same, or Where Such Bonds Have Been Issued and Remain Unsold; and Providing for the Re-issue of New Bonds in Lieu of Such Unsold, Mutilated or Defaced Bonds Which Have Been Cancelled and Destroyed.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 415.
 Reference, 416.
 Reported back, 598.
 Third reading, 642.
 Passed, 643.
 Messaged to Senate, 649.
 Received from Senate, 1200.
 Amended by Senate, 1201.
 Other action, 1202, 1244, 1315.

House Bill No. 233.—(Rustad, Miller, McDowell, Vogel)

House Bill No. 233. A Bill for an Act Restricting, Limiting, Fixing and Providing the Powers and Duties of the State Highway Commission and of the State Highway Department, with Respect to the Construction and Maintenance of Roads and Bridges Hereafter, and With Respect to Other Matters; Making Appropriations for the State Highway Commission and for Motor Vehicle Registration Expenses; Providing Method for the Making of Reports, by the Motor Vehicle Registration Clerk to the State Treasurer of Motor Vehicle Registration Fees Received, and For Payment of all Funds Received, into the State Highway Fund; Providing for the Disposal and Distribution of the State Highway Fund by the State Treasurer; Providing for the Creation of "County-Federal Road Maintenance Fund" in the several counties, and the Rights and Duties of Boards of County Commissioners with Respect Thereto; and Repealing Section Eleven (11) of Chapter 182 of the Session Laws of 1919 and all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent with This Act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 416.

Reference, 416.

Reported back, 516.

Amended, 683.

Third reading, 788.

Lost, 789.

House Bill No. 234.—(Heaton—By Request)

House Bill No. 234. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 570 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to the Powers of The Barbers' Examining Board.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 416.

Reference, 416.

Reported back, 656.

Indefinitely postponed, 656.

House Bill No. 235.—(Jardine)

House Bill No. 235. A Bill for an Act Providing for Withdrawal of Pupils From the Public Schools Two Hours per Week for Religious Instruction and Giving Pupils Credit for Such Instruction.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 416.

Reference, 416.

Reported back, 617.

Indefinitely postponed, 618.

House Bill No. 236.—(Erickson, Emmons and Kidder)

House Bill No. 236. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Joining of Territory to Consolidated School Districts.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 416.

Reference, 416.

Reported back, 722.

Amended, 805.

Indefinitely postponed, 806.

House Bill No. 237.—(Erickson, Emmons and Kidder)

House Bill No. 237. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Dissolution of Consolidated School Districts.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 417.

Reference, 417.

Reported back, 237.

Indefinitely postponed, 237.

House Bill No. 238.—(Peters)

House Bill No. 238. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 23 of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 417.

Reference, 417.

Reported back, 657.

Amended, 718.

Third reading, 844.

Passed, 845.

Messaged to Senate, 849.

Received from Senate, 1112.

Other action, 1183, 1224.

House Bill No. 239.—(Dougherty)

House Bill No. 239. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 10177 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913 Relating to the selling and Smoking of Opium, and the Sale and Use of Other Narcotics, and by Making More Definite the Procedure in Cases of Lease Hold Premises Held under an Injunction; Providing a Means Whereby Innocent Owners may Cancel a Lease Thereof and Further Providing the Breadth of the Operation in such Injunction by Making it Personal and Apply to Clerks, Servants and Agents, and to Include any Place Within the State.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 417.

Reference, 417.

Reported back, 822.

Amended, 872.

Third reading, 922.

Passed, 923.

Messaged to Senate, 934.

Received from Senate, 1192.

Other action, 1244, 1315.

House Bill No. 240.—(Olafson)

House Bill No. 240. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 667 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to County Commissioners Furnishing Bonds.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 417.

Reference, 417.

Reported back, 723.

Amended, 809.

Third reading, 841.

Passed, 841.

Messaged to Senate, 849.

Received from Senate, 1112.

Other action, 1183, 1224.

House Bill No. 241.—(Erickson, Emmons and Kidder)

House Bill No. 241. A Bill for an Act to Prevent the Entering Upon Thin Ice for the Purpose of Shooting, Killing or Taking of Wild Birds and Providing Penalty Therefor.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 417.

Reference, 417.

Reported back, 662.

Third reading, 713.

Lost, 713.

House Bill No. 242.—(Erickson, Emmons and Kidder)

House Bill Number 242. A Bill for an Act Designating the Legal Holidays in the State of North Dakota and to Amend and Re-enact Sections 7297 of Compiled Laws of North Dakota, 1913, as Amended by Chapter 143, Session Laws of North Dakota, 1919, and Chapter 74, of Session Laws of 1921.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 417.

Reference, 417.

Reported back, 615.

Indefinitely postponed, 615.

House Bill No. 243.—(Freeman)

House Bill No. 243. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Issue of Milling Bonds of the State of North Dakota to the Amount of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) and Providing for the Payment Thereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 418.

Reference, 418.

Reported back, 598.

Third reading, 645.

Passed, 646.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1098.

Amended by Senate, 1099.

Other action, 1102, 1103, 1183, 1225.

House Bill No. 244.—(Walker)

House Bill No. 244. A Bill for an Act Relating to Intra-state Freight Rates in North Dakota, Fixing the Maximum Rates and Charges for Transportation of Freight Intra-state, Providing Penalties and Punishment for the Violation Thereof, and Defining the Duties and Powers of the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 418.

Reference, 418.

Reported back, 692.

Amended, 726.

Indefinitely postponed, 726.

House Bill No. 245.—(Freeman)

House Bill No. 245. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 153 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Bonds of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Series.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 418.

Reference, 418.

Reported back, 597.

Third reading, 640.

Passed, 641.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1192.

Other action, 1245, 1315.

House Bill No. 246.—(Hoople)

House Bill No. 246. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-Enact Chapter 241, Session Laws 1919, Designating the State Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, Sealer and Inspector of Weights and Measures; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Providing Penalties and Repealing Sections 2998, 3001 and 3002 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to the Inspection and Sealing of Weights, Fixing Fees, Authorizing the Appointment of Deputy Inspectors and Providing for Their Compensation and Regulating the Use and Sale of Weights and Measures.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 418.

Reference, 418, 875.

Reported back, 725.

Indefinitely postponed, 849, 934.

Other action, 875.

House Bill No. 247.—(Watt)

House Bill No. 247. A Bill for an Act Levying a Tax Upon Admissions; Providing for the Collection, Return and Payment of the Tax Exempting Certain Classes of Admissions from the Tax Herein Levied; Providing for Credits and Refunds in Certain Cases; Providing Penalties for the Violation of This Act and for the Non-payment of the Tax; Authorizing the Tax Commissioner to Require Assistance from Certain Officials in the Administration of the Tax; and Authorizing Him to Make Rules and Regulations for the Enforcement of the Provisions of this Act.

Introduction, First and Second Reading, 410, 418.

Reference, 418.

Reported back, 823.

Indefinitely postponed, 823.

House Bill No. 248.—(Watt)

House Bill No. 248. A Bill for an Act Imposing a Tax Upon the Sale Within the State of North Dakota, of Tobacco in Boxes or Containers and Upon Cigars for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying Cost of State Government; Providing for the Administration and Collection of the Same.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 419.

Reference, 419.

Reported back, 823.

Indefinitely postponed, 823.

House Bill No. 249.—(Jardine—By Request)

House Bill No. 249. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3012 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Establishing Legal Weights for Bread and the Weight Units in which Bread Shall Be Sold, Manufactured for Sale, Offered or Exposed for Sale, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 419.

Reference, 419.

Reported back, 655.

Indefinitely postponed, 655.

House Bill No. 250.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 250. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 35 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915, Relating to Militia Grounds.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 419.

Reference, 419.

Reported back, 593.

Third reading, 635.

Passed, 636.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1067.

Other action, 1180, 1222.

House Bill No. 251.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 251. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 1631 and 1638 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Experiment Station at Fargo.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 419.

Reference, 419.

Reported back, 594.

Third reading, 636.

Passed, 636.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1067.

Other action, 1180, 1222.

House Bill No. 252.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 252. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1621 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Experiment Station at Fargo.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 419.

Reference, 419.

Reported back, 594.

Third reading, 636.

Passed, 637.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1069.

Other action, 1180, 1222.

House Bill No. 253.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 253. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1623 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Demonstration Farms.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 419.

Reference, 419.

Reported back, 594.

Third reading, 637.

Passed, 638.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1067.

Other action, 1180, 1222.

House Bill No. 254.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 254. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2696 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 419.

Reference, 419.

Reported back, 817.

Third reading, 879.

Passed, 880.

Messaged to Senate, 885.

Received from Senate, 1066.

Other action, 1180, 1222.

House Bill No. 255.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 255. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1839 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota, Relating to North Dakota's Firemen's Association.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 420.

Reference, 420.

Reported back, 595.

Third reading, 638.

Passed, 638.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1066.

Other action, 1180, 1222.

House Bill No. 256.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 256. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4 of Chapter 65 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Assistant Attorney General for the Board of University and School Lands.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 420.

Reference, 420.

Reported back, 764.

Indefinitely postponed, 764.

House Bill No. 257.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 257. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1624 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Enforcement, Beverage and Sanitary Laws.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 420.

Reference, 420.

Reported back, 818.

Third reading, 880.

Passed, 881.

Messaged to Senate, 885.

Received from Senate, 1066.

Other action, 1180, 1222.

House Bill No. 258.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 258. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2671 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Cruelty to Animals.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 420.

Reference, 420.

Reported back, 818.

Third reading, 880.

Passed, 880.

Messaged to Senate, 885.

Received from Senate, 1069.

House Bill No. 259.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 259. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11108 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Board of Pardons.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 420.

Reference, 420.

Reported back, 759, 817.

Third reading, 878.

Passed, 879.

Messaged to Senate, 885.

Received from Senate, 1068.

Other action, 1180, 1222.

House Bill No. 260.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 260. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 27 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to State Fish Hatchery.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 420.

Reference, 420.

Reported back, 659.

Third reading, 707.

Passed, 708, 1070.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

Received from Senate, 1066.

Other action, 1181, 1222.

House Bill No. 261.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 261. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 11 of Chapter 31 of the Session Laws of Special Session of 1919, Relating to Appropriation to State Dairy Commissioner.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 420.

Reference, 420.

Reported back, 659.

Third reading, 708.

Passed, 709.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

Received from Senate, 1068.

Other action, 1181, 1222.

House Bill No. 262.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 262. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1661 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Serum Institute.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 421.

Reference, 421.

Reported back, 660.

Third reading, 710.

Passed, 710.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

Received from Senate, 1067.

Other action, 1181, 1223.

House Bill No. 263.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 263. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 335 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Expenses, Sale of Land.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 421.

Reference, 421.

Reported back, 818.

Third reading, 881.

Indefinitely postponed, 1188.

Passed, 882.

Messaged to Senate, 885.

Received from Senate, 1086.

Amended by Senate, 1086.

Conference Committee, 1107.

Other action, 1188.

House Bill No. 264.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 264. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 2786 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Live Stock Association.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 421.

Reference, 421.

Reported back, 595.

Third reading, 638.

Passed, 639.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1068.

Other action, 1181, 1223.

House Bill No. 265.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 265. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 5117 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to North Dakota Poultry Association.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 421.

Reference, 421.

Reported back, 595.

Third reading, 639.

Passed, 640.

Messaged to Senate, 649.

Received from Senate, 1068.

Other action, 1185, 1223.

House Bill No. 266.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 266. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to North Dakota Dairymen's Association.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 421.

Reference, 421.

Reported back, 660.

Third reading, 711.

Passed, 711.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

Received from Senate, 1067.

Other action, 1181, 1223.

House Bill No. 267.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 267. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 11 of Chapter 71 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota, Relating to Board of Administration.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 421.

Reference, 421.

Reported back, 766.

Amended, 865.

Third Reading, 910.

Passed, 910.

Messaged to Senate, 933.

Received from Senate, 1188.

Other action, 1245, 1315.

House Bill No. 268.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 268. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 813 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for the State of North Dakota, Relating to Disbarment Proceedings.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 421.

Reference, 421.

Reported back, 660.

Third reading, 711.

Passed, 712.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

Received from Senate, 1067.

Other action, 1181, 1222.

House Bill No. 269.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 269. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 16 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Special Session of 1919, Relating to Testing Dairy Products.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 422.

Reference, 422.

Reported back, 660.

Third reading, 712.

Passed, 713.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

Received from Senate, 1067.

Other action, 1181, 1223.

House Bill No. 270.—(Appropriations Committee)

House Bill No. 270. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 17 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Artesian Waters, and to Repeal Section 9 of Said Chapter.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 422.

Reference, 422.

Reported back, 819.

Third reading, 882.

Lost, 883.

House Bill No. 271.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 271. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5 of Chapter 38 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Conciliation of Controversies.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 422.

Reference, 422.

Reported back, 617.

Third reading, 671.

Indefinitely postponed, 1188 .

Passed, 672.

Message to Senate, 673.

House Bill No. 272.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 272. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 11291, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota 1913, as Amended by Chapter 86 of the Session Laws of 1917, Authorizing and Allowing the Parole of Inmates of the State Training School.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 422.

Reference, 422.

Reported back, 758.

Indefinitely postponed, 758.

House Bill No. 273.—(Halcrow)

House Bill No. 273. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the State Board of Administration of the State of North Dakota to Accept for the State of North Dakota the Tender, Without Consideration, of a Deed to the Brick Veneer Court House Building at Pembina, Pembina County, North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 422.

Reference, 422.

Reported back, 754.

Indefinitely postponed, 755.

House Bill No. 274.—(Freeman)

House Bill No. 274. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2093 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Providing for the Forfeiture of the Certificate of an Abstractor.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 422.

Reference, 422.

Reported back, 663.

Indefinitely postponed, 663.

House Bill No. 275.—(Harrington, Lynch, Boyd, Haugland, Starke)

House Bill No. 275. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Purchase by the Industrial Commission of Claims Against the Returned Soldiers' Fund and for the Financing of Such Purchase by Such Commission, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 423.

Reference, 423.

Reported back, 657.

Third reading, 705.

Passed, 706.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

Received from Senate, 1319.

Other action, 1393, 1479.

House Bill No. 276.—(Jardine—By Request)

House Bill No. 276. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit the Misbranding of Goods, Wares and Merchandise and the Selling of Substitute Articles for the Original and Prescribing Penalty for Failure to Comply with the Provisions of This Act.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 423.

Reference, 423.

Reported back, 655.

Indefinitely postponed, 655.

House Bill No. 277.—(Miller)

House Bill No. 277. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1178 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Employing Public School Teachers and the Liability of School Officers.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 423.

Reference, 423.

Reported back, 618.

Third reading, 672.

Indefinitely postponed, 1071.

Passed, 673.

Messaged to Senate, 673.

Received from Senate, 1070.

House Bill No. 278.—(Haugland)

House Bill No. 278. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1781 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1905.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 423.

Reference, 423.

Reported back, 771.

Third reading, 858.

Passed, 859.

Messaged to Senate, 864.

Received from Senate, 1195.

Amended by Senate, 1195.

Other action, 1196, 1245, 1315.

House Bill No. 279.—(Peters)

House Bill No. 279. A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Fire Marshal's Department.

Introduction, first and second reading, 456.

Reference, 426.

Reported back, 595.

Amended, 685.

Third reading, 793.

Passed, 794.

Messaged to Senate, 804.

Received from Senate, 1474.

Amended by Senate, 1474.

Other action, 441, 1520, 1523.

House Bill No. 280.—(Heaton—By Request)

House Bill No. 280. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 565 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Registration of Barbers and Fee Thereon.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 423.

Reference, 423.

Reported back, 597.

Indefinitely postponed, 597.

House Bill No. 281.—(Heaton and Hoople)

House Bill No. 281. A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties and for Other Purposes.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 423.

