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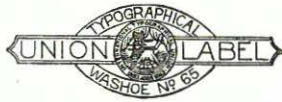
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CARSON CITY (Monday), January 21, 1901.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and the statute, the Assembly was called to order at 12 m. by the Hon. Eugene Howell, Secretary of State.

Rev. R. L. Macfarlane of Carson was invited to open the House with prayer.

Mr. Allen moved that R. R. Crawford be appointed temporary Sergeant-at-Arms.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved that E. L. Bingham be appointed temporary Clerk.

Carried.

The roll was then called, and the following members answered their names:

Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Van Duzer, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—30.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

Mr. Paul placed in nomination Mr. Van Duzer of Humboldt for temporary Chairman.

Mr. Corbett placed in nomination Mr. Platt of Ormsby for temporary Chairman. Mr. Corbett stated that the nomination of Mr. Platt was not made in a spirit of antagonism, but simply as a compliment to one of the Republican members of the House.

No further nominations appearing, the nominations were declared closed, and Mr. Van Duzer was elected by the following vote:

Those voting for Mr. Van Duzer were: Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—22.

Those voting for Mr. Platt were: Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Hastings and Heidenreich—4.

Not voting—Messrs. Platt and Van Duzer—2.

Mr. Jacobs then moved that a committee of three be appointed to escort Mr. Van Duzer to the chair.

Carried.

Messrs. Jacobs, Burke and Corbett were appointed as such committee; they performed the duty and reported.

Mr. Sweeney then moved that a committee of three be appointed by the Chair, to wait upon one of the Supreme Judges and invite him to appear, and administer the oath to the members-elect.

Carried.

Messrs. Sweeney, Allen, and Corbett were appointed as such committee.

The committee retired, and in due time returned and presented Chief Justice Massey, who administered the oath to the following members:

Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Van Duzer, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson.

The election of permanent officers being declared in order, Mr. Nelson placed in nomination Mr. C. D. Van Duzer. Mr. Sweeney seconded the nomination.

Mr. Corbett of Storey placed in nomination, for Speaker of the Assembly, Mr. Samuel Platt of Ormsby. Mr. Corbett stated that the nomination of Mr. Platt was not made in a spirit of antagonism, but simply as a compliment to one of the Republican members of the House. Mr. Summerfield seconded the nomination.

The roll was called with the following result:

Those voting for Mr. Van Duzer were: Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson—23.

Those voting for Mr. Platt were: Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Hastings, Heidenreich and Summerfield—5.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

Not voting—Messrs. Platt and Van Duzer—2.

Secretary of State Howell declared Mr. Van Duzer elected as permanent Speaker.

Mr. Van Duzer then addressed the Assembly.

Nominations for Speaker pro tem. were then declared in order.

Mr. Skaggs nominated H. H. Coryell.

Mr. Allen moved that Mr. Coryell be declared Speaker pro tem. by acclamation.

Carried.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the names of the attachés as elected by the caucus be read, and that they be declared elected by acclamation.

The Clerk read the list, and the motion carried.

A committee from the Senate, composed of Senators Williams, Freudenthal and Hjul, appeared and reported Senate organized and ready for business.

Mr. Sweeney moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait

upon one of the Supreme Judges, and invite him to visit the Assembly, and administer the oath of office to the attachés.

Carried.

Messrs. Sweeney, Coryell and Hastings were appointed as such committee. They retired, and in due time introduced Judge Belknap, who administered the oath to the following attachés:

Chief Clerk, E. L. Bingham of Elko; Assistant Chief Clerk, B. C. McDonough of Lincoln; Minute Clerk, W. P. Harrington of Storey; Journal Clerk, F. Manheim of Eureka; Engrossing Clerk, Mrs. K. B. Meffley of Lander; Copying Clerk, Miss Mae S. Bacon of Elko; Committee Clerk, Miss Mamie Farrell of Lyon; Sergeant-at-Arms, R. R. Crawford of Washoe; Messenger, J. P. Robb of Washoe; Porter, Ed. Blanchard of Ormsby; Page, Edward Muldoon of Ormsby.

Mr. Allen moved that the rules of the Nineteenth Session be adopted as the rules to govern the Twentieth Session.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved that a committee of three be appointed to visit the Senate, and inform that body that the Assembly is organized and ready for business.

Carried.

Messrs. Coryell, Holmes and Heidenreich were appointed as such committee. They retired, and in due time reported the duty assigned them performed, and were discharged.

Mr. Sweeney moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon his Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the Assembly had organized, and was ready to receive communications.

Carried.

Messrs. Sweeney, Raftice and Cocks were appointed as such committee. They retired, and in due time, reported the duty assigned them performed, and were discharged.

The Special Committee, appointed to advise the Senate that the Assembly was organized and ready for business, returned and reported Senate adjourned.

The committee appointed to wait on the Governor reported the duty assigned them performed, and were discharged.

Mr. Allen moved that the Ormsby County Delegation be appointed as a committee to wait upon the various clergymen of Carson, and invite them to act alternately as Chaplain.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved that a Mileage Committee be appointed by the Speaker.

Carried.

The following committee were appointed:

Messrs. Hastings, Paul and Johnson.

Mr. Jacobs moved to adjourn until 11 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Carried.

House adjourned at 1:30 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

SECOND DAY.

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), January 22, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Dorrance.

Mr. Nelson stated that Mr. Townsend was unable to be present on account of illness, and would probably be able to appear in about ten days.

Journal of the first day read, corrected and approved.

Mr. Platt stated that Mr. Corbett placed him in nomination for Speaker as a compliment, and asked that the Clerk insert in the Journal, after the part where his nomination appeared for Speaker, that Mr. Corbett nominated him as a compliment, and not through antagonism to the Speaker-elect.

The Chairman of the Mileage Committee reported that the committee was not ready to report.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee appointed to confer with the several clergymen of this city, and to obtain their consent to officiate as Chaplains of the Assembly, beg leave to report that they have performed their duty by visiting the clergymen, all of whom agree to participate in the services.

T. J. HEIDENREICH,
SAMUEL PLATT,
JAMES G. SWEENEY.

Mr. Allen moved the adoption of the report.

Carried.

Mr. Paul desired to know if the Select Committee appointed had waited on the Senate, and moved that the committee appointed on the previous day inform the Senate that the Assembly was ready for business.

Carried.

The committee—Mr. Holmes, Mr. Heidenrich and Mr. Coryell—appeared, and reported the duty assigned them performed, and were discharged.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Wilson offered the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, A public rumor, which has reached the National legislative halls, exists to the effect that the Twentieth Session of the Legislature of the State of Nevada intends passing an amendment to the Constitution of the State, establishing a lottery in the State, whereby the State shall participate in the spoils plundered from the people;

WHEREAS, Such rumor is unjust to our people, injurious to the State, and a direct

reflection upon our honor, and upon the fidelity of ourselves to the pledges taken by us as set forth in the platforms of all the political parties in the State;

WHEREAS, Such rumor is calculated greatly to injure the chances of pending legislation in Congress of special interest to this State, and is further calculated to invite National action depriving Nevada of Statehood by furnishing a reason therefor;

WHEREAS, The present session of Congress will be soon adjourned, and it is necessary that the attitude of this Legislature on the proposed constitutional amendment should be brought speedily before Congress; and

WHEREAS, We, as members of the Assembly, are firmly opposed to the passage of any amendment to the Constitution of this State permitting the establishment of a lottery in the State; therefore be it

Resolved, That a Joint Committee of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, to consist of two members from the Senate, and three members from the Assembly, be appointed to draft a suitable memorial to Congress, embodying the views of the present session of this Legislature, upon the proposed lottery amendment.

Mr. Wilson moved the adoption of the resolution.

The Governor's Private Secretary appeared at the bar of the Assembly, and announced a message from the Governor.

The Speaker announced the question of the resolution before the House.

Mr. Platt moved that the resolution be laid on the table.

Vote taken, and division called for by Mr. Platt.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Heidenreich.

The following is the result:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Johnson, Platt and Sweeney—6.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—24.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

At this juncture the Sergeant-at-Arms announced a message from the Secretary of State.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Jacobs, Brooks and Webster.

The resolution was carried by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Heidenreich, Platt and Sweeney—3.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

Moved by Mr. Paul that the Governor's message be taken up out of order.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, January 22, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to submit herewith my second Biennial Message, dated January 21, 1901. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

Mr. Allen moved that the reading of the Governor's Biennial Message be dispensed with, and the same placed on file.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Allen asked leave to introduce a bill without previous notice.
Leave granted.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Bill No. 1—An Act to create a Legislative Fund.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Allen moved that the Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 12:05 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 1, have had the same under consideration, and report the same back to the House, with the recommendation that it do pass.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Wilson moved the adoption of the report of the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that the bill be considered engrossed, and placed upon its third reading and final passage.

Carried.

The motion was carried by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

The Speaker announced the following committee to draft the memorial, as provided for in Mr. Wilson's resolution: Messrs. Wilson, Jacobs and Burke.

Mr. Skaggs moved that a recess be taken until this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

An amendment was made by Mr. Paul to adjourn until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

Amendment was carried.

House adjourned at 12:30 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THIRD DAY.

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), January 23, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Dorrance.

Journal of the second day read, corrected and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Mileage reported.

Mr. Allen moved the adoption of the report.

Mr. Nelson desired a correction in his allotment for mileage, and Mr. Allen withdrew his motion.

Mr. Paul moved that the report be referred back for correction.

Carried.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Allen moved that when the Assembly adjourns, it do so until 11 o'clock to-morrow, out of respect to the late Queen of England.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved that the message from the Secretary of State be taken up.

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, January 21, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to herewith transmit to your honorable body, for your further consideration, Assembly Bill No. 72, accompanied by a veto message from his Excellency, Governor Reinhold Sadler, Governor of Nevada.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 104, accompanied by a veto message from his Excellency Reinhold Sadler, Governor of Nevada. Respectfully,

EUGENE HOWELL,
Secretary of State.

Mr. Paul moved that the Governor's veto message be made a special order for Monday at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

Mr. Platt offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be extended to Chief Justice Massey, Justice Belknap, and Secretary of State Howell, for their kindly assistance in the organization of the Assembly.

Mr. Platt moved the adoption of the resolution.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved that a committee of three be appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate, to provide for committee rooms.

Carried.

NOTICE OF BILLS.

Mr. Sweeney gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill pertaining to the readjustment and fixing of the boundary line between Washoe and Ormsby counties.

Mr. Parker gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to provide for all convictions within this State, for capital punishment, to be carried out at the State Prison at Carson City, Nevada.

Mr. Platt gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to provide arms and electric alarms in the Capitol building for the better protection of the State Treasury.

Mr. Peckham gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to reapportion Senators and Assemblymen of the several counties to the Legislature of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Allen asked leave to introduce a resolution out of order.

Leave granted.

By Mr. Allen:

Resolved, That the State Controller be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of each member of the Assembly for the sum of twenty dollars for newspapers, postage stamps, express charges, and stationery for the present session, as provided by the Constitution of the State, Article IV, Section 3, the same to be paid out of the Legislative Fund.

Mr. Paul moved the adoption of the resolution.

Carried.

Mr. Platt asked leave to give notice of the introduction, out of order, of a bill.

Granted.

Mr. Platt gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to amend the Australian Ballot Law of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Allen moved that the report of the Committee on Mileage be adopted as amended.

Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MILEAGE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mileage beg leave to report as follows:

| Names of Members, and Counties. | Miles. | Amount. |
|---------------------------------|--------|----------|
| <i>Eureka County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Raftice | 816 | \$122 40 |
| Mr. Stinson | 816 | 122 40 |
| <i>Storey County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Cocks | 44 | 6 60 |
| Mr. Corbett | 44 | 6 60 |
| Mr. Holmes | 44 | 6 60 |
| Mr. McDonell | 44 | 6 60 |
| <i>Humboldt County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Nelson | 270 | 40 50 |
| Mr. Townsend | 490 | 73 50 |
| Mr. Van Duzer | 402 | 60 30 |

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MILEAGE—Continued.

| Names of Members, and Counties. | Miles. | Amount. |
|---------------------------------|--------|---------|
| <i>Washoe County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Hastings | 82 | 12 30 |
| Mr. Jacobs | 62 | 9 30 |
| Mr. Peckham | 62 | 9 30 |
| Mr. Webster | 62 | 9 30 |
| <i>Lander County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Parker | 720 | 108 00 |
| <i>Churchill County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Allen | 200 | 30 00 |
| <i>Elko County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Coryell | 808 | 121 20 |
| Mr. Graham | 796 | 119 40 |
| Mr. Skaggs | 722 | 108 30 |
| Mr. Wilson | 692 | 103 80 |
| <i>Esmeralda County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Dickerson | 222 | 33 30 |
| Mr. Summerfield | 222 | 33 30 |
| <i>Lincoln County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Burke | 2,134 | 320 10 |
| Mr. Conaway | 2,134 | 320 10 |
| <i>Nye County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Johnson | 900 | 135 00 |
| <i>White Pine County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Paul | 1,086 | 162 90 |
| <i>Douglas County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Henningsen | 50 | 7 50 |
| <i>Lyon County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Whitacre | 150 | 22 50 |
| Mr. Brooks | 24 | 3 60 |
| <i>Ormsby County.</i> | | |
| Mr. Heidenreich | 2 | 30 |
| Mr. Platt | 2 | 30 |
| Mr. Sweeney | 2 | 30 |

W. HASTINGS, Chairman,
FRANK PAUL,
A. P. JOHNSON,
Committee.

Mr. Allen moved to adjourn until 11 a. m. to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 11:34 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FOURTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Thursday), January 24, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Dorrance.

Mr. Nelson moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon one of the Supreme Judges, to swear in Mr. Townsend.

Carried.

Messrs. Nelson, Cocks and Summerfield were chosen as such committee.

In due time the committee appeared at the bar of the House, and reported that they had performed their duty, and were discharged.

The oath of office was then administered to Mr. Townsend by Chief Justice Massey.

Journal of January 23d read and approved.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Standing Committees:

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE ASSEMBLY.

ELECTIONS.

Messrs. Raftice, Coryell, Parker, Peckham and Corbett.

CORPORATIONS AND RAILROADS.

Messrs. Webster, Paul, Conaway, Nelson and Wilson.

PUBLIC PRINTING.

Messrs. McDonell, Webster and Heidenreich.

WAYS AND MEANS.

Messrs. Allen, Peckham, Wilson, Holmes, Conaway, Raftice and Heidenreich.

CLAIMS.

Messrs. Stinson, McDonell, Townsend, Summerfield and Cocks.

JUDICIARY.

Messrs. Sweeney, Platt, Skaggs, Whitacre, Jacobs, Raftice and Burke.

MILITARY AND INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Messrs. Skaggs, Burke, Cocks, Whitacre and Johnson.

COUNTIES AND COUNTY BOUNDARIES.

Messrs. Henningsen, Townsend, Webster, Sweeney and Corbett.

TRADE AND MANUFACTURES.

Messrs. Parker, Brooks, Summerfield, Dickerson and Hastings.

EDUCATION.

Messrs. Wilson, Webster, Platt, McDonell and Brooks.

AGRICULTURE.

Messrs. Nelson, Peckham, Henningsen, Allen and Conaway.

INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS.

Messrs. Brooks, Henningsen, Johnson, Parker and Corbett.

STATE INSTITUTIONS.

Messrs. Jacobs, Whitacre, Stinson, Coryell and Sweeney.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES AND ACCOUNTS.

Messrs. Johnson, Summerfield, Graham, Cocks and Nelson.

MINES AND MINING.

Messrs. Burke, Holmes, Graham, Dickerson and Whitacre.

FEDERAL RELATIONS.

Messrs. Holmes, Paul, Parker, Graham and Hastings.

ENGROSSMENT.

Messrs. Dickerson, Cocks and Parker.

ENROLLMENT.

Messrs. Paul, Hastings and Stinson.

PUBLIC MORALS.

Messrs. Graham, Brooks, Conaway, Townsend and Cocks.

STATE LIBRARY.

Messrs. Coryell, Platt and Wilson.

PUBLIC LANDS.

Messrs. Townsend, Coryell, Henningsen, Johnson and Hastings.

STATE PRISON AND INSANE ASYLUM.

Messrs. Peckham, Heidenreich and Skaggs.

MILEAGE.

Messrs. Hastings, Jacobs and Johnson.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Webster presented a memorial, relative to the lottery amendment, from the First Congregational Church of Reno.

Laid on the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Webster:

Resolved, That the Speaker be authorized to appoint a Special Assembly Committee of the Twentieth Session of the Nevada Legislature, to be known as the Fish and Game Committee.

Carried.

NOTICE OF BILLS.

Mr. Sweeney gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to provide for the election of School Trustees, and matters properly connected therewith.

Mr. Whitacre gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to amend Section 3 of an Act relating to the location, relocation, and recording of mining claims.

Mr. Parker gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to amend the Australian Ballot Law.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Mr. Jacobs asked leave to introduce a bill without previous notice.
Leave granted.

By Mr. Jacobs:

Assembly Bill No. 2—An Act to provide for the copying of the Journal of the Twentieth Session.

Mr. Jacobs moved that the bill be read first time, rules suspended,

read second time by title and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Carried.

Mr. Nelson asked leave to introduce a bill without previous notice.
Leave granted.

By Mr. Nelson:

Assembly Bill No. 3.—An Act to provide for the copying of the Journal of the Twentieth Session.

Mr. Paul moved that the bill be considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole, to consider the report of the Committee on Mileage.

Carried.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 11:56 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred the report of the Committee on Mileage, beg leave to report the same back to the House, with the recommendation that the report be adopted.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Paul moved the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Carried.

On motion of Mr. Skaggs, the messages from the Senate were taken up, out of order.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, JANUARY 24, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 1—An Act to create a Legislative Fund—the same having yesterday, January 23, 1901, been acted upon and passed in regular form by the Senate: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

Your honorable body is informed that the Senate is duly organized, and ready to proceed to business, and has elected the following officers and attachés:

President pro tem., Senator J. H. Martin of Douglas; Secretary, J. L. Considine of Storey; Assistant Secretary, C. H. McIntosh of Humboldt; Sergeant-at-Arms, J. F. Byer of Lander; Minute Clerk, T. J. Osborne of Lincoln; Journal Clerk, Lydia Adams-Williams of Douglas; Engrossing Clerk, George Lary of Washoe; Enrolling Clerk, Miss Kate Murphy of Esmeralda; Copying Clerk, Margaret Furlong of Elko; Committee Clerk, William Merten of Nye; Messenger, Jacob Muller of Ormsby; Page, William O'Hare of White Pine; Porter, August Berning of Ormsby.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker announced the following committee to secure committee rooms:

Messrs. Coryell, Raftice and Paul.

Speaker pro tem in the chair.

Mr. Van Duzer asked leave of absence for to-morrow and Saturday. Leave granted.

Mr. Jacobs moved that the House take a recess until 2:30 p. m. Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2:30 p. m.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Mr. Allen arose to a question of privilege, and took exception to a certain article published in the *Reno Gazette*.

Mr. Paul also arose, and followed a like course, in regard to an article in the *Gazette*.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEE ROOMS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on securing committee rooms beg leave to report as follows:

COMMITTEE ROOMS.

State Treasurer's Office Annex—Ways and Means.

Room 2, State Printing Office—Elections, Corporations and Railroads, Public Printing, Claims.

Room 10, State Printing Office—Judiciary, Military and Indian Affairs.

Room 8, State Printing Office—Counties and County Boundaries, Trade and Manufacture, Education, Agriculture, Internal Improvements, State Institutions, Contingent Expenses, Mines and Mining, Federal Relations, Mileage, Public Morals, Public Lands, State Prison.

Supreme Court room—Enrollment, Engrossment.

State Library room—State Library.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Allen moved the adoption of the report.

Carried.

Mr. Platt asked leave to introduce a bill, out of order.

Leave granted.

By Mr. Platt:

Assembly Bill No. 4—An Act to provide arms and electrical alarms in the Capitol building for the better protection of the State Treasury.

Mr. Platt moved that the bill be considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved to adjourn.

Mr. Sweeney of Ormsby arose to a point of privilege, and explained that his constituency were practically unanimous in having the lottery amendment submitted, and he was pledged to vote, and, true to the pledge of his platform on which he was elected, voted, against the resolution.

Mr. Wilson of Elko explained that Mr. Sweeney did right in carrying out his pledge to his constituency.

Question on adjournment.

Carried.

House adjourned at 2:52 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FIFTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Friday), January 25, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Speaker and Mr. Whitacre.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Dorrance.

Journal of the fourth day read and approved.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Sweeney:

Resolved, That a committee of one be appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate, to provide a Janitor for the committee rooms.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Peckham:

Assembly Bill No. 5—An Act reapportioning Senators and Assemblymen of the several counties to the Legislature of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Allen moved that the rules be suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Carried.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bill No. 1 with the engrossed copy, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Allen moved that the report of the Committee on Enrollment be adopted.

Carried.

Mr. Holmes moved that an adjournment be taken until Monday at 11 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 11:30 a. m.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

EIGHTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Monday), January 28, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Father Gartland.

Journal of the fifth day read, corrected and approved.

Mr. Skaggs moved that the Journal be corrected by striking out that part relating to Committee on Enrollment.

Carried.

NOTICE OF BILLS.

Mr. Brooks gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to regulate fares and freights on the several railroads within the State of Nevada.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Mr. Sweeney, Mr. Burke, Mr. Allen and Mr. Johnson were granted leave to introduce bills without previous notice.

By Mr. Sweeney:

Assembly Bill No. 6—An Act to prohibit the selling or disposing of opium or intoxicating liquors to convicts of the Nevada State Prison.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Burke:

Assembly Bill No. 7—An Act regulating the hours of employment in underground mines and smelters and ore reduction works, and providing penalties therefor.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Bill No. 8—An Act reducing and regulating the salaries of certain State officers of the State of Nevada.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Bill No. 9—An Act to amend an Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act fixing the salaries of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of Nevada," approved March 17, 1891.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Johnson:

Assembly Bill No. 10—An Act to provide for the copying of the Journal of the Assembly for the Twentieth Session.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Webster moved that when the Assembly adjourn on Thursday, it do so to visit the Nevada Insane Asylum and Nevada State University at Reno, next Friday.

Mr. Webster was granted leave to insert that these visits are to be made on invitations from Dr. Patterson of the Asylum and Dr. Stubbs of the University.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that Senate message be taken up out of order.

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, January 28, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, which passed this body this day by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, relating to the establishment and maintaining of School of Mines.

Rules suspended, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Sweeney as a committee to serve with Senate Committee to secure an Assistant Janitor.

Mr. Allen moved a recess be taken until 2 o'clock p. m.

Carried.

House took a recess at 11:40.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Assembly Bill No. 72 of the Nineteenth Session entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to provide revenues for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada'."

GOVERNOR'S VETO MESSAGE.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 21, 1899. }

To the Honorable the Secretary of State:

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of the State of Nevada, I send herewith Assembly Bill No. 72, to be deposited in your office, and returned to the next Legislature, said bill not having received my approval—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto."

The history as endorsed by the officers on this bill shows that it was lost in the Senate, the vote being 14 against, and 7 absent. Therefore, it could not have received a constitutional majority. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

At the conclusion of the reading of the bill, the question was put: "Shall the bill pass, notwithstanding the Governor's veto?" and was decided by the following vote:

YEAS—None.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

The bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority, the Governor's veto was sustained.

Assembly Bill No. 104, of the Nineteenth Session of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, vetoed by the Governor, entitled an Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act in relation to County Treasurers."

GOVERNOR'S VETO MESSAGE.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 21, 1899. }

To the Honorable the Secretary of State:

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of the State of Nevada, I send herewith Assembly Bill No. 104, without my approval, the same to be deposited in your office and returned to the next Legislature.

The history of this bill, as appears endorsed thereon by officers of the Legislature, shows that it was lost in the Senate, the vote as recorded thereon being: Yeas, none; nays, 13; absent, 2. Respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

At the conclusion of the reading, the question was put: "Shall the bill pass, notwithstanding the Governor's veto?" and was decided by the following vote:

YEAS—None.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

The bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority, the Governor's veto was sustained.

Mr. Allen moved to adjourn until Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, out of respect for the memory of the late Hon. George Alt.

Carried.

House adjourned at 2:18 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

TENTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), January 30, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Father Gartland.

Journal of January 28th read and approved.

Mr. Webster asked leave to have inserted in the Journal of the previous day the correction that the Assembly had been invited to visit the Insane Asylum and University by invitations from Dr. Patterson and Dr. Stubbs, respectively.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining have had Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

ANDREW J. BURKE,
Chairman.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

I, your select committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate for the purpose of selecting an Assistant Janitor, beg leave to report that we have selected Mr. Henry Reihl, as such janitor.

JAMES G. SWEENEY.

Mr. Platt moved the adoption of the report.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, January 28, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the following Standing Committees have been duly appointed in the Senate:

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEES.

AGRICULTURE, COUNTIES, COUNTY BOUNDARIES, ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Messrs. Martin (Chairman), Bell, Flanigan.

CLAIMS, STATE AFFAIRS, SUPPLIES AND EXPENDITURES.

Messrs. Greene (Chairman), Williams, Hardesty.

CORPORATIONS.

Messrs. Pitt (Chairman), Livingston, McCullough.

EDUCATION.

Messrs. Jackson (Chairman), Pitt, Gallagher.

ELECTIONS.

Messrs. Kelly (Chairman), Flanigan, Hardesty.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Messrs. Freudenthal (Chairman), Williams, Wasson.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Messrs. McCullough (Chairman), Bell, Hjul.

FEDERAL RELATIONS.

Messrs. Martin (Chairman), Kelly, Gallagher.

JUDICIARY.

Messrs. Bell (Chairman), Freudenthal, McCullough, Greene, Martin.

MILEAGE.

Messrs. Freudenthal (Chairman), Hardesty, Gallagher.

MILITARY AFFAIRS.

Messrs. Wasson (Chairman), Greene, Hjul.

MINES AND MINING.

Messrs. Bell (Chairman), Jackson, McCullough.

PRINTING.

Messrs. Hjul (Chairman), Martin, Williams.

PUBLIC LANDS.

Messrs. Greene (Chairman), Flanigan, Freudenthal.

RAILROADS, INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS AND MANUFACTURES.

Messrs. Hardesty (Chairman), Jackson, Wasson.

RULES AND JOINT RULES.

Messrs. Bell (Chairman), Livingston, Gallagher.

STATE PRISON AND HOSPITAL FOR MENTAL DISEASES.

Messrs. Martin (Chairman), Hjul, Livingston.

WAYS AND MEANS.

Messrs. Livingston (Chairman), Hardesty, Flanigan, Kelly, Hjul.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, January 30, 1901. }*To the Honorable the Assembly:*

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3, which, on January 28, 1901, passed this body by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 10, introduced January 31, 1899, by Mr. Hardesty, vetoed by the Governor on March 21, 1899, and on January 28, 1901, passed over the Governor's veto by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Coryell moved that Senate veto message and bill be made a special order for Monday, February 4, 1901, at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

The message from the Secretary of State was taken up out of order.

MESSAGE FROM SECRETARY OF STATE.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, January 29, 1901. }*To the Honorable the Assembly:*

I herewith transmit to your honorable body for further consideration Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, relative to amending Section 1 of Article X of the Constitution of the State of Nevada, proposed and passed at the Nineteenth Session of the Legislature, and approved by the Governor March 9, 1899. Respectfully,

EUGENE HOWELL,
Secretary of State.

Mr. Paul moved that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3 be referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Carried.

NOTICE OF BILLS.

Mr. Summerfield gave notice that he would, at some future day, intro-

duce a bill to appropriate the necessary money in rerunning a portion of the boundary line between Esmeralda and Nye counties.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Mr. Holmes was granted leave to introduce a bill without previous notice.

By Mr. Parker:

Assembly Bill No. 11—An Act to amend "An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot," approved March 13, 1891.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Holmes:

Assembly Bill No. 12—An Act to amend an Act entitled "Senate Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 99—An Act relating to the duties, salaries and compensation of county and township officers of Storey county, Nevada," approved March 11, 1899.

Rules suspended, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Storey County Delegation.

By Mr. Sweeney:

Assembly Bill No. 13—An Act to provide for the election of School Trustees and matters properly connected therewith.

Rules suspended, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Education.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, relative to the establishment and maintenance of School of Mines.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

The message from the Directors of the Orphans' Home was taken up out of order.

MESSAGE FROM DIRECTORS OF ORPHANS' HOME.

CARSON CITY, NEVADA, January 30, 1901.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

GENTLEMEN: In compliance with the statutes, the undersigned, comprising the Board of Directors of the Orphans' Home, have the honor to transmit herewith, the Biennial Report of the Board and of the Superintendent of the Home. Respectfully submitted,

D. M. RYAN,
E. D. KELLEY,
ORVIS RING.

Mr. Platt moved that the report be laid on the table.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved that the Sergeant-at-Arms secure printed copies

of all Senate bills and resolutions that have passed, for the use of the Assembly.

Carried.

The Speaker announced the following Special Committee on Fish and Game:

Messrs. Coryell, Webster and Heidenreich.

Mr. Skaggs moved a recess be taken until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Holmes moved an amendment to adjourn until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

Lost.

Question on recess lost.

Mr. Holmes moved an adjournment until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 11:40 a. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

ELEVENTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Thursday), January 31, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Coryell.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Father Gartland.

Journal of January 30th read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 6 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 4 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 8 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 8 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JOS. CONAWAY,
THOS. J. HEIDENREICH,
E. P. HOLMES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 9 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 3 and 10 under consideration, and beg leave to report on the same, with the recommendation that the amount in the foregoing bills be allowed and that the House select the person to copy the Journal.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, January 31, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Resolution No. 1, which, on January 30, 1901, passed this body by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

NOTICES OF BILLS.

Mr. Conaway gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to amend the Revenue Act relating to licenses.

Mr. Conaway gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill supplemental to an Act providing for guide boards on public highways.

Mr. Van Duzer gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to regulate the law regarding marriage and divorce.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3, relative to the opening of Indian reservations for mining purposes.

Reading had considered first reading, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, relative to establishment of a mail route between Silver Peak and San Antonio.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 3 and 10 be laid temporarily on the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 4—An Act to provide arms and electric alarms for the better protection of the State Treasury.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Bill No. 4 be referred to Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 8—An Act reducing and regulating the salaries of certain State officers.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Bill No. 8 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 9—An Act to amend an Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to fix the salaries of the Supreme Judges."