Reference, 423.

Reported back, 664.

Third reading, 714.

Indefinitely postponed, 1492.

Passed, 715.

Messaged to Senate, 716.

House Bill No. 282.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 282. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 890 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Selection, Organization, Time and Place of Meeting of County and State Central Committees of Political Parties.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 424.

Reference, 424.

Reported back, 742.

Amended, 809.

Third reading, 831.

Passed, 832.

Messaged to Senate, 849.

Received from Senate, 1112.

Other action, 1183, 1225.

House Bill No. 283.—(No Bill for this number.)**House Bill No. 284.—(Brown)**

House Bill No. 284. A Bill for an Act to Promote the Development of Small Irrigation Projects and Authorizing the State Engineer to Provide Engineering Service Therefor.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 424.
Reference, 424.
Reported back, 700.
Indefinitely postponed, 700.

House Bill No. 285.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 285. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Members of Congress; for Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeemen and For the Apportionment and Term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; to Provide for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of New Parties with Reference Thereto; and to Repeal Section 501 of the Revised Code of 1899, Section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905 and Sections 857, 859, 889, 901a, 910, 912, 917, 918, 919 and 971a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and All Other Acts or Parts of Acts that Are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 424.
Reference, 424.
Reported back, 746.
Amended, 808.
Third reading, 835.
Passed, 836.
Messaged to Senate, 849.
Received from Senate, 1153.
Other action, 1245, 1315.

House Bill No. 286.—(Anderson of Burleigh)

House Bill No. 286. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 69 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Creation of a State Bar Board, Its Membership and Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties, and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and Issuance of Licenses.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 424.
Reference, 424.
Reported back, 664.
Indefinitely postponed, 664.

House Bill No. 287.—(Brown, Lackey)

House Bill No. 287. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 12 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws for the Year 1919, and Amended by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 424.

Reference, 424.

Reported back, 590.

Indefinitely postponed, 590.

House Bill No. 288.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 288. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Assistance by Taxation and Assessment of Benefits to Domestic Railroad Corporations Having Their Entire Line of Railway as Surveyed Within the State of North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 425.

Reference, 425.

Reported back, 723.

Indefinitely postponed, 723.

House Bill No. 289.—(Rabe)

House Bill No. 289. A Bill for an Act Relating to the Payment of Interest on money Deposited with Public Utilities for the Installation of Gas, Light, Water, Telephone or Other Services into the Homes and Places of Business of Its Patrons.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 425.

Reference, 425.

Reported back, 656.

Indefinitely postponed, 656.

House Bill No. 290.—(Link)

House Bill No. 290. A Bill for an Act Providing a Farm for the County Agent for the Purpose of Demonstration.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 425.

Reference, 425.

Reported back, 756.

Indefinitely postponed, 757.

House Bill No. 291.—(Morton)

House Bill No. 291. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Assistance by Taxation and Assessment of Benefits to Domestic Railroad Corporations, Having Their Entire Line of Railway as Surveyed Within the State of North Dakota.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 425.

Reference, 425.

Reported back, 692.

Indefinitely postponed, 692.

House Bill No. 292.—(Burkhart)

House Bill No. 292. A Bill for an Act Establishing an Educational Commission, Defining Its Purpose, Powers and Duties, and Prescribing a Method of Organization, and Fixing Times of Meetings.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 425.

Reference, 425.

Reported back, 618.

Indefinitely postponed, 619.

House Bill No. 292.—(Burkhart)

House Bill No. 293. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Forfeiture to the State of Real Property Upon Which Taxes Are Delinquent; Fixing the Period of Such Delinquency, the Notice to be Given and the Method of Service; and for Proceedings for a Sale of Such Property and the Disposition of the Proceeds.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 425.

Reference, 425.

Reported back, 664.

Indefinitely postponed, 665.

House Bill No. 294.—(Burkhart)

House Bill No. 294. A Bill for an Act Relating to Deposits in Banks, Declaring Same to be Trust Funds, and Providing Penalties for Unlawful Removal of Same.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 425.

Reference, 425.

Reported back, 621.

Indefinitely postponed, 622.

House Bill No. 295.—(Burkhart)

House Bill No. 295. A Bill for an Act Relating to Payment of Taxes and Abolishing Penalties.

Introduction, first and second reading, 410, 426.

Reference, 426.

Reported back, 772.

Indefinitely postponed, 772.

House Bill No. 296.—(Hempel and Starke)

House Bill No. 296. A Bill for a Concurrent Resolution Agreeing to a Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, by Changing Section 63 Thereof; Providing that Bills Introduced in Either House of the Legislative Assembly Shall Be Read Twice.

Introduction, first and second reading, 479, 497.

Reference, 497.

Reported back, 615.

Indefinitely postponed, 689.

House Bill No. 297.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 297. A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 34 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1921, Relating to Public Utilities.

Introduction, first and second reading, 497.

Reference, 497, 671.

Reported back, 598, 762.

Amended, 864.

Third reading, 667, 908.

Indefinitely postponed, 1492.

Passed, 668, 909.

Messaged to Senate, 933.

Other action, 670.

House Bill No. 298.—(Trubshaw)

House Bill No. 298. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4565 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Manner of Keeping Record of Business Transactions, Stock Book, Publicity, by Corporation.

Introduction, first and second reading, 525.

Reference, 525.

Indefinitely postponed, 562.

House Bill No. 299.—(Boyd—By Request)

House Bill No. 299. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2835, 2836 as Amended by Section 1 of Chapter 81 of the Session Laws of 1915, and Section 2837 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to the Establishment of a Dairy Department, the Appointment of a Dairy Commissioner and Assistant Dairy Commissioners, Defining their Qualifications and Fixing their Compensation.

Introduction refused, 622.

Reference, 525.

House Bill No. 300.—(Hempel)

House Bill No. 300. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Fixing Attorney Fees and Costs on the Foreclosure of Liens and Mortgages.

Introduction refused, 562.

Reference, 545.

House Bill No. 301.—(Delayed Bills)

House Bill No. 301. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8076 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Foreclosures of Mortgages by Agent or Attorney, and Legalizing and Validating Sales Heretofore Made Pursuant to Judgment in Foreclosures of Mortgages by Action.

Introduction, first and second reading, 564.

Reference, 545, 560.

Reported back, 759.

Amended, 864.

Third reading, 907.

Passed, 908.

Messaged to Senate, 933.

Received from Senate, 1202.

Amended by Senate, 1202.

Other action, 1203, 1245, 1316.

House Bill No. 302.—(Jackson)

House Bill No. 302. A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Cancellation and Reissue of the Unsold Bonds of North Dakota Bank Series.

Introduction, first and second reading, 560, 564.

Reference, 545, 564.

Reported back, 754.

Indefinitely postponed, 754.

House Bill No. 303.—(Ulland)

House Bill No. 303. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1951 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 72 of the Laws of 1919, Relating to the Construction of Bridges by County Commissioners.

Introduction, first and second reading, 561, 564.

Reference, 545, 564.

Reported back, 692.

Third reading, 794.

Indefinitely postponed, 1404.

Passed, 795.

Messaged to Senate, 804.

Received from Senate, 1404.

House Bill No. 304.—(Olson of Towner)

House Bill No. 304. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 66 of the Laws of North Dakota, 1921, Pertaining to the Giving of Notices of Intention to Foreclose Real Estate Mortgages.

Introduction, first and second reading, 561, 564.

Reference, 545, 564.

Reported back, 760.

Indefinitely postponed, 760.

House Bill No. 305.—(Carr)

House Bill No. 305. A Bill for an Act Providing for the Issue of Bonds on the State of North Dakota in a Sum not Exceeding Twenty-five Million Dollars to be known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Real Estate Series"; Prescribing the Terms and Stating the Purpose Thereof; Providing for a Tax and Making Other Provisions for the Payment of Interest and Principal on State Bonds, and to Carry Into Effect the Provisions of this Act; and Declaring This Act to be an Emergency Measure.

Introduction, first and second reading, 561, 564.

Reference, 545, 564.

Reported back, 748.

Amended, 810.

Third reading, 837, 1400.

Passed, 838, 1401.

Messaged to Senate, 849.

Received from Senate, 1399.

Conference Committee, 1400.

Other action, 1316, 1319, 1400, 1406, 1465, 1534, 1535.

House Bill No. 306.—(Currie)

House Bill No. 306. A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 1273 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Special School Districts and Prescribing Their Denominations and Rate of Interest.

Introduction, first and second reading, 562, 564.

Reference, 545, 564.

Reported back, 758.

Third reading, 854, 1416.

Passed, 855, 1416.

Messaged to Senate, 862.

Received from Senate, 1415.

Amended by Senate, 1415.

Other action, 1419, 1519, 1522.

House Bill No. 307.—(Watt)

House Bill No. 307. A Bill for an Act Compelling Telephone Companies to Cut Weeds Around All Telephone Poles and Prescribing a Penalty for Failure So to Do.

Introduction, first and second reading, 651, 666.

Reference, 564, 666.

Reported back, 760.

Indefinitely postponed, 760.

House Bill No. 308.—(Starke)

House Bill No. 308. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 130 of the Session Laws of 1919 Pertaining to Attorneys' Fees and Sheriff's Fees in Connection with Foreclosure Conducted by Advertisement.

Introduction, first and second reading, 651, 666.

Reference, 574, 666.

Reported back, 761.

Amended, 871.

Third reading, 919.

Lost, 920.

House Bill No. 309.—(Watt)

House Bill No. 309. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 369 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by the Initiated Act Approved November 2nd, 1920, Relating to the Duty of the State Board of Auditors to Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers, and Ascertain the Assets and Liabilities of the State Treasurer, Bank of North Dakota, and all Other Industrial Institutions of the State, and Make Report Thereof to the Governor, and Make the Same Public.

Introduction, first and second reading, 652, 666.

Reference, 623, 667.

Reported back, 744.

Third reading, 853.

Lost, 853.

House Bill No. 310.—(Watt)

House Bill No. 310. A Bill for an Act Directing and Empowering the State Board of Auditors to Annually Examine and Audit the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of The State Hail Insurance Department, and Workmen's Compensation Bureau, to Take Account of the Amounts and Conditions of the Assets and Liabilities of Each Department so Examined and Audited and Make Report Thereof to the Governor.

Introduction, first and second reading, 652, 667.

Reference, 623, 667.

Reported back, 770.

Third reading, 857.

Passed, 858.

Messaged to Senate, 862.

Received from Senate, 1084.

Amended by Senate, 1085.

Other action, 1085, 1086, 1183, 1224.

House Bill No. 311.—(Committee on State Affairs)

House Bill No. 311. A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3540 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 93, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Fees Paid to Newspapers for the Publication of Legal Notices.

Introduction, first and second reading, 653, 667.

Reference, 623, 667.

Reported back, 769.

Third reading, 857.

Passed, 857, 1494.

Messaged to Senate, 862.

Received from Senate, 1197.

Conference Committee, 1484, 1493.

Other action, 1316, 1533, 1534.

House Bill No. 312.—(Quade)

House Bill No. 312. A Bill for an Act to Fix the Number of Senators and Representatives Which Shall Compose the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, to Define the Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to Prescribe the Number of Senators and Representatives Therein.

Introduction, first and second reading, 653, 667.

Reference, 623, 667.

Reported back, 824.

Third reading, 904, 1414.

Passed, 904, 1415.

Messaged to Senate, 933.

Received from Senate, 1413.

Amended by Senate, 1413.

Other action, 1419, 1519, 1522.

House Bill No. 313.—(Sagen)

House Bill No. 313. A Bill for an Act to Eliminate the word "North" from the Name and Title of the State of North Dakota, so the name "North Dakota" is hereafter changed to "Dakota."

Introduction refused, 694, 695.

Reference, 666.

House Bill No. 314.—(Harrington)

House Bill No. 314. A Bill for an Act to Require the Teaching of the Constitution of the United States and of This State, Including the Study of and Devotion to American Institutions and Ideals in All the Public Schools and Colleges.

Introduction, first and second reading, 695, 705.

Reference, 705.

Reported back, 761.

House Bill No. 315.—(Bratsberg)

Introduction refused, 824.

Reference, 780.

House Bill No. 316.—(Brown—By Request)

House Bill No. 316. For an Act to amend and re-enact Section 2846 of the compiled laws of North Dakota for 1913, as amended and re-enacted by Chapter 104 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1917, relating to Annual Cream Station reports and price discrimination, requiring written or printed price quotations to bear calendar date. Prescribing penalties for violation of this act, and making certain acts Prima Facie evidence of violation.

Introduction, first and second reading, 828.

Reference, 828.

Introduction refused, 888.

SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill No. 1.—(Rusch)

A bill For an Act to Amend Section 5205 of the Compiled Laws Relating to the Term of Existence of Certain Corporations.

Received from Senate, 240.

First and second reading, 244.

Reference, 244.

Reported back, 389.

Third reading, 465.

Passed, 465.

Messaged to Senate, 469.

Other action, 525.

Senate Bill No. 2.—(Tofsrud)

A Bill For an Act to Provide for the Storing of Grain in Store Rooms or Granaries on Farms, the Loaning of Money on the Same and the Manner of Collecting Said Loans.

Received from Senate, 735.

First and second reading, 783.

Reference, 783.

Reported back, 1012.

Indefinitely postponed, 1012.

Senate Bill No. 3.—(Van Camp)

A Bill For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 4 of the Laws Passed by the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, in 1919, as Amended by Chapter 5 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Appropriate Out of the State Highway Fund the Sum of \$35,000.00 for the Construction of a Bridge Across the Red River at Pembina, Pembina County, North Dakota, and Kittson County, Minnesota, Under the Provisions of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, approved March 5th, 1919.

Received from Senate, 128.

First and second reading, 130.

Reference, 130.

Reported back, 819.

Third reading, 1001.

Passed, 1002.

Senate Bill No. 4.—(Rusch)

A Bill For an Act Validating the Record of Mortgages and Assignments of Mortgages in the Office of the Register of Deeds of the Counties of the State between July 1, 1917, and January 1, 1923.

Received from Senate, 128.

First and second reading, 130.

Reference, 130.

Reported back, 186.

Third reading, 206.

Passed, 207.

Senate Bill No. 6.—(Stevens)

A Bill For an Act to Repeal Section 991 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Requiring Ballots of Women to be Deposited in Separate Boxes.

Received from Senate, 100.
First and second reading, 101.
Reference, 101.
Reported back, 116.
Third reading, 130.
Passed, 130.
Messaged to Senate

Senate Bill No. 7.—(Stevens)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to the Qualifications of Electors.

Received from Senate, 100.
First and second reading, 101.
Reference, 101.
Reported back, 117.
Third reading, 131.
Passed, 132.
Messaged to Senate

Senate Bill No. 8.—(Stevens)

A Bill For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 968 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, Relating to Ballot Boxes.

Received from Senate, 100.
First and second reading, 101.
Reference, 101.
Reported back, 117.
Third reading, 132.
Passed, 133.
Messaged to Senate

Senate Bill No. 11.—(Carey)

A Bill For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 869 and 983 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 119, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Opening and Closing of Polls in Primary and General Elections.

Received from Senate, 369.
First and second reading, 378.
Reference, 378, 980.
Reported back, 519, 1339.
Amended, 1431.
Third reading, 1447.
Passed, 1448.

Senate Bill No. 13.—(Stevens)

A Bill For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9 of Chapter 236, Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Qualifications of Graduated Registered Nurses.

Received from Senate, 182.
First and second reading, 206.
Reference, 206.
Reported back, 345.
Third reading, 382.
Lost, 382.
Messaged to Senate, 383.

Senate Bill No. 14.—(McCoy and Sperry)

A Bill For an Act to Prohibit the Wearing of Masks or Other Disguises in Public, and designating the Penalty for Same.

Received from Senate, 264.
First and second reading, 270.
Reference, 270.
Reported back, 305.
Third reading, 334.
Passed, 335.
Messaged to Senate, 338.
Other action, 377.

Senate Bill No. 15.—(Baird)

A Bill For an Act to Appropriate and Transfer Money From the Hail Insurance Fund to the Hail Insurance Operating Fund for the Purpose of Paying the Unpaid Bills Incurred by the Hail Insurance Department During the Years Beginning January 1, 1922, and Ending December 31, 1923.

Received from Senate, 128.
First and second reading, 130.
Reference, 130.
Reported back, 1171.
Third reading, 1297.
Passed, 1297.

Senate Bill No. 17.—(Rusch)

A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$8,250.00) for the Purpose of Purchasing and Installing One Complete Stoker Unit Under Modern Boiler at the North Dakota Agricultural College, and Purchasing and Installing Necessary Equipment and Technical Instruments to Measure the Efficiency of Such Stoker and Boiler.

Received from Senate, 102.
First and second reading, 103.
Reference, 103.
Reported back, 105.
Third reading, 110.
Passed, 111.
Messaged to Senate, 111.

Senate Bill No. 18.—(Whitman)

A Bill For an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8657 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, relating to Letters of Administration, and Who are Entitled Thereto.

Received from Senate, 128.
First and second reading, 130.
Reference, 130.
Reported back, 186.
Indefinitely postponed, 186.
Messaged to Senate, 194.

Senate Bill No. 20.—(Ingerson)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 5, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 20, 26, and 27 of Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of North Dakota as Amended by Chapter 38 of the Special Session Laws of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to State Hail Insurance.

Received from Senate, 297.

First and second reading, 315.

Reference, 315.

Reported back, 1266.

Amended, 1369.

Third reading, 1387.

Passed, 1388.

Senate Bill No. 21.—(Thorson)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 224, Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, as Amended by Chapter 60, Special Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 123 of the Laws of 1921; an Act for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of the State Government by Providing for a Tax on the Incomes of Individuals, Fiduciaries, Corporations, Joint Stock Companies or Associations and Insurance Companies in the State of North Dakota; Graduating Incomes for the Purpose of Taxation; Providing for Exemptions and Deductions in Certain Cases; Describing a Method of Levying and Collecting Said Tax; Prescribing Penalties for Nonconformance with the Provisions of this Act, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Received from Senate, 433, 452, 1473.

First and second reading, 460.

Reference, 460.

Reported back, 994.

Amended, 1063.

Third reading, 1210, 1473.

Passed, 1211, 1473.

Other action, 1293, 1468.

Senate Bill No. 23.—(Baker)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 51 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners to Issue Refunding Bonds to Fund or Refund for the Purpose of Seed Grain or Seed and Feed Grain Bonds or Warrants heretofore Issued Pursuant to Law for the Purchase of Seed Grain and Feed or Either.

Received from Senate, 128.

First and second reading, 130.

Reference, 130.

Reported back, 493.

Indefinitely postponed, 493.

Senate Bill No. 25.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Validation of Bonds Voted and Issued, or to be Issued, by Any Common, Special or Independent School District, in Cases Where the School District Issuing Such Bonds, or Where by Such Vote Bonds Are Authorized to be Issued, Has Heretofore, by a Majority Vote, Increased the Limit of Indebtedness Five Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property in Such School District, Beyond the Five Per Cent Limit of Indebtedness Established by the Constitution, as Provided by Article 35 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and Where the Indebtedness of Such School District Does Not Exceed Ten Per Cent on the Assessed Valuation of the Taxable Property of Such School District, and Declaring Such Bonds Legal and Valid.

Received from Senate, 264, 527.

First and second reading, 271.

Reference, 271.

Reported back, 306.

Amended, 306, 341, 533.

Third reading, 379, 534.

Passed, 380.

Messaged to Senate, 383, 534.

Other action, 447, 452, 732.

Senate Bill No. 28.—(Ployhar)

A Bill for an Act to Empower Cities, Villages, and Towns to Purchase, Sell, Construct, Rent, Lease, Extend, Connect, or Erect, High Tension Electric Transmission Lines and Electrical Equipment, Within and Without the Corporate Limits, and Necessary Secondary Transmission Lines and Distribution Systems Within the Corporate Limits, for the Purpose of Securing Light, Power and Electrical Energy for Municipal and Commercial use; and to Assess the Property Within the Corporate Limits, and to Provide for the Methods of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof, and to Provide for the Issuance of Bonds.

Received from Senate, 369, 1098.

First and second reading, 378.

Reference, 378.

Reported back, 559.

Amended, 1108.

Third reading, 962, 1108.

Passed, 963, 1109.

Other action, 1081, 1191.

Senate Bill No. 30.—(Stevens)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4989, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Filing of Statements by Mining Corporations.

Received from Senate, 265.

First and second reading, 270.

Reference, 270.

Reported back, 757.

Third reading, 999.

Passed, 1000.

Senate Bill No. 31.—(Stevens)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 62, Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Legislative Journals.

Received from Senate, 294.

First and second reading, 295.

Reference, 295.

Reported back, 1169.

Indefinitely postponed, 1169.

Senate Bill No. 32.—(Atkins)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4016 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Bonded Indebtedness of Cities, and Purposes for Which Incurred.

Received from Senate, 369.

First and second reading, 378.

Reference, 378.

Reported back, 552.

Amended, 977.

Third reading, 1037.

Passed, 1038.

Other action, 1106.

Senate Bill No. 34.—(Kaldor)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 89 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Furnishing by the Register of Deeds of Each County to Elevators Making Application and Paying the Fee Provided Therefor, of an Abstract of All Mortgages and Liens upon Grain Grown During Each Year, and Filed in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

Received from Senate, 348.

First and second reading, 356.

Reference, 356.

Reported back, 368.

Amended, 436.

Third reading, 473.

Passed, 474.

Messaged to Senate, 476.

Other action, 504, 663, 763.

Senate Bill No. 35.—(Kaldor)

A Bill for an Act Relative to the Admission of Persons Under Eighteen Years of Age to Public Dances, and Requiring the Posting of a Copy of the Law and Prescribing Penalty for Its Violation.

Received from Senate, 434.

First and second reading, 460.

Reference, 460.

Reported back, 516.

Third reading, 577.

Passed, 578.

Messaged to Senate, 579.

Other action, 732.

Senate Bill No. 36.—(Page)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5605, 5607 and 5611 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Defining the Homestead Exemption.
Received from Senate, 240.
First and second reading, 244.
Reference, 244.
Reported back, 283.
Third reading, 319.
Passed, 319.
Messaged to Senate, 321.
Other action, 353.

Senate Bill No. 37.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 1119 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Publication of the Proceedings of the State Education Association.
Received from Senate, 348.
First and second reading, 357.
Reference, 357.
Reported back, 391.
Third reading, 466.
Passed, 466.
Messaged to Senate, 469.
Other action, 525.

Senate Bill No. 38.—(Rusch)

A Bill for an Act to Prescribe a Form of Procedure for the Administration of Express trusts, as Are Defined by Chapter 71 of the Civil Code.
Received from Senate, 165.
Returned to Senate, 187.

Senate Bill No. 39.—(Bond)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 287 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of 1915, and as Amended by Chapter 204 of the Session Laws of 1917, and as Amended by Chapter 198 of the Session Laws of 1919, and as Amended by Chapter 108 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Investment of University and School Land Funds.
Received from Senate, 156, 565.
First and second reading, 571.
Reference, 571.
Reported back, 1023.
Indefinitely postponed, 1023.
Returned to Senate, 163.

Senate Bill No. 41.—(Ingerson)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 16 of Chapter 58 of the Session Laws for the Year 1917.
Received from Senate, 265.
First and second reading, 270.
Reference, 270.
Reported back, 324.
Third reading, 357.
Passed, 358.
Other action, 393.

Senate Bill No. 43.—(Gardiner)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2 of Chapter 33 of the Laws Enacted by the Special Session of the Legislature of 1919 Relating to the Formation and Division of Voting Districts.

Received from Senate, 204.

First and second reading, 206.

Reference, 206.

Reported back, 365.

Amended, 436.

Third reading, 467.

Passed, 468.

Messaged to Senate, 469.

Other action, 525.

Senate Bill No. 44.—(Baird)

A Bill for an Act to Establish a State Highway Commission, Prescribing Its Powers and Duties, Fixing the Salaries of the Commission and the Employees Thereof, Authorizing the Engagement of Employees and Repealing All Acts and All Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Received from Senate, 928.

First and second reading, 940.

Reference, 940.

Reported back, 1236.

Indefinitely postponed, 1237.

Senate Bill No. 45.—(Baird)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 6, 11, 12, 16 and 17 of Chapter 44 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota, for the Year 1919, Relating to the Registration and Licensing of Motor Vehicles, the Creation of a State Highway Fund, the Distribution of Such Fund, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Received from Senate, 948.

First and second reading, 950.

Reference, 950.

Reported back, 1250.

Indefinitely postponed, 1250.

Senate Bill No. 46.—(Baird)

A Concurrent Resolution for an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Establishment of a State Highway Commission, for the Establishment of a System of State Highways and for the Establishment of a State Highway Fund.

Received from Senate, 930.

First and second reading, 940.

Reference, 940.

Reported back, 1249.

Indefinitely postponed, 1250.

Senate Bill No. 49.—(Steel)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1782 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Commandant of the Soldier's Home.

Received from Senate, 220.
First and second reading, 244.
Reference, 244.
Reported back, 257.
Third reading, 294.
Passed, 294.
Returned, 298, 330.

Senate Bill No. 50.—(Porter)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 187 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Qualifications of Official and Legal Newspapers and Providing for the Method of Selection of Official Newspapers.

Received from Senate, 240.
First and second reading, 244.
Reference, 244.
Reported back, 307.
Amended, 307, 342.
Third reading, 381.
Passed, 381.
Messaged to Senate, 383.
Other action, 732.

Senate Bill No. 51.—(Porter)

A Bill for an Act Fixing Publication Fees for Printing Delinquent Tax Lists, School Treasurers' Reports, and County Commissioners' Proceedings.

Received from Senate, 369.
First and second reading, 378.
Reference, 378.
Reported back, 769.
Indefinitely postponed, 769.

Senate Bill No. 54.—(Whitman)

A Bill for an Act to Provide for a State Department of Health; a Public Health Advisory Council; Working Divisions and Employees; Office Space; Making an Appropriation Therefor; Repealing Sections 397, 398, 401, and 403, Compiled Laws of 1913, Declaring Emergency.

Received from Senate, 791, 1501.
First and second reading, 845.
Reference, 845, 1014.
Reported back, 1013, 1396.
Amended, 1432.
Third reading, 1453.
Passed, 1454, 1504.
Other action, 1503.

Senate Bill No. 56.—(Whitman)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acceptance of the Provisions of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Making an Appropriation to Meet the Allotments of the Sheppard-Towner Act; Authorizing State Department of Health to Accept Funds for Infant and Maternal Hygiene Work.

Received from Senate, 674.
First and second reading, 780.
Reference, 780, 1014.
Reported back, 1158.
Amended, 1233.
Third reading, 1311, 1318.
Passed, 1318.
Lost, 1311.
Other action, 1317.

Senate Bill No. 59.—(Garberg)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4929 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 76 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to the Fees to be Paid by Insurance Companies Doing Business in This State.

Received from Senate, 314.
First and second reading, 316.
Reference, 316.
Reported back, 1255.
Amended, 1368.
Third reading, 1440.
Passed, 1441.

Senate Bill No. 60.—(Garberg)

A Bill for an Act Appropriating Eight Hundred Fifty-three Dollars and Sixty-one Cents (\$853.61) to Take Care of Deficit in Biennial Appropriation of Department of Insurance.

Received from Senate, 348.
First and second reading, 357.
Reference, 357.
Reported back, 485.
Third reading, 536.
Passed, 537.
Messaged to Senate, 545.
Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 61.—(Van Camp)

A Bill for an Act amending Section 728 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 relating to fees in the Supreme Court.

Received from Senate, 314.
First and second reading, 316.
Reference, 316.
Reported back, 364.
Amended, 436.
Third reading, 466.
Passed, 467.
Messaged to Senate, 469.
Other action, 504, 733.

Senate Bill No. 64.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Concerning Aeronautics and to make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto.

Received from Senate, 265.

First and second reading, 270.

Reference, 270.

Reported back, 304.

Amended, 333.

Third reading, 333.

Passed, 334.

Messaged to Senate, 338.

Other action, 393.

Senate Bill No. 66.—(Stevens)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 838, Compiled Laws of 1913, relating to Records of Notaries Public.

Received from Senate, 265.

First and second reading, 270.

Reference, 270.

Reported back, 283.

Third reading, 318.

Passed, 318.

Messaged to Senate, 321.

Other action, 353.

Senate Bill No. 67.—(Van Camp)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1104 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the year 1913, Relating to What Cities and Villages Shall Register Before Any General Election or Annual City Election.

Received from Senate, 369.

First and second reading, 378.

Reference, 378.

Reported back, 521.

Third reading, 578, 965.

Lost, 579.

Other action, 587.

Passed, 966.

Senate Bill No. 68.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1421 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 266 of the Session Laws for the Year 1915, Legalizing and Validating Certain indebtedness of School Districts in the Form of School Warrants and Negotiable Bonds Issued to Fund the Same.

Received from Senate, 265.

First and second reading, 271.

Reference, 271.

Reported back, 306.

Amended, 306, 342, 541.

Third reading, 380.

Passed, 381, 542.

Messaged to Senate, 383.

Other action, 529, 541, 571, 763.

Senate Bill No. 70.—(Bond)

A Bill for an Act to Incorporate and Establish the North West Agricultural, Live Stock and Fair Association, and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Received from Senate, 735.
First and second reading, 783.
Reference, 783.
Reported back, 1373.
Third reading, 1439.
Passed, 1439.

Senate Bill No. 71.—(Byrne)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 107 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to High Schools and Tuition Fees.

Received from Senate, 348.
First and second reading, 357.
Reference, 357, 475, 544.
Reported back, 620.
Amended, 437, 509, 978.
Third reading, 1038.
Lost, 1038.

Senate Bill No. 72.—(Hamilton)

A Bill for an Act Requiring all Agents Acting for or on Behalf of any Insurance Company Doing Business in this State to be Licensed, Regulating the Methods, Practices and Transactions of such Agents in Conducting Such Insurance Business, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of any of the Provisions of This Act.

Received from Senate, 314.
First and second reading, 316.
Reference, 316.
Reported back, 389.
Amended, 436.
Third reading, 474.
Passed, 475.
Messaged to Senate, 475.
Other action, 505, 524, 732.

Senate Bill No. 74.—(Miklethun and Gross)

A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 6072 and 6073 of the Revised Codes of North Dakota for 1913 as Amended by Chapter 176 of the Session Laws of 1915 prescribing lawful rates of interest for any legal indebtedness, defining usury.

Received from Senate, 528.
First and second reading, 535.
Reference, 535.
Reported back, 622.
Indefinitely postponed, 622.

Senate Bill No. 75.—(Steel)

A Bill for an Act Legalizing and Validating Certain Acts of City Officials with Reference to Electric Lights or Distribution Systems.

Received from Senate, 240.

First and second reading, 244.

Reference, 244.

Reported back, 283.

Third reading, 317.

Passed, 318.

Messaged to Senate, 321.

Other action, 353.

Senate Bill No. 76.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$117,338.00 as an Offset for Federal Aid in Extension Division Work of the Agricultural College.

Received from Senate, 861.

First and second reading, 940.

Reference, 940.

Reported back, 1338.

Amended, 1430.

Third reading, 1455, 1501.

Passed, 1456.

Other action, 1490 1501.

Senate Bill No. 77.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for Per Diem and Expenses of the State Budget Board as Prescribed by Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915.