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 6—An Act to prohibit the disposing or selling of opium or intoxicants to inmates of the Nevada State Prison.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Mr. Platt moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Assembly Bill No. 4, with Mr. Allen in the chair.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 11:50 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 4, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and report the same back to the House, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Paul moved the adoption of the report of the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be considered engrossed, and placed upon its third reading and final passage.

Carried.

Bill read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Corvell.

Mr. Skaggs moved that the House take a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Sweeney:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, relative to adjournment.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the resolution be read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, considered engrossed, rules further suspended and placed on its third reading and final passage.

Carried.

Resolution placed on third reading, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Peckham (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 14—An Act to provide for incorporation, operation and management of coöperative associations.

Reading had considered first reading, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Corporations and Railroads.

By Mr. Platt (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 15—An Act appropriating \$200 for the watering and care of the Grand Army Cemetery at Carson City, Nevada.

Reading had considered first reading, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, JANUARY 31, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 1, which this day passed this body by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. MCINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 1—An Act to provide for the copying of the Journal of the Senate for the Twentieth Session.

Reading had considered first reading, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Allen moved that the special order on the Governor's veto message, for Monday at 2 o'clock, be rescinded, and same be taken up at this time.

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, MARCH 22, 1899. }

To the Honorable the Secretary of State:

I deposit herewith in your office, without my approval, Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 10—An Act regulating the payment of losses sustained by holders of full paid up fire insurance policies.

In stating my objection to this measure I am aware that I am placing myself in opposition to many earnest and honest advocates of its adoption, but I cannot conscientiously give approval to a law which will work injury to the people of the State. This Act provides that insurance companies shall pay to the holders of full paid up fire insurance policies the full amount named in said policy whenever a total loss by fire occurs.

The object of insurance should always be to protect the person insured from loss occasioned by fire. The Act under consideration not only compels the company taking the risk to pay actual damage sustained by fire but also to pay the full value of the property as estimated at the time of taking the policy.

A just valuation for insurance purposes may be made of property to-day, which, in the course of two or three years, by reason of natural depreciation, may be extravagantly high and much in excess of its true value; yet, under the operation of this Act, the insurance company, in case of a total loss by fire, will be compelled to pay not only the actual loss, but also the difference between the value of the property at the time of insuring and the value at the time of loss.

Under such a system, reliable companies will either raise the rate of insurance or withdraw from business. No person should be allowed to profit by reason of the destruction of property by fire, accidentally or otherwise. Such methods are not in the line of protection, but must be termed speculative and dangerous.

If, as above stated, either by over-valuation or by depreciation of value, the amount named in the policy becomes greater than the value, the excess stands as a proffered reward to the owner as an inducement to incendiarism, and, to that extent, becomes a menace to the lives and property adjacent. Honest insurance at moderate rates, with prompt adjustments of actual losses, is all that should be exacted. To the promotion of such results, I am willing to give cheerful aid, but this bill does not possess these commendable features. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

At the conclusion of the reading, the question was put: "Shall the bill pass, notwithstanding the Governor's veto?" and was decided by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—Mr. Summerfield.

The bill having received a constitutional majority, the Governor's veto was overruled.

The message from the Senate was taken up out of order.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, JANUARY 31, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, which this day passed this body by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Jacobs moved that Assembly Bill No. 2 be taken from the table.

Mr. Skaggs moved an adjournment until 11 o'clock, Monday, February 4th.

Carried.

House adjourned at 2:42 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FIFTEENTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Monday), February 4, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of the eleventh day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining have had Assembly Bill No. 7 under consideration, and beg leave to report Substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the Substitute be adopted.

A. J. BURKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Burke moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Carried.

The Committee on Elections was granted an extension of time on Assembly Bill No. 5.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 7 be taken up out of order, and made a special order for to-morrow at 2 p. m., and that the Printing Committee provide copies of the Substitute.

Carried.

NOTICE OF BILLS.

Mr. Webster gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to provide for the establishment of a free public kindergarten school in Reno School District No. 10, Washoe county, Nevada, and conditionally requiring the public support and maintenance of the same.

Mr. Wilson gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to amend an Act entitled "An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 14, 1899.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Skaggs (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 16—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to define the duties of the Lieutenant-Governor while acting as an ex officio officer, and fixing the salary therefor," approved March 7, 1899.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Skaggs (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 17—An Act to prohibit free passes for transportation or discrimination in passenger rates from being granted to or accepted by public officers.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Corporations and Railroads.

By Mr. Allen (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 18—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to Public Administrators and prescribing their duties."

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Coryell moved a recess be taken until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

House took a recess at 11:46 a. m.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Mr. Nelson moved that Assembly Bill No. 3 be taken from the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 3—An Act to provide for the copying of the Journal of the Twentieth Session.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Assembly Bill No. 3 be referred to Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Skaggs moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Assembly Bill No. 3.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 3, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back to the House, with recommendation that it do pass as amended.

Mr. Graham moved to adjourn.

Mr. Allen moved that Senate message be taken up out of order.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 4, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 3—An Act to amend section eight of an Act entitled "An Act to regulate marks and brands of stock," approved February 27, 1873—which, on January 30, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays none.

Also, Senate Bill No. 4—An Act to amend an Act relating to marriage and divorce, approved November 28, 1861—which on this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have care-

fully compared Assembly Bill No. 9 with the engrossed copy thereof, and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 6 with the engrossed copy thereof, and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Platt moved that a vote of thanks be tendered State Printer Maute for copies of Assembly Rules.

Carried.

Mr. Sweeney moved that Assembly Bill No. 6 be taken up and placed on its third reading and final passage.

Assembly Bill No. 6—An Act to prohibit the selling or disposing of opium or intoxicants to inmates of the Nevada State Prison.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heindenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Mr. Cocks moved an adjournment until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 3:08 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

SIXTEENTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), February 5, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of fifteenth day read, corrected and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Federal Relations have had Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

E. P. HOLMES,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

The undersigned members of your Standing Committee on Elections, to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 5, reapportioning Senators and Assemblymen of the several counties to the Legislature of the State of Nevada, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and have come to a favorable conclusion thereon, and we recommend that it do pass.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. E. PECKHAM,
H. H. CORYELL.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Elections have had Assembly Bill No. 5 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

ROBT. RAFTICE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Elections have had Assembly Bill No. 11 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

ROBT. RAFTICE,
Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 5, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 7—An Act to provide for the creation of a State Board of Pharmacy; to regulate the practice of pharmacy; to prohibit the deterioration of drugs and to regulate the sale of poisons in the State of Nevada—which, on February 4, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Parker moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole of the previous day in regard to copying of the Journal be adopted.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Sweeney (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 19—An Act to require the acceptance and col-

lection of grants, devises, bequests, donations, and assignments to the State of Nevada.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Nelson (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 20—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act to prevent the dissemination of contagious diseases among sheep; to provide for the appointment of Sheep Inspectors in the several counties of the State, and to define their duties and compensation," approved February 23, 1893.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Wilson:

Assembly Bill No. 21—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 14, 1899.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Skaggs (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 22—An Act concerning common carriers.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 4—An Act to amend an Act relating to marriage and divorce.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 3—An Act to amend section eight of an Act entitled "An Act to regulate marks and brands of stock," approved February 27, 1873.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 5, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 4, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Concurrent Resolution No. 1 with the engrossed copy, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 9—An Act to amend an Act to amend an Act fixing the salaries of the Justices of the Supreme Court.

Mr. Sweeney moved that Assembly Bill No. 9 be made a special order for Friday at 2 o'clock.

Motion lost.

Assembly Bill No. 9 placed on its third reading and final passage.

Mr. Sweeney moved that section one of an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act fixing the salaries of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of Nevada, approved March 17, 1891," in line 2 of the printed bill, be amended so as to strike out the words "four thousand dollars a year," and insert the words "four thousand five hundred a year."

Mr. Webster moved that the Committee on Printing be ordered to provide 200 copies of each bill.

Carried.

Mr. Holmes moved that the House take a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Mr. Burke of Lincoln in the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 7—An Act regulating the hours of employment in underground mines, and smelters and ore reduction works, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Mr. Coryell moved that Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 7 be adopted.

Carried.

Bill placed on its third reading and final passage.

Mr. Paul offered the following amendment to Section 3: Amend Section 3 by inserting after the word "imprisonment," in last line of said Section 3, the following:

"*Provided*, That this Act, or any of its provisions, shall not apply in any instance where mineral tailings or slag dumps that are being worked over or reduced."

Mr. Paul moved that the amendment be adopted.

Roll call demanded by Messrs. Holmes, Van Duzer and Skaggs.

Amendment was lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Paul and Webster—2.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raffice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

Question on the adoption of bill.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Assembly Bill No. 7 be considered engrossed.

Carried.

Roll called on the bill, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raffice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Bill No. 9 be taken up for further consideration.

Carried.

Question on the amendment of the original bill.

Amendment lost.

Bill placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—19.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Paul, Platt, Stinson, Summerfield and Sweeney—12.

Mr. Corbett moved an adjournment until 11 a. m. to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 4:11 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

SEVENTEENTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), February 6, 1901.

House in session at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of the sixteenth day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had Assembly Bill No. 21 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that part seventh of section four of said Act be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "or any County Institute that may have been held in the State." Your committee recommends that, with this amendment, the bill do pass.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 4 with the engrossed copy, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 6, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4, relating to the appointment of a committee to confer with the proper officials of the Southern Pacific Railway Company in the adjustment of fares and freights, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5, relative to appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill revising the Revenue Act of this State, both of which, on February 4, 1901, were adopted by the Senate.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

NOTICE OF BILLS.

Mr. Van Duzer gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill relating to the appropriation of money to be used in connection with the work of the United States Geological Survey, in obtaining data, concerning irrigation and proper storage reservoirs in the State of Nevada.

Mr. Van Duzer gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to amend an Act regulating gaming in the State of Nevada, and of regulating the license thereon.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Graham (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 23—An Act to prohibit the herding or grazing of sheep within three miles of any town or village.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Webster (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 24—An Act relating to nickel-in-the-slot machines, and providing a penalty for carrying on or playing against such machine or device.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

Senate Bill No. 7—An Act to establish a State Board of Pharmacy; to regulate the practice of pharmacy; to prohibit the deterioration of drugs and to regulate the sale of poisons in the State of Nevada.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4, relative to the appointment of a proper committee to confer with the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, to regulate fares and freights.

Mr. Burke offered amendment to Senate Resolution No. 4: That Senate Resolution No. 4 be amended to read after the words "four members of the Assembly" by inserting after that, the words "one of whom to be the Speaker of the House."

Mr. Allen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Carried.

Mr. Platt moved that the resolution as amended be adopted.

Carried.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5, relative to the appointment of a committee to prepare a bill revising the revenue laws of this State.

Mr. Sweeney moved the adoption of the resolution.

Carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 3—An Act to provide for the copying of the Journal of the Assembly of the Twentieth Session.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be ordered engrossed.

Senate Resolution No. 1, relative to the establishment of a mail route between San Antonio and Silver Peak.

Placed on third reading, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 5—An Act relative to the apportionment of Senators and Assemblymen to the several counties of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Holmes moved that the consideration be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Allen moved Assembly Bill No. 5 be made a special order for to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

Roll call asked by Messrs. Coryell, Paul and Raftice, and decided by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Jacobs, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Skaggs, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—17.
 NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney and Whitacre—14.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Senate message be taken up.

Lost.

Mr. Corbett moved a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Holmes.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 11—An Act to amend "An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot," approved March 13, 1891.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be considered engrossed, and placed on its third reading and final passage.

Carried.

Roll called, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Holmes.

Assembly Bill No. 21—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 14, 1899.

Mr. Wilson moved the adoption of the amendment as reported by the committee.

Carried.

Mr. Jacobs moved that the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved that the message from the Senate be taken up out of order.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
 CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 6, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 14—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act authorizing the destruction of wild, unbranded horses, mares and colts over the age of twelve months, found running at large on Government range lands," approved March 9, 1897—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
 Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Allen moved an adjournment until 11 a. m. to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 2:41 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

EIGHTEENTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Thursday), February 7, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of the seventeenth day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 4 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 19 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 16 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 15 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Senate Bill No. 1 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 8 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 8 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

E. P. HOLMES,
JOS. CONAWAY,
THOS. J. HEIDENREICH.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 3 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.*Mr. Speaker:*

The Storey County Delegation have had Assembly Bill No. 12 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

J. D. R. CORBETT,
Chairman.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Coryell moved that the Assembly hereafter convene at 10 o'clock a. m.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that special order for 2 o'clock this afternoon be vacated, and that Assembly Bill No. 5 be rereferred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Paul moved an amendment that that committee be instructed to report within five days.

Amendment lost, and motion carried.

NOTICE OF BILLS.

Mr. Sweeney gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to regulate the assessment and taxation of mortgages and mortgaged property.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Conaway:

Assembly Bill No. 25—An Act to amend an Act to amend Section 123 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891, approved March 2, 1897.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Conaway:

Assembly Bill No. 26—An Act concerning the duties of District Judges in this State.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Paul (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 27—An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes on movable personal property, and the apportionment of moneys received therefor.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Paul (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 28—An Act to amend Sections 100 and 109 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading,

rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 14—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act authorizing the destruction of wild, unbranded horses, mares and colts, over the age of twelve months, found running at large on Government range lands," approved March 9, 1897.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

NOTICE OF BILLS.

Mr. Platt gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill appropriating funds for necessary repairs upon the State Capitol at Carson City, Nevada.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 4—An Act to amend an Act relating to marriage and divorce, approved November 28, 1861.

Mr. Allen moved that Senate Bill No. 4 be placed at the bottom of the file.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 19—An Act to require the acceptance and collections of grants, devises, bequests, donations, and assignments to the State of Nevada.

Mr. Sweeney moved Assembly Bill No. 19 be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 16—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to define the duties of the Lieutenant-Governor when acting as an ex officio officer, and fixing his salary therefor," approved March 7, 1899.

Mr. Skaggs moved that the bill be considered engrossed.

Carried.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—26.

NAYS—Messrs. Heidenreich, Holmes, McDonell, Platt and Sweeney—5.

Assembly Bill No. 15—An Act appropriating two hundred dollars for the watering and care of the the Grand Army Cemetery at Carson City, Nevada.

Mr. Skaggs moved that the bill be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 1—An Act to provide for the copying of the Journal of the Senate for the Twentieth Session.

Mr. Allen moved that Senate Bill No. 1 be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 8—An Act reducing and regulating the salaries of certain State officers of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Allen moved that the amendment offered by the Committee on Ways and Means be adopted.

Mr. Henningsen moved that a recess be taken until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

The Speaker announced the following committee to act with Senate Committee to revise revenue laws: Messrs. Wilson, Coryell, Raftice and Platt; and the following committee to serve with Senate Committee to interview the Southern Pacific Railroad Company in regard to freights and fares: Messrs. Van Duzer, Allen, Webster and Sweeney.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Question on the adoption of amendments as reported by the Committee on Ways and Means on Assembly Bill No. 8.

Carried.

Mr. Platt asked leave to offer amendments to the bill.

Mr. Paul moved as an amendment to special order motion that the amendments offered by Mr. Platt be read.

Amendment accepted by Mr. Holmes as part of his motion.

Mr. Wilson moved to amend original motion by striking out the words "2 o'clock Wednesday," and inserting in lieu thereof "immediately."

Carried.

Question on original motion carried.

By Mr. Platt:

Amendment No. 1—Amending line 4 of said Act, by striking out the words "to the Secretary of State, two thousand dollars."

Messrs. Allen, Wilson and Nelson asked for roll call, and amendment was lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Paul, Platt, Summerfield, Sweeney and Mr. Speaker—14.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—17.

Mr. Platt moved that consideration of Assembly Bill No. 8 be temporarily deferred, and that Senate messages be taken up.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 6, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 6—An Act to prohibit the selling or disposing of opium or intoxicating liquors to convicts of the Nevada State Prison—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 7, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 17—An Act to regulate the sale of meat of equine animals—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 7, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 9—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act fixing the salaries of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of Nevada," approved March 17, 1891—which was this day defeated in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 3; nays, 10; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Van Duzer moved that further consideration of Assembly Bill No. 8 be made a special order for Monday at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

Mr. Van Duzer was granted leave of absence for Friday.

The Ways and Means Committee were granted leave of absence for Friday.

Mr. Cocks moved an adjournment until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 4:08 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

NINETEENTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Friday), February 8, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Conaway, Heidenreich, Paul, Peckham, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of the eighteenth day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Senate Bill No. 14 under consideration and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Senate Bill No. 3 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Assembly Bill No. 20 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Assembly Bill No. 23 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining have had Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

A. J. BURKE,
Chairman.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. McDonell:

Assembly Bill No. 29—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act amendatory of an Act entitled 'An Act to provide for the formation of corporations for certain purposes,' approved March 10, 1865," amendment approved February 24, 1866.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Corporations and Railroads.

By Mr. Skaggs (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 30—An Act supplementary to an Act entitled "An

Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891, and Acts amendatory thereof.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 17—An Act to regulate the sale of meat of any equine animal.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 3—An Act providing for the copying of the Journal of the Twentieth Session.

Placed at bottom of file.

Assembly Bill No. 12—An Act to amend an Act entitled "Senate Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 99—An Act relating to the duties, salaries, and compensation of county and township officers of Storey county, Nevada," approved March 11, 1899.

Considered engrossed, and placed on third reading and final passage, roll called, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend and Wilson—22.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Conaway, Heidenreich, Paul, Peckham, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—9.

Senate Bill No. 4—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to marriage and divorce."

Mr. Raftice moved that the bill be laid on the table temporarily.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 17—An Act regulating the sale of meat of any equine animal.

Laid on the table temporarily.

Senate Bill No. 3—An Act to amend section eight of an Act entitled "An Act to regulate marks and brands of stock," approved February 27, 1873.

Laid on the table temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 20—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act to prevent the dissemination of contagious diseases among sheep; to provide for the appointment of Sheep Inspectors in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and compensation," approved February 23, 1893.

Considered engrossed and placed on its third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend and Wilson—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Dickerson and Summerfield—2.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Conaway, Heidenreich, Paul, Peckham, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—9.

Assembly Bill No. 23—An Act to prohibit herding or grazing of sheep within three miles of any town or village.

Bill ordered engrossed.

Mr. Summerfield moved that on Monday morning the Assembly convene at 11 o'clock.

Carried.

Mr. Jacobs moved an adjournment until 11 o'clock Monday morning.

Mr. Wilson moved an amendment making the time to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Amendment lost, and motion carried.

House adjourned at 11:03 a. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY.

CARSON CITY (Monday), February 11, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. R. L. Macfarlane.

Journal of the nineteenth day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Committee on Corporations and Railroads granted further time to report on bills before them.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 21 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 23 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 19 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Morals have had Assembly Bill No. 24 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

OSCAR GRAHAM,
Chairman.

NOTICE OF BILLS.

Mr. Coryell gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce a bill to provide for the building and equipment of an assay office and a hospital for students at the Nevada State University at Reno, Nevada.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Webster:

Assembly Bill No. 31—An Act to provide for the establishment of a free public kindergarten school at Reno School District No. 10, Washoe county, Nevada, and conditionally requiring the public support and maintenance of the same.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Washoe County Delegation.

By Mr. Parker:

Assembly Bill No. 32—An Act to amend Section 18 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the election of School Trustees, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 16, 1897.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. McDonell (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 33—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties in this State and to define their duties and powers," approved March 8, 1865; approved February 21, 1871; approved March 8, 1879.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Platt (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 34—An Act authorizing a convention of County Assessors of this State, and providing for the traveling expenses of those attending.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 11, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to transmit to your honorable body a certified copy of House Joint Resolution No. 4, adopted by the Twenty-first Legislature of the State of Oregon, and by request of said Legislature transmitted to the Legislature of the State of Nevada for its consideration. Respectfully,

EUGENE HOWELL,
Secretary of State.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3 of the Nineteenth Session, relative to the amending of Section 1 of Article X of the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Temporarily laid on the table awaiting printed copies.

Assembly Bill No. 21—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 14, 1899.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be reëngrossed.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 23—An Act to prohibit grazing of sheep within three miles of any town or village.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—MESSRS. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raffice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 19—An Act to require the acceptance and collection of grants, devises, bequests, donations, and assignments to the State of Nevada.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the bill be ordered reëngrossed.
Carried.

Senate Bill No. 14—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act authorizing the destruction of wild, unbranded horses, mares, and colts, over the age of twelve months, found running at large on Government range lands," approved March 9, 1897.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Mr. Coryell moved a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.
Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Platt.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 3—An Act to provide for the copying of the Journal of the Assembly of the Twentieth Session.

Mr. Nelson moved that the bill be laid on the table temporarily.
Lost.

Mr. Nelson offered an amendment substituting the name of Homer T. Riddle for Miss Hattie Foley.

Mr. Nelson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Amendment lost.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—21.

NAYS—Messrs. Coryell, Holmes, McDonell, Nelson, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend and Mr. Speaker—9.

Absent—Mr. Platt.

Assembly Bill No. 24—An Act relating to nickel-in-the-slot machines, and providing a penalty for carrying on or playing against such machine or device.

Mr. Allen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Carried.

Mr. Webster moved that the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Mr. Skaggs moved that all bills laid on the table temporarily be placed on the file.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 4—An Act to amend an Act entitled “An Act relating to marriage and divorce,” approved November 28, 1861.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Platt.

Senate Bill No. 3—An Act to amend Section 8 of an Act entitled “An Act to regulate marks and brands on stock,” approved February 27, 1873.

Roll called and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Platt.

Mr. Coryell moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider bills that had been referred to that committee.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2:45 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 1 and Assembly Bill No. 15 have had the same under consideration, and report the same favorably with the recommendation that they do pass.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 5—An Act to provide for the collection, arrangement, and display of the products of the State at the Pan-American Exposition, to be held in the City of Buffalo and State of New York, from May 1, until November 1, 1901, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 18.

Referred back to the Senate for correction of its history.

Senate Bill No. 13—An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of the County of Washoe to issue bonds on the property of the Town of Reno for fire purposes, and other matters relating thereto.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Washoe County Delegation.

Mr. Holmes moved that when this House adjourn, it do so out of respect to Abraham Lincoln, and adjourn until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Carried.

Mr. Whitacre moved the adoption of the report of the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved that Senate message be taken up out of order.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 11, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 18, which Substitute was adopted and on February 7, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

Also, Senate Bills Nos. 5 and 13 which on this day passed the Senate by the following vote: No. 5—Yeas, 12; nays, 1; absent, 2. No. 13—Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Allen moved that Senate Bill No. 1 and Assembly Bill No. 15 be taken up and placed on their third reading and final passage.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 1—An Act to provide for the copying of the Journal of the Senate for the Twentieth Session.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.
Absent—Mr. Platt.

Assembly Bill No. 15—An Act appropriating two hundred dollars for the watering and care of the Grand Army Cemetery at Carson City, Nevada.

Bill was considered engrossed.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.
Absent—Mr. Platt.

Mr. Holmes moved that the special order for to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock be vacated, and same be made a special order for Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved an adjournment.

Carried.

House adjourned at 3:08 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), February 13, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Townsend.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. R. L. Macfarlane.

Journal of the twenty-second day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 26 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass, with the following amendment:

Strike out in line 2 the words "at the commencement of each term," and insert in lieu thereof the words "whenever grand jurors are empaneled in."

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations and Railroads have had Assembly Bill No. 14 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

The Washoe County Delegation have had Assembly Bill No. 31 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

GEO. E. PECKHAM,
Chairman.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Wilson moved that those gentlemen who are to address the Assembly this evening upon the subject of irrigation be offered the use of the Assembly Chamber, and further that Governor Sadler and Speaker Van Duzer be invited to act as presiding officers at said meeting.

Carried.

By Mr. Paul:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, relative to instructing committee appointed to confer with Southern Pacific Railroad Company relative to freights and fares, to ascertain if said railroad company would be willing to cooperate with the State of Nevada in the reclamation of arid lands through which said railroad passes, and report back to the Senate.

Adopted.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Van Duzer (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 35—An Act to provide for the measurement of

streams, the determination of the irrigation possibilities in the State of Nevada, in coöperation with the United States Geological Survey.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Summerfield (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 36—An Act to amend Section 3 of an Act entitled "An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their power and duties."

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Skaggs (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 37—An Act supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891, and all other Acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jacobs (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 38—An Act to grant the right of way for and to provide for the construction and maintenance of a street railway in the town of Reno and vicinity, in Washoe county, State of Nevada.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Washoe County Delegation.

By Mr. Conaway (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 39—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the settlement of the estates of deceased persons," approved March 23, 1897.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Whitacre (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 40—An Act to amend Section 1 of an Act entitled "An Act amendatory of and supplemental to an Act relating to the location, relocation, manner of recording lode and placer claims, mill sites, tunnel rights, amount of work necessary to hold possession of mining claims, and the rights of coöwners therein," approved March 16, 1897, approved March 14, 1899.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Raftice (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 41—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to trespass of swine, sheep and goats," approved March 5, 1885.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Coryell:

Assembly Bill No. 42—An Act to provide for the building and equipment of an assay office and a hospital for students at the Nevada State University at Reno, Nevada.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on State Institutions.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 18—An Act separating the offices of Sheriff and Assessor in Lander county, and providing that the persons elected to said offices shall receive the compensation and fees now allowed by law for performing the duties and services pertaining to each of said offices.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Lander County Delegation.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 26—An Act concerning the duties of District Judges in this State.

Mr. Sweeney moved the adoption of the amendment as reported by the committee.

Carried.

Mr. Whitacre moved that the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No 14—An Act to provide for incorporation, operation, and management of coöperative associations.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be considered engrossed.

Carried.

Bill placed on third reading and final passage, roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster and Whitacre—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Dickerson and Summerfield—2.

Absent—Messrs. Heidenreich, Townsend and Mr. Speaker—3.

Not voting—Mr. Wilson.

Assembly Bill No. 31—An Act providing for the establishment of a free public kindergarten school in Reno School District No. 10, Washoe county, Nevada, and conditionally requiring the public support and maintenance of the same.

Mr. Skaggs moved that the bill be considered engrossed.

Carried.

Bill placed on third reading and final passage, roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

Mr. Raftice moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Messrs. Burke, Dickerson, Graham and Holmes.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Assembly Bill No. 8—An Act reducing and regulating the salaries of certain State officers of the State of Nevada.

Amendment by Mr. Platt, amending lines 4, 5, 6, and 7 of said Act, by striking out the words “to the State Controller, two thousand dollars; to the Attorney-General, eighteen hundred dollars; to the Surveyor-General and ex officio Land Register, two thousand dollars.”

Mr. Sweeney moved the adoption of the amendment.

Mr. Paul moved that further consideration be deferred temporarily.

Motion lost.

Yeas and nays on Mr. Sweeney’s motion called for by Messrs. Platt, Skaggs and Whitacre.

Roll called.

The Speaker ordered that the names of Messrs. Burke, Dickerson and Graham be called.

Mr. Holmes appealed from the decision of the Chair, in regard to stating the question before the House.

Lost.

The names of those absent at the original roll call were then called.

Amendment lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Paul, Platt, Stinson, Summerfield and Sweeney—14.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—17.

Amendment by Mr. Platt, amending lines 3 and 4 of said Act, by striking out the words “to the Governor, three thousand dollars.”

Mr. Sweeney moved the adoption of the amendment.

Amendment lost.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 19 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 21 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Raftice moved that reports of Standing Committees be taken up out of order.

Carried.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Elections have had Assembly Bill No. 5 under reconsideration, and beg leave to report a Substitute for the same and recommend that the Substitute do pass.

ROBT. RAFTICE, Chairman,
GEO. E. PECKHAM,
J. D. R. CORBETT,
H. H. CORYELL,
W. H. PARKER.

Mr. Nelson moved to take up Senate message out of order.
Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 11, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body of the appointment of the following Senate Committees:

1. Standing Committee on Fish and Game: Messrs. Jackson, Gallagher and Wasson.
2. Senate Members of Committee for Conference with Southern Pacific officials relative to fares and freights, under Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4: Messrs. Freudenthal, Bell and Flanigan.
3. Senate Members of the Committee to prepare and report a bill revising the Revenue Act of this State, under Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5: Messrs. Livingston, Williams and Pitt.

C. H. MCINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Coryell moved to take up messages from the Governor, out of order.
Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 13, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that I have approved and deposited with the Secretary of State:

Assembly Bill No. 1—An Act to create a Legislative Fund.

Assembly Bill No. 4—An Act to provide arms and electric alarms in the Capitol building. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 11, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to submit the reports of various State officers and the Superintendents of State institutions, as follows:

- Biennial Report of the Secretary of State for the years 1899-1900.
- Annual Report of the State Controller for the year 1900.
- Annual Report of the State Treasurer for the year 1900.
- Biennial Report of the Attorney-General for the years 1899-1900.
- Biennial Report of the Surveyor-General for the years 1899-1900.
- Biennial Report of the Superintendent of State Printing for the years 1899-1900.
- Biennial Report of the Regents of the State University for the years 1899-1900.
- Biennial Report of Superintendent of Hospital for Mental Diseases, 1899-1900.
- Biennial Report of the Warden of the Nevada State Prison, 1899-1900.
- Biennial Report of the Adjutant-General, 1899-1900.
- Biennial Report of the State Board of Health, 1899-1900.
- Biennial Report of State Board of Medical Examiners, 1899-1900.

Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

Mr. Sweeney moved to take up Assembly Bill No. 19.

Mr. Allen moved to adjourn, as Dr. Stubbs intended to address both houses in the Senate Chamber.

Carried.

House adjourned at 2:35 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Thursday), February 14, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Paul.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. R. L. Macfarlane.

Journal of twenty-fourth day read and approved.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

The Lander County Delegation has had Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 18 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. H. PARKER.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 8 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 26 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 24 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 14, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 20—An Act for the relief of D. C. Wheeler and D. W. Ridenour—which, on February 13, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 14, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 12—An Act to amend an Act entitled "Senate Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 99—An Act relating to the duties, salaries and compensation of county and township officers of Storey county, Nevada," approved March 11, 1899—which, on February 13, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

Also, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, which, on February 13, 1901, was by the Senate adopted.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Brooks (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 43—An Act amendatory of and supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to restrict gaming and to repeal other Acts in relation thereto," approved March 8, 1879.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Paul (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 44—An Act granting to persons and corporations the right to supply electric power, heat and light to the inhabitants of counties, cities, and towns of the State of Nevada, and granting to such persons and corporations the right to construct and maintain poles and wires on the county roads and highways, and in the streets of said cities, cities and counties, cities and towns, of this State, and to conduct electricity over said wires, and providing for the punishment of obstruction, hindrance or damage thereto.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Corporations and Railroads.