Received from Senate, 315.

First and second reading, 316.

Reference, 316.

Reported back, 991.

Third reading, 1056.

Passed 1057.

Senate Bill No. 78.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Oil Inspection.

Received from Senate, 567.

First and second reading, 572.

Reference, 572.

Reported back, 1250.

Amended, 1367.

Third reading, 1457.

Passed, 1458.

Senate Bill No. 80.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$1,066,-615.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Equipment, etc., of the State University at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 860.
First and second reading, 940.
Reference, 940.
Reported back, 1334.
Amended, 1428.
Third reading, 1443.
Passed, 1443, 1470, 1500.
Other action, 1492.

Senate Bill No. 81.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expense of the State Normal and Industrial School at Ellendale, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Received from Senate, 717.
First and second reading, 783.
Reference, 783.
Reported back, 1080.
Third reading, 1215.
Passed, 1216.

Senate Bill No. 82.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Valley City and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Received from Senate, 903.
First and second reading, 940.
Reference, 940.
Reported back, 1158.
Third reading, 1270.
Passed, 1270.

Senate Bill No. 83.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State Normal School at Mayville and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Received from Senate, 717.
First and second reading, 784.
Reference, 784.
Reported back, 1079.
Third reading, 1215.
Passed, 1215.

Senate Bill No. 84.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Current and Contingent Expenses of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate, and Making Permanent Improvements and Additions Thereto.

Received from Senate, 717.

First and second reading, 784.

Reference, 784.

Reported back, 1017.

Amended, 1062.

Third reading, 1207.

Passed, 1208, 1262.

Senate Bill No. 85.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expenses of the Department of Motor Vehicle Registration.

Received from Senate, 454.

First and second reading, 461.

Reference, 461.

Reported back, 1015.

Amended, 1061.

Third reading, 1206.

Passed, 1207, 1262.

Senate Bill No. 86.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act to Appropriate Money for the Expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the State Government, and for Public Schools, Specifying the Amount and Time for Which Such Appropriations Shall be Available, and Repealing all Acts, or Parts of Acts, Insofar as the Same shall Relate to Appropriations Conflicting Herewith, or to Appropriations for the Same Matters or Purposes Provided for Herein.

Received from Senate, 566.

First and second reading, 572.

Reference, 572.

Reported back, 1335.

Amended, 1372.

Third reading, 1386.

Passed, 1387.

Senate Bill No. 87.—(Kretschmar)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Traveling Expenses and Propagation of Game Departments of the State Game and Fish Board.

Received from Senate, 802.

First and second reading, 845.

Reference, 845.

Reported back, 1080.

Third reading, 1216.

Passed, 1217.

Senate Bill No. 88.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$282,350.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements, Repairs, New Buildings, Equipment and Purchase of Live Stock, for the Experiment Station at the Agricultural College at Fargo, for the Biennium.

Received from Senate, 903.

First and second reading, 940.

Reference, 940.

Reported back, 1336.

Amended, 1428.

Third reading, 1444.

Passed, 1444, 1507.

Other action, 1470, 1491.

Senate Bill No. 89.—(Thorson)

A Bill for an Act Relating to What Shall be Carried as "Consolidated Tax Account," and Repealing Section 2274, Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 253, Session Laws of 1915.

Received from Senate, 369, 1406.

First and second reading, 378.

Reference, 378.

Reported back, 1011.

Third reading, 1127, 1363.

Passed, 1364.

Lost, 1128.

Other action, 1320.

Senate Bill No. 90.—(Wenstrom)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9037 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Places of Trial.

Received from Senate, 348.

First and second reading, 357.

Reference, 357.

Reported back, 364.

Third reading, 406.

Passed, 407.

Other action, 447.

Senate Bill No. 91.—(Rusch)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact the Third Subdivision of Section 3999; and Section 4001, of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 Relating to Firemen's Relief Association Fund.

Received from Senate, 240.

First and second reading, 244.

Reference, 244.

Reported back, 327.

Third reading, 358.

Passed, 358, 392.

Senate Bill No. 92.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit incurred by the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Received from Senate, 579.

First and second reading, 599.

Reference, 599.

Reported back, 1336.

Indefinitely postponed, 1336.

Senate Bill No. 93.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Supreme Court.

Received from Senate, 579.

First and second reading, 599.

Reference, 599.

Reported back, 1019.

Third reading, 1137.

Passed, 1137.

Senate Bill No. 94.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Normal School at Dickinson.

Received from Senate, 434.

First and second reading, 460.

Reference, 460.

Reported back, 1079.

Third reading, 1213.

Passed, 1215.

Senate Bill No. 95.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit by Members of the State Canvassing Board.

Received from Senate, 348.

First and second reading, 354.

Reference, 354.

Reported back, 485.

Third reading, 537.

Passed, 537.

Messaged to Senate, 545.

Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 96.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance of the State School for the Blind at Bathgate.

Received from Senate, 454.

First and second reading, 461.

Reference, 461.

Reported back, 1017.

Third reading, 1134.

Passed, 1135.

Senate Bill No. 97.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the Institute for the Feeble Minded.

Received from Senate, 528.
 First and second reading, 535.
 Reference, 535.
 Reported back, 991.
 Third reading, 1071.
 Passed, 1072.

Senate Bill No. 99.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit by the District Judges.

Received from Senate, 348.
 First and second reading, 354.
 Reference, 354.
 Reported back, 486.
 Third reading, 537.
 Passed, 538.
 Messaged to Senate, 545.
 Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 100.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Maintenance Fund of the School of Science at Wahpeton, North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 454.
 First and second reading, 462.
 Reference, 462.
 Reported back, 1016.
 Third reading, 1133.
 Passed, 1134.

Senate Bill No. 101.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of Expenses and Fees of Appraisers of Indebtedness, Devises, Bequests, Legacies, and Gifts, as Provided for in Section 8991 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 315.
 First and second reading, 316.
 Reference, 316.
 Reported back, 990.
 Third reading, 1055.
 Passed, 1055.

Senate Bill No. 102.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide Funds for the Payment of Expenses and Fees of Appraisers of Inheritance, Devises, Bequests, Legacies and Gifts as Provided for in Section 8991 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 315.
 First and second reading, 316.
 Reference, 316.
 Reported back, 990.
 Third reading, 1055.
 Passed, 1056.

Senate Bill No. 103.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$30,950.00 for the purpose of Carrying out the Provisions of Chapter 203 of the Session Laws of 1919 and Chapter 115 of the Session Laws of 1921 relating to Vocational Education and Vocational Rehabilitation.

Received from Senate, 434.

First and second reading, 460.

Reference, 460.

Reported back, 1078.

Amended, 1186.

Third reading, 1302.

Passed, 1303.

Other action, 1342.

Senate Bill No. 104.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$5,000.00 for the Biennium, to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Agents in the Arrest and Return of Fugitives from Justice as Prescribed by Section 11162 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 of North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 315.

First and second reading, 316.

Reference, 316.

Reported back, 990.

Third reading, 1054.

Passed, 1055.

Senate Bill No. 105.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$18,800.00 for the Purpose of Paying Per Diem, Clerk Hire, Traveling Expenses, etc., in Carrying out the Provisions of Chapter 126 of the Session Laws of 1919, and Amendments Thereto, Relative to the Depositors Guaranty Fund Commission.

Received from Senate, 579.

First and second reading, 599.

Reference, 599.

Reported back, 1337.

Amended, 1429.

Third reading, 1446.

Passed, 1447.

Senate Bill No. 106.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Pay the Expenses and Per Diem of Presidential Electors as Prescribed by Section 1038 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 315.

First and second reading, 317.

Reference, 317.

Reported back, 989.

Third reading, 1052.

Passed, 1052.

Senate Bill No. 108.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$44,000.00 for the Enforcement of the Feeding Stuffs, Fertilizer, Beverage and Sanitary Inspection Laws.
 Received from Senate, 903.
 First and second reading, 941.
 Reference, 941.
 Reported back, 1251.
 Third reading, 1355.
 Passed, 1355.

Senate Bill No. 109.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$2,000.00 Out of any Monies in the State Treasury Not Otherwise Appropriated for the Purpose of Paying Premiums on State Official Bonds as Provided by Chapter 175 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1917.
 Received from Senate, 315.
 First and second reading, 317.
 Reference, 317.
 Reported back, 486.
 Third reading, 538.
 Passed, 539.
 Messaged to Senate, 545.
 Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 110.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Defray Expenses of the Delegates to National Political Conventions as Prescribed by Section 916 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913.
 Received from Senate, 315.
 First and second reading, 317.
 Reference, 317.
 Reported back, 989.
 Third reading, 1051.
 Passed, 1052.

Senate Bill No. 111.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$14,000.00 for the Maintenance of the Pure Seed Laboratory and Pure Seed Law Enforcement at the Agricultural College, Fargo.
 Received from Senate, 567.
 First and second reading, 572.
 Reference, 572.
 Reported back, 1251.
 Third reading, 1355.
 Passed, 1355.

Senate Bill No. 112.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$22,230.00 for the Purpose of Paying Salary, Clerk Hire and General Expense of the State Historical Society.
 Received from Senate, 454.
 First and second reading, 462.
 Reference, 462.
 Reported back, 1017.
 Amended, 1062.
 Third reading, 1208.
 Passed, 1209, 1262.

Senate Bill No. 113.—(Sperry)

A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of \$54,000.00 for the Purpose of Aiding in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Missouri River From Burleigh County to Morton County in the State of North Dakota Under the Provision of Chapter 73 of the Laws Passed at the Sixteenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of North Dakota, Approved March 5, 1919, in Addition to the Sums Appropriated by Chapter 4 of the Special Session of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly, Approved December 12, 1919, and Chapter 6 of the Laws Passed at the Seventeenth Session of the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota Approved March 9, 1921, and That Such Appropriation Be Made From the State Highway Fund.

Received from Senate, 931.
First and second reading, 941.
Reference, 941.
Reported back, 1158.
Third reading, 1305.
Passed, 1305.

Senate Bill No. 114.—(Atkins)

A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections 9658 and 9659 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to the Crime of Vagrancy.

Received from Senate, 349.
First and second reading, 356.
Reference, 356.
Reported back, 365.
Third reading, 407.
Passed, 408.
Other action, 447.

Senate Bill No. 115.—(Ployhar)

A Bill for an Act Entitled, an Act Relating to Lophophora Williamsii or Peyote (Pellote) and Agava Americana (Commonly Known as Mescal); Prohibiting the Use or Possession Thereof, Traffic Therein, and Providing Penalties for the Violation of this Act.

Received from Senate, 349.
First and second reading, 356.
Reference, 356.
Reported back, 551.
Third reading, 958.
Passed, 958.

Senate Bill No. 119.—(Bond)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 341 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Manner Common School Lands and Other Public Lands Shall be Leased.

Received from Senate, 503.
First and second reading, 506.
Reference, 506.
Reported back, 1013.
Indefinitely postponed, 1013.

Senate Bill No. 121.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Actions to Release Insane Patients.

Received from Senate, 349.

First and second reading, 354.

Reference, 354.

Reported back, 486.

Third reading, 539.

Passed, 540.

Messaged to Senate, 545.

Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 122.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the General Maintenance Fund of the State Training School.

Received from Senate, 579.

First and second reading, 599.

Reference, 599.

Reported back, 1016.

Third reading, 1133.

Passed, 1133.

Senate Bill No. 123.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Treasurer's Office.

Received from Senate, 349.

First and second reading, 354.

Reference, 354.

Reported back, 487.

Third reading, 540.

Passed, 541.

Messaged to Senate, 545.

Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 124.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of a Deficit Incurred in the State Executive Department.

Received from Senate, 349.

First and second reading, 355.

Reference, 355.

Reported back, 487.

Third reading, 542.

Passed, 543.

Messaged to Senate, 545.

Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 125.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Miscellaneous Refunds of the State.

Received from Senate, 351.

First and second reading, 354.

Reference, 354.

Reported back, 1080.

Third reading, 1218.

Passed, 1218.

Senate Bill No. 126.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Arrest and Return of Fugitives from Justice Fund.

Received from Senate, 349.
First and second reading, 355.
Reference, 355.
Reported back, 487.
Third reading, 543.
Passed, 543.
Messaged to Senate, 545.
Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 128.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit in the Survey of Coal Mines Fund.

Received from Senate, 349.
First and second reading, 355.
Reference, 355, 544.
Reported back, 487, 555.
Indefinitely postponed, 555.

Senate Bill No. 129.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the State Auditor's Office.

Received from Senate, 349.
First and second reading, 355.
Reference, 355.
Reported back, 488.
Third reading, 574.
Passed, 575.
Messaged to Senate, 579.
Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 130.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred in the Attorney General's Department.

Received from Senate, 351.
First and second reading, 355.
Reference, 355.
Reported back, 488.
Third reading, 575.
Passed, 576.
Messaged to Senate, 579.
Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 131.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Reward and Apprehension of Criminals According to Chapter 200 of the Session Laws of 1917.

Received from Senate, 351.
First and second reading, 355.
Reference, 355.
Reported back, 989.
Third reading, 1053.
Passed, 1053.

Senate Bill No. 132.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the Hotel Inspection Department.

Received from Senate, 567.
First and second reading, 572.
Reference, 572.
Reported back, 1251.
Amended, 1367.
Third reading, 1456.
Passed, 1457.

Senate Bill No. 133.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the General Expense of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Received from Senate, 454.
First and second reading, 462.
Reference, 462.
Reported back, 1018.
Amended, 1063.
Third reading, 1209.
Passed, 1209.
Other action, 1279.

Senate Bill No. 134.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for a Bounty for Wolves and Coyotes, as Provided for by Chapter 242 of the Session Laws of 1919 for North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 434.
First and second reading, 461.
Reference, 461.
Reported back, 1251.
Third reading, 1356.
Passed, 1356.

Senate Bill No. 135.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to pay the Burial Expenses of Inmates of the Penitentiary and State Training School as Provided for Under Section 11302 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 351.
First and second reading, 355.
Reference, 355.
Reported back, 989.
Amended, 1058.
Third reading, 1144.
Passed, 1144.

Senate Bill No. 136.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act to Provide a State Contingency Fund to be Placed at the Disposal of the State Emergency Commission to be Used as Provided by Chapters 26 and 152 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1915; and Making an Appropriation of \$40,000.00 which Shall be Known as the State Contingency Fund.

Received from Senate, 453.
First and second reading, 462.
Reference, 462.
Reported back, 1157.
Third reading, 1269.
Passed, 1270.

Senate Bill No. 137.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$2,000.00 for the Biennium to Defray the Expenses of Disbarment Proceedings, as Prescribed by Section 808 to 812 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 for North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 453.
First and second reading, 462.
Reference, 462.
Reported back, 1019.
Indefinitely postponed, 1019.

Senate Bill No. 138.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$2,000.00 Out of Any Monies in the State Treasury Not Otherwise Appropriated for the Purpose of Paying Premiums on State Official Bonds as Provided by Chapter 175

Received from Senate, 351.
First and second reading, 356.
Reference, 356.
Reported back, 990.
Third reading, 1053.
Passed, 1054.

Senate Bill No. 139.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act to Provide \$300.00 for Burial Expenses of Honorably Discharged Sailors, Soldiers and Marines of the United States War of the Rebellion and Erection of Headstones Therefor, as Authorized by Sections 3181, 3182, 3183, and 3184 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Received from Senate, 351.
First and second reading, 355.
Reference, 355.
Reported back, 988.
Third reading, 1049.
Passed, 1050.

Senate Bill No. 140.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1500.00 for the Biennium Out of Any Money in the State Treasury Not Otherwise Appropriated, for the Purpose of Up-keeping of Ten State Parks and the Purchase of Additional Parks by the State Historical Society.

Received from Senate, 351.
First and second reading, 356.
Reference, 356.
Reported back, 991.
Third reading, 1073.
Passed, 1073.

Senate Bill No. 141.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act to Appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Biennium, to the Humane Society for Office Supplies, Printing, Office Phone, and Traveling Expense.

Received from Senate, 801.
First and second reading, 845.
Reference, 845.
Reported back, 992.
Third reading, 1073.
Passed, 1074.

Senate Bill No. 142.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of the Sum of \$25,000.00 for the Biennium which is known as a Miscellaneous Refund.

Received from Senate, 434.
First and second reading, 461.
Reference, 461.
Reported back, 1080.
Third reading, 1217.
Passed, 1218.

Senate Bill No. 144.—(Miklethun)

A Bill for an Act to Deposit in Banks and Trust Companies and making it Unlawful to make a charge against the same without the Consent of the Depositor.

Received from Senate, 567.
First and second reading, 572.
Reference, 572.
Reported back, 621.
Third reading, 966.
Passed, 966.

Senate Bill No. 146.—(Ettestad)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2078, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 223, Session Laws of 1919, and Chapter 122, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Exemption of Certain Property from Taxation.

Received from Senate, 903.
First and second reading, 941.
Reference, 941.
Reported back, 1252.
Amended, 1367.
Third reading, 1389.
Passed, 1389.

Senate Bill No. 149.—(Magnuson)

A Bill for an Act to Prohibit Derogatory Statements in Regard to Insurance Companies.
Received from Senate, 351.
First and second reading, 356.
Reference, 356.
Reported back, 1023.
Indefinitely postponed, 1023.

Senate Bill No. 150.—(Thorson)

A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 222 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Providing for a Tax on Shares of Stock and Bonds of Corporations Organized or Doing Business in this State.
Received from Senate, 529.
First and second reading, 535.
Reference, 535.
Third reading, 1075.
Passed, 1076.

Senate Bill No. 151.—(Rusch)

A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 6295 of the Compiled Laws Relating to Trusts and Trusteeships.
Received from Senate, 369.
First and second reading, 378.
Reference, 379.
Reported back, 1024.
Indefinitely postponed, 1024.

Senate Bill No. 152.—(Bond)

A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Consolidation or Merger of Banking Associations Regulating the Procedure and Providing for Supervision Thereof, and Providing a Limitation of Actions.
Received from Senate, 434.
First and second reading, 461.
Reference, 461.
Reported back, 621.
Third reading, 960.
Passed, 960.

Senate Bill No. 154.—(Game and Fish Committee)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 121, Session Laws of 1917 Relating to the Issuance of Permits for Breeding or Domestication of Certain Fur Bearing Animals.
Received from Senate, 351.
First and second reading, 356.
Reference, 356.
Reported back, 661.
Third reading, 966.
Passed, 967.

Senate Bill No. 155.—(Game and Fish Committee)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 3, 4, 6, 8, 34, 35 and 65, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, and Section 27, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Section 2, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 36, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Section 5, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, and Section 46, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919 and as Amended by Chapter 68, Session Laws of 1921 and Section 80, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915 as Amended by Chapter 135, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Game and Fish.

Received from Senate, 464.
 First and second reading, 469.
 Reference, 469, 969.
 Reported back, 662.
 Amended, 979.
 Third reading, 1040.
 Passed, 1041.

Senate Bill No. 156.—(Eastgate)

A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 31 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Purchase of Dairy Cattle by Counties.

Received from Senate, 948.
 First and second reading, 950.
 Reference, 950, 1340.
 Reported back, 1340.
 Amended, 1431.
 Third reading, 1448.
 Passed, 1449.

Senate Bill No. 157.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$559,044.00 to Pay the General Maintenance, Improvements and Repairs, New Buildings, and Equipment of the Agricultural College, Fargo, for the Biennium.

Received from Senate, 903.
 First and second reading, 941.
 Reference, 941.
 Reported back, 1333.
 Amended, 1427.
 Third reading, 1344, 1506.
 Passed, 1345, 1506.
 Other action, 1470, 1491.

Senate Bill No. 158.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation of \$9,900.00 for the Purpose of Paying the General Expenses of Carrying out the Provisions of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of 1919, relating to Mine Inspection.

Received from Senate, 567.
 First and second reading, 672.
 Reference, 572.
 Reported back, 1018.
 Third reading, 1135.
 Passed, 1136.

Senate Bill No. 159.—(Committee on Appropriations)

A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money for the Use of War History Commission Between the Following Dates: June 30th, 1923, to July the 1st, 1925.

Received from Senate, 802.

First and second reading, 845.

Reference, 845.

Reported back, 1016.

Third reading, 1132.

Passed, 1133.

Senate Bill No. 160.—(Ployhar)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 82, Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, and to Empower Cities to Purchase or construct Plants, Including Gas Works for the Manufacture and Distribution of Light, Heat and Power for Municipal and Commercial Purposes, and to Assess Abutting Property in Accordance with the Benefits hereto by Reason of Such System of Distribution, and Providing for the Method of Such Assessment and the Collection Thereof.

Received from Senate, 369.

First and second reading, 379.

Reference, 379.

Reported back, 560.

Third reading, 963.

Passed, 964.

Senate Bill No. 161.—(Ployhar)

A Bill for an Act to Appropriate the Sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) or so Much Thereof as may be Necessary for the Purpose of Paying the Per Diem and Mileage of Witnesses Incurred by the Special Investigating Committee of the Senate, in Considering the Audit of the State Bank and State Industries, During the Seventeenth Legislative Assembly.

Received from Senate, 616.

First and second reading, 780.

Reference, 780.

Reported back, 1020.

Third reading, 1137.

Passed, 1138.

Senate Bill No. 162.—(Rusch)

A Bill for an Act to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Certain "Securities" Herein Defined by Requiring an Inspection Thereof: Providing for Such Inspection, Supervision and Regulation of the Business of any Person, Association, Partnership, or Corporation, Engaged or Intending to Engage, Whether as Principal or Agent, May be Necessary to Prevent Imposition or Fraud in the Sale or Disposition of Said Securities, and Repealing Chapter 91 of the Civil Code of the Compiled Laws of 1915.

Received from Senate, 567.

First and second reading, 573.

Reference, 573.

Reported back, 745.

Third reading, 971.

Passed, 972.

Senate Bill No. 163.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act Permitting the Increase of the Limitation of Indebtedness of Common, Special and Independent School Districts by an Additional Five Per Centum on the Assessed Value of the Taxable Property Therein, Beyond the Present Constitutional Limit of Five Per Centum, Providing a Method for Effecting Such Increase, and for Submitting the Question of Such Increase to the Electors of the School Districts at Annual or Special Elections, and Providing for Preserving a Record of Such Increase of the Limit of Indebtedness.

Received from Senate, 464, 1192.

First and second reading, 470.

Reference, 470.

Reported back, 557.

Amended, 977.

Third reading, 1035, 1193.

Passed, 1036.

Other action, 1105, 1193.

Senate Bill No. 164.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1303 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of the Amount of Bonds of Independent School Districts.

Received from Senate, 464.

First and second reading, 470.

Reference, 470.

Reported back, 567.

Amended, 977.

Third reading, 1036.

Passed, 1036.

Other action, 1106.

Senate Bill No. 165.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1334 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 105, Session Laws of 1921, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Common School Districts.

Received from Senate, 464.

First and second reading, 470.

Reference, 470.

Reported back, 558.

Third reading, 957.

Passed, 957.

Senate Bill No. 166.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1147 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, as Amended by Chapter 135 of the Session Laws of 1915 and Chapter 197 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Organization of New School Districts.

Received from Senate, 503.

First and second reading, 506.

Reference, 506, 586.

Reported back, 554.

Indefinitely postponed, 554, 724.

Other action, 586, 608.

Senate Bill No. 167.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1275 of the Compiled Laws of The State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Limit of Issue of Bonds of Special School Districts.

Received from Senate, 463.
 First and second reading, 470.
 Reference, 470.
 Reported back, 558.
 Third reading, 958.
 Passed, 959.

Senate Bill No. 168.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Repair of the Whitestone Battlefield Monument Located in the Whitestone Battlefield Park, in Dickey County, North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 351.
 First and second reading, 356.
 Reference, 356.
 Reported back, 488.
 Third reading, 576.
 Passed, 576.
 Messaged to Senate, 579.
 Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 169.—(Ward)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Powers of Stockholders and Management of Co-operative Corporations and Associations.

Received from Senate, 369, 452.
 First and second reading, 461.
 Reference, 461.
 Reported back, 709.
 Indefinitely postponed, 709.
 Returned to Senate, 376.

Senate Bill No. 170.—(Kretschmar)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation to Provide for the Payment of an Existing Deficit Incurred by the Flood Control Commission.

Received from Senate, 614.
 First and second reading, 780.
 Reference, 780.
 Reported back, 1079.
 Amended, 1213.
 Third reading, 1212.
 Passed, 1213.
 Other action, 1214, 1262.

Senate Bill No. 172.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Granting to and Imposing Upon the Board of Administration Certain Powers and Duties with Reference to the Welfare of Children and the Administration and Enforcement of Laws Relating Thereto.

Received from Senate, 504.
 First and second reading, 507.
 Reference, 507.
 Reported back, 699.
 Third reading, 969.
 Passed, 970.

Senate Bill No. 173.—(Baird and Baker).

A Bill for an Act to Authorize the Appointment of County Child Welfare Boards and to Define Their Powers and Duties, and to Repeal Section 19, Chapter 177, Laws of 1919.

Received from Senate, 504.
 First and second reading, 507.
 Reference, 507, 970.
 Reported back, 699.
 Amended, 979.
 Third reading, 1041.
 Lost, 1042.

Senate Bill No. 174.—Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Providing for Juvenile Courts, Defining Their Powers over Dependent, Neglected and Delinquent Children and Over Persons Contributing to Such Neglect, Dependency or delinquency, and for the Repeal of Sections 11402 to 11428, Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913, and Chapter 179, Laws of 1915, and Chapter 83, Laws of 1921.

Received from Senate, 614.
 First and second reading, 780.
 Reference, 780.
 Reported back, 1155.
 Amended, 1232.
 Indefinitely postponed, 1233.

Senate Bill No. 175.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Examination, Commitment, Care and Maintenance, Release and Discharge of Persons Alleged or Found to be Feeble-Minded.

Received from Senate, 614.
 First and second reading, 780.
 Reference, 780.
 Reported back, 1163.
 Amended, 1322.
 Indefinitely postponed, 1322.
 Other action, 1320.

Senate Bill No. 176.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Care and Treatment of Indigent, Crippled or Deformed Children.

Received from Senate, 504, 1418.
 First and second reading, 507.
 Reference, 507.
 Reported back, 981.
 Amended, 1058.
 Third reading, 1143.
 Passed, 1144, 1420.
 Other action, 1194, 1397, 1419.

Senate Bill No. 177.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Regulating the Employment of Child Labor and to Provide for the Enforcement Thereof, and to Prescribe Penalties for Violations of the Act and Repealing Chapter 153, Laws of 1909, the same being Sections 1404 to 1414 Inclusive, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Received from Senate, 861.
First and second reading, 941.
Reference, 941.
Reported back, 1006.
Amended, 1060.
Third reading, 1150.
Passed, 1151.

Senate Bill No. 178.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Bringing of Children into the State, or Taking Children Therefrom, for Placement in Family Home; for the Licensing or Regulation of Persons and Corporations Engaged in that Work; and for the Repeal of Sections 5107 and 5108, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Received from Senate, 504.
First and second reading, 507.
Reference, 507.
Reported back, 699.
Amended, 998.
Third reading, 1120.
Passed, 1121.

Senate Bill No. 179.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Placement of Children in Family Homes for Temporary or Permanent Care, and Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Persons or Corporations Engaged in that Work, and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Received from Senate, 675.
First and second reading, 780.
Reference, 780.
Reported back, 1160.
Third reading, 1272.
Passed, 1273.

Senate Bill No. 180.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Powers of Certain Societies for the Care and Placement of Dependent Children, and to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5100 and 5101, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Received from Senate, 716.
First and second reading, 784.
Reference, 784.
Reported back, 1169.
Third reading, 1296.
Passed, 1297.

Senate Bill No. 181.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Licensing and Regulation of Homes and Institutions Caring for Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Received from Senate, 716.
First and second reading, 784.
Reference, 784.
Reported back, 1009.
Third reading, 1124.
Passed, 1125.

Senate Bill No. 182.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9607, and Section 9608, Compiled Laws for 1913.

Received from Senate, 528.
First and second reading, 535.
Reference, 535.
Reported back, 700.
Third reading, 1033.
Passed, 1034.

Senate Bill No. 183.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act to Regulate Certain Occupations of Children in Streets and Public Places.

Received from Senate, 889.
First and second reading, 941.
Reference, 941.
Reported back, 1010.
Third reading, 1219.
Lost, 1220.

Senate Bill No. 184.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Defining and Regulating Maternity hospitals and for the Repeal of Chapter 183 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Received from Senate, 675.
First and second reading, 781.
Reference, 781.
Reported back, 1161.
Third reading, 1292.
Passed, 1293.

Senate Bill No. 185.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 185 of the Session Laws of 1915, Relating to the Support of Needy Women who are the Mothers of and Who are Compelled to Support one or More Children Under Sixteen Years of Age.

Received from Senate, 790.
First and second reading, 845.
Reference, 845.
Reported back, 1009.
Amended, 1186, 1303, 1458.
Third reading, 1304, 1458.
Passed, 1304, 1459.
Other action, 1342, 1345, 1376, 1420.

Senate Bill No. 186.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Abandonment or Neglect of Wife or Child, and the Desertion and Non-support of Family, and for the Repeal of Sections 9589 to 9603 Inclusive. Compiled Laws of North Dakota, 1913.

Received from Senate, 616.
 First and second reading, 781.
 Reference, 781.
 Reported back, 1165.
 Amended, 1323.
 Third reading, 1440.
 Passed, 1440.

Senate Bill No. 187.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Relating to Children Born out of Wedlock and to Make Uniform the Law with Reference Thereto, and for the Repeal of Sections 10483 to 10500 Inclusive, Compiled Laws of 1913, and Chapter 70. Laws of 1917.

Received from Senate, 716.
 First and second reading, 784.
 Reference, 784.
 Reported back, 1162.
 Third reading, 1294.
 Passed, 1294.

Senate Bill No. 188.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the placing of Children, Either for Temporary or Permanent Care, in Alms-houses, or in Institutions, Charitable, Penal or Reformatory, Where Delinquent Children are Kept.

Received from Senate, 616.
 First and second reading, 781.
 Reference, 781.
 Reported back, 1009.
 Third reading, 1123.
 Passed, 1124.

Senate Bill No. 189.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Concerning the Transfer of Rights in Children and for the Repeal of Chapter 77 of the Laws of 1919.

Received from Senate, 616.
 First and second reading, 781.
 Reference, 781.
 Reported back, 1160.
 Third reading, 1273.
 Passed, 1274.

Senate Bill No. 190.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Exclusion of Spectators from the Trial of Minors.

Received from Senate, 616.
 First and second reading, 781.
 Reference, 781.
 Reported back, 1168.
 Third reading, 1295.
 Passed, 1296.

Senate Bill No. 191.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 4424, Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Custody, Service or Earnings of Minor Children.

Received from Senate, 616.
First and second reading, 781.
Reference, 781.
Reported back, 1162.
Amended, 1234.
Third reading, 1354.
Passed, 1355.

Senate Bill No. 192.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Relating to Indecent Liberties.

Received from Senate, 616.
First and second reading, 781.
Reference, 781.
Reported back, 1162.
Third reading, 1293.
Passed, 1293.

Senate Bill No. 193.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 4444 and 4446 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Adoption of Minor Children.