By Mr. Platt (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 45—An Act to provide for the necessary improvements and repairs upon the State Capitol building at Carson City, Nevada.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Paul (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 46—An Act separating the offices of Treasurer and Assessor in White Pine county, and fixing the salaries of said offices.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to White Pine Delegation.

By Mr. Coryell (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 47—An Act to promote the sale of lands reverted to the State of Nevada.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Public Lands.

Senate Bill No. 20—An Act for the relief of D. C. Wheeler and D. W. Ridenour.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 5—An Act reapportioning Senators and Assemblymen of the several counties to the Legislature of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Peckham moved that the Substitute be adopted.

Carried.

Mr. Raftice moved the bill be engrossed.

Mr. Wilson moved to amend by inserting the word "considered."

Amendment carried.

Bill placed on third reading and final passage.

Mr. Platt moved that whenever the word "two" appears before the word "Senators," the word "one" be substituted.

Mr. Jacobs moved the amendment be laid on the table.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Heidenreich.

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Skaggs, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Johnson, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney and Whitacre—13.

Amendment by Mr. Sweeney:

Strike out in line 5 the words "two" and "four," and insert the words "one" and "five" in lieu thereof. Strike out in line 8 the word "two" and insert the word "one," and strike out in same line the word "three" and insert the word "four." Strike out in line 15 the word "two" and insert the word "one" in lieu thereof, and strike out in the same line the word "seven" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight."

Question on the adoption of the amendment.

Mr. Jacobs moved that amendment be laid on table.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Heidenreich.

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Skaggs, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Johnson, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney and Whitacre—13.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Stinson, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Johnson, Paul, Platt, Skaggs, Summerfield, Sweeney and Whitacre—11.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 18—An Act separating the offices of Sheriff and Assessor in Lander county, and providing that the persons elected to said offices shall receive the compensation and fees now allowed by law for performing the duties and services pertaining to each of said offices.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 8—An Act regulating and reducing the salaries of certain State officers of the State of Nevada.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—17.

NAYS—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Paul, Platt, Stinson, Summerfield and Sweeney—14.

Assembly Bill No. 19—An Act to require the acceptance of grants, devises, bequests, donations, and assignments to the State of Nevada.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell,

Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.
 NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 21—An Act to amend an Act entitled “An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education, and matters properly connected therewith,” approved March 14, 1899.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 24—An Act relating to nickel-in-the-slot machines and providing a penalty for carrying on or playing against such machine or device.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Mr. Summerfield moved a recess until 2 o'clock.
 Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Mr. Dickerson asked for a temporary leave of absence for the members absent.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 6 with the engrossed copy, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
 Chairman.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 26—An Act concerning the duties of District Judges in this State.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Mr. Coryell moved that Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 5 be printed.

Carried.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on State Institutions have had Assembly Bill No. 42 under consideration, and beg leave to report that the same be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

P. JACOBS,
 Chairman.

Mr. Jacobs moved the adoption of the report.

Carried.

Mr. Burke moved that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3 be taken up.

Carried.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, relative to amending Section 1 of Article X of the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Roll called, and resolution passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 14, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 21—An Act to authorize and empower the Treasurer of Lyon county to pay to the Bullion and Exchange Bank of Carson City, Nevada, the sum of two hundred forty-seven dollars and fifty cents, money advanced by said Bank in payment of coupons detached from bonds issued by said Lyon county, said coupons having been lost or destroyed.

Also, Senate Bill No. 23—An Act relative to reinsurance and the transaction of business by fire insurance companies or associations otherwise than through resident agents.

Also, Senate Bill No. 26—An Act to amend section three of an Act entitled "An Act relating to the location, relocation, manner of recording lode and placer claims, mill sites, tunnel rights, amount of work necessary to hold possession of mining claims, and the rights of coöwners therein," approved March 16, 1897.

Said Senate Bills Nos. 21, 23 and 26 each this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Skaggs moved to return to the head of "Introduction and First Reading of Bills."

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 21—An Act to authorize and empower the Treasurer of Lyon county to pay to the Bullion and Exchange Bank of Carson City, Nevada, the sum of two hundred forty-seven dollars and fifty cents, money advanced by said Bank in payment of coupons detached from bonds issued by said Lyon county, said coupons having been lost or destroyed.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Lyon County Delegation.

Senate Bill No. 26—An Act to amend section three of an Act entitled "An Act relating to the location, relocation, manner of recording lode and placer claims, mill sites, tunnel rights, amount of work necessary to hold possession of mining claims, and the rights of coöwners therein," approved March 16, 1897.

Mr. Skaggs moved that under suspension of rules, reading so far had be considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on State Prison and Insane Asylum.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Skaggs, Platt and Heidenreich. Motion lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Coryell, Heidenreich and Skaggs—3.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster and Whitacre—26.

Not voting—Mr. Wilson and Mr. Speaker—2.

Mr. Dickerson moved an adjournment.

Carried.

House adjourned at 2:45 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Friday), February 15, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Whitacre.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. R. L. Macfarlane.

Journal of twenty-fifth day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 39 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 33 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 36 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 18 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Senate Bill No. 5 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bills Nos. 27 and 28 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 34 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 25 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

The Lyon County Delegation have had under consideration Senate Bill No. 21, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

O. A. BROOKS,
Chairman.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Sweeney (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 48—An Act relating to the public representation of dramatic plays and musical compositions.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Henningsen:

Assembly Bill No. 49—An Act to prohibit the sale of ardent spirits to the Indians.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Nelson:

Assembly Bill No. 50—An Act to prevent the dissemination of diseases among apiaries, to provide for the appointment of an Inspector, and to define his duties and compensation.

Under suspension of the rules, bill considered read first time, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 23—An Act relative to reinsurance and the transaction of business by fire insurance companies or associations otherwise than through resident agents.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Johnson:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, relative to the maintenance of a mail route between Austin, Lander county, Nevada, and Potts, Nye county, Nevada.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 39—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the settlement of the estates of deceased persons," approved March 23, 1897.

Considered engrossed.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Assembly Bill No. 39 be laid on the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 33—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties in this State, and to define their duties and powers," approved March 8, 1865; approved March 21, 1877; approved March 8, 1879.

Considered engrossed.

Mr. Holmes moved that Assembly Bill No. 33 be made a special order for this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 36—An Act to amend section three of an Act entitled "An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers."

Mr. Skaggs moved the bill be rereferred to the Judiciary Committee.
Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 18—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to the office of Public Administrators, and prescribing their duties," approved March 7, 1883.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Bill No. 18 be laid on the table.
Carried.

Senate Bill No. 5—An Act to provide for the collection, arrangement and display of the products of the State of Nevada at the Pan-American Exposition to be held in the City of Buffalo, and State of New York, from May 1 until November 1, 1901, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Mr. Allen moved the bill be referred to the Committee of the Whole.
Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 28—An Act to amend sections one hundred and one hundred and nine of an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891.

Mr. Paul moved that Assembly Bill No. 28 be made a special order for to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 27—An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes on movable personal property, and the apportionment of moneys received therefor.

Mr. Paul moved that Assembly Bill No. 27 be made a special order for to-morrow at 2:30 p. m.

Carried.

Mr. Graham moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Whitacre.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Assembly Bill No. 33.

Read third time.

Mr. Paul moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Assembly Bill No. 33.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2:46 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 33, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report on the same without recommendation.

Also, recommend that a vote of thanks be tendered Judge Talbot.

F. PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Paul moved the adoption of the report.

Carried.

Mr. Holmes moved to rerefer Assembly Bill No. 33 to the Judiciary Committee.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Coryell:

Assembly Bill No. 51—An Act to provide for the reclamation and occupancy of lands subject to acceptance by the State of Nevada under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved August 14, 1894, and June 11, 1896, and to repeal all Acts in conflict therewith.

Under suspension of the rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Public Lands.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 34—An Act to authorize a convention of County Assessors of this State, and providing for the payment of traveling expenses of those attending.

Mr. Platt moved that Assembly Bill No. 34 be referred to the Select Committee on Revenue.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 25—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend section one hundred and twenty-three of an Act entitled 'An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved March 23, 1891," approved March 2, 1897.

Considered engrossed.

Amendment by Mr. Nelson: In Section 1, line 4, after the word "of" insert "twenty-five dollars per month."

Mr. Nelson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Amendment lost.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Nelson and Paul—2.

Absent—Messrs. Whitacre and Skaggs—2.

Senate Bill No. 21—An Act to authorize and empower the Treasurer of Lyon county to pay to the Bullion and Exchange Bank of Carson City, Nevada, the sum of two hundred forty-seven dollars and fifty cents, money advanced by said Bank in payment of coupons detached

from bonds issued by said Lyon county, said coupons having been lost or destroyed.

Placed on third reading, roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Whitacre and Skaggs—2.

Mr. Wilson moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Senate Bill No. 5.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 4 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 5, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report that one section was read, and the Committee decided to arise.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Paul moved the adoption of the report.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that the special order for to-morrow be vacated, and Assembly Bills Nos. 27 and 28 be made a special order for Monday at 2 and 2:30 o'clock, respectively.

Carried.

Mr. Summerfield moved to adjourn until Monday at 11 a. m.

Motion to adjourn lost.

Mr. Summerfield moved to adjourn until 11 o'clock Monday morning.

Mr. Skaggs moved as an amendment to adjourn until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Coryell, Wilson and Skaggs.

Amendment lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Johnson, Parker, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—12.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Summerfield and Webster—15.

Absent—Messrs. Corbett, Platt, Sweeney and Whitacre—4.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Coryell, Skaggs and Raftice on adjournment until Monday.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Summerfield, Townsend and Webster—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Johnson, Parker, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—11.

Absent—Messrs. Corbett, Platt, Sweeney and Whitacre—4.

House adjourned at 4:36 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

TWENTY-NINTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Monday), February 18, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Whitacre and Platt.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Dorrance.

Journal of the twenty-sixth day read, corrected and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 7 under consideration, and beg leave to report back a Substitute therefor favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining have had Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

A. J. BURKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bill No. 12 with the engrossed copy, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

The White Pine County Delegation has had Assembly Bill No. 46 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

F. PAUL.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 15, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 16—An Act to prevent the introduction and provide for the investigation and suppression of contagious or infectious diseases, and appropriating money to be used for such purposes—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

Also, Senate Bill No. 22—An Act to pay the deficiencies in the appropriations for the years 1899 and 1900—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 18, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 24—An Act to define the duties of County Commissioners and District Attorneys relative to abating nuisances in the several counties of the State of Nevada,

and matters connected therewith—which, on February 15, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sweeney moved that Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7 be printed.
Carried.

By Mr. Brooks:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 55, relative to amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Parker:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, relative to establishing a mail route between Austin and Campbell Creek, Lander county, State of Nevada.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 13, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably thereon, and recommend that it do pass.

GEO. E. PECKHAM,
Chairman.

By Mr. Johnson:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, relative to the maintenance of a mail route between Austin, Lander county, and Potts, Nye county, Nevada.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, bill read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Mr. Skaggs:

Assembly Resolution No. 7, relative to the office of Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Assembly Resolution No. 7 be made a special order for Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

NOTICES OF BILLS.

Mr. Jacobs gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce an Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the settlement of estates of deceased persons."

Mr. Jacobs gave notice that he would, at some future day, introduce an Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of guardians and to prescribe their duties."

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Sweeney:

Assembly Bill No. 52—An Act providing for the appointment of a State Agent at Washington, D. C., to attend to certification of lands

granted by Congress to the State of Nevada, and such other business as may be referred to him under authority of the Governor.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Skaggs:

Assembly Bill No. 53—An Act recommending the electors of this State to vote upon the question of calling a Constitutional Convention, to revise the Constitution of this State.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Skaggs:

Assembly Bill No. 54—An Act to provide for the levy of a tax upon incomes, and for other matters relating thereto.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Van Duzer:

Assembly Bill No. 55—An Act fixing the salaries and compensation of the officers of Humboldt county, and consolidating certain offices in said county, and to repeal all Acts in relation thereto.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, bill read second time by title, and referred to Humboldt County Delegation.

By Mr. Coryell:

Assembly Bill No. 56—An Act to provide for the assessment and taxation of live stock driven into this State for pasturage, grazing, or to market, from other States or Territories, and for the collection of the same.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Coryell:

Assembly Bill No. 57—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to prevent the dissemination of contagious diseases among sheep; to provide for the appointment of Sheep Inspectors in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and compensation," approved March 23, 1893, approved March 6, 1899.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Coryell:

Assembly Bill No. 58—An Act to amend section seventy-five of an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first read-

ing, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means

Senate Bill No. 16—An Act to prevent the introduction and provide for the investigation and suppression of contagious and infectious diseases, and appropriating money to be used for such purposes.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 22—An Act to pay the deficiencies in the appropriations for the years 1899 and 1900.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 24—An Act to define the duties of County Commissioners and District Attorneys relative to abating nuisances in the several counties of the State of Nevada, and matters connected therewith.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Stinson moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 11:58 a. m.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Platt and Whitacre.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Assembly Bill No. 27—An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes on movable personal property, and the apportionment of moneys received therefor.

Amendment by Mr. Nelson: "*Provided*, That all live stock being actually enclosed and fed for the market shall be exempt from the provisions of this Act until the regular levy shall have been made by the County Commissioners."

Mr. Nelson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Carried.

Mr. Nelson moved that the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that special order for Assembly Bill No. 28 at 2:30 o'clock be vacated until Assembly Bill No. 27 was disposed of.

Carried.

Ordered engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 28—An Act to amend sections one hundred and one hundred and nine of an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue

for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891.

Considered engrossed.

Bill placed on third reading and final passage.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—Messrs. Stinson and Wilson—2.

Absent—Mr. Whitacre.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 46—An Act separating the offices of Treasurer and Assessor in White Pine county, and fixing the salaries of said offices.

Placed on third reading and final passage.

Roll called, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Whitacre.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3, relative to the opening of all Indian reservations to miners for the purpose of mining for gold or silver or other precious metals.

Mr. Allen moved to lay the bill on the table.

Lost.

Placed on third reading and final passage.

Roll called, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster and Mr. Speaker—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Coryell, Henningsen, Johnson, Paul, Raftice, Stinson, Townsend and Wilson—9.

Absent—Mr. Whitacre.

Not voting—Mr. Nelson.

Senate Bill No. 7—An Act to provide for the creation of a State Board of Pharmacy; to regulate the practice of pharmacy; to prohibit the deterioration of drugs, and to regulate the sale of poisons in the State of Nevada.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the bill be printed, and Senate Bill No. 7 be made a special order for Thursday at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that the House do now resolve itself into Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 3:30 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Senate Bill No. 5—An Act to provide for the collection, arrangement, and display of the products of the State of Nevada, at the Pan-American Exposition, to be held in the City of Buffalo, State of New York, from May 1 until November 1, 1901, and to make an appropriation therefor.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, having had Assembly Bill No. 5 under consideration, beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

F. PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Cocks moved that the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Carried.

Mr. Skaggs moved that the Assembly now open under the head of "General File and Third Reading of Bills."

Mr. Allen moved, as an amendment, to take up Senate Bill No. 5 out of order.

Carried.

Bill placed on third reading and final passage.

Mr. Dickerson moved an adjournment.

Lost.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Heidenreich, Holmes, McDonell, Parker, Paul, Platt, Skaggs, Summerfield, Townsend and Mr. Speaker—17.

NAYS—Messrs. Conaway, Dickerson, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, Peckham, Raftice, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster and Wilson—12.

Absent—Mr. Whitacre.

Not voting—Mr. Nelson.

Mr. Skaggs moved an adjournment until to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 4:10 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THIRTIETH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), February 19, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Summerfield.

Journal of the twenty-ninth day read and approved.

Mr. Paul moved that Mr. Allen act as Chaplain.

Carried.

Prayer offered by Mr. Allen.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations and Railroads have had Assembly Bill No. 29 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Assembly Bill No. 41 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Senate Bill No. 17 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Senate Bill No. 35 under consideration, and beg leave to report Substitute with amendments, with the recommendation that Substitute with amendments do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 23 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 37 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 33 under consideration, and beg leave to report back a Substitute favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 43 under consideration,

and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 18, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, and filed with the Secretary of State, Assembly Bill No. 6—An Act to prohibit the selling or disposing of opium or intoxicating liquors to convicts in the Nevada State Prison. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 18, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to transmit herewith the Biennial Report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction for the years 1899-1900. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Senate Bill No. 20 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 42 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 53 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Senate Bill No. 16 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Brooks:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8, relative to amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Nelson:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9, relative to adding Article 19 to the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Parker:

Assembly Bill No. 59—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to

amend an Act entitled 'An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education, and matters properly connected therewith,' approved March 16, 1895."

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Parker:

Assembly Bill No. 60—An Act to provide for a uniform series of text books in the public schools of Nevada.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Peckham:

Assembly Bill No. 61—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act supplementary to an Act entitled 'An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of the State, and to define their duties and powers,' approved March 8, 1865," approved February 19, 1867.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Jacobs:

Assembly Bill No. 62—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the settlement of estates of deceased persons," approved March 23, 1897.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jacobs:

Assembly Bill No. 63—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of guardians and to prescribe their duties," approved March 11, 1899.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Bill No. 64—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to public reports, and repealing all other Acts in relation thereto," approved February 17, 1893.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Heidenreich:

Assembly Bill No. 65—An Act to provide for the dissemination of knowledge in the public schools, relative to the preservation of song-birds, fish and game.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Education.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER, }
 CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 18, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8, relative to the appointment of a committee to revise the laws pertaining to the licensing of gambling games in the State of Nevada, which was this day by the Senate adopted.

C. H. McINTOSH,
 Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 15—An Act to amend section twenty of an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot," approved March 13, 1891—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
 Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 30—An Act fixing the salaries of county officers of Lincoln county, Nevada, and consolidating certain offices therein—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
 Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 15—An Act appropriating two hundred dollars for the watering and care of the Grand Army Cemetery at Carson City, Nevada—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
 Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 16—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to define the duties of the Lieutenant-Governor when acting as an ex officio officer, and fixing his salary therefor, approved March 7, 1899—which this day was defeated in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 2; nays, 13.

C. H. McINTOSH,
 Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 26—An Act concerning the duties of District Judges in this State—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
 Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 3—An Act to provide for the copying of the Journal of the Assembly for the Twentieth Session—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
 Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 19—An Act to require the acceptance and collection of grants, devises, bequests, donations and assignments to the State of Nevada—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
 Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8, relative to appointment of committee to revise the laws pertaining to the licensing of gambling games in the State of Nevada.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Senate Resolution No. 8 be laid on the table.
 Carried.

Senate Bill No. 30—An Act fixing the salaries of county officers of Lincoln county, Nevada, and consolidating certain offices therein.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Lincoln County Delegation.

Senate Bill No. 15—An Act to amend Section 20 of an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections, and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot," approved March 13, 1891.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Elections.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 13—An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of the County of Washoe to issue bonds on the property of the Town of Reno for fire purposes, and other matters relating thereto.

Read third time, placed upon its final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 29—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act amendatory of an Act entitled 'An Act to provide for the formation of corporations for certain purposes,' approved March 10, 1865," amendment approved February 24, 1866.

Considered engrossed, read third time and placed upon its final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 41—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to trespass of swine, sheep and goats," approved March 5, 1885.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed upon its final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Senate Bill No. 17—An Act to regulate the sale of meat of any equine animal.

Read third time, placed upon its final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—Messrs. Burke and Whitacre—2.

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35—An Act to provide for the

measurement of streams, the survey of reservoir sites, the determination of the irrigation possibilities, and of the best methods of controlling and utilizing the water resources of the State of Nevada, in coöperation with the United States Geological Survey and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Wilson moved the adoption of the Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35.

Mr. Nelson moved to have Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35 printed.

Carried.

Amendment No. 1—Amend the title by inserting after the word "Agriculture" the words "and the Nevada Experiment Station."

Amendment No. 2—Amend Section 1, in line 18, by striking out the word "seven," and insert the word "four," and in line 19 strike out the word "five," and insert the word "two."

Mr. Burke moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 11:40 a. m.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Mr. Nelson moved that Substitute be adopted as amended.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35 be printed.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Substitute No. 35 be placed at bottom of the file.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 27 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Senate Bill No. 23—An Act relative to insurance and the transaction of business by fire insurance companies or associations otherwise than through resident agents.

Mr. Platt moved to lay the bill on the table temporarily.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 37—An Act supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891, and all other Acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto.

Mr. Skaggs moved the adoption of the amendment.

Carried.

Mr. Skaggs moved to amend by having the bill resectioned.

Carried.

Ordered engrossed.

Mr. Platt moved to take Senate Bill No. 23 from the table and place it upon its final passage.

Lost.

Assembly Bill No. 33—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers," approved March 8, 1865, approved February 20, 1877, approved March 8, 1879.

Mr. Sweeney moved the adoption of the amendment.

Carried.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the bill be ordered printed.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33 be placed at bottom of file.

Carried.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Van Duzer:

Assembly Resolution No. 10, referring to appointment of Joint Railroad Committee, and with instructions to Assembly members thereof:

WHEREAS, We, the members of the Nevada Assembly of the Twentieth Session of the Nevada Legislature, recognize in the changed political and financial conditions of the State an opportune time for inaugurating an industrial development in Nevada based upon the sovereign rights of the people, retrenchment in the management of State affairs, reduced taxation and the natural undeveloped resources of the State, whereby our population may be increased, taxation reduced, the irrigation problem solved and large industrial enterprises inaugurated, all of which will result in the material prosperity of the State of Nevada; and

WHEREAS, We recognize the fact that in order to attract population to our State, to stimulate industrial enterprises and secure capital for investment in Nevada, that the questions of transportation and taxation must be wisely and intelligently solved; that, in order to secure population, we should have the advantage of a low passenger rate and a homeseekers' colonist rate, and, in order to secure both a desirable population and capital for investment, we must have a low rate of taxation, and a rate that is not prohibitive of industrial development; and

WHEREAS, We, as a State, to-day offer a magnificent opportunity for the investment of capital in our rich mineral deposits of gold, silver, copper, iron and other minerals, which we cannot develop without capital and which capital cannot develop without favorable railroad rates and encouragement in the way of a low rate of taxation; and offer in our fertile and rich agricultural valleys magnificent opportunity to the homeseeker; and possess the potentiality of a great State needing only low fares for homeseekers, low freight rates for our ores and agricultural products, and a low rate of taxation which will stimulate the investment of capital on our mines, the promotion of storage reservoirs and the general upbuilding of our State; and

WHEREAS, We recognize as the most important industrial problem before the people of the State of Nevada the question of transportation and the relation between the people of the State and the railroad, and that in its solution lies the solution of all the other industrial problems in Nevada, and that a mutual coöperation between the people of the State and the railroad at this time must be of mutual advantage in a complete harmony and coöperation of interests; and

WHEREAS, We recognize in a railroad a factor not only of civilization but an influential factor in State building and local industrial development, and being aware that railroad systems by liberal policies create great cities and build up great and populous States, and as we have seen the benefits of such policies in the building up of Washington, Wyoming, Idaho, Montana and Colorado and other Western States, where low rates for passengers and freights and liberal policies by railroads have built up populous States and powerful commercial cities; and

WHEREAS, Nevada is just as rich in undeveloped resources, natural wealth and possibilities and her people as energetic and patriotic as those of other Western States, needing only the assistance of a generous railroad policy to make her a great State; and

WHEREAS, For many years the Southern Pacific Railroad has pursued a policy which we know to have been inimical to the best interests of the State, maintained high freight rates utterly prohibitive of the development of our natural resources, maintained a high passenger rate which has prevented colonists from settling here, discriminated against the State in her general policy, dominated our politics, antagonized our people and maintained a political agent in this State instead of maintaining a business bureau here to assist in building up a commercial development in Nevada,

which policy has resulted in antagonism detrimental to the people and disadvantageous to the railroad; and

WHEREAS, We are now aware that the entire business and political policy and management of the Southern Pacific Railroad has changed, and that by the death of the late C. P. Huntington, and the retirement of H. E. Huntington, all the interests of the Huntingtons have passed from their control and management of the railroad; and

WHEREAS, The management of the Southern Pacific Railroad has passed into the hands of men who have no personal interests or local prejudices, but are actuated by a broad business sagacity and whose general policy is State development, State growth, the stimulating of infant industries and the cultivation of mutual business relations with the people; and

WHEREAS, Chas. M. Hays, the new President of the Southern Pacific Railroad, is purely a business railroad man and has the reputation of a man who has built up all the communities through which the roads under his management have run, and as we welcome the new change and view with hope the new management as an augury of a new era of development in Nevada; therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Assembly that the Committee of this body, which is shortly to visit the management of the Southern Pacific in San Francisco, be instructed to express to Mr. Chas. M. Hays their hope that the relations between the railroad and the people of Nevada hereafter be upon the broad basis of business, and not upon political combinations, and to assure Mr. Hays that if the people of Nevada can receive any relief from the present and past intolerant conditions through compromise and concession, that the people of Nevada will pledge their best efforts to guarantee the railroad immunity from unjust and unwise legislative action; and it is further

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Assembly that our Committee go, not as supplicants on bended knees, but as the representatives of a sovereign people, conscious of past wrongs and intelligently presenting their grievances and firmly demanding their rights; and be it further

Resolved, That their Committee and a Chairman, to be named by the Assembly Committee from their Committee, be requested to present the views of the Assembly specifically to the management of the Southern Pacific, upon the following lines:

1. The history of the past struggle between the people of Nevada and the Southern Pacific Railroad under the Huntington policy.

2. The hope which the people of Nevada entertain from the new management in the way of relief and in a coöperative policy which shall build up the State.

3. The desire of the people of Nevada at this time to coöperate with the railroad in building up the State to the advantage of both and to discuss with the railroad the following questions from the standpoint of the people of Nevada and to discuss with and to ask of the Southern Pacific relief as follows:

1. The question of passenger fares.

(a) A local rate of three cents per mile in Nevada.

(b) The advantage of a colonists and homeseekers' rate from Mississippi and Missouri River points to Nevada.

2. The question of freight rates.

(a) The advantage of a terminal point in Nevada.

(b) That on carloads of merchandise from Eastern to Nevada points that said cars be dropped in Nevada less the return rate from tidewater points.

(c) A special schedule rate on Nevada ores and Nevada agricultural products.

3. A coöperation on taxation and taxation reform in Nevada.

Recognizing that the railroad is one of the largest individual corporate taxpayers in the State, the Committee is instructed to urge upon the railroad the necessity of a reform in taxation in Nevada, and to assure the Company that there is no desire to discriminate against them in taxation, but that all taxpayers shall sustain their equal burden of taxation, and to urge upon the Company that a high valuation and a low rate will be of great advantage to the State, and will not affect the aggregate amount of their taxes in the long run, and will contribute to increased population in Nevada and enterprises being established which will add to the already large income from railroad business in Nevada; to seriously urge upon the Company the necessity of an equalization of taxes with a low rate, which is the only means by which capital and population can be brought into the State.

4. To discuss such other matters as may be of mutual interest to the people and the railroad; and be it further

Resolved, That this Committee from the Assembly report fully the result of their work subject to the ratification and approval of this body.

Mr. Van Duzer moved the adoption of the resolution.

Carried.

Mr. Sweeney moved that all resolutions instructing the committee appointed to confer with the railroad company be ordered printed.

Carried.

Mr. Raftice moved an adjournment.
Carried.

House adjourned at 3:45 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THIRTY-FIRST DAY.

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), February 20, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Coryell and Webster.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Dorrance.

Journal of the thirtieth day read, corrected and approved.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sweeney moved that one thousand copies of Assembly Resolution No. 10 be printed.

Carried.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 48 under consideration, and beg leave to report it back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 63 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 62 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 24 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 36 under consideration, and beg leave to report without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 49 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Federal Relations have had Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

E. P. HOLMES,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Federal Relations have had Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

E. P. HOLMES,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining have had Assembly Bill No. 40 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

A. J. BURKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had Assembly Bill No. 65 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had Assembly Bill No. 60 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that same be amended by inserting after the word "Legislature" the words: "Provided, no such change in books shall be made more often than once in four years."

We recommend that with said amendment the said bill do pass.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had Assembly Bill No. 32 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that same be amended by striking out the word "therein" in line 18, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "herein."

With said amendment, your Committee recommend that said bill do pass.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had Assembly Bill No. 13 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 19, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9, relative to appointment of a Joint Committee to investigate the duties of the State officers, for the purpose of determining the propriety of making further reductions in salaries and expenses of conducting the various offices, which was this day by the Senate adopted.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 34—An Act to create a Salary Fund for White Pine county—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 5—An Act reapportioning Senators and Assemblymen of the several counties to the Legislature of the State of Nevada—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 9; nays, 6.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 28—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections," approved March 12, 1873, approved February 23, 1899—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 7—An Act regulating the hours of employment in underground mines and smelters and ore reduction works and providing penalties for violation thereof—which was on this day defeated in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 5; nays, 10.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 24—An Act relating to nickel-in-the-slot machines and providing a penalty for carrying on or playing against such machine or device—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 12—An Act relating to the fraudulent weight of goods—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote:—Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 29—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers," approved March 8, 1865, approved February 21, 1877, approved March 8, 1879—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Skaggs moved to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9, out of order.

Carried.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9, relative to appointment of a Joint Committee to investigate the duties of the State officers for the purpose of determining the propriety of making further reductions in salaries and expense of conducting the various offices.

Mr. Skaggs moved the adoption of the resolution.

Carried.

Mr. Skaggs moved to make Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 a special order for 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 34—An Act to create a Salary Fund for White Pine county.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to White Pine County Delegation.

Senate Bill No. 28—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections," approved March 12, 1873, approved February 23, 1889.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 12—An Act relating to the fraudulent weight of goods.

Rules suspended, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 29—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers," approved March 8, 1865, approved February 21, 1877, approved March 8, 1879.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, bill read second time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 43—An Act amendatory of and supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to restrict gaming and to repeal all other Acts in relation thereto," approved March 8, 1879.