Received from Senate, 717.
First and second reading, 784.
Reference, 784.
Reported back, 1161.
Third reading, 1274.
Passed, 1274.

Senate Bill No. 194.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 5109 and 5110 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Received from Senate, 616.
First and second reading, 781.
Reference, 781.
Reported back, 1161.
Third reading, 1275.
Passed, 1276.

Senate Bill No. 196.—(Thorson)

A Bill for an Act to Provide an Appropriation for the Eradication of the Barberry.

Received from Senate, 434.
First and second reading, 461.
Reference, 461.
Reported back, 1079.
Amended, 1186.
Third reading, 1303.
Passed, 1303.
Other action, 1342.

Senate Bill No. 197.—(Van Camp)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 146 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to the Office of Commissioner of Immigration, Prescribing His Powers and Duties, and Making an Appropriation Therefor, and Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Received from Senate, 613.
First and second reading, 781.
Reference, 781.
Reported back, 1170.
Amended, 1323.
Third reading, 1349.
Passed, 1349.

Senate Bill No. 198.—(Hamilton)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Supervisor of Grades, Weights and Measures, for the Purpose of Carrying out, Maintaining General Supervision and Regulation of Grain Grading, Elevator Accounting and Inspection of Elevators, Warehouses and Flour Mills in Handling of all Agricultural Products.

Received from Senate, 801.
First and second reading, 845.
Reference, 845.
Reported back, 1337.
Amended, 1429.
Third reading, 1445.
Passed, 1446.

Senate Bill No. 199.—(Baird and Baker)

A Bill for an Act Making an Appropriation for the Use of the Board of Administration in Administering Child Welfare Laws.

Received from Senate, 717.
First and second reading, 784.
Reference, 784.
Reported back, 1171.
Third reading, 1297.
Passed, 1298.

Senate Bill No. 200.—(Martin)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Recall of County Commissioners.

Received from Senate, 454, 566.
First and second reading, 462.
Reference, 462.
Reported back, 520.
Third reading, 964.
Indefinitely postponed, 521.
Lost, 965.
Other action, 563.

Senate Bill No. 201.—(Page)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5608 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913.

Received from Senate, 369.
 First and second reading, 379.
 Reference, 379.
 Reported back, 491.
 Amended, 546.
 Third reading, 956.
 Passed, 957.

Senate Bill No. 203.—(Kaldor)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 160 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 18 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Appointment of Regular and Special Assistant Attorneys General, and Repealing Chapter 20 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Received from Senate, 565.
 First and second reading, 573.
 Reference, 573.
 Reported back, 1022.
 Third reading, 1141.
 Passed, 1142.

Senate Bill No. 204.—(Kaldor)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 158 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Attorney General's Report.

Received from Senate, 369.
 First and second reading, 379.
 Reference, 379.
 Reported back, 493.
 Third reading, 576.
 Passed, 577.
 Messaged to Senate, 579.
 Other action, 733.

Senate Bill No. 205.—(Kaldor)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact 7644 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919, (Regular Session) and Chapter 129 of the Session Laws for the Year 1921, Relating to Change of Judges in Civil and Criminal Actions in the District Court, for Prejudice or Bias of Judge Thereof; Providing for the Calling of Another Judge of Another Judicial District, and the Payment of his Expenses, and the Discharge of Jurors Therein, and Repealing All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Received from Senate, 802.
 First and second reading, 845.
 Reference, 845.
 Reported back, 1021.
 Third reading, 1140.
 Passed, 1141.

Senate Bill No. 206.—(Fleckten)

A Bill for an Act Providing for a Verdict in Civil Cases by Five-Sixths of the Jury After Twelve Hours Deliberation.

Received from Senate, 565.

First and second reading, 573.

Reference, 573.

Reported back, 1021.

Third reading, 1140, 1150.

Passed, 1150.

Lost, 1140.

Other action, 1150.

Senate Bill No. 207.—(Gardiner)

A Joint Resolution Concurring the Printing of Extra Copies of the 1919 Session Laws.

Received from Senate, 674.

First and second reading, 782.

Reference, 782.

Reported back, 821.

Amended, 997.

Third reading, 1119.

Passed, 1120.

Senate Bill No. 208.—(Thorson)

A Bill for an Act Relating to County Finances; Providing That all County Officials and All Officers in Charge of any Institution, Office or Undertaking Supported in Whole or in Part by the County Shall File an Itemized Statement of Amounts Necessary for Maintenance of Such Office or Institution; Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Annually Prepare a Budget Providing for Publication of Such Budget and of the Proposed Levy; Providing for a Public Hearing Regard to the Proposed Expenditures and Levy; Fixing a Date for Levy; Providing That All Expenditures must Conform to the Budget as Adopted, and That all Unappropriated Balances in any Fund at the End of the Fiscal Year Shall Become a Part of the General Fund; Repealing Sections 3312, 3313, and 3314, of the Compiled Laws of 1913.

Received from Senate, 454.

First and second reading, 462.

Reference, 463.

Reported back, 558.

Amended, 961.

Third reading, 962.

Passed, 962.

Other action, 1026.

Senate Bill No. 210.—(Peterson)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Acquiring by Condemnation of Roads so Located as to Interfere with the Working of Coal or Other Mines, and Providing the Compensation to be Made Therefor.

Received from Senate, 528.

First and second reading, 535.

Reference, 535.

Reported back, 697.

Third reading, 970.

Passed, 971.

Senate Bill No. 211.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3451, Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to County Bonds, rate of Interest and Note of Issue.
Received from Senate, 613.
First and second reading, 782.
Reference, 782.
Reported back, 986.
Amended, 1059.
Third reading, 1149.
Passed, 1150.

Senate Bill No. 212.—(McLachlin)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3890 of the Compiled Laws of 1913. Relating to Publishing of Village Treasurer's Reports and Prescribing the Form Thereof.
Received from Senate, 567.
First and second reading, 573.
Reference, 573.
Reported back, 1010.
Amended, 1061.
Third reading, 1205.
Passed, 1206.

Senate Bill No. 213.—(Steel)

A Bill for an Act Giving the North Dakota Game and Fish Commission Power to Make Rules and Regulations in Addition to Those Already Provided by Law, for the Protection of the Fish in the Lakes and Rivers of North Dakota.
Received from Senate, 434.
First and second reading, 461.
Reference, 461.
Reported back, 661.
Third reading, 967.
Passed, 968.

Senate Bill No. 216.—(Ployhar)

A Bill for an Act Regulating the Standard Provisions of Accident Insurance Policies Issued Within the State, and Providing a Penalty for Violation Thereof.
Received from Senate, 528.
First and second reading, 538.
Reference, 538.
Reported back, 1255.
Indefinitely postponed, 1256.

Senate Bill No. 220.—(McLachlin and Rusch)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3716 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 Relating to Payment of Deficiency in Special Assessments.
Received from Senate, 434.
First and second reading, 461.
Reference, 461.
Reported back, 954.
Third reading, 1032.
Passed, 1033.

Senate Bill No. 224.—(Levang)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Place of Payment of all State Bonds of the State of North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 565.
First and second reading, 573.
Reference, 573.
Reported back, 768.
Third reading, 1000.
Passed, 1000.

Senate Bill No. 226.—(Kaldor)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3784 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 120 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to Municipal Elections in Cities.

Received from Senate, 454.
First and second reading, 463.
Reference, 463.
Reported back, 520.
Amended, 976.
Third reading, 1034.
Passed, 1035.
Other action, 1107.

Senate Bill No. 228.—(Magnuson)

A Bill for an Act to Repeal Section 6624 of the Compiled Laws for the Year 1913. Valued Insurance Policy Act.

Received from Senate, 528.
First and second reading, 535.
Reference, 535.
Reported back, 663.
Indefinitely postponed, 663.

Senate Bill No. 229.—(Ettestad)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2189 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Publication of Delinquent Tax List, as Amended by Chapter 256 of the Session Laws of 1915.

Received from Senate, 789.
First and second reading, 846.
Reference, 846.
Reported back, 986.
Indefinitely postponed, 986.

Senate Bill No. 232.—(Stevens)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9367 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Prescribing of an Oath.

Received from Senate, 889.
First and second reading, 941.
Reference, 941.
Reported back, 1020.
Third reading, 1138.
Passed, 1139.

Senate Bill No. 233.—(Carey)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 117 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to the Nomination and Election of all Elective County Officers, Judges of the Supreme and District Courts, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and County Superintendent of Schools, Without Requiring a Declaration as to Party Affiliation, and a Separate Ballot for County Officials; Extending the Law so as to Apply to All State Officials and Members of the Legislature and County Official Newspapers; Providing for Filling of Vacancies and for Designation of Principles Supported by Candidates for State and Legislative Office and Repealing Sections 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 917, 918 and 919 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 and Chapter 117 of the Session Laws of 1919.

Received from Senate, 464.

First and second reading, 470.

Reference, 470.

Reported back, 738.

Amended, 740, 806.

Third reading, 828.

Passed, 829, 860, 902, 916.

Senate Bill No. 235.—(Eastgate)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2263 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended and Re-enacted in Chapter 1 of the Session Laws for the year 1917, Relating to the Levy of a Tax by County Commissioners to be Used in Carrying on Cooperative Agricultural Extension Work as Defined by this Act and Providing for Referendum by Ballot, Audit of Funds and Disposition of Accumulated Funds.

Received from Senate, 528.

First and second reading, 536.

Reference, 536.

Reported back, 1257.

Amended, 1368, 1425.

Third reading, 1449.

Passed, 1450.

Other action, 1375, 1529.

Senate Bill No. 236.—(Ward)

A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Cancellation, Conversion and Exchange of Bonds Issued Under and by Virtue of Chapter 148, Session Laws of 1919.

Received from Senate, 889.

First and second reading, 942.

Reference, 942.

Reported back, 1008.

Third reading, 1122.

Passed, 1122.

Senate Bill No. 240.—(Page)

A Bill for an Act Relating to Redemption from Mortgage Foreclosure or Execution Sales and Providing for a Redemptioner Making a Credit on His Claim Against the Debtor as a Part of the Redemption.

Received from Senate, 565.
First and second reading, 573.
Reference, 573.
Reported back, 1160.
Third reading, 1271.
Passed, 1272.

Senate Bill No. 241.—(Levang)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7036 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Protesting Negotiable Instruments.

Received from Senate, 580.
First and second reading, 599.
Reference, 599.
Reported back, 760.
Third reading, 1002.
Passed, 1003.

Senate Bill No. 242.—(Steel)

A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1342 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 141 of the Session Laws of 1915 and by Chapter 206 of the Session Laws of 1917 and Section 1345 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Relating to Compulsory School Attendance and Providing for the Enforcement thereof.

Received from Senate, 801.
First and second reading, 846.
Reference, 846.
Reported back, 1013.
Indefinitely postponed, 1013.

Senate Bill No. 243.—(Eastgate)

A Bill for an Act to Safeguard the Business of Beekeeping Against Contagious and Infectious Diseases; Defining Apiaries; Providing for State Inspection Under the Direction and Control of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor; Prohibiting the Sale, Barter, Offer of Sale or Barter, Moving, Transportation, Shipping or Offering for Shipping or Transportation, of any Bees, Brood, Comb or Beekeeping Appliances That are Infected; Providing for the Proper Certification of Shipments into the State, and the Reporting of Such Shipments by the Purchaser or Importer; Fixing Penalties for Violation.

Received from Senate, 528.
First and second reading, 536.
Reference, 536.
Reported back, 758.
Amended, 978.
Third reading, 1039.
Passed, 1040.
Other action, 1106.

Senate Bill No. 244.—(Van Camp)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 4799 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to Free Passes, Franks and Special Privileges Prohibited and Exceptions.

Received from Senate, 567.

First and second reading, 573.

Reference, 573.

Reported back, 954.

Indefinitely postponed, 1003.

Senate Bill No. 245.—(Kaldor)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Assessment of Telephone Property, Providing for a Tax on Gross Earnings of Telephone Companies in Lieu of the General Property Tax on the Property of Such Companies Used Exclusively in Connection with the Operation of their Telephone Business, and in Lieu of the Tax Upon the Shares of Stock of Such Companies; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Received from Senate, 614, 860.

First and second reading, 942.

Reference, 942.

Reported back, 1081.

Indefinitely postponed, 1081.

Returned to Senate, 659.

Senate Bill No. 246.—(Ettestad)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1218 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota, Relating to Report and Annual Statement of School Districts, as Amended by Chapter 50 of the Special Session Laws of 1918.

Received from Senate, 580.

First and second reading, 599.

Reference, 599.

Reported back, 769.

Indefinitely postponed, 770.

Senate Bill No. 250.—(Majority of Banking Committee)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 126 of the Laws of 1917, as Amended by Chapter 110 of the Laws of 1919 and as Further Amended by Chapter 21 of the Laws of 1921.

Received from Senate, 861.

First and second reading, 942.

Reference, 942.

Reported back, 1237.

Amended, 1364.

Third reading, 1380.

Passed, 1380.

Senate Bill No. 251.—(Game and Fish Committee)

A Bill for an Act Establishing a Closed Season on Frogs.

Received from Senate, 464.

First and second reading, 470.

Reference, 470.

Reported back, 661.

Third reading, 968.

Lost, 251.

Senate Bill No. 253.—(Van Camp)

A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 122 of the Session Laws of 1921.

Received from Senate, 903.

First and second reading, 942.

Reference, 942.

Reported back, 1421.

Third reading, 1455.

Passed 1455.

Senate Bill No. 255.—(Storstad and Gardiner)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 59 of the Session Laws of 1917 as amended by Chapter 220 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, relating to the Basis of Assessment of Property for Taxation Purposes.

Received from Senate 903.

First and second reading, 942.

Reference, 942.

Reported back, 1253.

Amended, 1368.

Third reading, 1390.

Passed, 1391.

Other action, 952.

Senate Bill No. 256.—(McLachlin)

A Bill for an Act to Control the Possession, Sale, and Use of Pistols and Revolvers, to Provide Penalties, and for other Purposes.

Received from Senate, 735.

First and second reading, 784.

Reference, 784.

Reported back, 1339.

Third reading, 1438.

Passed, 1439.

Senate Bill No. 257.—(Gross)

A Bill for an Act to Limit County Road and Bridge Tax Levies; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Received from Senate, 948.

First and second reading, 950.

Reference, 950.

Reported back, 1421.

Indefinitely postponed, 1421.

Senate Bill No. 258.—(Garberg)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Appointment of Representatives on Behalf of the State of North Dakota to Negotiate a Compact and Agreement Between the States of North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana, and Between said States and the United States of America, Respecting the Use and Distribution of the Waters of the Missouri River and the Rights of said States and the United States Thereto.

Received from Senate, 566.

First and second reading, 573.

Reference, 573.

Reported back, 700.

Amended, 978.

Third reading, 1039.

Passed, 1039.

Senate Bill No. 259.—(Baird and Kaldor)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Power of the Supreme Court in Civil Causes on Appeal, and the Extent of Review when such Causes are Reversed by the Supreme Court and Remanded for a New Trial.

Received from Senate, 566.

First and second reading, 574.

Reference, 574.

Reported back, 759.

Indefinitely postponed, 759.

Senate Bill No. 260.—(Baker)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Conduct of the Business of Warehousing and Providing Penalties for its Violation.

Received from Senate, 947.

First and second reading, 950.

Reference, 950, 1130.

Reported back, 1012.

Indefinitely postponed, 1426.

Senate Bill No. 261.—(Storstad)

A Bill for an Act Re-establishing the North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association, Defining its Powers and Duties, and Providing for the Control, Management and Operation of State Owned Grain Warehouses, Elevators and Flour Mills and the Conduct of all Business Relating Thereto, Especially as Relates to the State Owned Mill and Elevator at Grand Forks and Providing for the Appointment of a Board of Managers Thereof and Repealing Chapter 152 Laws of North Dakota of 1919, Entitled "An Act Declaring the Purpose of the State of North Dakota to Engage in the Business of Manufacturing and Marketing of Farm Products, and for Establishing a Warehouse, Elevator and Flour Mill System Under the Name of North Dakota Mill and Elevator Association Operated by the State, and Defining the Scope and Manner of its Operation, and the Powers and Duties of the Persons Charged with its Management; and Making an Appropriation Therefor."