Mr. Allen moved to lay the bill on the table.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 20—An Act for the relief of D. C. Wheeler and D. W. Ridenour.

Mr. Skaggs moved to refer Senate Bill No. 20 to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 42—An Act to provide for the building and equipment of an assay office and a hospital for students of the Nevada State University at Reno, Nevada.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Bill No. 42 be referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Lost.

Mr. Paul moved that a committee of one, consisting of Mr. Coryell, be appointed to correct the bill.

Carried.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

The history of Assembly Bill No. 42 has been corrected.

H. H. CORYELL.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Assembly Bill No. 42 be referred to Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 53—An Act recommending to the electors of this State to vote upon the question of calling a Constitutional Convention to revise the Constitution of this State.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett and Johnson—3.

Senate Bill No. 16—An Act to prevent the introduction and provide

for the investigation and suppression of contagious or infectious diseases, and appropriating money to be used for such purposes.

Mr. Coryell moved to refer Senate Bill No. 16 to Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 27—An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes on movable personal property, and the apportionment of money received therefor.

Mr. Paul moved to scratch out the word "unless" and insert the word "until."

Carried.

Mr. Raftice moved to amend by leaving out the words "for market" after the word "fed."

Carried.

Bill placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Coryell, Raftice, Stinson and Wilson—4.

Mr. Jacobs moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 11:55 a. m.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Assembly Resolution No. 7, relative to the office of Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. Allen moved that the special order for 2:30 be vacated, until Assembly Resolution No. 7 is disposed of.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that the Governor be invited to take a seat with the Speaker.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved the previous question.

Carried.

Assembly Resolution No. 7.

Read third time, placed upon final passage, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Conaway, Nelson, Parker, Raftice, Skaggs and Mr. Speaker—7.
NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—24.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9, relative to appointment of a Joint Committee to investigate the duties of the State officers for the

purpose of determining the propriety of making further reductions in salaries and expenses of conducting the various offices.

Mr. Sweeney moved to lay the resolution on the table.

Lost.

By Mr. Allen:

Substitute for Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9—An Act relative to appointment of a Joint Committee to investigate the duties of the State officers for the purpose of determining the propriety of making further reductions in salaries and expenses of conducting various offices, and conferring power to issue subpoenas, examine witnesses and other matters relating to said investigation.

Mr. Allen moved the adoption of the Substitute.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Heidenreich (out of order and without previous notice):

Assembly Bill No. 66—An Act to prevent the unlawful destruction of fish and game, and provide for the appointment of Fish and Game Wardens in the several counties of this State and to define their duties and compensation.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Holmes (out of order and without previous notice):

Assembly Bill No. 67—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act relating to the Nevada National Guard," approved March 8, 1897, approved February 28, 1899.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Military and Indian Affairs.

Mr. Nelson moved that Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35 be placed at bottom of file.

Carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35—An Act to provide for the measurement of streams, the survey of reservoir sites, and the determination of the irrigation possibilities in the State of Nevada in cooperation with the United States Geological Survey.

Mr. Nelson moved that Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35 be placed at the bottom of the file.

Carried.

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33—An Act relating to elections and to the duties of District Judges and Boards of County Commissioners in canvassing and counting election returns, making abstracts thereof, and causing certificates of election to be issued.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell,

Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckam, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—30.

YAYS—Mr. Wilson.

Assembly Bill No. 13—An Act to provide for the election of School Trustees, and matters properly connected therewith.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Bill No. 13 be laid on the table.
Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 32—An Act to amend section eighteen of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the election of School Trustees, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 16, 1897.

Considered engrossed.

Mr. Henningsen moved, as an amendment, to amend line 4 of printed bill to read: Strike out the word "County Clerk" and insert "Justice of the Peace" in lieu thereof. In same line strike out the word "county" and insert the word "precinct" in lieu thereof.

Mr. Paul offered, as an amendment to the amendment, to amend line 4, in printed bill, by striking out all after the word "precinct" and substituting in lieu thereof the words "and in the absence of any duly elected and qualified Justice of the Peace, then said names shall be filed with the County Clerk of said county."

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that Assembly Bill No. 32 be rereferred to the Committee on Education.

Carried.

Mr. McDonell moved an adjournment until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

Mr. Coryell moved, as an amendment, to take a recess until 7 o'clock this evening.

Carried.

House adjourned at 4 p. m.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 7 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Coryell, Jacobs, Stinson, Sweeney and Whitacre.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 60—An Act to provide for a uniform series of text books in the public schools of the State of Nevada.

Ordered engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 65—An Act to provide for the dissemination of knowledge in the public schools relative to the preservation of song-birds, fish and game.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed on its final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Platt, Summerfield, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—17.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Hastings, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs and Townsend—9.

Absent—Messrs. Coryell, Jacobs, Stinson, Sweeney and Whitacre—5.

Assembly Bill No. 40—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act amendatory of and supplemental to an Act relating to the location, relocation, manner of recording lode and placer claims, mill sites, tunnel rights, amount of work necessary to hold possession of mining claims, and the rights of coöwners therein," approved March 16, 1897, approved March 14, 1899.

Considered engrossed.

Mr. Allen moved that the Clerk read the mining law of 1899.

Carried.

Bill read third time, placed on its final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Summerfield, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—Mr. Paul.

Absent—Messrs. Coryell, Jacobs, Stinson, Sweeney and Whitacre—5.

Mr. Platt moved that Senate Bill No. 23 be taken from the table and placed upon its third reading and final passage.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that the Committee on Revenue be excused.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 23—An Act relating to reinsurance and the transaction of business by fire insurance companies or associations otherwise than through resident agents.

Read third time, placed on its final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—24.

NAYS—Messrs. Dickerson, Nelson, Parker and Townsend—4.

Absent—Messrs. Raftice, Stinson and Wilson—3.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, relative to the maintenance of a mail route between Austin, Lander county and Potts, Nye county, Nevada.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Raftice and Wilson—2.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, relative to establishing a mail route between Austin and Campbell Creek, Lander county, Nevada.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed upon final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell,

Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitaere and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Raftice and Wilson—2.

Assembly Bill No. 49—An Act to prohibit the sale of ardent spirits to Indians.

Mr. Paul moved as an amendment to insert the words “nor less than one year.”

Former motion of engrossment amended by being ordered engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 36—An Act to amend section three of an Act entitled “An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers.”

Mr. Skaggs moved to lay the bill on the table.

Lost.

Mr. Holmes moved, as an amendment, to strike out in line 11 the words “the Board shall meet on the tenth day after each general election to canvass election returns.”

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved, as an amendment to the amendment, to strike out all of Section 1 after and including line 9.

Lost.

Mr. Nelson moved, as an amendment, to strike out all of lines 8, 9 and 10, and the word “meeting” in line 11.

Mr. Allen moved to lay the entire subject on the table.

Carried.

Mr. Conaway moved an adjournment until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 9:45 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY.

CARSON CITY (Thursday), February 21, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Dorrance.

Journal of the thirty-first day read, corrected and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 3, 15 and 26 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Lands have had Assembly Bill No. 47 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. E. TOWNSEND,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Lands have had Assembly Bill No. 51 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. E. TOWNSEND,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 37 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 58 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same, with the recommendation that it be referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 61 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 52 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 45 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Senate Bill No. 22 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee—the Lincoln County Delegation—have had Senate Bill No. 30 under consideration, and beg leave to report a Substitute for the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

J. D. CONAWAY,
A. J. BURKE,
Lincoln County Delegation.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the White Pine Delegation—has had Assembly Bill No. 34 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

FRANK PAUL.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 20, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 11—An Act to amend "An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot," approved March 13, 1891—which was this day under reconsideration in the Senate defeated by the following vote: Yeas, 3; nays, 12.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 23—An Act to prohibit herding or grazing of sheep within three miles of any town or village—which this day passed the Senate, as amended, by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, 1.

The amendment adopted by the Senate is attached by rider to the engrossed copy of the bill.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7, relative to amending Section 13, Article XV of the Constitution of the State of Nevada, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3 of the Nineteenth Session, relative to amending Section 1 of Article X of the Constitution of the State of Nevada, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 31—An Act providing for the appointment of a State Inspector and Deputy State Inspectors of Mines and Metallurgic Works, and concerning other matters properly relating thereto—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Mr. Allen asked leave to make a motion out of order.

Mr. Allen moved that the Assembly invite Dr. Patterson, of the Hospital for Mental Diseases, to appear before this body, and address it on needed legislation for that institution.

Carried.

By Mr. Conaway:

Assembly Bill No. 68—An Act regulating the term of county officers in the State of Nevada.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Burke:

Assembly Bill No. 69—An Act in relation to county printing and advertising.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Sweeney:

Assembly Bill No. 70—An Act concerning the awards of contracts for official advertising and county printing by the various Boards of County Commissioners in the various counties of the State where the population exceeds 5,000.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Public Printing.

By Mr. Henningsen:

Assembly Bill No. 71—An Act amendatory of and supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act to regulate proceedings in criminal cases in the courts of justice in the Territory of Nevada."

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Summerfield:

Assembly Bill No. 72—An Act to amend Section 3 of an Act entitled "An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers."

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Burke:

Assembly Bill No. 73—An Act relating to the eligibility of county officers in this State.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7, relative to amending Section 3 of Article XV of the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Under suspension of rules, reading thus far considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 31—An Act relative to the appointment of a State Mining Inspector and Deputy Inspectors of Mines and Metallurgical Works, and concerning other matters properly connected therewith.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

SECOND READING AND REFERENCE OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 58.

Referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 24—An Act to define the duties of County Commissioners and District Attorneys relative to abating nuisances in the several counties of the State of Nevada, and matters connected therewith.

Mr. Skaggs moved to lay Senate Bill No. 24 on the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 62—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the settlement of the estates of deceased persons," approved March 23, 1897.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—Mr. Raftice.

Absent—Mr. Henningsen.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5, relative to amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Skaggs moved to lay the resolution on the table.

Lost.

Mr. Platt moved to rerefer the bill to the Judiciary Committee.

Carried.

Mr. Summerfield moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 11:55 a. m.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Mr. Whitacre moved that the special order for to-day at 2 o'clock be vacated, and the same bill—Assembly Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7—be made a special order for Tuesday at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Van Duzer moved that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9 be made a special order for next Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Carried.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Senate Bill No. 12 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Assembly Bill No. 50 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Assembly Bill No. 57 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Assembly Bill No. 56 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 63—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of guardians and to prescribe their duties," approved March 11, 1899.

Considered engrossed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 19 and 24 with the engrossed copy, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Platt moved the Chief Clerk correct the mistake in Assembly Bill No. 63.

Carried.

Mr. Jacobs moved Assembly Bill No 63 be placed at the bottom of the file awaiting printed copies.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 48—An Act relating to the public representation of dramatic plays and musical compositions.

Considered engrossed, placed upon third reading and final passage.

Mr. Wilson moved that the word "of," in line 1, Section 2, be stricken out.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that a comma be placed after the word "conviction," line 1, Section 2.

Carried.

Roll called and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell,

Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35—An Act to provide for the measurement of streams, the survey of reservoir sites, the determination of the irrigation possibilities, and of the best methods of controlling and utilizing the water resources of the State of Nevada in coöperation with the United States Geological Survey and the United States Department of Agriculture and the Nevada Experiment Station.

Mr. Allen moved Amendment No. 1, as reported from the Committee, be adopted.

Carried.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35 be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 34—An Act to create a Salary Fund for White Pine county.

Read third time, placed upon final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. Van Duzer and Jacobs were granted temporary leave of absence.

Assembly Bill No. 45—An Act to provide for the necessary improvements and repairs upon the State Capitol building at Carson City.

Mr. Platt moved that the bill be rereferred to the Ways and Means Committee.

Assembly Bill No. 52—An Act providing for the appointment and payment of a State Agent at Washington, D. C., to attend to the certification of lands granted by Congress to the State of Nevada, and such other business as may be referred to him under authority of the Governor.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Assembly Bill No. 52 be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 61—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act supplemental to an Act entitled 'An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of the State, and to define their duties and powers,' approved March 8, 1865," approved February 19, 1867.

Considered engrossed; read third time.

Mr. Platt moved to amend the bill by striking out lines 34 to 40, inclusive, and that part of line 33, after the comma.

Lost.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Dickerson, Platt and Skaggs—3.

Absent—Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Allen moved to take up Senate messages out of order.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 21, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10, relative to adjournment, which was this day read and adopted.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 14—An Act to provide for incorporation, operation and management of coöperative associations—which this day was in the Senate amended and by that body passed, as amended, by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

The amendments are attached to the bill by riders. A petition is enclosed herewith.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Allen moved to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 out of order.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10, relative to adjournment.

Mr. Paul moved the adoption of the resolution.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that when the House adjourn, it do so until Monday at 11 o'clock.

Carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 51—An Act to provide for the reclamation and occupancy of lands subject to acceptance by the State of Nevada, under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved August 14, 1894, and June 11, 1896, and to repeal all Acts in conflict therewith.

Amendment by Mr. Coryell: In line 2, Section 1, strike out the words "association, corporation or syndicate," and insert in lieu thereof the words "person or persons."

Considered engrossed.

Amendment adopted.

Bill placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Mr. Paul moved to take up Assembly Bill No. 14.

Carried.

Amendment to the bill as reported from the Senate adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Roll called on remaining amendments, and all passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—Mr. Summerfield.

Not voting—Mr. Dickerson.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Van Duzer (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 74—An Act to prevent the pollution of water conducted to towns through pipes, flumes, or other aqueducts for drinking or culinary purposes.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Corbett moved a recess until 7 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 7 p. m.

Speaker pro tem in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Cocks, Summerfield and Mr. Speaker.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 22—An Act to pay the deficiencies in the appropriations for the years 1899 and 1900.

Mr. Platt moved the bill be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 30—An Act fixing the salaries of officers of Lincoln county, Nevada, and consolidating certain offices therein.

Mr. Burke moved the Substitute offered by the Lincoln County Delegation be adopted.

Carried.

Substitute read, roll called, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Summerfield and Mr. Speaker—3.

Assembly Bill No. 37—An Act supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891, and all other Acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto.

Amendment to Section 5 by Mr. Nelson: Strike out Section 5, and insert the following: "The information required to be ascertained by the Assembly shall be supported by the affidavit of the owner of the stock, and any owner of stock who shall make a false affidavit shall be subject to a fine of one thousand dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail for a term not less than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

Mr. Nelson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Amendment lost.

Roll called, and bill lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Heidenreich, Jacobs, Johnson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Sweeney, Webster and Wilson—14.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Corbett, Dickerson, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Nelson, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend and Whitacre—14.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Summerfield and Mr. Speaker—3.

Mr. Skaggs gave notice that he would move a reconsideration on the next legislative day.

Senate Bill No. 12—An Act relating to the fraudulent weight of goods.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be laid on the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 50—An Act to prevent the dissemination of disease among apiaries; to provide for the appointment of an Inspector, and to define his duties and compensation.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Summerfield and Mr. Speaker—3.

Mr. Allen moved to suspend the rules and reconsider Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7.

Lost.

Assembly Bill No. 57—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to prevent the dissemination of contagious diseases among sheep; to provide for the appointment of Sheep Inspectors in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and compensation," approved February 23, 1893; approved March 6, 1899.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—28.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 56—An Act to provide for the assessment and taxation of live stock driven into this State for pasturage, grazing, or to market, from other States or Territories, and for the collection of the same.

Mr. Allen moved to lay the bill on the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 47—An Act to promote the sale of lands reverted to the State of Nevada.

Mr. Allen moved the bill be considered engrossed.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved Assembly Bill No. 47 be referred to Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Mr. Wilson moved the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 9:15 p. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole have had the following bills under consideration, and report the same back to the House, with the recommendation that they do pass:

Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35.

Assembly Bill No. 47.

Senate Bills Nos. 22, 16 and 20.

We also recommend that Assembly Bill No. 52 pass as amended.

Action on Assembly Bill No. 42 was deferred until some future time.

M. S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Allen moved the adoption of the report.

Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 5 with the engrossed copy, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Jacobs moved to adjourn.

Carried.

House adjourned at 9:18 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Monday), February 25, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Webster.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Father Gartland.

Journal of the thirty-second day read and approved.

Mr. Coryell moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with.

Carried.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Fish and Game have had Assembly Bill No. 66 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Washoe County Delegation—to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 38, have had the same under consideration and are unable to report at the present time, and beg leave to ask for further time.

GEO. E. PECKHAM,
Chairman.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Skaggs moved a reconsideration of Assembly Bill No. 37.

Roll call called for by Messrs. Paul, Coryell and Skaggs.

Motion lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Johnson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Skaggs, Whitacre and Wilson—12.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Corbett, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henning-sen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend and Mr. Speaker—16.

Absent—Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Webster—3.

Mr. Paul moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Webster.

Mr. Wilson moved that special order for this evening at 7 o'clock be vacated and same be made a special order for to-morrow evening at 7 o'clock, and that Dr. Stubbs be invited to address both houses in this chamber this evening.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved that Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 be taken from the table.

Lost.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Van Duzer (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 75—An Act entitled "An Act to repeal an Act to regulate the payment of fire insurance policies."

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Van Duzer (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 76—An Act to create funds in each of the counties of the State of Nevada for the purpose of purchase or acquiring reservoir sites in or outside of the State of Nevada, or any of the counties of said State, wherever such sites are available in or from any lakes, rivers, streams, or water sources; and for the purpose of building or constructing of restraining dams, or such water sources or reservoir sites, and for the purpose of constructing ditches or canals from the outlets of such reservoir sites to the nearest or most eligible lesser channels of such natural rivers or streams that will conduct the water from such reservoirs to or through the county acquiring such reservoirs, for irrigation and power purposes.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Corbett (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 77—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to crimes and punishments," approved November 26, 1861.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wilson (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 78—An Act to amend Section 1 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for free public libraries and other matters relating thereto," approved March 16, 1895, as amended March 1, 1897.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Cocks (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 79—An Act defining the time of commencing civil actions.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Bill No. 80—An Act to repeal Section 7 of an Act entitled "An Act to redistrict the State of Nevada, prescribe the members and salaries of District Judges, and fix the places of holding courts," approved March 4, 1885.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first

reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Paul (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 81—An Act to provide for the payment of the claim of Sol. Hilp for expenses incurred in the performance of his duties as Cattle Inspector.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 25, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 21—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 14, 1899—which, on February 21, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 46—An Act separating the offices of Treasurer and Assessor in White Pine county, and fixing the salaries of said offices—which, on February 21, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Substitute for Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9, relative to appointment of a Joint Committee to investigate the duties of the State officers for the purpose of determining the propriety of making further reduction in salaries and expenses of conducting the various offices, and conferring power to issue subpoenas, examine witnesses, and other matters relating to said investigation, which, on February 21, 1901, was by the Senate adopted.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 2—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of a State Live Stock Inspector, defining his duties and fixing his compensation," became a law March 22, 1899—which on February 21, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35.

Mr. Skaggs moved the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 22—An Act to pay the deficiencies in the appropriations for the years 1899-1900.

Mr. Skaggs moved to amend by striking out figures "3.63," in line 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "0."

Lost.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul,

Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—26.

NAYS—Messrs. Burke and Henningsen—2.

Absent—Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Webster—3.

Assembly Bill No. 42—An Act to provide for the building and equipment of an assay office and a hospital for the students at the Nevada State University at Reno, Nevada.

Mr. Allen moved the bill be rereferred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Senate Bill No. 16—An Act to prevent the introduction and provide for the investigation and suppression of contagious or infectious diseases, and appropriating money to be used for such purposes.

Mr. Allen moved the sum "\$1,000" be stricken out, and the sum "\$500" be substituted therefor.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved to amend by striking out the sum "\$500" and substituting "\$415" therefor.

Lost.

Mr. Dickerson moved the bill be laid on the table.

Lost.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—23.

NAYS—Messrs. Dickerson, Holmes, Paul, Summerfield and Whitacre—5.

Absent—Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Webster—3.

Senate Bill No. 20—An Act for the relief of D. C. Wheeler and D. W. Ridenour.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Webster—3.

Mr. Wilson moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Assembly Bill No. 42, and that Dr. Stubbs be invited to address the Assembly.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 4:25 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 42, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back to the House without recommendation.

M. S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Allen moved the adoption of the report.

Carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 52.

Mr. Paul moved the bill be laid on the table temporarily.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 47—An Act to promote the sale of lands reverted to the State of Nevada.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—Mr. Paul.

Absent—Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Webster—3.

Assembly Bill No. 63—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled “An Act to provide for the appointment of guardians and to prescribe their duties,” approved March 11, 1899.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Webster—3.

Mr. Wilson moved that when the House take a recess, it do so until this evening at 7 o'clock.

Mr. Holmes moved, as an amendment, that the House adjourn until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 4:45 p. m.

Approved:

H. H. CORYELL,
Speaker pro tem. of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), February 26, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.
Speaker pro tem. in the chair.
Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Jacobs, Johnson, Platt, Sweeney, Webster, and Mr. Speaker.

Journal of the thirty-sixth day read and approved.

Further reading of the Journal dispensed with.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining have had Assembly Bill No. 58 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

A. J. BURKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Military and Indian Affairs have had Assembly Bill No. 67 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

R. E. SKAGGS,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Elections have had Senate Bill No. 15 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

ROBT. RAFTICE,
Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 25, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Senate:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Substitute for Senate Bill No. 30—An Act fixing the salaries of county officers in Lincoln county, Nevada, and consolidating certain offices therein—which was this day rejected by the following vote: Yeas, none; nays, 13; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Senate Bill No. 24 be taken from the table.
Carried.

Mr. Wilson moved that the special order for this evening be vacated, and same be made a special order for to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 2—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of a State Live Stock Inspector, defining his duties and fixing his compensation."

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first

reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 66—An Act to prevent the unlawful destruction of fish and game; to provide for the appointment of Fish and Game Wardens in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and compensation.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster and Whitacre—27.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Jacobs, Parker and Mr. Speaker—3.

Not voting—Mr. Wilson.

Senate Bill No. 24.

Mr. Raftice moved that Senate Bill No. 24 be rereferred to Judiciary Committee.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 28—An Act to amend section seventy-five of an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891.

Mr. Paul moved that the enacting clause be stricken from the bill.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 67.

Mr. Holmes moved that the bill be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 15—An Act to amend Section 21 of an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot," approved March 13, 1891.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Corbett, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster and Whitacre—12.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Platt, Skaggs, Summerfield, Townsend and Wilson—17.

Absent—Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Speaker—2.

Mr. Allen gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move a reconsideration of Senate Bill No. 15.

Mr. Wilson moved that Assembly Bill No. 52 be taken from the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 52.

Mr. Allen moved that the amendment be adopted and the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Senate Bill No. 26.

Mr. Whitacre moved the bill be laid on the table.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION.**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.**

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 67, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and report the same back to the House with the recommendation that it do pass.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 42, which we report back to the House without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. Skaggs moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Speaker—2.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7—An Act to provide for the creation of a State Board of Pharmacy; to regulate the practice of pharmacy; to prohibit the use of deteriorated and adulterated drugs; and to regulate the sale of poisons.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be laid on the table.

Roll call asked by Messrs. Allen, Sweeney and Johnson.

Roll called, and motion carried by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Skaggs, Summerfield, Webster and Whitacre—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Coryell, Graham, Henningsen, Nelson, Parker, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend and Wilson—13.

Absent—Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Speaker—2.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bill No. 14 with the engrossed copy, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations and Railroads have had Assembly Bill No. 44 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had Assembly Bill No. 32 under consideration,

and beg leave to report the recommendation that the original bill do pass without its amendments.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had Assembly Bill No. 59 under consideration, and beg leave to report an amendment striking out the sixth subdivision of paragraph fifth.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had Assembly Bill No. 64 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had Assembly Bill No. 78 under consideration, and beg leave to report a Substitute therefor, with the recommendation that the Substitute do pass.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Printing have had Assembly Bill No. 70 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

D. L. McDONELL,
Chairman.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 60 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 49 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Allen moved that the General File be taken up out of order.
Carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 42—An Act to provide for the building and equipment of an assay office and hospital for students at the Nevada State University at Reno, Nevada.

Mr. Allen offered a Substitute.

Mr. Allen moved that the Substitute be adopted.

Mr. Paul moved that Assembly Bill No. 42 and the Substitute be rereferred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 42.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2:35 p. m.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 42, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and report the same back to the House, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 67—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act relating to the Nevada National Guard," approved March 8, 1897, approved February 28, 1899.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Speaker—2.

Assembly Bill No. 44—An Act granting to persons and corporations the right to supply electric power, heat and light to the inhabitants of counties, cities, and towns of the State of Nevada and granting to such persons and corporations the right to construct and maintain poles and wires on the county roads and highways and in the streets of said cities, cities and counties, cities and towns of this State, and to conduct electricity over said wires and providing for the punishment of obstruction, hindrance or damage thereto.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Speaker—2.

Assembly Bill No. 32—An Act to amend section eighteen of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the election of School Trustees and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 16, 1897.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be considered engrossed.

Carried.

Amendment by Mr. Henningsen: Insert after the word "Clerk," in line 4, "or Justice of the Peace."

Lost.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—28.

NAYS—Mr. Nelson.

Absent—Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Speaker—2.

Assembly Bill No. 59—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education and matters properly

connected therewith,' approved March 16, 1895," approved March 14, 1899.

Amendment reported from the Committee on Education, and amendment adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Platt: Strike out lines 1 and 2 of the bill.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 64—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to public reports and repealing all other Acts in relation thereto," approved February 17, 1893.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster and Whitacre—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Jacobs, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—3.

Assembly Bill No. 78—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act providing for free public libraries and other matters relating thereto," approved March 16, 1895, as amended March 1, 1897.

Mr. Webster moved the adoption of the Substitute.

Carried.

Substitute considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Speaker—2.

Mr. Stinson moved an adjournment until to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 3:50 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY.

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CARSON CITY (Wednesday), February 27, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Father Gartland.

Further reading of the Journal dispensed with.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 77 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 24 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 72 under consideration, and beg leave to report it back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 68 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 73 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 29 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 under consideration, and beg leave to report it back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 71 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the following amendment: In page 2, line 8, after the word "Commissioners," insert the words "of said county."

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 26, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform you that the following bills have been approved and deposited with the Secretary of State:

Assembly Bill No. 26—An Act concerning the duties of District Judges in this State.
Assembly Bill No. 3—An Act to provide for copying the Journal of the Assembly for the Twentieth Session.

Assembly Bill No. 15—An Act appropriating two hundred dollars for watering and care of the Grand Army Cemetery at Carson City, Nevada.

Assembly Bill No. 24—An Act relating to nickel-in-the-slot machines and providing a penalty for carrying on or playing against such machines. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 26, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to transmit herewith the following reports of State officers:
Biennial Report of the Director of the Nevada State Weather Service for the years 1899-1900.

Annual Report of Board of Agriculture for the year 1900. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 25, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 62—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the settlement of estates of deceased persons," approved March 23, 1897—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 27—An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes on movable personal property, and the apportionment of moneys received therefor—which on this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Assembly Resolution:

Resolved, That after 12 o'clock, Thursday, March 7, 1901, no bills shall be introduced, except by unanimous consent.

Resolution adopted.

Mr. Jacobs moved that five hundred copies of the valued policy law—Senate Bill No. 10 of the Nineteenth Session—be printed.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Johnson:

Assembly Bill No. 82—An Act to amend Section 2 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of certain counties in the State of Nevada, and matters pertaining to the apportioning and disbursement thereof," approved March 5, 1897.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Nye County Delegation.

By Mr. Webster:

Assembly Bill No. 83—An Act to amplify the powers of Boards of School Trustees.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Coryell:

Assembly Bill No. 84—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto."

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Graham:

Assembly Bill No. 85—An Act regulating the hours of employment of engineers or operators of mining hoists, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Bill No. 86—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to define the duties of the Lieutenant-Governor, when acting as an ex officio officer, and fixing the salary therefor."

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 70.

Mr. Webster moved the bill be laid on the table.

Lost.

Mr. Sweeney moved the bill be ordered engrossed.

Lost.

Mr. Burke moved to lay the bill on the table.

Lost.

Mr. Jacobs moved the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Paul moved that Assembly Bill No. 70 be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

A communication was read from the Nevada Business College, extending an invitation to the members to visit the College this afternoon.

Mr. Paul moved the invitation be accepted, and that the Sergeant-at-Arms notify the Principal, Mr. Blanchet.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 35—An Act to provide for the measurement of streams, the survey of reservoir sites, the determination of the irrigation possibilities and of the best methods of controlling and utilizing the water resources of the State of Nevada, in coöperation with the United

States Geological Survey and the United States Department of Agriculture and the Nevada Experiment Station.

Amendment by Mr. Platt: Amend line 4, by striking out the word "four" and substituting "eight"; amend line 5 by striking out the word "two" and insert "four"; amend line 7 by striking out the word "two" and inserting "four."

Amendment lost.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—Messrs. Johnson and Skaggs—2.

Assembly Bill No. 23—An Act to prohibit the grazing of sheep within three miles of any town or village.

Amendment reported from the Senate.

Assembly concurred in amendment by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 60—An Act to provide for a uniform series of text books in the public schools of Nevada.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 49—An Act to prohibit the sale of ardent spirits to the Indians.

Read third time.

Mr. Platt moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Parker.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9, relative to adding Article XIX to Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Paul moved that the Clerk insert the word "and" after the word "economical" in Section 4.

Carried.

Amendment to Section 7 by Mr. Nelson: Strike out the word "two" after the word "into."

Amendment to the amendment of Mr. Nelson, by Mr. Paul: Strike

out the word "shall" in Section 7, and insert in lieu thereof the word "may."

Amendment to amendment lost.

Amendment by Mr. Nelson carried.

Amendment by Mr. Paul: Add after the word "thereof" the words "if such decisions are found necessary."

Amendment lost.

Mr. Allen moved that the resolution be considered engrossed, read third time, and placed upon final passage.

Carried.

Roll called, and resolution passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—Mr. Skaggs.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 77—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act concerning crimes and punishments," approved November 26, 1861.

Mr. Corbett moved the bill be considered engrossed.

Carried.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Coryell and Wilson—2.

Absent—Mr. Dickerson.

Not voting—Mr. Burke.

Mr. Allen moved that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole, and invite Dr. Patterson to address that body upon needed legislation.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 4:08 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole had before it Dr. Patterson, of the Hospital for Mental Diseases, who addressed the Committee on the needs of that institution.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Assembly Bill No. 62.

Reported back from Senate with amendment to title.

Amendment concurred in by the Assembly by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Mr. Paul moved to take up Senate messages out of order.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 26, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 53—An Act recommending to the electors of this State to vote upon the question of calling a Constitutional Convention to revise the Constitution of this State—which was this day lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 6; nays, 8; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 51—An Act to provide for the reclamation and occupancy of lands subject to acceptance by the State of Nevada, under the provision of the Acts of Congress approved August 14, 1894, and June 11, 1896, and to repeal all Acts in conflict therewith—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 65—An Act to provide for the dissemination of knowledge in the public schools relative to the preservation of song-birds, fish and game—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 3; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 66—An Act to prevent the unlawful destruction of fish and game; to provide for the appointment of Fish and Game Wardens in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and compensation—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 3; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 38—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act authorizing the sale by any railroad corporation owning any railroad in this State of its property and franchises, or any part thereof, to any other railroad corporation, whether organized under the laws of this State or of any other State or Territory, or under any Act of Congress; also authorizing the corporation purchasing the same to operate such railroad, to build and operate extensions or branches thereof, and for that purpose to exercise the power of eminent domain," approved March 1, 1899—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Paul moved to take up Senate Bill No. 38 out of order.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 38—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act authorizing the sale by any railroad corporation owning any railroad in this State, of its property and franchises, or any part thereof, to any other railroad corporation, whether organized under the laws of this State or of any other State or Territory, or under any Act of Congress; also authorizing the corporation purchasing the same to operate such railroad, to build and operate extensions or branches thereof, and for that purpose to exercise the power of eminent domain," approved March 1, 1899.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Corporations and Railroads.

Mr. Allen moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 15 was lost yesterday.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved a recess until this evening at 7 o'clock.

Mr. Paul moved, as an amendment, that the House meet at 11 a. m. hereafter.

Amendment lost, and motion carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 7 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Dickerson.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Temporary leave of absence granted Messrs. Allen, Sweeney, Webster and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Paul moved that Assembly Bill No. 49 be placed at the bottom of the file.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 24—An Act to define the duties of County Commissioners and District Attorneys, relative to abating nuisances in the several counties of the State of Nevada, and matters properly connected therewith.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Whitacre and Wilson—26.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Dickerson, Sweeney, Webster and Mr. Speaker—5.

Assembly Bill No. 72—An Act to amend section three of an Act entitled "An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers."

Considered engrossed, read third time and placed on final passage.

Mr. Burke moved to place the bill at the bottom of the file.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Brooks, Heidenreich and Platt.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Whitacre and Wilson—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Corbett, Graham, Heidenreich, Jacobs, Paul, Platt and Summerfield—9.

Absent—Messrs. Dickerson, Sweeney, Webster and Mr. Speaker—4.

Assembly Bill No. 68—An Act regulating the term of county officers in the State of Nevada.

Mr. Wilson moved that the bill be placed on third reading and final passage.

Mr. Platt moved that the bill be laid on the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 73 laid on the table.

Senate Bill No. 29 laid on the table.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7, relative to amending Section 8, Article XV, of the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Placed on third reading and final passage.

Mr. Wilson moved that the resolution be amended by striking out all after the word "Assemblyman."

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that the resolution be laid on the table.

Mr. Wilson moved to amend by postponing indefinitely.

Amendment adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 71—An Act amendatory of and supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act to regulate proceedings in criminal cases in the courts of justice in the Territory of Nevada."

Mr. Sweeney moved that the Clerk amend the bill as instructed by the report of committee.

Carried.

Mr. Sweeney moved the adoption of the amendment as reported by Judiciary Committee.

Carried.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the bill be considered engrossed.

Carried.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 49—An Act to prohibit the sale of ardent spirits to the Indians.

Amendment by Mr. Wilson: Strike out word "one" and insert word "four" in line 4, Section 1.

Mr. Paul moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Carried.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Sweeney, Webster and Whitacre—21.

NAYS—Messrs. Coryell, Johnson, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—8.

Absent—Messrs. Allen and Dickerson—2.

Assembly Bill No. 72.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage.

Mr. Paul moved that the bill be referred to the Esmeralda County Delegation.

Carried.

Mr. Raftice moved an adjournment until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 8:40 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Thursday), February 28, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Conaway and Dickerson.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Father Gartland.

Journal of the thirty-eighth day read and approved.

Further reading of the Journal dispensed with.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Nye County Delegation—has had Assembly Bill No. 82 under consideration, and begs leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

A. P. JOHNSON.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Coryell moved that Assembly Bill No. 56 be taken from the table and placed on the file.

Carried.

Mr. Webster moved that Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 be taken from the table.

Carried.

By Mr. Stinson:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11, relative to the establishment of a mail route in Eureka county.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Eureka County Delegation.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Stinson:

Assembly Bill No. 87—An Act fixing the salary of Justices of the Peace in and for Eureka county, State of Nevada, and matters properly connected therewith.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Eureka County Delegation.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Bill No. 88—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to further provide for the commitment of insane persons to the Insane Asylum," approved February 21, 1889.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on State Institutions.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 56—An Act to provide for the assessment and taxation of live stock driven into this State for pasturage, grazing, or to market, from other States or Territories, and for the collection of the same.

Considered engrossed, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Amendment by Mr. Nelson: Strike out the words "or to market" in lines 1 and 2, and insert the word "or" before the word "grazing."

Amendment adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Skaggs: Add Section 4.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Paul moved the bill be rereferred to the Judiciary Committee.

Carried.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8, relative to the appointment of a committee to revise the laws relating to gambling.

Mr. Skaggs moved to refer the resolution to the Ways and Means Committee.

Mr. Allen moved, as an amendment, to refer the resolution to the Committee on Public Morals.

Mr. Paul moved the matter be referred to the next Legislature.

Lost.

Amendment by Mr. Allen carried.

Mr. Nelson moved that Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7 be taken from the table.

Carried.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7—An Act to provide for the creation of a State Board of Pharmacy; to regulate the practice of pharmacy; to prohibit the use of deteriorated and adulterated drugs, and to regulate the sale of poisons.

Mr. Paul moved the bill be made a special order for to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

Lost.

Mr. Nelson moved the adoption of the Substitute.

Carried.

Placed on third reading and final passage.

Amendment to Section 1 by Mr. Jacobs: Strike out the word "five," line 7, and insert the word "two."

Lost.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole, with the Speaker pro tem. in the chair, to consider Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7.

Mr. Paul moved that Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7 be made a special order for this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

The Speaker announced the following Special Committee to act with the Senate Committee to investigate the State offices: Messrs. Allen, Skaggs, Peckham and Burke.

Mr. Whitacre moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Bills Nos. 27, 21 and 46 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole with the Speaker pro tem. in the chair to consider Assembly Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2:55 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Assembly Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and report the same back to the House with the recommendation that it do pass as amended, as follows:

On line 3, strike out the word "ten," and insert the word "five." On line 4, strike out the words "twenty-five," and insert the word "ten."

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bill No. 23 with the engrossed copy, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 59 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 52 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Sweeney moved to take up Assembly Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7.

Carried.

Assembly Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7—An Act to provide for the creation of a State Board of Pharmacy; to regulate the practice of pharmacy; to prohibit the use of deteriorated and adulterated drugs, and to regulate the sale of poisons.

Mr. Heidenreich moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Lost.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Henningsen, Holmes, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—23.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Hastings, Heidenreich, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Summerfield and Whitacre—8.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 28, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11, relative to the mineral resources of Storey county, which, on February 27, 1901, was adopted by the Senate by a unanimous vote.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 64—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to public reports and repealing all other Acts in relation thereto," approved February 17, 1893—and Assembly Bill No. 28—An Act to amend sections one hundred and one hundred and nine of an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891—and Assembly Bill No. 60—An Act to provide for a uniform series of text books in the public schools of Nevada—which three bills each passed the Senate this day by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11, relative to the mineral resources of Storey county, Nevada.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Storey and Lyon County Delegations.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 25—An Act to provide for the building and equipment of a chemical and physical laboratory at the Nevada State University, at Reno, Nevada—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 25—An Act to provide for the building and equipment of a chemical and physical laboratory at the Nevada State University, at Reno, Nevada.

Under suspension of the rules, reading thus far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 15—An Act to amend section twenty of an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections, and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot," approved March 13, 1891.

Amendment No. 1, by Mr. Skaggs: Amend line 2 by adding, after the word "ballot," "and the stamp," and line 11, after the word "it," "with the stamp."

Amendment adopted.

Amendment No. 2, by Mr. Skaggs: Amend Section 1, line 15, by

adding after the word "it," the words "with the stamp, ink and ink pad."

Amendment adopted.

Amendment by Mr. McDonell: Strike out the word "black," before the word "ink."

Lost.

Mr. Paul offered as an amendment to the amendment: Strike out the word "black," and insert the word "blue."

Lost.

Amendment by Mr. Platt: Amend line 3 of Section 20, by inserting after "X" the words "in the square and in no other place."

Amendment adopted.

Amendment to the above amendment by Mr. Wilson: Amend by having it read "stamp, ink and ink pad."

Amendment adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Nelson: Amend line 15, by adding after the word "stamp" the words "ink and ink pad."

Amendment adopted.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—Mr. Summerfield.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks and Corbett—2.

Not voting—Mr. Dickerson.

Assembly Bill No. 59—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education, and matters properly connected therewith,' approved March 16, 1895," approved March 14, 1899.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks and Corbett—2.

Mr. Heidenreich moved an adjournment until to-morrow at 10 o'clock. Carried.

House adjourned at 4:55 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FORTIETH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Friday), March 1, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Conaway and Townsend.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Father Gartland.

Journal of the thirty-ninth day read.

Journal approved as read.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 28 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

J. G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining have had Senate Bill No. 31 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

A. J. BURKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 80 under consideration, and beg leave to report without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 81 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Senate Bill No. 2 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 84 under consideration, and beg leave to report with the recommendation that it be referred to Revenue Committee.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Storey and Lyon County Delegations—have had Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

E. H. WHITACRE,
Chairman.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Sweeney:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12, relative to amending the

Constitution of the State of Nevada, relative to the assessment and taxation of mortgages and mortgaged property.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Platt:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 13, relative to the tendering of the Assembly and Senate Chambers for the use of Teachers' State Institutes or Conventions.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on State Institutions.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 82—An Act to amend section two of an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of certain counties in the State of Nevada, and matters pertaining to the apportioning and disbursement thereof," approved March 5, 1897.

Mr. Sweeney moved to lay the bill on the table temporarily.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 52—An Act providing for the appointment and payment of a State Agent at Washington, D. C., to attend to the certification of lands granted by Congress to the State of Nevada, and such other business as may be referred to him under authority of the Governor.

Placed on third reading and final passage.

Amendment by Mr. Summerfield: In line 12, strike out "one thousand" and insert in lieu thereof "fifteen hundred."

Lost.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Conaway and Townsend—2.

Senate Bill No. 28—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections," approved March 12, 1873, approved February 23, 1899.

Mr. Holmes moved to lay the bill on the table.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 31.

Mr. Paul moved the bill be made a special order for next Monday at 2 o'clock.

Previous question moved by Messrs. Holmes, Paul and Cocks.

Carried.

Main question put on special order.

Roll call asked for by Messrs. Paul, Coryell and Wilson.

Motion of Mr. Paul lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Hastings, Jacobs, Johnson, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt and Sweeney—8.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Parker, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—21.

Absent—Messrs. Conaway and Townsend—2.

Mr. Paul moved Assembly Bill No. 31 be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 80—An Act to repeal section seven of an Act entitled "An Act to redistrict the State of Nevada, prescribe the number and salaries of District Judges, and fix the places of holding Courts," approved March 4, 1885.

Bill considered engrossed, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Mr. Summerfield moved to take a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Townsend (by leave).

Mr. Skaggs moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole, with the Speaker pro tem. in the chair, for the purpose of considering Senate Bill No. 31.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2:10 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 31, have had the same under consideration, and report the same back to the House, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Allen moved the adoption of the report of the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 25 under consideration, and beg leave to report without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 45 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Assembly Bill No. 74 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same to the Assembly without recommendation.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 51, 62 and 65 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Morals have had Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 under consideration and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

OSCAR GRAHAM,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

The Eureka County Delegation have had Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

C. H. STINSON,
ROBT. RAFTICE.

Mr. Speaker:

The Eureka County Delegation have had Assembly Bill No. 87 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

C. H. STINSON,
ROBT. RAFTICE.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 1, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 31—An Act providing for the establishment of a free public kindergarten in Reno School District, Number Ten, Washoe county, Nevada, and conditionally requiring the public support and maintenance of the same—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Webster moved to take up Assembly Bill No. 31 out of order.
Assembly Bill No. 31.

Reported back from the Senate with amendment to title.

Assembly concurred in the amendment by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

Mr. Skaggs moved to take up Senate Bill No. 31 out of order.
Carried.

Senate Bill No. 31—An Act providing for the appointment of a State Inspector and Deputy State Inspectors of Mines and Metallurgic Works, and concerning other matters properly relating thereto.

Mr. Burke moved to adopt the committee amendment to Section 1.
Carried.

Mr. Skaggs moved to amend by striking out the word "March" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "April."

Carried.

Mr. Burke moved to adopt the committee amendment to Section 3.

Previous question moved by Messrs. Dickerson, Holmes and Brooks.
Carried.

Main question put, and amendment adopted.

Mr. Burke moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Section 7.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved that the bill be amended by striking out all the sections but Section 7.

Lost.

Mr. Skaggs moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Section 18.

Carried.

Mr. Burke moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Section 20.

Carried.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—24.

NAYS—Messrs. Hastings, Henningsen, Johnson, Nelson and Paul—5.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

Not voting—Mr. Allen.

Mr. Wilson moved that Senate Bill No. 25 be taken up out of order.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 25—An Act to provide for the building and equipment of a chemical and physical laboratory at the Nevada State University, at Reno, Nevada.

Mr. Allen moved that the bill be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Senate Bill No. 25.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 4:20 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 25, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and report the same back to the House with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Jacobs moved the adoption of the report.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 1, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 78, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 1; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 44— which was this day amended and passed by the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 1; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12, relative to extending time to the committee appointed by the Legislature to confer with the proper officials of the Southern Pacific in regard to fares and freights, which was this day by the Senate read and adopted.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Sweeney moved to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 out of order.

Carried.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12, relative to extending time to Southern Pacific Committee.

Resolution adopted.

Mr. Paul moved to take up Assembly Bill No. 44 out of order.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 44.

Returned to Assembly from the Senate with an amendment.

Amendment concurred in by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Coryell and Townsend—2.

Mr. Wilson moved to take up Senate Bill No. 25 out of order.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 25.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

Mr. Sweeney moved to take up Assembly Bill No. 82 from the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 82 rereferred to the Nye County Delegation.

By Mr. Paul:

Resolved by the Assembly, That the Committee on Enrolled Bills be and are hereby authorized to hire such additional help as in their judgment shall be necessary, in order to expedite the work of that committee.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman Enrolling Committee.

Resolution adopted.

By Mr. Jacobs:

Resolved, That when this Assembly adjourn to-day, it do so to meet to-morrow March 2d, at 10 a. m.

Adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, February 28, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved and deposited with the Secretary of State:

Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 5—An Act reapportioning Senate and Assemblymen of the several counties to the Legislature of the State of Nevada.

Assembly Bill No. 19—An Act to require the acceptance and collection of grants, devises, bequests, donations and assignments to the State of Nevada. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

Mr. Wilson moved that Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 78 be taken up out of order.

Carried.

Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 78.

Returned from Senate with amendment.

Roll called, and the Assembly concurred by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raffice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—Mr. Allen.

Absent—Mr. Townsend.

Speaker Van Duzer took the floor upon a question of personal privilege to take exception to certain newspaper articles impugning his motives in the House, and his attitude in regard to the Southern Pacific Conference Committee.

Mr. Conaway moved an adjournment.

Carried.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FORTY-FIRST DAY.

CARSON CITY (Saturday), March 2, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Cocks, Summerfield and Townsend.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Father Gartland.

Journal of the fortieth day read and approved.

Further reading of the Journal dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Wilson presented two petitions relative to insurance law, and, on motion of Mr. Paul, the reading was deferred until the bill comes up.

Mr. Van Duzer presented a petition in regard to the reservoir bill, and reading was deferred.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

The Washoe Delegation have had Assembly Bill No. 38 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

GEO. E. PECKHAM,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Special Committee, to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 82, beg leave to report back a Substitute therefor, and recommend that the Substitute be adopted.

A. P. JOHNSON.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Holmes moved that 400 copies of Senate Bill No. 31, as amended, be printed.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Heidenreich:

Assembly Bill No. 89—An Act to provide for the preservation and protection of different species of wild game, and to repeal all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict therewith.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

By Mr. Stinson:

Assembly Bill No. 90—An Act to provide for the execution of a warrant issued for the arrest of any person charged with a public offense in any county of this State.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Raftice:

Assembly Bill No. 91—An Act supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot," approved March 13, 1891.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Bill No. 92—An Act fixing the salary and mileage of members of the Legislature.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Jacobs:

Assembly Bill No. 93—An Act to grant the right of way for and to provide for the construction and maintenance of a street railroad in the town of Reno and vicinity, in Washoe county, State of Nevada, and matters pertaining thereto.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Washoe County Delegation.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11, relative to the mineral resources of Storey county.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—Mr. Johnson.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Summerfield and Townsend—3.

Senate Bill No. 2—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of a State Live Stock Inspector, defining his duties, and fixing his salary."

Amendment by Mr. Paul: Add Section 2—This Act shall take effect April 1, 1901.

Mr. Skaggs moved the amendment be laid on the table.

Lost.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Heidenreich, Platt and Skaggs.

Roll called, and amendment lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Corbett, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Paul and Platt—9.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Henningsen, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—19.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Summerfield and Townsend—3.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—26.

NAYS—Mr. Dickerson.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Paul, Summerfield and Townsend—4.

Assembly Bill No. 81—An Act to provide for the payment of the claim of Sol. Hilp for expenses incurred in the performance of his duties as Cattle Inspector.

Considered engrossed, and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Assembly Bill No. 80—An Act to repeal section seven of an Act entitled "An Act to redistrict the State of Nevada, prescribe the number and salaries of District Judges, and fix the places of holding courts," approved March 4, 1885.

Considered engrossed, and placed on third reading and final passage, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs and Webster—13.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Paul, Platt, Stinson, Sweeney, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—15.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Summerfield and Townsend—3.

Mr. Jacobs moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Summerfield and Townsend.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 87—An Act fixing the salary of the Justice of the Peace in and for Eureka county, State of Nevada, and matters relating thereto.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Paul, Summerfield and Townsend—4.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11, relative to establishing a mail route between Eureka, on the east side of Diamond Valley, to Dibble's Ranch, Eureka county, State of Nevada.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Paul, Summerfield and Townsend—4.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8.

Mr. Skaggs moved the resolution be rereferred to the Special Joint Committee on Revenue.

Lost.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8, relative to the appointment of a committee to revise the laws pertaining to the licensing of gambling games in the State of Nevada.

Amendment by Mr. Allen: That the number of members from the Assembly be increased to four.

Amendment adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Skaggs: That the Speaker appoint the members of the Assembly Committee on the 28th of March.

Mr. Platt moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Carried.

Roll called, and resolution passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster and Whitacre—19.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Skaggs, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—7.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Nelson, Paul, Summerfield and Townsend—5.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Webster, Paul, Conaway and Graham to serve on the committee as provided by the foregoing resolution.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 56 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on State Institutions have had Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 13 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

PHIL JACOBS,
Chairman.

Assembly Bill No. 74—An Act to prevent the pollution of water conducted to towns through pipes, flumes, or other aqueducts, for drinking or culinary purposes.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage.

Amendment by Mr. Heidenreich: Amend line 2, by striking out the words "live stock" and inserting the word "sheep" in lieu thereof.

Amendment adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Platt: Strike out the words "live stock" wherever they occur in the bill, and insert in lieu thereof the word "sheep."

Previous question moved by Messrs. Coryell, Heidenreich and Wilson, and the motion of Mr. Platt on the adoption of the amendment carried.

Mr. Platt moved the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 28, 44, 60, 64, 66 and 31 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Allen moved, by leave, that Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 be taken up and placed on file; that the action previously taken by the House be rescinded.

Mr. Wilson moved an adjournment until 11 o'clock Monday.

Carried.

House adjourned at 3:20 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FORTY-THIRD DAY.

CARSON CITY (Monday), March 4, 1901.

House convened at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Cocks (by leave).

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of the forty-first day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 78 with the engrossed copy, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 74 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 1, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 45—An Act relating to the salaries and compensation of the county officers of White Pine county, Nevada, and other matters connected therewith—and Senate Bill No. 48—An Act to amend section twenty-three of an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections," approved March 12, 1873—each of which passed the Senate this day by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, none; absent, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 47—An Act fixing the salaries and compensation of county officers in Lander county, State of Nevada—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 2, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 10—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act supplemental to an Act entitled 'An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved March 23, 1891, and to all Acts amendatory thereof and to provide for a license upon the business of owning, raising, grazing, herding or pasturing sheep in the several counties of the State of Nevada, and to declare a violation thereof a misdemeanor, and to provide a punishment therefor," approved March 12, 1895—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 8; nays, 5; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate this day concurred in the Assembly amendment to Senate Bill No. 16 by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 29, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, none; absent, 3.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 41, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 50, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 1; absent, 1.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 48, which was this day lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 4; nays, 9; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 14, relative to counting the votes cast at the general election of 1890 in the State of Nevada, relative to the calling of a Constitutional Convention.

Mr. Allen moved the resolution be made a special order for to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

Lost.

Motion put, and resolution adopted.

Mr. Nelson moved that the petition in reference to Assembly Bill No. 76 be referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Johnson:

Assembly Bill No. 94—An Act supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891, and all other Acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Platt:

Assembly Bill No. 95—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections, and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot."

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jacobs:

Assembly Bill No. 96—An Act fixing the salary and compensation of the Assessor of Washoe county and his deputy.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Washoe County Delegation.

By Mr. Raftice:

Assembly Bill No. 97—An Act to amend Section 99 of an Act enti-

tled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada," approved March 23, 1891.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 10—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act supplemental to an Act entitled 'An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved March 23, 1891, and to all Acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for a license upon the business of owning, raising, grazing, herding, or pasturing sheep in the several counties of the State of Nevada, and to declare a violation thereof a misdemeanor, and to provide a punishment therefor," approved March 12, 1895.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 47—An Act fixing the salaries and compensation of county officers in Lander county, State of Nevada.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Lander County Delegation.

Senate Bill No. 48—An Act to amend section twenty-three of an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections," approved March 12, 1873.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 45—An Act fixing the salaries and compensation of the officers of White Pine county, and matters connected therewith.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to White Pine County Delegation.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 45.

Reported from the Committee of the Whole with a Substitute, and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Assembly Bill No. 38.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the bill be laid on the table.

Mr. Paul moved to amend by striking out the enacting clause.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Peckham moved, by leave, that Assembly Bill 14 be withdrawn and placed in the hands of the Committee on Corporations and Railroads.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 56.

Reported from committee with amendments.

Amendments adopted.

Mr. Nelson moved to amend the title by striking out the words "or to market."

Carried.

Bill ordered engrossed.

Mr. Sweeney moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Cocks.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 13, relative to the tendering of the Senate and Assembly Chambers for the use of State Teachers' Institutes or Conventions.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster and Whitacre—22.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Conaway, Nelson, Parker, Townsend, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—8.

Absent—Mr. Cocks.

Assembly Bill No. 82—An Act to amend section one of an Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of certain counties in the State of Nevada, and matter pertaining to the apportioning and disbursement thereof," approved March 5, 1897.

Reported from Nye County Delegation with a Substitute.

Mr. Allen moved the Substitute be adopted.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Cocks.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 75 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Wilson moved that Assembly Bill No. 75 be returned to the author.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Platt (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 98—An Act to provide for the payment by the State of Nevada for certain indebtedness incurred during the Spanish-American War.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Sweeney (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 99—An Act requiring the several counties of the State to publish election proclamations.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Printing.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Bill No. 100—An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners for the Care of the Insane of the State of Nevada, to grant the right of way to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, over and through the Asylum tract of land, in Washoe county, Nevada.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 74—An Act to prevent the pollution of water conducted to towns through pipes, flumes or other aqueducts, for drinking or culinary purposes.

Placed on third reading and final passage.

Mr. Wilson moved that the word "sheep," wherever it appears in the bill, be stricken out, and the words "live stock" be substituted in lieu thereof.

Previous question moved by Messrs. Dickerson, Holmes and Brooks. Motion carried.

Roll call asked for by Messrs. Heidenreich, Platt and Stinson, and amendment of Mr. Wilson lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Corbett, Coryell, Nelson, Parker, Townsend, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—9.

NAYS—Messrs. Burke, Conaway, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Johnson, Platt, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney and Webster—13.

Absent—Mr. Cocks.

Not voting—Messrs. Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs and Whitacre—8.

Mr. Paul moved to rerefer Assembly Bill No. 74 to the Committee on Agriculture.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved to take up the Governor's veto message.

Carried.

GOVERNOR'S VETO MESSAGE.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 4, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I feel constrained to withhold my approval of Assembly Bill No. 27—An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes on movable personal property, and the apportionment of moneys received therefrom—and hereby veto and return the same to your honorable body, with the following reasons for the position I take respecting the same:

First—The operation of the Act will permit all persons who feed live stock to evade all State and county taxation, provided the Commissioners of certain counties where live stock is fed choose to delay the levy of county taxes until a late day, or especially

until such live stock, as may have been fed within their respective counties, shall have been shipped therefrom, and thus, in case of a collusion, the State and counties may be subject to a great loss.

I take the liberty of stating that I endorse and approve the object and general purposes of the bill, but the exception which it contains, in my opinion, opens the door to great prejudice to the interests of the State, and some of the counties.

I would also, in this connection, suggest that if an Act be passed requiring the County Commissioners to levy the annual taxes at their annual meeting, which the law requires them to hold on the first Monday in January of each year, and the Controller be required to furnish his blank receipts for taxes on personal property immediately after such levy, the present laws fully provide for all that is intended or contemplated by this bill. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

Mr. Paul moved that the Governor's veto message be made a special order for to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

Mr. Whitacre moved to take up Senate messages out of order.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 4, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 40, accompanied by an amendment thereto attached by rider, which bill this day passed the Senate, as amended, by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 56—An Act making trespass upon patented mining ground a misdemeanor, and providing punishment for the same.

Also, Senate Bill No. 57—An Act consolidating certain county offices in Lincoln county, and fixing the compensation of the officers thereof.

Also, Senate Bill No. 58—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to amend an Act fixing the salaries of the county officers in Lincoln county, and providing for the compensation of a Deputy Sheriff therein,'" approved February 17, 1887, approved January 30, 1889," approved March 2, 1891.

Also, Senate Bill No. 60—An Act to refund the bonded indebtedness of Lincoln county.

Each of these bills this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 3:45 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Assembly Bills Nos. 71 and 45, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and report the same back to the House with the recommendation that they do pass.

J. G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. Skaggs offered a resolution in regard to the action of the Senate in tabling Senate Bill No. 31 as amended, same being a violation of the joint rules.

Mr. Skaggs moved the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Wilson moved to amend the resolution by inserting that a committee of three investigate the action of the Senate in regard to Senate Bill No. 31.

Amendment carried.

Messrs. Skaggs, Burke and Dickerson were appointed on the above committee.

Mr. Burke moved that the use of the Assembly be tendered Dr. Stubbs this afternoon.

Carried.

Mr. Jacobs moved an adjournment until to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 4:08 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), March 5, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of the forty-third day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 90 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 79 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 69 under consideration, and beg leave to report a Substitute therefor favorably, with the recommendation that the Substitute do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 95 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 94 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary had had Assembly Bill No. 54 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

MINORITY REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:

The undersigned, member of the Judiciary Committee, begs leave to submit his minority report upon Assembly Bill No. 54, with a recommendation that it do not pass. The Supreme Court of the United States has declared against its constitutionality.

SAMUEL PLATT,
Member Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 91 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 100 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 41 and 50 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations and Railroads, to whom was referred Assembly Enrolled Bill No. 14, beg leave to offer a Substitute for the same, and recommend the adoption of the Substitute.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Webster (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 101—An Act for the better protection of court records, and providing penalties for its infringement.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Webster:

Assembly Bill No. 102—An Act authorizing the taxation of dogs.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stinson:

Assembly Bill No. 103—An Act to amend Section 30 of an Act entitled "An Act prescribing the time of commencing civil actions," approved November 21, 1861.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Coryell:

Assembly Bill No. 104—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act regulating the payment of losses sustained by holders of full paid up fire insurance policies," passed over the Governor's veto January 31, 1901.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first

reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wilson:

Assembly Bill No. 105—An Act to prohibit glove contests or prize fights in the State of Nevada, and to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to restrict and license glove contests or exhibitions between man and man, and to repeal all other Acts in conflict therewith," approved January 29, 1897, and to repeal all other Acts and parts of Acts in conflict therewith.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 60—An Act to refund the bonded indebtedness of Lincoln county.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Lincoln County Delegation.

Senate Bill No. 58—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act fixing the salaries of the county officers of Lincoln county and providing for the compensation of a Deputy Sheriff therein," approved February 17, 1887,' approved January 30, 1889," approved March 2, 1891.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Lincoln County Delegation.

Senate Bill No. 56—An Act making trespass upon patented mining ground a misdemeanor, and providing punishment for the same.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Senate Bill No. 57—An Act consolidating certain county offices in Lincoln county, and fixing the compensation of the officers thereof.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to the Lincoln County Delegation.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 56 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 81—An Act to pay the claim of Sol Hilp for expenses incurred in the performance of his duties as Cattle Inspector.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—Mr. Johnson.

Absent—Mr. Allen.

Assembly Bill No. 45—An Act to provide for the necessary furniture,

painting and repairs upon the State Capitol and State Printing Office at Carson City, Nevada.