Received from Senate, 948.

First and second reading, 951.

Reference, 951.

Reported back, 1165.

Amended, 1233.

Third reading, 1346.

Passed, 1346.

Senate Bill No. 263.—(Kelsh)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the White Stone Hills Battlefield Grounds in Dickey County, and Vesting the Care, Custody, Control and Maintenance of the Same in the State Historical Society of North Dakota, as Trustee for the State.

Received from Senate, 579.

First and second reading, 599.

Reference, 599.

Reported back, 771.

Third reading, 1000.

Passed, 1001.

Senate Bill No. 265.—(Kretschmar)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2360a of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as amended and Re-enacted by Section 2360a of Chapter 4 of the Session Laws for the Year 1919.

Received from Senate, 735.
First and second reading, 785.
Reference, 785.
Reported back, 1257.
Third reading, 1361.
Passed, 1361.

Senate Bill No. 266.—(Kretschmar)

A Bill for an Act Amending Section 4571 of the Compiled Laws of 1913, Providing for the Assessment of Shares of Stock in Corporations.

Received from Senate, 614.
First and second reading, 782.
Reference, 782.
Reported back, 1009.
Third reading, 1122.
Passed, 1123.

Senate Bill No. 267.—(Majority of Committee on Banks and Banking)

A Bill for an Act Declaring an Emergency to Exist Affecting the Public Welfare of the State with Respect to the Administration of Insolvent Banks; Providing for Liquidation Thereof; Vesting the Supreme Court with Jurisdiction of Such Liquidation Proceedings, and Requesting it to Assume Original Jurisdiction in Furtherance of the Public Interest; Creating the Position of Supreme Court Commissioner; Fixing his Compensation, and Defining his Powers and Authority, and Providing for the Appointment of Receivers of Insolvent Banks, and Making an Appropriation to Meet the Expenses Incident to Carrying out the Purposes of this Act, and Directing the Supreme Court to Exercise its Supervisory Authority over the District Court in Proceedings for Liquidating the Affairs of Insolvent Banks.

Received from Senate, 861.
First and second reading, 942.
Reference, 942.
Reported back, 1247.
Amended, 1365.
Third reading, 1384.
Passed, 1384.
Other action, 1031.

Senate Bill No. 268.—(Tofsrud)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 7660, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 7660, of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota, for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 131, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Causes for a New Trial in Civil Actions.

Received from Senate, 614.
 First and second reading, 782.
 Reference, 782.
 Reported back, 1159.
 Third reading, 1271.
 Passed, 1271.

Senate Bill No. 272.—(McCoy)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Method of Levying Tax for the Care of Patients at the Hospital for the Insane, Institution for the Feeble Minded and the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium; Providing the Method of Settlement Between County and State; Providing a Penalty for Failure to Pay; Providing a Method of Settling Disputed Claims and Repealing Sections 2572 and 2573, Compiled Laws of 1913 and All Acts or Parts of Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Received from Senate, 927.
 First and second reading, 942.
 Reference, 942.
 Reported back, 1395.
 Amended, 1431.
 Third reading, 1450.
 Passed, 1451.

Senate Bill No. 275.—(Lynch)

A Bill for an Act to Repeal Chapter 24 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Providing for the Issuance of Bonds of the State of North Dakota in a Sum Not Exceeding Two Million Dollars to be Known as "Bonds of North Dakota, Home Building Series."

Received from Senate, 579, 675.
 First and second reading, 600, 782.
 Reference, 600, 782.
 Reported back, 987.
 Third reading, 1113.
 Passed, 1113.
 Returned to Senate, 659.

Senate Bill No. 277.—(Lynch)

A Bill for an Act Transferring to the Industrial Commission the Custody, Control and Management of the Property and Assets of the Home Building Association of North Dakota, for the Purpose of Liquidating and Winding Up the Business and Affairs of Said Home Building Association of North Dakota, Defining the Powers and Authority of the Industrial Commission with Reference Thereto, Defining the Rights and Liabilities of Applicants for Homes and Purchasers, and Repealing Chapter 150 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and Chapter 39 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Received from Senate, 888.
First and second reading, 943.
Reference, 943.
Reported back, 984.
Third reading, 1116.
Passed, 1117.

Senate Bill No. 278.—(Garberg)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3718 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Extension of Water Main Assessments.

Received from Senate, 717.
First and second reading, 785.
Reference, 785.
Reported back, 954.
Third reading, 1004.
Passed, 1004.

Senate Bill No. 280.—(Lynch)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7643 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 133, of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Directed Verdicts.

Received from Senate, 861.
First and second reading, 943.
Reference, 943.
Reported back, 1021.
Third reading, 1139.
Passed, 1140.

Senate Bill No. 283.—(Hamilton)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 9868, 9869, 9870, 9871, 9872, 9873, 9874, 9875 and 9876 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Burglary, House Breaking and Unlawful Entering.

Received from Senate, 903.
First and second reading, 943.
Reference, 943.
Reported back, 1022.
Indefinitely postponed, 1022.

Senate Bill No. 284.—(Baird, Garberg and Kaldor)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 782, 783, 784, 787, 799, 808, 809, 810, 811 and 812 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 69 of the Session Laws for the year 1919, Relating to the Creation of a State Bar Board, its Members, Their Term of Office, Qualifications, Compensation and Duties and Providing for the Admission of Attorneys to Practice and the Issuance of Licenses to Practice and Making an Appropriation of \$10,000.00 from the State Bar Fund for the State Law Library.

Received from Senate, 916.

First and second reading, 943.

Reference, 943.

Reported back, 1164.

Amended, 1234.

Third reading, 1348.

Passed, 1348.

Other action, 1422, 1485.

Senate Bill No. 286.—(Baird, Garberg and Kaldor)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 25 of the Session Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Being an Act to Create, Define and Establish the Bar Association of the State of North Dakota, and Providing for the Publication of Its Proceedings and Filing Copies Thereof with the State Bar Board and State Libraries, and as Otherwise Provided and Making an Appropriation for the Expenses Connected Therewith.

Received from Senate, 917.

First and second reading, 943.

Reference, 943.

Reported back, 1161.

Third reading, 1275.

Passed, 1275.

Senate Bill No. 287.—(Levang)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 157 of the Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1917, Relating to the Penalty for Larceny of Automobiles and Motorcycles.

Received from Senate, 579.

First and second reading, 600.

Reference, 600.

Reported back, 759.

Indefinitely postponed, 759.

Senate Bill No. 288.—(Baird)

A Bill for an Act Providing for a Tax Upon Reserves of Coal and Minerals Providing for the Obtaining of Tax Titles to Such Reserves when Taxes Thereon Remain Unpaid and Repealing Section 2119, Section 2120 and Section 2121, Compiled Laws of 1913, and all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with This Act.

Received from Senate, 801.

First and second reading, 846.

Reference, 846.

Reported back, 1077.

Amended, 1184, 1299.

Third reading, 1299.

Passed, 1300.

Other action, 1342.

Senate Bill No. 289.—(Byrne)

A Bill for an Act Providing That the County Commissioners Shall Have Power to Abate Certain Assessments Levied by Boards of Irrigation Districts Upon Application of the District Board Approved by the Director of the Reclamation Service.

Received from Senate, 889.

First and second reading, 944.

Reference, 944.

Reported back, 1256.

Third reading, 1359.

Passed, 1360.

Senate Bill No. 292.—(Van Camp)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2141 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 35, Special Session Laws of 1919; Providing for the Substitution of the State Auditor and State Tax Commissioner as Members of the State Board of Equalization Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Attorney General; Providing that the Tax Commissioner Shall be Secretary Thereof Instead of the Commissioner of Insurance and Prescribing the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Equalization in Regard to the Equalization and Assessment of Property.

Received from Senate, 789.

First and second reading, 846.

Reference, 846.

Reported back, 985.

Third reading, 1046.

Passed, 1047.

Senate Bill No. 295.—(Kretschmar)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 8 of Chapter 211 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for 1919, Relating to Supreme Court Reporter and State Law Librarian.

Received from Senate, 675.

First and second reading, 782.

Reference, 782.

Reported back, 984.

Third reading, 1044.

Passed, 1045.

Senate Bill No. 299—(Storstad)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1 of Chapter 62 of the Laws of North Dakota Enacted at the Special Session of 1919, and Declaring that an Emergency Exists, and that This Act Shall Become Effective Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Received from Senate, 790.
 First and Second reading, 846.
 Reference, 846.
 Reported back, 1012.
 Third reading, 1129.
 Passed, 1130.

Senate Bill No. 300—(Storstad)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 2110 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended by Chapter 221 of the Session Laws of 1919 and Chapter 119 of the Session Laws of 1921 Relating to the Taxation of Corporate Excess.

Received from Senate, 890.
 First and second reading, 944.
 Reference, 944.
 Reported back, 992.
 Third reading, 1074.
 Passed, 1075.

Senate Bill No. 301—(Storstad)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 61 of the Session Laws of 1917 Relating to the Assessment of the Capital Stock of Banks, Loan and Trust Companies and of Moneyed Capital Entering Into Competition Therewith.

Received from Senate, 790.
 First and second reading, 847.
 Reference, 847.
 Reported back, 993.
 Third reading, 1112.
 Passed, 1113.

Senate Bill No. 302—(Storstad)

A Bill for an Act to Impose a Gross Earnings Tax on Certain Freight Line and Car Equipment Companies Owning and Operating or Leasing and Operating Over Railroad Lines Within This State for the Purpose of Raising Revenue to Defray the General Expenses of State Government; Repealing Sections 2 to 11 Inclusive, of Chapter 59, Special Session Laws of 1919 and All Other Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith.

Received from Senate, 790.
 First and second reading, 847.
 Reference, 847.
 Reported back, 1011.
 Third reading, 1128.
 Passed, 1129.

Senate Bill No. 304—(Rusch)

A Bill for an Act to Permit Mutual Insurance Companies to Classify Their Business by Trades, Occupations or Professions, and to Pay Dividends to Policyholders Based Upon Each Trade, Occupation or Profession's Proportion of Losses received to the Premiums Paid by Them; and Providing the Method of Determining Such Dividends.

Received from Senate, 614.

First and second reading, 782.

Reference, 782.

Reported back, 1014.

Third reading, 1130.

Passed, 1131.

Senate Bill No. 308—(Carey)

A Bill for an Act Authorizing the County Commissioners to Satisfy Judgments Against Sureties on Bail Bonds.

Received from Senate, 566.

First and second reading, 574.

Reference, 574.

Reported back, 762.

Indefinitely postponed, 1034.

Senate Bill No. 310—(Thorson)

A Bill for an Act Relating to School Finances; Providing that Each School Board or Board of Education of any School District Shall Annually Prepare a Budget of Proposed Expenditures; Providing for Publication of Such Budget and of the Proposed Levy; Providing for a Public Hearing in Regard to the Proposed Expenditures and Levy; Fixing a Date for Levy; Providing that All Expenditures Must Conform to the Budget as Adopted, and that All Unappropriated Balances in Any Fund at the End of the Fiscal Year Shall Become a Part of the General Fund; Repealing All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent With the Provisions of This Act.

Received from Senate, 860.

First and second reading, 944.

Reference, 944.

Reported back, 983.

Indefinitely postponed, 983.

Senate Bill No. 311—(Whitmer)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1, of Chapter 242, Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Relating to State Bounty on Wolves and Coyotes.

Received from Senate, 675.

First and second reading, 782.

Reference, 782.

Reported back, 1078.

Amended, 1185.

Third reading, 1301.

Passed, 1302.

Other action, 1342, 1345, 1423, 1482, 1484.

Senate Bill No. 315—(Whitman)

A Bill for an Act Defining Carnivals and Prohibiting the Same Except under Certain Restrictions; Defining the Powers and Duties of Town and Fair Boards in Regard thereto and Providing Penalty.

Received from Senate, 735.

First and second reading, 785.

Reference, 785.

Reported back, 1159.

Amended, 1234.

Third reading, 1350.

Passed, 1350.

Senate Bill No. 316.—(Baird)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7625 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to a Trial Jury in Civil Cases.

Received from Senate, 802.

First and second reading, 847.

Reference, 847.

Amended, 1063.

Third reading, 1209.

Passed, 1210, 1262.

Senate Bill No. 317—(Carey)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 1003 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, as Amended by Chapter 6 of the Special Session Laws of 1918, Relating to the Printing of Absent Voter Ballots.

Received from Senate, 735, 1098.

First and second reading, 785.

Reference, 785.

Reported back, 981.

Third reading, 1042, 1114.

Passed, 1115.

Lost, 1043.

Other action, 1081.

Senate Bill No. 318—(Carey)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 974 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Certification of Nominations.

Received from Senate, 735.

First and second reading, 785.

Reference, 785.

Reported back, 918.

Third reading, 1115.

Passed, 1115.

Senate Bill No. 319—(Carey)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 973 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Filing of Certificates of Nomination.

Received from Senate, 785.

First and second reading, 785.

Reference, 785.

Reported back, 982.

Amended, 1064.

Third reading, 1116.

Passed, 1116.

Senate Bill No. 321—(Baird)

A Bill for an Act Providing that Discharged Soldiers Shall Receive Credit for Their Military Service in the Particular Profession, Vocation or Trade in Which They Were Engaged at the Time of Their Entrance into the Military Service of the United States.

Received from Senate, 735.

First and second reading, 785.

Reference, 785.

Reported back, 1257.

Third reading, 1360.

Passed, 1361.

Senate Bill No. 325—(Baird)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 557 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, Governing the Practice of Certified Public Accountants in the State, and Providing a Penalty for Violation of the Laws Governing Accountancy.

Received from Senate, 917.

First and second reading, 944.

Reference, 944.

Reported back, 1164.

Amended, 1323.

Third reading, 1442.

Passed, 1443.

Other action, 1470, 1484, 1501.

Senate Bill No. 326.—(Byrne)

A Bill for an Act to Amend Section 3711 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and to Provide for Special Assessment Funds, the Issuance and Payment of Warrants.

Received from Senate, 802.

First and second reading, 847.

Reference, 847.

Reported back, 987.

Third reading, 1048.

Passed, 1048.

Senate Bill No. 329.—(Rusch)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 33 of Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919 Relating to Rehearings of the Determination of Inheritance Taxes, and Providing that No Report Need Be Made to the Tax Commissioner in Case of Insolvent Estates.

Received from Senate, 928.
 First and second reading, 944.
 Reference, 944.
 Reported back, 993.
 Third reading, 1119.
 Passed, 1119.

Senate Bill No. 330.—(Garberg)

A Bill for an Act to Authorize County Commissioners to Lay Out and Construct or Contract for the Construction of Highways on State Lines.

Received from Senate, 927.
 First and second reading, 944.
 Reference, 944.
 Third reading, 1121.
 Passed, 1122.

Senate Bill No. 332.—(Ingerson)

A Bill for an Act to Repeal Sections 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694 and 695 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 199 of the Session Laws of 1915, Chapter 176 of the Session Laws of 1917, and Chapter 184 of the Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the Removal of Officials by the Governor.

Received from Senate, 928.
 First and second reading, 945.
 Reference, 945.
 Reported back, 1076.
 Indefinitely postponed, 1076.