Reported from committee with a Substitute, and Substitute adopted.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Allen.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 4, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 36, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 32, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, 3.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 63, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 71, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 4.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 77, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Paul moved to take up Senate message with regard to disposition of Senate Bill No. 31.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved the Clerk be instructed to return the Senate message in regard to Senate Bill No. 31, and remind that body that nothing in the shape of bills or amendments accompanied the message.

Carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 40.

Reported back from Senate with amendments.

Assembly refused to concur in the amendments by the following vote:

YEAS—None.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—31.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8, relative to amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Skaggs moved that the resolution be returned to the introducer.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 90—An Act to provide for the execution of a warrant against a person charged with a crime in any county of this State.

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Assembly Bill No. 79—An Act defining the time of commencing civil actions.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Coryell.

Mr. Summerfield moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Governor's veto message in regard to Assembly Bill No. 27.

At the conclusion of the reading of the bill, the question was put: Shall the bill pass, notwithstanding the Governor's veto?

Roll called, and veto sustained by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Skaggs, Summerfield, Townsend, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Sweeney, Webster and Wilson—11.

Absent—Messrs. Coryell and Heidenreich—2.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Elections have had Assembly Bill No. 48 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

ROBT. RAFTICE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining have had Assembly Bill No. 85 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

A. J. BURKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Washoe County Delegation—to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 96, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably thereon, and recommend that it do pass.

GEO. E. PECKHAM,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Lander County Delegation—have had Senate Bill No. 47 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. H. PARKER,
Chairman.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Sweeney (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 106—An Act to provide for the payment of a bounty to encourage boring for oil, natural gas, and artesian water in the State of Nevada.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, bill read second time by title and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Holmes (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 107—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the formation of corporations for certain purposes," approved March 10, 1865, as amended 1867-1869.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Corporations and Railroads.

Mr. Skaggs moved to take up messages from the Senate and Governor out of order.

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 5, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has this day appointed the following to act as Senate members on the Joint Special Committees hereinafter mentioned:

To revise the laws pertaining to the licensing of gambling games in the State of Nevada, under Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8: Senators Jackson, Freudenthal and Livingston.

To investigate the duties of the State officers, etc., under Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9: Senators Pitt, Martin and Greene.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 5, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved and deposited with the Secretary of State, the following Assembly Bills:

Assembly Bill No. 46—An Act separating the offices of Treasurer and Assessor in White Pine county, and fixing the salaries of said offices.

Assembly Bill No. 21—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education, and matters properly connected therewith."

Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 78—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for free public libraries, and other matters relating thereto."

Assembly Bill No. 44—An Act granting to persons and corporations the right to supply electric power, heat and light to inhabitants of counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State of Nevada.

Assembly Bill No. 23—An Act to prohibit herding or grazing of sheep within three miles of any town or village. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

Assembly Bill No. 69—An Act in relation to county printing and advertising.

Reported from Committee with a Substitute.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5, relative to amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

Laid on the table.

Assembly Bill No. 95—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot."

Considered engrossed.

Mr. Nelson moved to amend the bill by striking out the word "clerks" in line 3 of printed bill.

Mr. Holmes moved the bill be made a special order for to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 94—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891, and all other Acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto.

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INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Holmes (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 108—An Act prescribing the manner in which voters may vote with straight or mixed tickets in the State of Nevada, and matters pertaining thereto.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 54—An Act to provide for the levying of a tax on incomes, and other matters relating thereto.

Mr. Holmes moved to amend by striking out the words "one thousand dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two thousand dollars."

Mr. Skaggs moved to amend the amendment, by striking out the words "in excess of one thousand dollars."

Amendment to amendment was lost.

Amendment of Mr. Holmes lost.

Mr. Holmes moved the bill be rereferred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Skaggs moved the bill be made a special order for to-morrow at 3 o'clock.

Previous question called for by Messrs. Dickerson, Holmes and Summerfield.

Mr. Skaggs motion for a special order lost.

Mr. Brooks moved to lay the bill on the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 91—An Act supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot," approved March 13, 1891.

Considered engrossed.

Mr. Summerfield moved a call of the House.

Lost.

Bill placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—26.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Nelson, Parker, Paul, Sweeney and Mr. Speaker—5.

Assembly Bill No. 100—An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners for the Care of the Insane of the State of

Nevada to grant the right of way to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company over and through the Asylum tract of land, in Washoe county, Nevada.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Summerfield, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—24.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Nelson, Paul, Platt, Stinson, Sweeney and Mr. Speaker—6.

Not voting—Mr. Holmes.

Assembly Bill No. 56—An Act to provide for the assessment and taxation of live stock driven into this State for pasturage, grazing, or to market, from other States or Territories, and for the collection of the same.

Temporary leave of absence granted Messrs. Van Duzer, Nelson and Holmes.

Assembly Bill No. 56 placed at bottom of the file.

Mr. Burke moved an adjournment until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 4 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FORTY-FIFTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), March 6, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Holmes (by leave).

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of the forty-fourth day read and approved.

Mr. Platt moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 65 and 66 be withdrawn from the records for correction; that the bills be reëngrossed and reënrolled.

Carried.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on State Institutions have had Assembly Bill No. 88 under consideration, and beg leave to report same back without recommendation.

PHIL JACOBS,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Senate Bill No. 10 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee on Fish and Game have had Assembly Bill No. 89 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Wilson reported that the Special Revenue Committee had framed a bill, which would be presented in one of the two houses to-day.

Mr. Burke was granted temporary leave of absence.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Heidenreich:

Assembly Bill No. 109—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the formation of mutual fire insurance companies and to define their duties and powers."

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Webster:

Assembly Bill No. 110—An Act to more fully advertise the resources of Nevada, and to provide for the preparing, printing and distributing of a pamphlet for this purpose.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first

reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 36—An Act to amend Section 25 of an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot,' approved March 13, 1891," approved March 14, 1899.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Elections.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 90.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes and Mr. Speaker—2.

Assembly Bill No. 48—An Act to amend section twenty-three of an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections," approved March 12, 1873.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Holmes and Mr. Speaker—2.

Mr. Paul moved to take up Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 14 out of order.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 14—An Act to provide for incorporation, operation and management of coöperative associations.

Withdrawn from Governor; reported from Committee with Substitute.

Substitute adopted, considered engrossed, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—23.

NAYS—Mr. Summerfield.

Absent—Messrs. Heidenreich, Holmes, Platt, Sweeney and Mr. Speaker—5.

Not voting—Messrs. Dickerson and Stinson—2.

Mr. Nelson moved that Senate Bill No. 10 be taken up out of order. Carried.

Senate Bill No. 10—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act supplemental to an Act entitled 'An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto,' approved March 23, 1891, and to all Acts amendatory thereof, and to provide for a license upon the business of owning, raising, grazing, herding, or pasturing sheep in the several counties of the State of Nevada, and to declare a violation thereof a misdemeanor, and to provide a punishment therefor," approved March 12, 1895.

Mr. Allen moved to amend by striking out in line 32, the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two."

Mr. Summerfield moved to amend the amendment by striking out in line 32, the word "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one."

Amendment to amendment lost.

Amendment by Mr. Wilson lost.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Nelson, Parker, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend and Mr. Speaker—17.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Dickerson, Hastings, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Peckham, Summerfield, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—12.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes and Paul—2.

Assembly Bill No. 85—An Act regulating the hours of employment of operators or engineers of mining hoists, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Reported from committee with amendments.

Rereferred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

Mr. Van Duzer moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes (by leave) and Johnson.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Assembly Bill No. 95—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot."

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—23.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Conaway, Heidenreich, Holmes, Johnson, Peckham, Raftice and Wilson—8.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Assembly Bill No. 76 under consideration, and beg leave to report on the same without recommendation.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Assembly Bill No. 74 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations and Railroads have had Assembly Bill No. 38 under consideration, and beg leave to submit the same to the Assembly without recommendation, either favorable or adverse.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

MINORITY REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:

I, the undersigned member of your Committee on Corporations and Railroads, most respectfully dissent from the opinion of the majority, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, and recommend its passage, for reasons which will appear more fully hereafter.

FRANK PAUL.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Printing have had Assembly Bill No. 99 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

D. L. McDONELL,
Chairman.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Sweeney:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15, relative to extra pay for Ed. Blanchard, Porter of the Assembly, and August Berning, Porter of the Senate.

Rules suspended, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee of the Whole.

By Mr. Graham:

Assembly Joint Concurrent Resolution No. 16, relative to amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada, by adding an Article thereto.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Temporary leave of absence granted Messrs. Van Duzer, Webster, Sweeney and Allen.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 105 under consideration, and beg leave to report same without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 92 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 104 under consideration, and beg leave to report on the same without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 86 under consideration, and beg leave to report without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

MINORITY REPORT.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 86 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

THOS. J. HEIDENREICH.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 6, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 59,

which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

Also, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 13, which was yesterday read and adopted in the Senate.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 54—An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of school libraries, and matters properly connected therewith—which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

Also, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15, relative to authorizing the Superintendent of the Hospital for Mental Diseases to use rock from the Prison walls at Reno for certain purposes, which was yesterday read and adopted by the Senate.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 53—An Act to amend Section 5 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved March 7, 1885—which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 9; nays, 5; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 52—An Act authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Ormsby county, State of Nevada, to grant, donate and convey to the State of Nevada certain real estate belonging to said Ormsby county—which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 10; nays, 4; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 5, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate this day concurred in the Assembly amendment to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 96—An Act fixing and regulating the salary of Assessor of Washoe county, Nevada, and the compensation of his deputies.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Whitacre and Wilson—25.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Holmes, Nelson, Sweeney, Webster and Mr. Speaker—6.

Senate Bill No. 47—An Act fixing the salaries and compensation of county officers in Lander county, State of Nevada.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Holmes.

Assembly Bill No. 94 placed at bottom of file.

Assembly Bill No. 56—An Act to provide for the assessment and taxation of live stock driven into this State for pasturage, grazing or to market, from other States or Territories, and for the collection of the same.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Heidenreich, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—22.

NAYS—Messrs. Dickerson, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Peckham and Summerfield—6.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes, Sweeney and Mr. Speaker—3.

Assembly Bill No. 88—An Act to amend an Act entitled “An Act to provide for the commitment of insane persons to the Insane Asylum.”

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster and Wilson—24.

NAYS—Messrs. Coryell, Stinson, Summerfield and Whitacre—4.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes, Paul and Mr. Speaker—3.

Assembly Bill No. 89—An Act to provide for the protection and preservation of different species of wild game, and to repeal all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict therewith.

Reported from Special Committee with amendments.

Mr. Webster moved that amendment to Section 5 be amended so as to read “counties having a voting population of 1,900.”

Adopted.

Mr. Burke moved to lay the bill on the table.

Lost.

Mr. Sweeney moved to adopt all the amendments reported from the Committee on Fish and Game.

Carried.

Amendment by Mr. Graham: Amend Section 10 by striking same out and insert in lieu thereof the following: “Section 10. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to kill, at any time, any deer or antelope until the expiration of two years after this law shall take effect, and thereafter no person or persons may kill to exceed two male deer, or two male antelope, in any one year thereafter.”

Adopted.

Mr. Burke moved to strike out Section 13.

Lost.

Mr. Platt moved that the bill be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 76.

Considered engrossed, and temporarily laid on the table.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Graham:

Assembly Bill No. 111—An Act to amend an Act entitled “An Act to amend an Act entitled ‘An Act to amend an Act entitled “An Act relative to attorneys and counselors-at-law,” approved October 31, 1861,’ approved March 4, 1871,” approved March 5, 1875.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Special Committee on Fish and Game.

Mr. Platt moved an adjournment until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

Carried.

House adjourned at 3:50 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Thursday), March 7, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes (by leave) and Sweeney.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of the forty-fifth day read and approved.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Stinson:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17, relative to revising the revenue laws, and authorizing a commission for that purpose.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Allen asked unanimous consent to introduce the General Appropriation Bill to-morrow.

Granted.

Mr. Coryell moved that a vote of thanks be tendered the citizens of Carson and the King's Daughters for their entertainment last night.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Conaway:

Assembly Joint Concurrent Resolution No. 18, providing for amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada, providing for public utilities.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Burke:

Assembly Bill 112—An Act providing for the correction of abuses by common carriers, and appropriating money therefor.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Webster:

Assembly Bill No. 113—An Act amendatory of and supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act relating to District Attorneys and partners thereof," approved February 23, 1887.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Heidenreich:

Assembly Bill No. 114—An Act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of an Act entitled "An Act to amend Sections 1, 2, and 3 of an Act entitled 'An Act to consolidate certain county officers in and for the County of Ormsby, State of Nevada, fixing their compensation and the compensation of other officers of said county.'"

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Ormsby County Delegation.

By Mr. Stinson:

Assembly Bill No. 115—An Act to authorize a State loan.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Stinson:

Assembly Bill No. 116—An Act to create a State Board of Equalization of the State of Nevada, define their duties, provide for their compensation, and district the State.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Special Revenue Committee:

Assembly Bill No. 117—An Act to provide for more uniform valuation and assessment of property in this State.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Platt (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 118—An Act to amend Sections 14 and 27 of an Act entitled "An Act to incorporate Carson City," approved February 25, 1875.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to Ormsby County Delegation.

By Mr. Heidenreich (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 119—An Act separating the offices of Sheriff and Assessor of Ormsby county, providing for their election, and fixing their salaries.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Ormsby County Delegation.

By Mr. Paul:

Assembly Bill No. 120—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate proceedings in civil actions in courts of justice in this State, and to repeal certain Acts in relation thereto," approved March 8, 1869.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 74—An Act to prevent the pollution of water

conducted to towns through pipes, flumes or other aqueducts for drinking or culinary purposes.

Reported from Committee with amendments.

Mr. Nelson moved the bill be laid on the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 99—An Act requiring the several counties of the State to publish election proclamations.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Heidenreich, Henningsen, McDonell, Paul, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster and Whitacre—9.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Jacobs, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Townsend, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—17.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Holmes, Platt and Stinson—5.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Coryell:

Assembly Bill No. 121—An Act to regulate the business of conducting newspapers within the State of Nevada, and to protect the people against incompetent editors.

Rules suspended, considered read first time, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill 105—An Act to prohibit glove contests or prize fights in the State of Nevada, and to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to restrict and license glove contests or exhibitions between man and man, and to repeal all Acts in conflict therewith," approved January 29, 1897, and to repeal all other Acts and parts of Acts in conflict herewith.

Mr. Wilson moved that the bill be considered engrossed.

The Speaker asked Mr. Coryell to take the chair.

Question on engrossment of Assembly Bill No. 105.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Jacobs, Van Duzer and Wilson.

Motion of Mr. Wilson carried by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Jacobs, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—19.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Henningsen, McDonell, Platt, Summerfield and Sweeney—10.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes and Paul—2.

Bill placed on final passage and third reading, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Jacobs, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Heidenreich, Henningsen, McDonell, Platt, Summerfield and Sweeney—9.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes and Paul—2.

Mr. Van Duzer moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Holmes (by leave).

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Platt (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 122—An Act relating to the distribution of law books to county and township officers.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Platt (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 123—An Act relating to the preparing and printing of the biennial report of the Secretary of State, Clerk of the Supreme Court and State Librarian.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Public Printing.

By Mr. Platt (by leave):

Assembly Bill No. 124—An Act requiring Registry Agents to file with the County Clerk a list of the registered voters of the precinct, and requiring the County Clerk to file the same with the Secretary of State.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Webster:

Assembly Bill No. 125—An Act to incorporate the Town of Reno.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Washoe County Delegation.

By Mr. Skaggs:

Assembly Bill No. 126—An Act to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors by local option.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

By Mr. Wilson (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 127—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act relating to fines and to repeal an Act relating thereto," approved March 5, 1887.

Considered read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 101 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 103 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 97 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 102 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining, having had Assembly Bill No. 85 under consideration, beg leave to report back a Substitute therefor, and recommend that the Substitute be adopted.

A. J. BURKE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 59, 63, 65, 71, 29, 77, 66 and 32 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 110 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 106 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 6, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate this day concurred in the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 15.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 7, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, which yesterday was adopted by the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11, which was this day by the Senate adopted by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 20, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 49, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 4.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 67, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

Also, Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 82, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, none; absent, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 92—An Act fixing the salary and mileage of members of the Legislature of the State of Nevada.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, Nelson, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Summerfield, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—19.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Heidenreich, McDonell, Parker and Sweeney—8.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes, Paul, Skaggs and Stinson—4.

Assembly Bill No. 104—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act regulating the payment of losses sustained by holders of full paid up fire insurance policies," passed over the Governor's veto January 31, 1901.

Mr. Wilson moved the bill be considered engrossed.

Mr. Platt moved the bill be made a special order for to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Burke moved to lay the bill on the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 86—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to define the duties of Lieutenant-Governor when acting as ex officio officer, and fixing his salary therefor."

Mr. Allen moved the bill be considered engrossed, and placed on final passage and third reading.

Roll call asked for by Messrs. Allen, Platt and Sweeney.

Motion lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, Nelson, Parker, Raftice, Skaggs, Townsend, Webster and Mr. Speaker—14.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Summerfield, Sweeney, Whitacre and Wilson—15.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes and Stinson—2.

Senate Bill No. 38—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act authorizing the sale by any railroad company owning any railroad in this State of its property and franchise, or any part thereof, to any other railroad corporation, whether organized under the laws of this State or any other State or Territory or under any Act of Congress; also authorizing the corporation purchasing the same to operate such railroad, to build and operate extensions or branches thereof, and for that purpose to exercise the power of eminent domain," approved March 1, 1899.

Read third time.

Mr. Nelson moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to be addressed by Senator Freudenthal on the above bill.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 3:30 p. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Mr. Burke moved Senate Bill No. 38 be made a special order for to-morrow at 3 o'clock.

Lost.

Roll called, and bill lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Johnson, Nelson, Peckham, Platt, Sweeney, Townsend and Webster—13.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Graham, Jacobs, Parker, Paul, Skaggs and Wilson—9.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes and Mr. Speaker—2.

Not voting—Messrs. Allen, Henningsen, McDonell, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield and Whitacre—7.

Mr. Paul gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move a reconsideration of the vote by which Senate Bill No. 38 was lost.

Assembly Bill No. 94.

Considered engrossed; read third time.

Amendment by Mr. Nelson: Strike out all after the word "demand" in line 4 of Section 2.

Rejected.

Amendment by Mr. Nelson: Amendment to Section 4.

Mr. Skaggs moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Lost.

Amendment lost.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 7, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee appointed by this Legislature to confer with the proper officials of the Southern Pacific Railroad beg leave to report as follows:

Your Committee, owing to circumstances over which it had no control, have been unable to carry out the object for which it was appointed; and

WHEREAS, During the life of this Legislature, the control and ownership of the Southern Pacific has passed into other hands; and

WHEREAS, Those who are now in control have had no time, owing to the short space of time they have been in control, to confer with the representatives of the people of this State; and

WHEREAS, We are informed and believe that those who are now in control of the Southern Pacific believe in cooperating with the people through such sections of the country as their road runs, to build up and develop the State; and

WHEREAS, In our platform we invited the cooperation and friendly action of the railroad to build up and develop our State; therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Committee that all railroad legislation be postponed until such time as the people of the State represented by a Legislative Committee and the proper officials of the Southern Pacific can meet and discuss Nevada's resources and her needs, and the ways and means whereby we can make this State one of the great States of the Union; be it also

Resolved, That the Committee heretofore appointed by the Twentieth Session of the Nevada Legislature be and are hereby perpetuated for the purpose therein expressed in Concurrent Resolution No. 4; be it also further

Resolved, That when said Committee have conferred with the proper officials of the Southern Pacific Railroad that they report the result of said conference to the Governor of the State of Nevada, to be reported by him to the next session of the Legislature.

H. E. FREUDENTHAL, Chairman,
 JAMES G. SWEENEY, Secretary,
 P. L. FLANIGAN,
 T. J. BELL,
 L. ALLEN,
 W. W. WEBSTER,
 C. D. VAN DUZER.

Adopted.

Mr. Skaggs moved to take up Senate messages out of order.

Lost.

Mr. Dickerson moved to lay Assembly Bill No. 94 on the table.
 Mr. Cocks moved to lay Assembly Bill No. 94 on the table.
 Carried.

Mr. Platt moved to take up Senate message out of order.
 Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
 CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 7, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Senate Bill No. 31, the Assembly amendments to which were, as you were duly notified on March 4, 1901, rejected by the Senate by the following vote on concurrence: Yeas, 2; nays, 13.

C. H. McINTOSH,
 Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Allen moved that the Assembly recede from its amendments to Senate Bill No. 31.
 Lost.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
 CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 7, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved and deposited with the Secretary of State the following Assembly Bills:

Assembly Bill No. 34—An Act to create a Salary Fund for White Pine county.

Assembly Bill No. 50—An Act to prevent the dissemination of diseases among apiaries; to provide for appointing an Inspector, and define his duties and compensation.

Assembly Bill No. 64—An Act to amend an Act relating to reports, and repealing all other Acts in relation thereto, approved February 17, 1893.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, passed by the Legislature of 1899, relative to amending Section 1 of Article X of the Constitution of Nevada.

Assembly Bill No. 51—An Act to provide for the reclamation and occupancy of lands subject to acceptance by the State of Nevada under the provisions of the Acts of Congress approved August 14, 1894, and June 11, 1896.

Assembly Bill No. 62—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the settlement of estates of deceased persons," approved March 23, 1897.

Assembly Bill No. 41—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to trespass of swine, sheep and goats," approved March 5, 1885.

Assembly Bill No. 28—An Act to amend sections one hundred and one and one hundred and nine of an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada." Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
 Governor.

Mr. Jacobs moved an adjournment until 10 o'clock to-morrow.
 Carried.

House adjourned at 4:50 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
 Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
 Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FORTY-SEVENTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Friday), March 8, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Holmes and Summerfield.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of the forty-sixth day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 109 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 108 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 113 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 16 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Contingent Expenses have had under consideration certain bills presented by the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Assembly against the State of Nevada, and, having examined them, we find them correct, and recommend their payment.

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| P. A. Wagner, supplies | \$5 90 |
| Thaxter Drug Store, supplies | 5 30 |
| S. B. Cohen, supplies | 12 00 |
| Dunn & Lemmon, envelopes | 2 50 |
| R. R. Crawford, stationery | 7 00 |
| Carson Gas Company, repairs to committee rooms | 38 15 |
| Carson Gas Company, gas | 92 50 |
| John Robb, stamps | 50 |
| Fred Cushing, fixing kettle | 25 |
| John B. McIntyre, Assembly Journal | 13 00 |
| John B. McIntyre, Register of Bills | 11 00 |
| J. M. Benton, ice | 18 00 |
| J. S. Burlingame, cleaning Assembly Chamber | 20 00 |
| H. B. Millard, washing towels | 5 00 |

Total

\$231 10

A. P. JOHNSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Morals have had Assembly Bill No. 121 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

OSCAR GRAHAM,
Chairman.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Lincoln County Delegation—have had Senate Bill No. 58 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JOSEPH CONAWAY,
A. J. BURKE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Lincoln County Delegation—have had Senate Bill No. 57 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JOSEPH CONAWAY,
A. J. BURKE.

Mr. Speaker:

The White Pine County Delegation, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 45, begs leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

FRANK PAUL.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Paul moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 38 was lost yesterday.

Carried.

Mr. Coryell moved that the report of the Committee on Contingent Expenses be adopted, and warrants drawn for the amounts specified in the report.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15, relative to authorizing the Superintendent of the Hospital for Mental Diseases to use rock from the Prison walls at Reno for certain purposes.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on State Institutions.

Senate Bill No. 52—An Act authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Ormsby county, State of Nevada, to grant, donate and convey to the State of Nevada certain real estate belonging to said Ormsby county.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Ormsby County Delegation.

Senate Bill No. 53—An Act to amend Section 5 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved March 7, 1885.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 54—An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of school libraries, and matters properly connected therewith.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first read-

ing, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Education.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 101—An Act for the better preservation of court records, and prescribing penalties for its infringements.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—MESSRS. Brooks, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Summerfield, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—18.

NAYS—MESSRS. Graham, Raftice, Sweeney and Wilson—4.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Holmes and Johnson—3.

Not voting—Messrs. Burke, Conaway, Heidenreich, Platt, Skaggs and Stinson—6.

Assembly Bill No. 103—An Act to amend section thirty of an Act entitled "An Act defining the time of commencing civil actions," approved November 21, 1861.

Temporarily laid on the table.

Assembly Bill No. 97—An Act to amend section ninety-nine of an Act of the Legislature of the State of Nevada entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada," approved March 23, 1891.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—MESSRS. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, McDonell, Nelson, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—22.

NAYS—MESSRS. Allen, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, Parker, Paul, Peckham and Wilson—8.

Absent—Mr. Holmes.

Assembly Bill No. 102—An Act authorizing the taxation of dogs.

Refused engrossment, and laid on the table.

Assembly Bill No. 85—An Act regulating the hours of employment of operators or engineers of mining hoists, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Reported from Committee with Substitute.

Substitute adopted, bill considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—MESSRS. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—26.

NAYS—Mr. Hastings.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Dickerson, Holmes and Platt—4.

Mr. Corbett moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Holmes (by leave).

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 112 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bills Nos. 115, 116 and 117 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had Assembly Bill No. 83 under consideration, and beg leave to report same back to the House favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Burke moved that Senate Bill No. 29 be taken from the table and placed on file.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 6, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the following have been appointed as the Senate members of the Conference Committees herein named:

Senate member of Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 31—Senator Jackson.
Senate member of Conference Committee on Assembly Bill No. 40—Senator Bell.
To which committees said bills have been respectively referred.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 7, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 44—An Act providing for the appointment of a State Live Stock Inspector, defining his duties and fixing his compensation—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 8; nays, 5; absent, 2.

Also, Senate Bill No. 49—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers,' approved March 8, 1865," approved February 27, 1869—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 8, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 71—An Act to provide for the appointment of a Fish Commissioner and to define his duties—which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 10; nays, 4; absent, 1.

Also, Senate Bill No. 80—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the settlement of the estates of deceased persons," approved March 23, 1897—which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 55—An Act authorizing the adjustment and payment of certain claims against counties in this State—which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Senate Bill No. 63—An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Com-

missioners for the Care of the Insane to purchase an undivided one-fourth interest in and to the Sullivan water ditch in Washoe county, Nevada—which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Senate Bill No. 70—An Act to provide for the preservation of fish in the waters of this State, and matters properly relating thereto—which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 4.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6, relating to the election of United States Senators by direct popular vote, which yesterday was adopted in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, 1.

Also, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14, urging our Senators in Congress to urge the adoption by the Senate of the United States of the resolution amending the Constitution of the United States, by providing for the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 89 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 110.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

Assembly Bill No. 106.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

Assembly Bill No. 109—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of mutual fire insurance companies and to define their powers and duties," approved March 6, 1897.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Holmes and Webster—3.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 8, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 51—An Act authorizing and directing the Board of Examiners of the State of Nevada to sell and dispose of all property acquired by the State Agricultural Society, the title to which is now vested in the State of Nevada, and to pay the proceeds of the sales of said property into the State Treasury of the State of Nevada to the credit of the General Fund, and in case said property cannot be sold, then to lease the same—which, on March 5, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 3; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Platt moved to take up Senate Bill No. 51 out of order.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 51—An Act authorizing and directing the Board of

Examiners of the State of Nevada to sell and dispose of all property acquired by the State Agricultural Society, the title to which is now vested in the State of Nevada, and to pay the proceeds of the sales of said property into the State Treasury of the State of Nevada to the credit of the General Fund, and in case said property cannot be sold then to lease the same.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Allen (by unanimous consent):

Assembly Bill No. 128—An Act to provide for a Constitutional Convention.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Corporations and Railroads.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 108.

Mr. Wilson moved to lay the bill on the table.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 113—An Act supplementary to and amendatory of an Act entitled "An Act relating to District Attorneys and partners thereof," approved February 23, 1887.

Mr. Jacobs moved the bill be returned to its author.

Carried.

Assembly Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 16, amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada by adding an Article thereto.

Considered engrossed, read third time and made a special order for to-morrow at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Van Duzer moved that Senate Bill No. 38 be taken up.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 38.

Lost yesterday, and placed on file on motion to reconsider this morning.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote (after previous question moved by Messrs. Sweeney, Paul and Brooks):

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—23.

NAYS—Messrs. Conaway, Graham, Parker, Raftice and Skaggs—5.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes and Stinson—2.

Not voting—Mr. Whitacre.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12, relative to amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada, pertaining to the assessment and taxation of mortgages and mortgaged property.

Reported from Committee with amendment.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Skaggs moved that the resolution be ordered engrossed.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 121.

Reported from Committee with amendment.

Bill laid on the table.

Senate Bill No. 58—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act fixing the salaries of the county officers of Lincoln county and providing for the compensation of a Deputy Sheriff therein," approved February 17, 1887,' approved January 30, 1889," approved March 2, 1891.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—Mr. Wilson.

Absent—Messrs. Dickerson, Holmes, Parker, Paul and Platt—5.

Senate Bill No. 57—An Act consolidating certain county offices in Lincoln county, and fixing the compensation of the officers thereof.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Coryell, Holmes, Parker, Paul and Stinson—5.

Not voting—Mr. Heidenreich.

Senate Bill No. 45—An Act relating to the salaries and compensation of the county officers of White Pine county, Nevada, and other matters connected therewith.

Read third time and placed at bottom of file.

Assembly Bill No. 112.

Laid on the table, on motion of the author.

Assembly Bill No. 117, or Senate Bill No. 85—An Act to provide for a more uniform valuation and assessment of property in this State.

Made a special order for to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Sweeney moved to take up Senate Bill No. 29.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 29—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers," approved March eight, eighteen hundred and sixty-five; approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, approved March eight, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Corbett, Heidenreich and Johnson—3.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, McDonell, Nelson, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—22.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Holmes, Jacobs, Parker, Paul and Platt—6.

Mr. Sweeney moved to take Senate Bill No. 28 from the table and place it on third reading.

Read third time, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Corbett.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—24.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Heidenreich, Parker, Paul, Summerfield and Wilson—6.

Assembly Bill No. 116.

Temporarily laid on the table.

Assembly Bill No. 115—An Act authorizing a State loan.

Temporarily laid on the table.

Assembly Bill No. 83—An Act to amplify the powers of Boards of School Trustees.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Holmes.

Assembly Bill No. 89—An Act to provide for the protection and preservation of different species of wild game, and to repeal all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict therewith.

Amendment by Mr. Platt: Strike out the words "sparrow," "red-breast," "cat-bird," "robin" and "linnet."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Burke: Strike out Section 7.

Lost.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—23.

NAYS—Messrs. Burke and Hastings—2.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes, Jacobs, Webster and Whitacre—4.

Not voting—Messrs. Conaway and Corbett—2.

Mr. Coryell moved an adjournment until to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 5:20 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FORTY-EIGHTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Saturday), March 9, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Holmes (by leave) and Mr. Wilson.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. E. E. Dodge.

Journal of the forty-seventh day read and approved.

Mr. Allen asked that the portion of the Governor's message relating to the Nevada-California boundary line be read.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations and Railroads have had Assembly Bill No. 107 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on State Institutions have had Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it be adopted.

PHIL. JACOBS,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Printing have had Assembly Bill No. 123 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

D. L. McDONELL,
Chairman.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Washoe County Delegation—to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 125, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

GEO. E. PECKHAM,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 8, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 69—An Act for the relief of the Reno Water, Land and Light Company—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 52, which was this day amended in the Senate and passed, as amended, by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 2. The amendment is attached by rider.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 87, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 100, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, 2; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Assembly Substitute for Assembly Enrolled Bill No. 14, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Morals have had Assembly Bill No. 126 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

OSCAR GRAHAM,
Chairman.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Paul moved to take Senate Bill No. 45 from the table.
Carried.

Mr. Stinson moved to take Assembly Bill No. 103 from the table.
Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Bill No. 128 be taken up and referred to Committee of the Whole.
Carried.

Mr. Burke moved that a committee be appointed to confer with the Senate Committee on the amendments to Senate Bill 31.
Carried.

The Speaker pro tem. appointed Mr. Burke as such committee.

Mr. Whitacre moved that a Conference Committee be appointed to meet a like committee from the Senate to confer on the amendments to Assembly Bill No. 40.

Carried.

Mr. Whitacre was appointed as such committee.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 69—An Act for the relief of the Reno Water, Land and Light Company.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Claims.

Senate Bill No. 55—An Act authorizing the adjustment and payment of claims against counties in this State.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Washoe County Delegation.

Senate Bill No. 44—An Act providing for the appointment of a State Live Stock Inspector, defining his duties and fixing his compensation.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14, urging our Senators in Congress to urge the adoption by the Senate of the United States of the resolution amending the Constitution of the United States, by providing for the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6, relative to election of United States Senators by direct popular vote.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

Senate Bill No. 70—An Act to provide for the preservation of fish in the waters of this State, and matters properly relating thereto.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 63—An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners for the Care of Insane to purchase an undivided one-fourth interest in and to the Sullivan water ditch in Washoe county, Nevada.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee of the Whole.

Senate Bill No. 49—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers,' approved March 8, 1865," approved February 27, 1869.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 80—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the settlement of the estates of deceased persons," approved March 23, 1897.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Corporations and Railroads.

Senate Bill No. 71—An Act to provide for the appointment of a Fish Commissioner and to define his duties.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 45.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Heidenreich and Holmes—3.

Assembly Bill No. 103—An Act to amend Section 30 of an Act entitled "An Act defining the time of commencing civil actions," approved November 21, 1861.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks and Burke—2.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes and Webster—2.

Assembly Bill No. 107—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the formation of corporations for certain purposes," approved March 10, 1865, as amended 1867–1869.

Considered engrossed, read third time and temporarily laid on the table.

Mr. Platt moved that the special order for 2 o'clock be made a special order for 2:30.

Carried.

Mr. Platt moved a recess until 2:30.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2:30 p. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Holmes.

Leave of absence granted Mr. Brooks.

Mr. Van Duzer moved that the special order for Assembly Bill No. 117, at 2:30 this afternoon, be made a special order with Assembly Bill No. 116 on Monday morning immediately after the reading of the Journal.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 9, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 42, which was amended by the Senate, and which this day passed as amended by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

The amendments to the bill are attached thereto by riders.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 49, 67 and 20, also Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, and Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 82, with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Senate Bill No. 44 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Select Committee—the Washoe County Delegation—to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 55, have had the same under consideration, and have come to a favorable conclusion thereon, and recommend that it do pass.

GEO. E. PECKHAM,
Chairman.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Paul (by unanimous consent):

Assembly Bill No. 129—An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of White Pine county to issue bonds on the property of the Town of Ely, in said county, for protection against fire, and matters relating thereto.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to White Pine County Delegation.

Mr. Wilson moved to take up Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 42.

Carried.

Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 42.

Reported back from Senate with amendments to title and the bill.

Mr. Wilson moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments.

The hour of 3 o'clock having arrived, the special order for Assembly Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 16 was announced.

Mr. Wilson moved that the special order be continued until the matter before the House has been disposed of.

Carried.

Question on concurrence to Senate amendments to Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 42.

Assembly refused to concur by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Graham, Hastings, Jacobs, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Webster, Wilson, and Mr. Speaker—9.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend and Whitacre—20.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks and Holmes—2.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Assembly Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 16, amending the Constitution of the State by adding an Article thereto.

Read third time, roll called, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Coryell, Graham, Henningsen, Jacobs, Nelson, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—15.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Paul, Platt, Summerfield and Wilson—14.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks and Holmes—2.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Select Committee—the White Pine Delegation—to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 129, begs leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

FRANK PAUL.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Committee on Mines and Mining have had Senate Bill No. 56 under consideration, and beg leave to report same without recommendation.

A. J. BURKE,
Chairman.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Committee of Conference have had under consideration Senate Bill No. 31, with Assembly amendments, and beg leave to report that they have failed to agree, and recommend the appointment of a Free Conference Committee.

A. J. BURKE,
R. D. JACKSON.

Mr. Corbett moved that Assembly Bill No. 107 be taken from the table.

Carried.

Mr. Wilson moved, by leave, that when the House adjourns to-day, it do so until Monday at 10:30 a. m.

Carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15, relative to authorizing the Superintendent of the Hospital for Mental Diseases to use rock from the Prison walls at Reno for certain purposes.

Resolution read and adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 125—An Act to incorporate the Town of Reno.

Placed at the bottom of the file.

Assembly Bill No. 123—An Act relating to the preparing and printing of biennial report of the Secretary of State, Clerk of the Supreme Court and State Librarian.

Considered engrossed, and read third time.

Mr. Platt moved that the roll call on Assembly Bill No. 123 be deferred until the Governor's special message be read, and same be taken up and read.

Carried.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 9, 1901. }

To the Honorable Senate and Assembly:

Recognizing your efforts to amend, adjust or revise our revenue laws, aware of the various measures and bills before you for consideration, with, so far as I am informed, no conclusion reached, and the final adjournment at hand, I feel I am justified in making a few suggestions relative to the most prominent bills intended and aimed to remedy the existing defects in our present revenue laws, to wit: Assembly Bill No. 116 and Senate Bill No. 75.

I desire your consideration of these bills. I believe no relief can come through Senate Bill No. 75, as said proposed Act, through the two provisos in section one thereof, leaves the equalization of values exactly as prescribed in the present law, which has proven so unsatisfactory, that I fail to see any advantage which the State can derive from the bill as printed. That there is not only a universal demand for a change in the mode of equalizing values throughout the State, and also a necessity to prevent discriminating favoritism in assessments, cannot be questioned, and I take the liberty of expressing the opinion that the provisions of Assembly Bill No. 116 more nearly meet and overcome the difficulties under which our State labors, and is better calculated to afford relief from unjust partiality in several classes of assessments, than any measure that has so far been brought forward.

Unless some such law is enacted, I am impressed with the fear that the needs of the State, and justice to the whole body of its taxpayers, may absolutely necessitate the calling of an extra session of your honorable bodies at an early day to consider these serious problems.

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

Roll called on Assembly Bill No. 123, and same passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Webster and Whitacre—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Dickerson, Townsend and Wilson—4.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Holmes, Skaggs, Sweeney and Mr. Speaker—5.

Not voting—Messrs. Johnson and Parker—2.

Assembly Bill No. 126—An Act to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors by local option.

Considered engrossed, read third time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Johnson, McDonell, Paul, Platt, Summerfield and Sweeney—11.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Heidenreich, Holmes and Stinson—4.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 9, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 81—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 3; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Paul moved to take up Senate Bill No. 81 out of order.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 81—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, bill read second time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 52.

Reported from Senate with amendments.

Assembly refused to concur by the following vote:

YEAS—None.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—27.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Holmes, Paul and Mr. Speaker—4.

Senate Bill No. 44.

Laid on the table.

Assembly Bill No. 107—An Act to provide for the formation of corporations for certain purposes.

Read third time, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Heid-

enreich, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—24.

NAYS—Mr. Johnson.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks and Holmes—2.

Not voting—Messrs. Allen, Hastings, Henningsen and Parker—4.

Mr. Paul moved that Assembly Bill No. 129 be taken up and placed on third reading and final passage.

Carried.

Assembly Bill No. 129.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks and Burke—2.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Raftice (by unanimous consent):

Assembly Bill No. 130—An Act to provide for utilizing the State Prison walls at Reno for repairs and building purposes for the University and Asylum and for the sale of the same to private individuals for the benefit of the same.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Platt moved an adjournment.

Carried.

House adjourned at 4:55 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FIFTIETH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Monday), March 11, 1901.

House convened at 10:30 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Dorrance.

Journal of the forty-eighth day read and approved.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Mr. Paul moved that the special orders for this morning be vacated, and made special orders for this evening at 7 o'clock.

Carried.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 30 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 22 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 52 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 51 under consideration, and beg leave to report same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 53 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 120 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Elections have had Senate Bill No. 49 under consideration, and beg leave to report same, with the recommendation that it be referred to the Washoe County Delegation.

ROBT. RAFTICE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have

carefully compared Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12 with the engrossed copy thereof, and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 9, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 73—An Act regulating the payment of losses sustained by holders of paid-up fire insurance policies—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 9; nays, 5; absent, 1.

J. L. CONSIDINE,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM SECRETARY OF STATE.

OFFICE SECRETARY OF STATE,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 11, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I beg to inform your honorable body that clearance receipts are awaiting the different members and attachés of the Assembly in the office of the Secretary of State upon the return of Statutes, Journals, etc., withdrawn during the session.

EUGENE HOWELL,
Secretary of State.

Mr. Stinson moved that Assembly Bill No. 115 be taken from the table and placed on the file.

Carried.

Mr. Nelson moved that Assembly Bill No. 104 be taken from the table and placed on file.

Lost.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations and Railroads have had Assembly Bill No. 128 under consideration and beg leave to report favorably on Substitute Bill, with recommendation that it do pass.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

REPORT OF LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on State Library beg leave to report that they have examined into the Library, its work and condition, and find, after due investigation, that it has been kept in a most exemplary way, and in such a manner as to reflect much credit upon the Library and its management. The service is efficient, and the department has been opened so as to give the public an opportunity to take advantage of it.

A complete record is kept of every book taken out and the day it is returned, thus making as nearly a complete safety against loss as is possible.

A comprehensive catalogue of all law books purchased, and a separate catalogue of miscellaneous books, is kept and compiled, giving the title of the book, the author, of whom purchased, price paid for books, and day upon which the said book is purchased. This system of work was adopted by Mr. Howell during his first term of office, and has been strictly adhered to in detail for the past six years, and is thorough and complete in every respect. A catalogue of all exchanges is also kept.

A catalogue for the four years from 1890 to 1894 has been prepared under the direction of the present management, and represents much research and work.

With the work that is now being done as stated, the Library has a complete and exhaustive catalogue of every book in detail, dating from the printed catalogue of 1890 to the present time.

We find that the present management has been economical in every way possible. Binding has been done at a cheaper figure than formerly and favorable terms made in purchasing books. There was but \$227 85 on hand when the present management took hold of the Library, and to-day there is over \$2,200 in cash on hand in the said fund, being a much larger sum than ever before in the Library Fund. This money is applicable to the purchase of books. The Library has at the same time been kept up to a high standard of excellence, and ranks, as Mr. Howell says, as one of the first libraries of the Pacific Coast.

We would recommend that the two south rooms be carpeted with a good serviceable carpet up and downstairs, that a new additional table be placed in the north room for the use of attorneys, and, if it can be done, the room in the dome be enlarged and better fitted up for the many useful exchanges that are constantly being received by the Library and for which there is no shelf room in the Library proper, owing to its present crowded condition.

We also recommend that the ceiling in the two south rooms be cleaned and painted. Respectfully,

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 73—An Act regulating the payment of losses sustained by holders of full paid up fire insurance policies.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 55—An Act authorizing the adjustment and payment of certain claims against counties in this State.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—24.

NAYS—Messrs. Burke, Conaway and Skaggs—3.

Absent—Messrs. Heidenreich, Holmes, Parker and Platt—4.

Senate Bill No. 56—An Act making trespass on patented mining ground a misdemeanor, and providing a punishment for the same.

Amendment by Mr. Coryell: In line 3, Section 2, insert after the word "mineral" the words "or grass."

Lost.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Dickerson, Graham, Johnson, Platt, Raftice, Summerfield and Sweeney—8.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—20.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes, Nelson and Parker—3.

Mr. Coryell moved the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider such matters as may come before it.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 12:30 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Assembly Bills Nos. 69, 70, 110 and 106, Senate Bill No. 63, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report as follows:

Assembly Bills Nos. 69 and 70 without recommendation.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15 favorably.

Assembly Bill No. 110 without recommendation.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. Platt moved a recess until 1:30 p. m.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 1:30 p. m.

Roll called.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

All present.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 125—An Act to incorporate the Town of Reno.

Amendment by Mr. Webster: Amend Section 4 so as to read "at the general election, November, 1902, and at each general election thereafter, there shall be elected five Councilmen. All candidates for the office of Councilman for each ward shall be voted for by the qualified electors of their respective ward only."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Webster. Correct the numbers of the sections so they will read properly.

Adopted.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Johnson, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—21.

NAYS—Messrs. Hastings, Jacobs, Raftice and Stinson—4.

Not voting—Messrs. Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Parker, Summerfield and Whitacre—6.

Mr. Peckham gave notice that he would move, on the next legislative day, to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 56 was lost.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Claims have had Senate Bill No. 69 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

C. H. STINSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Claims have had Assembly Bill No. 98 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

C. H. STINSON,
Chairman.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 30—An Act supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891, and Acts amendatory thereof.

Mr. Skaggs moved to consider the bill engrossed.

Mr. Sweeney moved to amend, by referring the bill to the Joint Railroad Committee.

Adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 22—An Act concerning common carriers.
Referred to the Joint Railroad Committee.

Senate Bill No. 52—An Act authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Ormsby county, State of Nevada, to grant, donate, and convey to the State of Nevada, certain real estate belonging to said Ormsby county.

Resolution offered by Mr. Nelson.

Mr. Nelson moved the resolution be read.

Carried.

By Mr. Nelson:

Resolved, That all speeches be limited to ten minutes, and no one member shall be allowed to speak twice on the same subject, except to explain his vote.

Mr. Nelson moved the adoption of the resolution.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Raftice, Van Duzer and Jacobs.

Resolution rejected by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Graham, Holmes, McDonell, Nelson, Parker Peckham, Raftice, Stinson, Townsend and Whitacre—13.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Conaway, Coryell, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, Paul, Platt, Skaggs, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—17.

Absent—Mr. Corbett.

Mr. Van Duzer moved to take up the Governor's message out of order.
Lost.

Bill read third time.

Mr. Van Duzer moved to take up Senate messages out of order.
Lost.

Mr. Jacobs moved that Senate Bill No. 52 be laid on the table.

Lost.

Mr. Holmes moved that Senate Bill No. 52 be made a special order for to-night at 7:30 o'clock.

Lost.

Mr. Jacobs moved that Senate Bill No. 52 be indefinitely postponed.
Lost.

Amendment by Mr. Webster: "*Provided*, that nothing in this bill shall be construed obligating the State to move the State Fair from Reno to Carson."

Mr. Webster moved the adoption of the amendment.

Mr. Platt moved, as an amendment, to lay the amendment on the table.

Messrs. Jacobs, Webster and Hastings demanded the yeas and nays.
Amendment to Mr. Webster's motion lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Nelson, Platt, Summerfield, Sweeney and Townsend—10.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Jacobs, Johnson, Parker, Peckham, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—13.

Absent—Mr. Conaway.

Not voting—Messrs. Brooks, Holmes, McDonell, Paul, Raftice, Skaggs and Stinson—7.

Mr. Platt appealed from the decision of the Chair.

Roll call demanded by Messrs. Allen, Jacobs and Webster.

Chair sustained by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Nelson, Paul, Platt, Summerfield, Sweeney and Townsend—11.

Not voting—Messrs. Coryell and Stinson—2.

Messrs. Jacobs, Webster and Hastings demanded a roll call on the adoption of the amendment.

Amendment rejected by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Hastings, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Parker, Peckham, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—13.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Johnson, Nelson, Paul, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney and Townsend—15.

Not voting—Messrs. Coryell, Raftice and Whitacre—3.

Mr. Jacobs moved that Senate Bill No. 52 be laid on the table.

Messrs. Webster, Hastings, and Jacobs demanded a roll call.

Motion lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Conaway, Hastings, Jacobs, Parker, Peckham, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—11.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney and Townsend—17.

Not voting—Messrs. Brooks, Coryell and Raftice—3.

Mr. Webster moved a recess until 7 o'clock this evening.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 7 p. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Dickerson.

Mr. Platt moved that the special order for this hour be vacated and that Senate Bill No. 52 be continued; that the special order be set for 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 52.

Amendment by Mr. Webster: Amend by adding the following: "Section 4. Within six months after the acceptance by the State of the property herein concerned, the proper State authorities shall sell said property at public auction to the highest responsible bidder and the money received as the proceeds, and all proceeds of such sale, shall be deposited in the General Fund of the Treasury of the State, and apportioned to such or any purposes as the State Legislature may determine, the same as any other money in said fund."

Mr. Webster moved the adoption of the amendment.

Mr. Paul moved to amend by laying the amendment on the table.

Roll call asked for by Messrs. Webster, Holmes and Jacobs.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Corbett, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Johnson, Nelson, Paul, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney and Townsend—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Conaway, Hastings, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Parker, Peckham, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—13.

Absent—Mr. Dickerson.
Not voting—Mr. Coryell.

Mr. Sweeney moved a call of the House.

Seconded by Messrs. Platt and Cocks.

Carried.

CALL OF THE HOUSE.

The Clerk was instructed to call the roll.

Roll was called, and the following answered to their names:

Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

Absent—Mr. Dickerson.

The Sergeant-at-Arms was instructed to close the doors and bring in the absentee.

Mr. Allen moved that further proceedings under the call of the House be dispensed with.

Carried.

Bill placed on final passage, roll called, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Dickerson.

Not voting—Messrs. Coryell and Wilson—2.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Federal Relations have had under consideration Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

E. P. HOLMES,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Federal Relations have had under consideration Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

E. P. HOLMES,
Chairman.

Mr. Skaggs moved to take up Senate messages out of order.

Lost.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 51—An Act authorizing and directing the Board of Examiners of the State of Nevada to sell and dispose of all property acquired by the State Agricultural Society, the title to which is now vested in the State of Nevada, and to pay the proceeds of the sales of said property into the State Treasury of the State of Nevada to the credit of the General Fund, and in case said property cannot be sold then to lease the same.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Nelson, Platt, Raftice, Summerfield and Townsend—10.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Conaway, Hastings, Jacobs, Johnson, Parker, Peckham, Skaggs, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—13.

Not voting—Messrs. Brooks, Coryell, Graham, Holmes, McDonell, Paul, Stinson and Wilson—8.

Mr. Sweeney gave notice that on the next Legislative day he would move a reconsideration of Senate Bill No. 52.

Mr. Van Duzer moved to take up Senate messages out of order.
Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 9, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 79, which, on March 7, 1901, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 45—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 11, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 91—An Act making appropriations for the support of the Civil Government of the State of Nevada for the fiscal years 1901 and 1902—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 90—An Act requiring foreign corporations doing business in the State of Nevada to publish annual statements—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 9, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 66—An Act for the relief of J. G. Taylor—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

Also, Senate Bill No. 67—An Act to determine who shall perform the duties of Bailiff of the Supreme Court of the State of Nevada, and fixing the compensation for his services, and to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the appointment and compensation of Bailiff of the Supreme Court," approved March 6, 1899—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bills Nos. 40, 79 and 82, each of which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Van Duzer moved that Senate Bill No. 91 be taken up out of order.

Carried.

Mr. Summerfield moved to adjourn until to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 10:25 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FIFTY-FIRST DAY.

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), March 12, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Dorrance.

Journal of the fiftieth day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 111 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 81 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 18 under consideration, and beg leave to report same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 122 under consideration, and beg leave to report same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 124 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Bill No. 127 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17 under consideration, and beg leave to report same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on State Institutions, in connection with the Committee of the Assembly, have had under consideration matters connected with the Orphans' Fund, and beg leave to report the following facts as we find them:

There seems to be an impression abroad that this fund has been embezzled or misappropriated in some manner by the Directors of the Home, who were responsible for its safe keeping. The fact is that the original fund amounted to the sum of eight hundred and fifty (\$850) dollars, \$500 of which was bequeathed by Peter Lynch of Gold

Hill, \$300 was donated by James G. Fair, and \$50 was donated by The Caledonian Club of Virginia City.

By judicious investment of a part of this fund it had increased, on May 9, 1879, to \$934; that seems to be the maximum point reached by this fund at any time. We find that on January 1, 1883, D. R. Sessions, who up to that time had been Secretary of the Board of Directors, turned over to his successor in office the sum of \$807 57 in coin. It may be necessary to state here that this fund was created for the sole purpose of providing little delicacies and luxuries for the orphans at set times, such as Christmas, the Fourth of July and other festival times. Now, when it is understood that there has been no addition to the original fund since its creation, except by investment as above referred to, it is easy to explain that the fund must naturally diminish. For instance, in the single year of 1884 there was expended the sum of \$291 66, one business house in Carson receiving the sum of \$136 for holiday goods. Coming down to the 2d of January, 1891, without going into yearly or monthly details, we find the fund reduced to the sum of \$427 42. Of this sum, \$400 was represented by a promissory note of J. E. Jones (who at that time was one of the Board of Directors of the Home), leaving a balance of \$27 42 in cash in the fund. This note is still held by the Board of Directors of the Home, but there is a serious difference of opinion about its value. Professor Ring, who was a member of the Board at the time the note was executed and for four years thereafter, and who is a member of the present Board, does not know whether there was any interest paid on the note or not, during the years 1891, 1892, 1893, and 1894, nor does he know what use was made of the balance, \$27 42, which was in the fund when he entered on his duties in January, 1891. There was no record kept of anything connected with this fund or note since January, 1891. Besides the note of J. E. Jones, there remains the sum of \$3 40 and a receipt for \$8. This is all that is left of the Orphans' Fund.

The note was presented to the heirs of the late J. E. Jones for payment, by order of the Board of Directors of the Home, who were in office during the years 1895, 1896, 1897 and 1898. The heirs said they were unable to pay said note, and no further action was taken. We are of the opinion that the Directors of the Orphans' Home, from the 1st of January, 1891, to the 1st of January, 1899, were each and all culpably negligent, and guilty of nonfeasance in office, when they did not take action to enforce the payment of the J. E. Jones note. There is a wide difference of opinion among lawyers as to whether this note can be collected from the estate of Mr. Jones or not. We would respectfully call the attention of the Governor and Attorney-General to the matter and would recommend that they take measures to collect the Jones note if possible.

All of which we respectfully submit.

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE.

PHIL JACOBS, Chairman,
JAMES G. SWEENEY,
E. H. WHITACRE,
H. H. CORYELL,
C. H. STINSON.

SENATE COMMITTEE.

CHAS. GREENE, Chairman.
W. W. WILLIAMS,
E. P. HARDESTY.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Washoe County Delegation—to whom was referred Assembly Bill No. 93, have come to an unfavorable conclusion thereon, and recommend that it be returned to its author.

GEO. E. PECKHAM,
Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 11, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved and deposited with the Secretary of State:

Assembly Bill No. 60—An Act to provide for a uniform series of text books in the public schools of Nevada.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 59—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to define the constitution, organization, powers and duties of the State Board of Education, and matters connected therewith.'" Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Van Duzer (by unanimous consent):

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19, relative to the irrigation of arid lands.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and placed on General File.

By Mr. Paul (by unanimous consent):

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20, relative to establishing a postoffice at Louis Sharp's ranch, on Little Cherry Creek, and the establishment of a mail service between said place and Currant Creek, Nye county, Nevada.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and placed on General File.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your members of the Joint Committee on Revenue beg leave to submit the following report:

Among others, we have had under consideration Assembly Bills Nos. 34 and 84, and report same back to the House without recommendation.

MARION S. WILSON, Chairman,
H. H. CORYELL,
SAMUEL PLATT,
ROBT. RAFTICE.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 82—An Act authorizing and defining the mileage of the County Commissioners of Humboldt county, Nevada.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Humboldt County Delegation.

Senate Bill No. 79—An Act to provide for the construction and furnishing a building for hospital purposes in connection with the Hospital for Mental Diseases of the State of Nevada, and making an appropriation therefor.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 40—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to prevent the dissemination of contagious diseases among sheep; to provide for the appointment of Sheep Inspectors in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and compensation,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 6, 1899.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 67—An Act to determine who shall perform the duties of Bailiff of the Supreme Court of the State of Nevada, and fixing the compensation for his services, and to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the appointment and compensation of Bailiff of the Supreme Court," approved March 6, 1899.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 91—An Act making appropriations for the support of

the Civil Government of the State of Nevada, for the fiscal years 1901 and 1902.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Fish and Game have had Senate Bill No. 70 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Fish and Game have had Senate Bill No. 71 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

Mr. Wilson moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider such matters as might properly come before it.

Carried.

Mr. Wilson in the chair.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 12 m.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 91, have considered thirty sections of the same.

M. S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jacobs moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Resolution by Mr. Nelson (by leave), relative to the management of the Orphans' Home.

Resolution rejected.

Mr. Coryell moved that the special order for this hour be vacated and continued until this evening at 7 o'clock.

Carried.

Mr. Wilson moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole for further consideration of Senate Bill No. 91.

Carried.

Mr. Wilson in the chair.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 3:45 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 91 have had the same under consideration, and report the same back to the House with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

M. S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. Wilson moved that Senate Bill No. 91 be now taken up.
Carried.

Senate Bill No. 91.—An Act making appropriations for the support of the Civil Government of the State of Nevada for the fiscal years 1901 and 1902.

Read third time.

Mr. Skaggs moved as an amendment to strike out Section 5.

Yeas and nays called for by Messrs. Skaggs, Burke and Nelson, and amendment lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Henningsen, Nelson, Parker, Raftice, Skaggs, Summerfield, Townsend and Mr. Speaker—10.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Peckham, Platt, Sweeney, Whitacre and Wilson—16.

Absent—Messrs. Heidenreich, Johnson, Paul, Stinson and Webster—5.

Mr. Skaggs moved to amend Section 5 by striking out in line 3 the words "\$500," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "\$600."

Mr. Cocks moved to lay amendment on the table.

Carried.

Mr. Platt moved to amend the title of the bill, by having the title read as follows:

"An Act making appropriations for the support of the Civil Government of the State of Nevada, and for State and State District Fairs, for the fiscal years 1901 and 1902."

Carried.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—Mr. Skaggs.

Absent—Mr. Parker.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Coryell:

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Legislature of the Twentieth Session of the State of Nevada do adjourn March 13, 1901, *sine die*, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Mr. Coryell moved the adoption of the resolution.

Lost.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Senate Bill No. 79 under consideration, and beg leave to report on the same without recommendation.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Senate Bill No. 66 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 130 under consid-

eration, and beg leave to report a Substitute therefor, with the recommendation that Substitute do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Peckham moved, by leave, that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 56 was lost yesterday be reconsidered.

Carried.

Mr. Henningsen moved to take up Senate messages out of order.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 11, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 74—An Act to provide for the sale of street railway franchises in the towns of this State, and matters properly relating thereto—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 1.

Also, Substitute for Senate Bill No. 87—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend section fourteen of an Act entitled 'An Act to license and regulate insurance business in this State,' approved February 23, 1881," approved March 14, 1899—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 96, with amendments attached by rider, which this day passed the Senate as amended by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

Also, Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35, which this day, on a reconsidered vote, passed the Senate as follows: Yeas, 9; nays, 6.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 92, which was this day lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 3; nays, 12.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 90, with amendment attached by rider, which this day, as amended, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 91, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 42, and to inform your honorable body that the Senate this day rescinded the Senate amendments thereto by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, none; absent, 3; and thereafter passed the bill by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 2; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body, that the Senate this day refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 52, and the same has been referred to the Conference Committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the Assembly.

Senate member of said Conference Committee—Senator Flanigan.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 88—An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes on movable personal property and the apportionment of moneys received therefor—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 2.

Also, Senate Bill No. 37—An Act authorizing the County Clerks, as ex officio Clerks of the Courts of Record, to retain for their own use the fees and compensation for services performed by authority of any Act of Congress relating to location of Govern-

ment lands—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 16, amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada by adding an Article thereto, which was this day adopted in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 8; nays, 5; absent, 2.

Also, Senate Bill No. 42—An Act to amplify the powers and duties of the Superintendent of Public Instruction—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Wilson was appointed to confer with a like Senate Committee on Assembly Bill No. 52.

Mr. Platt moved a recess until 7 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 7 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Mr. Summerfield.

Mr. Paul moved that the special order for this hour be vacated, and same be made a special order for to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Carried.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee, consisting of the Humboldt Delegation, have had Senate Bill No. 82 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it pass with amendment as follows: By substituting "fourteen" meetings for "twelve" meetings in Section 1.

C. D. VAN DUZER,
N. NELSON,
W. E. TOWNSEND.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration Assembly Bill No. 54, and beg leave to report same back without recommendation.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 100 and 87 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Substitute for Senate Bill No. 7 and Assembly Substitute for Assembly Enrolled Bill No. 14 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Joint Resolution No. 6 and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 53—An Act to amend Section 5 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the management and control of the State Agricultural Society by the State," approved March 7, 1885.

Placed at bottom of file.