Senate Bill No. 335.—(Lynch)

A Bill for an Act to Create the Office of State Food Commissioner and Chemist; Providing for His Appointment, Term of Office, Removal and Salary; Defining His Powers and Duties; Defining the Powers and Duties of the State Board of Administration Relating Thereto; Creating a State Regulatory Fund and Providing for Payments Therefrom and Repealing Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict with this Act and Especially Repealing Sections Two and Five of Chapter Two Hundred of the Session Laws of 1915.

Received from Senate, 861.
 First and second reading, 945.
 Reference, 945.
 Reported back, 1421.
 Amended, 1433.
 Third reading, 1454.
 Passed, 1455.

Senate Bill No. 336.—(Kaldor)

A Joint Resolution for an Amendment to Section 182, Article 12 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, as Amended by Article 31 of the Amendments Thereof, Relating to Issuing or Guaranteeing of Bonds by the State and Providing that Such Bonds in Excess of Two Million Dollars Shall be Secured by First Mortgage on Certain Classes of Property; and Providing for the Submission of this Amendment to the Voters of the State for Rejection or Approval as Provided Section 292, as Amended, of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 802.
First and second reading, 847.
Reference, 847.
Reported back, 985.
Amended, 1117.
Third reading, 1118.
Passed, 1118.

Senate Bill No. 337.—(Whitmer)

A Bill for an Act Providing for a Bounty for the Destruction of Magpies.

Received from Senate, 917.
First and second reading, 945.
Reference, 945.
Reported back, 1078.
Amended, 1185.
Third reading, 1300.
Passed, 1301.
Other action, 1342, 1469, 1487.

Senate Bill No. 338.—(Sperry)

A Bill for an Act Appropriating Money to Reimburse the Common School Fund of the State of North Dakota for Losses Resulting From a Misappropriation of Such Fund Occuring Previous to January 1, 1917.

Received from Senate, 566.
First and second reading, 574.
Reference 574.
Reported back, 991.
Third reading, 1072.
Passed, 1072.

Senate Bill No. 339.—(Thorson and Ployhar)

A Joint Resolution for an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, Providing for the Issue of Bonds for the Erection of Dormitories for the State's Educational Institutions.

Received from Senate, 917.
First and second reading, 945.
Reference, 945.
Reported back, 1025.
Indefinitely postponed, 1025.

Senate Bill No. 341.—(Thorson)

A Bill for an Act to Impose a Tax Upon Gasoline, Stored, Shipped, Distributed or Held for Sale Within this State, for the Purpose of Raising Revenue for Defraying the Expenses of the State Government; Providing for the Administration of the Same; Repealing Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1919 as Amended by Chapter 64 of the Special Session Laws of 1919.

Received from Senate, 790.
 First and second reading, 847.
 Reference, 847, 1011.
 Reported back, 1011, 1331.
 Amended, 1184, 1426.
 Third reading, 1441
 Passed, 1442.

Senate Bill No. 342.—(Rusch)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Subdivision 2 of Section 1 and Section 13a of Chapter 231 of the Session Laws of 1917 as Amended by Chapter 225 of the Session Laws of 1919, and to Amend Section 2 of Chapter 125 of the Session Laws of 1921, Relating to Inheritance Taxes Upon Estates of Deceased Non-Residents.

Received from Senate, 890, 1107.
 First and second reading, 945.
 Reference, 945, 1107.
 Reported back, 1024, 1253.
 Third reading, 1358.
 Indefinitely postponed, 1024.
 Passed, 1358.

Senate Bill No. 344.—(Garberg)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3294 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for 1913, Relating to the Erection, Purchase, Repair and Maintenance of County Buildings.

Received from Senate, 735.
 First and second reading, 785.
 Reference, 785, 1077.
 Reported back, 1076.
 Amended, 1184.
 Third reading, 1298.
 Passed, 1299.
 Other action, 1342.

Senate Bill No. 346.—(Fleckten and Miklethun)

A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Creation of Deficits by State Officials, State Boards and Heads of State Institutions, and Prescribing a Penalty for the violation of this Act.

Received from Senate, 903.
 First and second reading, 945.
 Reference, 945.
 Reported back, 988.
 Third reading, 1050.
 Passed, 1051.

Senate Bill No. 347.—(Wog)

A Concurrent Resolution to Amend and Re-enact Section 173 of Article 10 of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota Providing for the Election of County Officials.

Received from Senate, 675.
First and second reading, 783.
Reference, 783.
Reported back, 982.
Amended, 1065.
Third reading, 1211.
Passed, 1212, 1262.

Senate Bill No. 350.—(Page)

A Bill for an Act Amending and Re-enacting Section 1333 and Section 1337 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to the Issuance of Bonds by Common School Districts, and Declaring an Emergency.

Received from Senate, 790.
First and second reading, 848.
Reference, 848.
Reported back, 1014.
Indefinitely postponed, 1014.

Senate Bill No. 352.—(Benson)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 9235 of the Compiled Laws of the State of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Sabbath Breaking.

Received from Senate, 675.
First and second reading, 783.
Reference, 783.
Reported back, 1163.
Amended, 1322.
Indefinitely postponed, 1322.

Senate Bill No. 355.—(Atkins)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 375 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Chapter 227 of the Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 21 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, Relating to the State Auditing Board, its Duties and the Membership Thereof.

Received from Senate, 675.
First and second reading, 783.
Reference, 783.
Reported back, 985.
Third reading, 1045, 1454.
Passed, 1046, 1455.

Senate Bill No. 357.—(Atkins)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Creation of a Commission for the Purpose of Making a Study of the Lignite Industry and Reporting to the Next Regular Session of the Legislature its Findings with Respect to methods of developing such Industry, and Providing an Appropriation for the Purpose of Defraying Necessary Expenses.

Received from Senate, 903.
 First and second reading, 945.
 Reference, 945.
 Reported back, 1252.
 Third reading, 1357.
 Lost, 1358.

Senate Bill No. 363.—(Whitman)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Chapter 170 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, Being an Act Regulating and Fixing the Hours of Labor for Females, and Providing Penalties for the Violation Thereof.

Received from Senate, 952.
 First and second reading, 951.
 Reference, 951.
 Reported back, 1005.
 Amended, 1059.
 Third reading, 1148.
 Passed, 1148.

Senate Bill No. 364.—(Majority of Committee on Banks and Banking)

A Joint Resolution Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of North Dakota.

Received from Senate, 928.
 First and second reading, 946.
 Reference, 946.
 Reported back, 1008.
 Third reading, 1218.
 Lost, 1219.

Senate Bill No. 366.—(Miklethun)

A Bill for an Act Relating to Intrastate Freight Rates in North Dakota, Fixing the Maximum Rates and Charges for Transportation of Freight Intrastate, Providing Penalties and Punishment for the Violation Thereof, and Defining the Duties and Powers of the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Received from Senate, 931.
 First and second reading, 946.
 Reference, 946.
 Reported back, 1256.
 Indefinitely postponed, 1256.

Senate Bill No. 369.—(Hamilton)

A Bill for an Act Relating to Dangerous Railroad Grade Crossings over State Highways and Providing for the Protection of such Crossings.

Received from Senate, 948.
First and second reading, 951.
Reference, 951.
Reported back, 1007.
Amended, 1183.
Third reading, 1268.
Passed, 1269.
Other action, 1342.

Senate Bill No. 370.—(Baird)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 5626 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913.

Received from Senate, 802.
First and second reading, 848.
Reference, 848.
Reported back, 1025.
Indefinitely postponed, 1025.

Senate Bill No. 371.—(Lynch)

A Bill for an Act for the Protection of Health and Prevention of Fraud and Deception in Articles of Food and Drugs; for the Prevention of Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; Requiring Labeling Thereof; Providing for Sales by Weight, Measure or Numerical Count; Providing for Fixing of Standards of Purity and Quality and Fitness for Consumption; Prescribing the Duties of the State Board of Administration and Providing for the Appointment of a State Food Commissioner and Chemist and Prescribing His Duties and Powers; Providing for the Enforcement of the Provisions of the Act; Defining Certain Offenses in Connection Therewith; Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Certain Acts Relating Thereto.

Received from Senate, 889, 1261.
First and second reading, 946.
Reference, 946.
Reported back, 1170, 1331.
Third reading, 1377, 1385.
Indefinitely postponed, 1170.
Passed, 1386.
Other action, 1227.
Lost, 1378, 1385.

Senate Bill No. 372.—(Lynch)

A Bill for an Act Providing for the Inspection of Hotels and Restaurants; Prescribing Sanitary Requirements Therefor; Providing for Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; Providing for the Revocation of Licenses; Defining the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist with Regard to the Act; Providing for Penalties for Violation Thereof and Repealing Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Received from Senate, 927.
First and second reading, 946.
Reference, 946.
Reported back, 1155.
Indefinitely postponed, 1155.

Senate Bill No. 373.—(Lynch)

A Bill for an Act to Prevent Fraud and Deception in the Manufacture and Sale of Beverages; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide Licensing, Payment and Disposition of License Fees; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Provisions of this Act and to Provide Penalties for Violations Thereof and to Repeal Existing Laws Relating Thereto.

Received from Senate, 862, 1261.

First and second reading, 946.

Reference, 946.

Reported back, 1169, 1332.

Third reading, 1378.

Indefinitely postponed, 1170.

Passed, 1378.

Other action, 1227.

Senate Bill No. 374.—(Lynch)

A Bill for an Act to Establish a Uniform Egg Law Regulating the Handling of Eggs within This State; Preventing the Sale and Traffic in Eggs Unfit for Human Food; Requiring Labeling and Candling; Providing for Licenses for Dealers in Eggs and for the Collection and Disposition of License Fees; Providing for Rules and Regulations and the Enforcement of the Act and Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Repealing Acts Relating Thereto.

Received from Senate, 888.

First and second reading, 947.

Reference, 947.

Reported back, 1077.

Indefinitely postponed, 1077.

Senate Bill No. 375.—(Van Camp)

A Bill for an Act Validating Taxes Assessed Against Bank Stock in the Years 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922, Authorizing Boards of County Commissioners and the Tax Commissioners to Compromise Such Taxes Upon Bank Stock for 1919, 1920, and 1921, as Have Not Been Paid and Confirming and Ratifying Such Settlements as Have Been Made.

Received from Senate, 614.

First and second reading, 783.

Reference, 783.

Reported back, 993.

Amended, 1059.

Third reading, 1144, 1147.

Passed, 1147.

Lost, 1145.

Senate Bill No. 378.—(Baird)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 7741 of the Compiled Laws of 1913 as Amended and Re-enacted by Chapter 156 of the Session Laws of 1915 Relating to Partnership Exemptions.

Received from Senate, 790.

First and second reading, 848.

Reference, 848.

Reported back, 1010.

Third reading, 1125.

Passed, 1126.

Senate Bill No. 379.—(Lynch)

A Bill for an Act to Regulate the Sale of Petroleum Products; to Provide for the Inspection of Kerosene and Gasoline; to Provide Specifications Therefor; to Prevent Adulteration and Misbranding Thereof; to Provide for Inspection Fees, Collection and Disposition of Same; to Define the Duties of the State Food Commissioner and Chemist; to Provide for the Inspection of Lubricating and Power Oils; to Provide for the Enforcement of the Act; to Provide Penalties for the Violation Thereof and to Repeal Existing Acts Relating Thereto.

Received from Senate, 916, 1261.

First and second reading, 947.

Reference, 947.

Reported back, 1154, 1332.

Third reading, 1378.

Indefinitely postponed, 1155.

Passed 1379.

Other action, 1227.

Senate Bill No. 381.—(Rusch)

A Bill for an Act Providing for Assistant States Attorneys in Counties with a Population Exceeding Thirty-five Thousand.

Received from Senate, 716.

First and second reading, 786.

Reference, 786.

Reported back, 986.

Third reading, 1047.

Passed, 1047.

Senate Bill No. 386.—(Sperry)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 16, 33, 44, 49, 56, 62, 83, 88 and 89 of Chapter 168 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919 Regulating the Operation of All Coal Mines in North Dakota; Providing for their Inspection; Creating the Office of Coal Mining Inspector; Fixing His Qualifications, Duties, Powers and Compensation; Providing for His Appointment; Creating a Board of Examiners; Fixing its Power and Compensation; Providing the Method of Appointment Thereof; Providing for the Registry, Examination and Issuing of Certificates to Certain Employees of Coal Mines.

Received from Senate, 889.

First and second reading, 949.

Reference, 949.

Reported back, 1015.

Third reading, 1131.

Passed, 1132.

Senate Bill No. 387.—(Stevens, Kaldor and Murphy)

A Bill for an Act Designating the Sheriff of the Different Counties in the State as Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures, and Giving Him Power to Appoint a Deputy Inspector; Prescribing His Powers and Duties; Defining the Standard of Weights and Measures; Prescribing Fees to be Charged for Inspection; Providing for Complaints and Penalties for its Violation; Providing for Inspectors' Compensation; Naming Custodian of State Standards and Prescribing His Duties; and Repealing Sections 2999, 3000, 3003, 3004, 3005 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913 and Chapter 241 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919.

Received from Senate, 930.

First and second reading, 949.

Reference, 949.

Reported back, 1007.

Amended, 1060.

Third reading, 1151, 1264.

Passed, 1265.

Lost, 1152.

Other action, 1263, 1342.

Senate Bill No. 388.—(Byrne)

A Bill for an Act Authorizing the Renewal of the Period of Corporate Existence of Certain Corporations whose Period of Duration has Expired Without the Renewal Thereof, and Legalizing Acts and Contracts of Such Corporations Made or Done and Performed Subsequent to the Expiration of the Original Period of Existence of Such Corporations, and Providing that this Act Shall Take Effect Immediately Upon Its Passage and Approval.

Received from Senate, 931.

First and second reading, 949.

Reference, 949.

Reported back, 1256.

Third reading, 1359.

Passed, 1359.

Senate Bill No. 389.—(Baird)

A Bill for an Act Regulating the Reservation of Mineral Rights and Providing for the Transfer of Same.

Received from Senate, 927.

First and second reading, 949.

Reference, 949.

Reported back, 1022.

Third reading, 1142.

Passed, 1143.

Senate Bill No. 390.—(Martin)

A Bill for an Act Prohibiting the Employment of a Married Woman in any Public Office in the State of North Dakota, Whose Husband is Able-bodied and Able to Earn a Living Wage, and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Received from Senate, 928.

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Reference, 949.

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Senate Bill No. 392.—(Stevens)

A Bill for an Act to Provide a Custodian for the property belonging to the State of North Dakota Known as the Biological Station and Located on the Shores of Devils Lake, Ramsey County, North Dakota, and to Designate the Purposes for Which Said Property May Be Used.

Received from Senate, 927.
First and second reading, 950.
Reference, 950.
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Senate Bill No 394.—(Whitman)

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Licensing, Regulating, Supervising and Inspection of Pool and Billiard Rooms, Ball and Pin Alleys, Dance Halls, Theatres, Moving Picture Shows, Taxi Cab, or Auto Livery Places Where Soft Drinks Are Sold, or Where Cigars and Tobacco Are Sold, or Public Halls Owned Privately and Used for Public Purposes, Providing the Licensing Fees Therefor and Repealing Chapter 84 of the Session Laws of 1921, and all Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent Herewith.

Received from Senate, 931.
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Senate Bill No. 395.—(Garberg)

A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Section 3969 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, as Amended by Section 79 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1919, and Chapter 32 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1921, Relating to Excluding Farm Lands from the Limits of City, Town and Villages.

Received from Senate, 947.
First and second reading, 951.
Reference, 951.
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A Bill for an Act to Amend and Re-enact Sections 10943 and 10944 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, and Section 10948 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913 as Amended by Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1915, Relating to Indetermined Sentences of Persons Convicted of Certain Crimes, and the Discharge or paroling of Prisoners Serving Indeterminate Sentences, Abolishing the Board of Experts, and Repealing all Acts in Conflict Therewith.

Received from Senate, 947.

First and second reading, 951.

Reference, 951.

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