Assembly Bill No. 120—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate proceedings in civil cases in the courts of justice of this State, and to repeal all other Acts in relation thereto," approved February 8, 1883, approved March 12, 1885.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, placed on final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Coryell, Graham, Raftice and Wilson—5.

Absent—Mr. Summerfield.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12, relative to amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada, pertaining to the assessment and taxation of mortgages and mortgaged property:

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Constitution of the State of Nevada be amended so as to read as follows:

Amend Section 1, Article X, of the Constitution of the State of Nevada, so that the same shall read as follows:

SECTION 1. The Legislature shall provide by law for a uniform and equal rate of assessment and taxation, and shall prescribe such regulations as shall secure a just valuation for taxation of all property, real, personal and possessory, except mines and mining claims when not patented, the proceeds alone of which shall be assessed and taxed, and when patented each patented mine shall be assessed at not less than five hundred (\$500) dollars, except when one hundred (\$100) dollars in labor has been actually performed on such patented mine during the year, in addition to the tax upon the net proceeds; and, also, excepting such property as may be exempted by law for municipal, educational, literary, scientific or other charitable purposes, and a mortgage, deed of trust, contract or other obligation by which a debt is secured, shall, for the purposes of assessment and taxation, be deemed and treated as an interest in the property affected thereby; in case of a debt so secured, the value of the property affected by such mortgage, deed of trust, contract or obligation, less the value of such security, shall be assessed and taxed to the owner of the property, and the value of such security shall be assessed and taxed to the owner thereof in the county, city or town in which the property affected thereby is situated. The tax so levied shall be a lien upon the property and security, and may be paid by either party to such security; if paid by the owner of the security, the tax so levied upon the property affected thereby shall become a part of the debt so secured; if the owner of the property shall pay the tax so levied upon such security, it shall constitute a payment thereon and to the extent of such payment a full discharge thereof; *provided*, that any agreement between parties to such mortgage, deed of trust, contract or other obligation, whereby the debtor is obligated or required to assume and pay or refund to the holder of such security, the taxes which shall be assessed and taxed to the owner thereof, shall be void.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Conaway, Heidenreich and Summerfield—3.

Substitute title by Mr. Sweeney: "Relative to amending Section 1 of Article X of the Constitution of the State of Nevada, pertaining to the

assessment and taxation of patented mines, and also pertaining to the assessment and taxation of mortgages.”

Adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 115—An Act authorizing a State loan.

Placed at bottom of file.

Assembly Bill No. 128—An Act to provide for a Constitutional Convention.

Mr. Allen moved that the Substitute be adopted.

Carried.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks and Johnson—2.

Absent—Messrs. Stinson and Summerfield—2.

Assembly Bill No. 69—An Act in relation to county printing and advertising.

Bill returned to the author.

Assembly Bill No. 70—An Act concerning the awarding of contracts for official advertising and county printing, by the various Boards of County Commissioners in the various counties of the State where the population exceeds 5,000.

Refused engrossment.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Joint Committee on Conference have had Assembly Bill No. 52 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably upon recommendation of Joint Committee of Ways and Means, viz: \$750.

P. L. FLANIGAN,
Senate.
MARION S. WILSON,
Assembly.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15, relative to extra pay for extra services performed by Ed. Blanchard, Porter of the Assembly, and August Berning, Porter of Senate.

Amendment by Mr. Sweeney: In line 1 of printed bill strike out the words “State Controller” and insert in lieu thereof the words “Sergeant-at-Arms of the Assembly,” and in line 5 add after the word “also” the words “Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate.”

Amendment adopted.

Ordered engrossed.

Assembly Bill No. 110—An Act to more fully advertise the resources of the State of Nevada and provide for the expense of preparing, printing and the distribution of a pamphlet for this purpose.

Reported from the Committee of the Whole with amendment.

Amendment adopted, and bill considered engrossed.

Mr. Coryell moved that the bill be laid on the table.

Lost.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—21.

NAYS—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Johnson, Nelson and Parker—8.

Absent—Messrs. Allen and Summerfield—2.

Mr. Skaggs gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move a reconsideration of Assembly Bill No. 128.

Assembly Bill No. 98—An Act to provide for the payment by the State of Nevada for certain indebtedness incurred during the Spanish-American War.

Considered engrossed, read third time, and referred to Committee of the Whole.

Assembly Bill No. 69—An Act for the relief of the Reno Water, Land and Light Company.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6, relative to the election of United States Senators by direct popular vote.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Coryell and Summerfield—2.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14, urging our Senators in Congress to urge the adoption by the Senate of the United States of the resolution amending the Constitution of the United States by providing for the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Coryell and Summerfield—2.

Assembly Bill No. 111—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relative to attorneys and counselors-at-law," approved October 31, 1861,' approved March 4, 1871," approved March 5, 1875.

Considered engrossed.

Amendment by Mr. Platt: Amend line 22, of Section 3, by inserting after the words "State Treasurer" the words "the Library Fund"; amend the same line of said section by striking out the words "twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirty-five."

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Whitacre moved to lay the bill on the table.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 81—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto," approved March 23, 1891.

Mr. McDonell moved the bill be laid on the table.

Lost.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Coryell, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Jacobs, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Skaggs, Sweeney and Webster—11.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Platt, Stinson, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—18.

Absent—Messrs. Raftice and Summerfield—2.

Mr. Paul moved to take up Senate message out of order.

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 12, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32—An Act regulating in this State pool selling on horse racing—which Substitute was this day adopted and passed by the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, none; absent, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Coryell moved that when the House adjourn, it do so until 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 74—An Act to provide for the sale of street railway franchises in the towns of this State, and matters properly relating thereto.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Corporations and Railroads.

Senate Bill No. 37—An Act authorizing the County Clerks, as ex officio Clerks of the Courts of Record, to retain for their own use the fees and compensation for services performed by authority of any Act of Congress relating to location of Government lands.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 42—An Act to amplify the powers and duties of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 16, amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada, by adding an Article thereto.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 88—An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes on movable personal property and the apportionment of moneys received therefor.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first

reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32—An Act regulating in this State pool selling and horse racing.

Under suspension of rules, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Joint Committee on Gambling.

Senate Bill No. 87—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend section fourteen of an Act entitled 'An Act to license and regulate insurance business in this State,' approved February 23, 1881," approved March 14, 1899.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, bill read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Platt moved an adjournment.

Carried.

House adjourned at 9:25 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FIFTY-SECOND DAY.

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), March 13, 1901.

House convened at 9 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Messrs. Platt and Summerfield.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. R. L. Macfarlane.

Journal of the fifty-first day read and approved.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Senate Bill No. 40 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Skaggs moved to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 128 was passed.

Carried.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Assembly Bill No. 128 be taken up out of order, and rereferred to Judiciary Committee.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved a suspension of rules, and that the House proceed to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 81 was lost last night.

Lost.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Sweeney (by unanimous consent):

Assembly Bill No. 131—An Act regulating the fee for filing articles of incorporation in the office of the Secretary of State.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 96.

Returned from the Senate with amendment to the title and to bill.

Assembly concurred in the amendments by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Henningsen, Platt and Summerfield—3.

Assembly Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 18.

Laid on table.

Assembly Bill No. 122.
Placed at bottom of file.

Assembly Bill No. 124.
Placed at bottom of file.

Assembly Bill No. 127—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act in relation to fines, and to repeal an Act relating thereto," approved March 5, 1887.

Considered engrossed.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Platt and Summerfield—2.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17.
Placed at bottom of file.

Assembly Bill No. 93.
Returned to author.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19, relative to the irrigation of arid lands.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Holmes, Platt and Summerfield—3.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20, relative to establishing a post-office at Louis Sharp's Ranch on Little Cherry Creek, and the establishment of a mail service between said place and Currant Creek, Nye county, Nevada.

Considered engrossed.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Parker, Platt, Summerfield and Sweeney—4.

Assembly Bill No. 34.
Placed at bottom of file.

Assembly Bill No. 84—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act to provide revenue for the support of the Government of the State of Nevada, and to repeal certain Acts relating thereto, approved March 23, 1891, and to repeal Section 22, Section 25, Section 28 and Section 29 of said Act," approved February 25, 1893.

Considered engrossed.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings,

Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks and Henningsen—2.

Absent—Messrs. Parker, Platt and Summerfield—3.

Not voting—Mr. Dickerson.

Senate Bill No. 70—An Act to provide for the preservation of fish in the waters of this State, and matters properly relating thereto.

Amendment by Mr. Henningsen: In line 5, of Section 3, strike out the word "October" and insert in lieu thereof the word "December," and in same line strike out the word "April" and insert in lieu thereof the the word "May."

Amendment lost.

Read third time, roll called, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—26.

NAYS—Mr. Henningsen.

Absent—Messrs. Parker and Platt—2.

Not voting—Messrs. Burke and Holmes—2.

Senate Bill No. 71—An Act to provide for the appointment of a Fish Commissioner, and to define his duties.

Mr. Burke moved the bill be laid on the table.

Lost.

Read third time and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Coryell, Graham, Heidenreich, Jacobs, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Summerfield, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—12.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Raftice, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend and Whitacre—17.

Absent—Mr. Parker.

Not voting—Mr. Hastings.

Senate Bill No. 79.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

Senate Bill No. 66—An Act for the relief of J. G. Wheeler.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 130—An Act authorizing the use of the rock at the old State Prison walls at Reno by the University and Insane Asylum for building purposes.

Substitute adopted, considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Dickerson, Heidenreich, Holmes and Parker—4.

Assembly Bill No. 90.

Returned from Senate with an amendment.

Assembly concurred in Senate amendment by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Conaway, Heidenreich, Johnson and Parker—4.

Senate Bill No. 82—An Act authorizing and defining the mileage of the County Commissioners of Humboldt county, Nevada.

Amendment by Humboldt County Delegation: In line 3, strike out the word "twelve," and insert in lieu thereof the word "fourteen."

Adopted.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Parker and Platt—2.

Not voting—Mr. Webster.

Senate Bill No. 54—An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of school libraries, and matters properly connected therewith.

Read third time, and placed at bottom of file.

Senate Bill No. 53.

Laid on the table.

Assembly Bill No. 115—An Act authorizing a State loan.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Holmes, Nelson, Raftice and Sweeney—4.

Absent—Messrs. Jacobs and Webster—2.

Mr. Coryell moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Brooks.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Assembly Bills Nos. 116 and 117.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations and Railroads have had Senate Bill No. 74 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations and Railroads have had Assembly Bill No. 90 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations and Railroads have had Assembly Bill No. 17 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

Assembly Bill No. 17 was referred to Joint Committee on Railroads, on motion of Mr. Platt.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee on Gambling have had Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. W. WEBSTER,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Elections have had Assembly Bill No. 36 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same without recommendation.

ROBT. RAFTICE,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 67 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 80 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 37 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 88 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 73 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 128 under consideration, and beg leave to report a Substitute for the same, and recommend that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Substitute for Senate Bill No. 87 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 16 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 13, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body

Assembly Bill No. 95, which was yesterday by the Senate ordered returned to your honorable body for correction.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 75—An Act to provide for a more uniform valuation and assessment of property in this State—which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate this day concurred in the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 91 by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 17, relative to determining the boundary line between California and Nevada, which was this day adopted by the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

Also, Substitute for Senate Bill No. 84—An Act providing for the election of Road Supervisors, for the subdivision of the counties into road districts, and matters properly relating thereto—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 97, which was yesterday lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, none; nays, 14; absent, 1.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 107, which was yesterday lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 5; nays, 9; absent, 1.

Also, Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 85, which was this day lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 2; nays, 11; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 123, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, 1; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate this day refused to recede from its amendments to Assembly Bill No. 40 by the following vote: Yeas, 2; nays, 12; absent, 1.

The following have been appointed as Senate members on conference to act with a like committee from the Assembly: Senators Bell, Jackson and Gallagher.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Messrs. Whitacre, Burke and Skaggs were appointed to confer with the above committee from the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 13, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 83, which was this day amended and passed the Senate with amendments by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

The amendment is attached by rider.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 89, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 4.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 101, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, 2; absent, 1.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 109, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 56, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 129, which yesterday passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 52, which was this day reported with amendment by the Joint Conference Committee, and which this day passed the Senate as amended by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

The amendment accompanies the bill by rider.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 13, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved and deposited with the Secretary of State:

Assembly Bill No. 32—An Act to amend section eighteen of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the election of School Trustees, and matters properly belonging thereto."

Assembly Bill No. 29—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the formation of corporations for certain purposes."

Assembly Bill No. 65—An Act to provide for the dissemination of knowledge in the public schools relative to the preservation of song-birds, fish and game.

Assembly Bill No. 66—An Act to prevent the unlawful destruction of fish and game, and to provide for the appointment of Fish and Game Wardens in the several counties of this State.

Assembly Bill No. 77—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act concerning crimes and punishments."

Assembly Bill No. 63—An Act supplemental to an Act to provide for the appointment of guardians, and to prescribe their duties. Very respectfully,

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

Mr. Sweeney moved that the House now resolve itself into Committee of the Whole, with the Speaker pro tem. in the chair, to consider such matters as may come before it.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 3:50 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole have had the following bills under consideration, and beg leave to report as follows:

On Senate Bill No. 69, favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass.

On Assembly Bill No. 98, favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass.

On Senate Bill No. 63, with the recommendation that it be referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

On Assembly Bill No. 106, favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

On Senate Bill No. 68, favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass.

On Senate Bill No. 79, favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass.

Report adopted.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 52.

Reported from Senate with amendments, and rereferred to the Conference Committee.

Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 128—An Act recommending to the electors of this State to vote upon the question of calling a Constitutional Convention to revise the Constitution of this State.

Adopted.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks and Parker—2.

Assembly Bill No. 83—An Act to amplify the powers of Boards of School Trustees.

Reported back from Senate with amendments.

Assembly concurred in amendments by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—27.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Parker and Mr. Speaker—4.

Mr. Dickerson gave notice that he would, on the next legislative day, move a reconsideration of Senate Bill No. 71.

Assembly Bill No. 122—An Act relating to the distribution of law books to county and township officers.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Parker and Mr. Speaker—3.

Mr. Graham moved a recess until 7 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 7 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks (by leave) and Jacobs.

Assembly Bill No. 124—An Act requiring Registry Agents to file with the County Clerks a list of the registered voters in their precincts, and requiring each County Clerk to certify the same to the Secretary of State.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Jacobs and Paul—3.

Mr. Platt moved, by leave, that the Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed

to have printed 1,500 copies of each of the game laws passed by this session.

Lost.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17.

Referred to Committee of the Whole with revenue bills.

Assembly Bill No. 34.

Laid on the table.

Senate Bill No. 40—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to prevent the dissemination of contagious diseases among sheep; to provide for the appointment of Sheep Inspectors in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and compensation,' approved February 23, 1893," approved March 6, 1899.

Mr. Nelson moved the adoption of the House amendment.

Carried.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Dickerson, Johnson, Summerfield and Whitacre—4.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks and Jacobs—2.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 79, 90, 91 and 96 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35, Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 42, and Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 45, with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

The Lincoln County Delegation have had Senate Bill No. 60 under consideration, and beg leave to report unfavorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

JOSEPH CONAWAY,
A. J. BURKE.

Mr. Paul moved that Senate Bill No. 60 be taken up out of order and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Burke moved that Senate Bill No. 60 be laid on the table.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 54—An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of school libraries, and matters properly connected therewith.

Placed at bottom of file.

Senate Bill No. 74—An Act to provide for the sale of street railway franchises in the towns of this State, and matters properly relating thereto.

Reported from Committee with amendments.

Amendments adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Webster: Amend by renumbering Sections 6, 7 and 8.

Adopted.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Coryell, Jacobs, Paul and Skaggs—5.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Joint Conference Committee have had under consideration Assembly Bill No. 52 and have failed to agree upon the amendments to same.

P. L. FLANIGAN,
Senate Member.
MARION S. WILSON,
House Member.

Mr. Allen moved that a Conference Committee be appointed from the House to confer with a like committee from the Senate to consider Assembly Bill No. 52.

Messrs. Allen, Sweeney and Wilson were appointed by the Speaker to act as such committee.

Senate Bill No. 90—An Act requiring foreign corporations doing business in the State of Nevada to publish annual statements.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—24.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Coryell, Jacobs, Johnson, Paul, Raftice and Webster—7.

Senate Bill No. 32—An Act regulating in this State pool selling on horse racing.

Placed at bottom of file.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15, relative to extra pay for extra services performed by Ed. Blanchard, Porter of Assembly, and August Berning, Porter of Senate.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Nelson and Townsend—3.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks, Heidenreich and Jacobs—3.

Senate Bill No. 36—An Act to amend Section 25 of an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act relating to elections and to more fully secure the secrecy of the ballot,' approved March 13, 1891," approved March 14, 1899.

Bill laid on the table.

Senate Bill No. 67—An Act to determine who shall perform the duties

of Bailiff of the Supreme Court of the State of Nevada, and fixing the compensation for his services, and to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the appointment and compensation of Bailiff of the Supreme Court," approved March 6, 1899.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

Senate Bill No. 80—An Act supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the settlement of the estates of deceased persons," approved March 23, 1897.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Cocks and Jacobs—2.

Mr. Corbett moved an adjournment until 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Carried.

House adjourned at 9:45 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FIFTY-THIRD DAY.

CARSON CITY (Thursday), March 14, 1901.

House convened at 9 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Cocks, Jacobs and Whitacre.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. R. L. Macfarlane.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Henningsen:

ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION NO. 23.

Resolved, That John Robb, Messenger of the Assembly, be instructed to remain on duty for four days following the final adjournment, to attend to and forward the mail matter of members; and the State Controller is hereby directed to draw his warrant on the Legislative Fund for the sum of fifteen dollars in favor of said John Robb, Messenger, and the State Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the same.

Adopted.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 84—An Act providing for the election of Road Supervisors, for the subdivision of the counties into road districts, and matters properly relating thereto.

Under suspension of the rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Washoe County Delegation—have had Senate Bill No. 49 under consideration, and beg leave to report thereon, with recommendation that it be returned to its author.

GEO. E. PECKHAM,
Chairman.

Senate Bill No. 37—An Act authorizing the County Clerks, as ex officio Clerks of the Courts of Record, to retain for their own use the fees and compensation for services performed by authority of any Act of Congress relating to location of Government lands.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—24.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Jacobs, Paul, Platt, Sweeney and Whitacre—7.

Senate Bill No. 88—An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes on movable personal property, and the apportionment of moneys received therefor.

Placed at bottom of file.

Senate Bill No. 73—An Act regulating the payment of losses sustained by holders of fire insurance policies.

Placed at bottom of file.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 87—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend section fourteen of an Act entitled 'An Act to license and regulate insurance business in this State,' approved February 23, 1891," approved March 14, 1899.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Nelson, Paul, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Webster and Mr. Speaker—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Dickerson, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Peckham and Wilson—9.

Absent—Messrs. Jacobs, Platt, Skaggs, Sweeney and Whitacre—5.

Not voting—Mr. Cocks.

Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 16, amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada, by adding an Article thereto:

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Constitution of the State of Nevada be amended by adding thereto the following Article:

ARTICLE -----

SECTION 1. Whenever 10 per centum or more of the voters of this State, as shown by the number of votes cast at the last preceding election, shall express their wish that any law or resolution made by the Legislature be submitted to a vote of the people, the officers charged with the duty of announcing and proclaiming elections and of certifying nominations or questions to be voted on, shall submit the question of approval or disapproval of said law or resolution to be voted on at the next ensuing election wherein a State or Congressional officer is to be voted for, or wherein any question may be voted on by the electors of the entire State.

SECTION 2. When a majority of the electors voting at a State election shall by their votes signify approval of a law or resolution, such law or resolution shall stand as the law of the State, and shall not be overruled, annulled, set aside, suspended, or in any way made inoperative except by the direct vote of the people. When such majority shall so signify disapproval, the law or resolution so disapproved shall be void and of no effect.

Amendment by Mr. Summerfield: In line 1, Section 1, strike out the number "10" and insert in lieu thereof the number "20."

Adopted.

Amendment to the amendment to Section 1 by Mr. Heidenreich: In line 1, Section 1, strike out the number "20" and insert in lieu thereof the number "35."

Adopted.

Roll called, and resolution adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Corbett, Hastings, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell and Summerfield—8.

Absent—Messrs. Jacobs, Platt and Sweeney—3.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 75—An Act to provide a more uniform valuation and assessment of property in this State.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Graham moved that Assembly Bill No. 111 be taken from the table.

Lost.

Senate Bill No. 69—An Act for the relief of the Reno Water, Land and Light Company.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—26.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Coryell, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Holmes and Platt—5.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 131 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Assembly Bill No. 98—An Act to provide for the payment by the State of Nevada for certain indebtedness incurred during the Spanish-American War.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Burke, Jacobs, Johnson, Nelson, Parker and Skaggs—6.

Absent—Messrs. Coryell, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Holmes and Platt—5.

Assembly Bill No. 106.

Ordered engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 67—An Act for the relief of J. G. Taylor.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—29.

NAYS—Mr. Allen.

Absent—Mr. Platt.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 13, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 47, which was this day lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 6; nays, 8; absent, 1.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 95, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none, absent, 2.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 81, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 1; absent, 1.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 103, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 125, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate this day concurred

in the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 82 by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, none; absent, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 78—An Act regulating the purchase of supplies by the State of Nevada and the several counties of the State—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 1; absent, 1.

Also, Senate Bill No. 92—An Act in relation to moving the Pavilion building at Reno, and authorizing the sale of Pavilion lot of land at Reno, Nevada—which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 2; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 79—An Act to provide for the construction and furnishing a building for hospital purposes in connection with the Hospital for Mental Diseases of the State of Nevada, and making an appropriation therefor.

Placed at bottom of file.

Senate Bill No. 54.

Laid on the table.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32—An Act regulating in this State pool selling on horse racing.

Amendment to Section 1 by Mr. Allen: "All pool sellers on any race track of this State shall pay a weekly license of twenty-five dollars to be collected as other licenses are at the present time."

Adopted.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—26.

NAYS—Messrs. Jacobs, Parker and Peckham—3.

Absent—Messrs. Johnson and Platt—2.

Mr. Wilson moved that a Joint Resolution be passed, ordering the flag on the Capitol building placed at half mast out of respect to the memory of ex-President Harrison.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 88.

Mr. Dickerson moved the bill be laid on the table.

Roll call asked by Messrs. Skaggs, Paul and Coryell.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster and Mr. Speaker—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Coryell, Paul, Skaggs, Whitacre and Wilson—7.

Absent—Messrs. Conaway, Corbett, Johnson and Platt—4.

Senate Bill No. 73—An Act requiring the payment of losses sustained by holders of fire insurance policies.

Read third time.

Mr. Parker moved a recess until 2 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Speaker.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Nelson (by leave):

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 25, relative to adjournment *sine die*.

Rejected.

Mr. Platt moved a committee of three be appointed to draft resolutions of respect to the memory of the late ex-President Harrison.

Carried.

Messrs. Platt, Burke and Skaggs were appointed as such committee.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Wilson (by unanimous consent):

Assembly Bill No. 132—An Act to amend an Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for free public libraries, and other matters relating thereto," approved March 16, 1895.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 92—An Act in relation to moving the Pavilion building at Reno, and authorizing the sale of Pavilion lot of land at Reno.

Introduced out of order by unanimous leave, rules suspended, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

Senate Bill No. 78—An Act regulating the purchase of supplies by the State of Nevada, and the several counties of the State.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 17, relative to determining the boundary line between California and Nevada.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and considered referred to and reported favorably from the Committee on Federal Relations.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Engrossment beg leave to report that they have carefully compared Assembly Bill No. 106 with the engrossed copy thereof and find the same correctly engrossed.

W. S. DICKERSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Substitute for Senate Bill No. 84 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same without recommendation.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration Assembly Bill No. 132, and beg leave to report favorably on same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

RESOLUTIONS OF THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA EXPRESSIVE OF SORROW ON LEARNING THE DEATH OF EX-PRESIDENT BENJAMIN HARRISON.

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of Nevada, in session assembled, has been informed of the death of ex-President Benjamin Harrison, at his home in Indianapolis, Indiana, on the 14th day of this month; and

WHEREAS, His distinguished services to the Nation as a citizen, soldier and statesman, and in all the walks of life, have deserved for him the admiration, love and grateful regard of an appreciative people; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the people of the State of Nevada, through their representatives here assembled, deeply realize and mourn the loss our country has sustained in the death of Benjamin Harrison; and further

Resolved, That the Governor of the State forward an engrossed copy of these resolutions to the bereaved family of the dead statesman and patriot.

SAMUEL PLATT,
R. E. SKAGGS,
A. J. BURKE,
Assembly Committee.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

By Mr. Allen (by unanimous consent):

Assembly Bill No. 133—An Act appropriating fifteen hundred dollars for taking up old and replacing new water pipe for State water works.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Wilson moved that Assembly Bill No. 132 be now taken up.
Lost.

Senate Bill No. 73.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Section 7 of the printed bill be stricken out.
Carried.

Mr. Skaggs moved to lay the bill on the table.

Roll call asked for by Messrs. Allen, Wilson and Skaggs.

Roll called, and motion lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson and Whitacre—15.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Coryell, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Jacobs, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—16.

Previous question moved by Messrs. Platt, Van Duzer and Wilson.

Motion carried, roll called, and bill lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Coryell, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Nelson, Paul, Platt, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—13.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Webster and Whitacre—18.

Senate Bill No. 49—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to create a Board of County Commissioners in the several counties of this State, and to define their duties and powers,' approved March 8, 1865," approved February 27, 1869.

Returned to Washoe County Delegation.

Assembly Bill No. 131—An Act regulating the fee for filing articles of incorporation in the office of the Secretary of State.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—21.

NAYS—None.

ABSENT—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Holmes, Parker, Platt, Raftice, Summerfield and Mr. Speaker—10.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 14, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate has this day concurred in the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 74 by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate has this day refused to concur in the Assembly amendment to Senate Bill No. 40 by the following vote on concurrence: Yeas, none; nays, 15.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Senate Bill No. 40 be taken up out of order. Carried.

Mr. Nelson moved that the House recede from its amendments.

Roll called, and Assembly receded by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Dickerson, Henningsen and Johnson—4.

ABSENT—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, Paul, Sweeney, Webster and Wilson—9.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 14, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Joint Resolution No. 18—Resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, expressive of sorrow on learning the death of ex-President Harrison—which was this day read in, and unanimously adopted by, the Senate.

Also, Senate Joint and Concurrent Memorial No. 1, to the Senate and House of Representatives, which was this day adopted by the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 88, which was this day lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 4; nays, 11.

Also, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

Also, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 115, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 10; nays, 5.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 84, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 10; nays, 5.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 120, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, 1; absent, 1.

Also, Judiciary Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, which this day was lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 4; nays, 11.

Also, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15, which this day was read and adopted in the Senate.

Also, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, 2; absent, 1.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Joint and Concurrent Memorial to the Senate and House of Representatives.

Under suspension of rules, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee on Indian and Military Affairs.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 79—An Act to provide for the construction and furnishing a building for hospital purposes in connection with the Hospital for Mental Diseases of the State of Nevada, and making an appropriation therefor.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitaker and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Henningsen, Raftice and Wilson—3.

Absent—Messrs. Parker and Stinson—2.

Not voting—Mr. Allen.

Mr. Summerfield moved a recess until 7 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 7 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Jacobs.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture have had Senate Bill No. 92 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

N. NELSON,
Chairman.

Assembly Bill No. 106—An Act to provide for the payment of a bounty to encourage the boring of wells in searching for oil, natural gas, and artesian water in the State of Nevada.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Jacobs, Johnson and Whitacre—3.

Mr. Wilson moved, by leave, that Assembly Bill No. 52 be withdrawn from free conference, and placed on the top of the file.

Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Federal Relations have had Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 17 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

E. P. HOLMES,
Chairman.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 132—An Act to amend an Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to free public libraries, and other matters relating thereto," approved March 16, 1895.

Under emergency provision of the Constitution, bill considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Jacobs, Johnson and Whitacre—3.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 84.

Mr. Henningsen moved to lay the bill on the table.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 56—An Act making trespass upon patented mining claims a misdemeanor, and providing a punishment for the same.

Mr. Skaggs moved to lay the bill on the table.

Lost.

Amendment by Mr. Peckham: Add Section 3: "The provisions of this Act shall only apply to counties that cast between four hundred and four hundred and twenty-five votes for Member of Congress, at the general election in 1900."

Amendment adopted.

Bill read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—28.

NAYS—Mr. Skaggs.

Absent—Messrs. Heidenreich and Jacobs—2.

Senate Bill No. 92—An Act in relation to removing the Pavilion building at Reno, and authorizing the sale of Pavilion lot of land at Reno, Nevada.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—23.

NAYS—Mr. Johnson.

Absent—Messrs. Burke, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, Skaggs, Stinson and Whitacre—7.

Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 17, relative to determining the boundary line between California and Nevada.

Read third time, and adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster and Mr. Speaker—26.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Burke, Jacobs, Skaggs, Whitacre and Wilson—5.

Mr. Allen moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider such matters as may come before it.

Carried.

Mr. Allen in the chair.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 8:55 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred the following bills, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report as follows:

On Assembly Bill No. 117, unfavorably, with recommendation that it do not pass.

On Senate Bill No. 75, unfavorably, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

On Assembly Bill No. 116, unfavorably, with the recommendation that it do not pass.

On Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17, favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

On Assembly Bill No. 133, favorably, with recommendation that it do pass.

On Senate Bill No. 67, favorably, with recommendation that it do pass as amended.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. Dickerson moved to reconsider Senate Bill No. 71.

Lost.

Mr. Webster moved that Senate Bill No. 60 be taken from the table.

Point of order raised that question is not debatable.

Chair sustained point of order.

Mr. Paul moved that rules in relation to debate on above question be suspended.

Lost.

Roll call asked on motion of Mr. Webster, by Messrs. Paul, Webster and Summerfield.

Roll called, and motion lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Summerfield, Webster and Wilson—9.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Whitacre and Mr. Speaker—21.

Absent—Mr. Jacobs.

Assembly Bill No. 117.

Laid on the table.

Senate Bill No. 75—An Act to provide for a more uniform valuation and assessment of property in this State.

Mr. Dickerson moved to lay the bill on the table.

Roll call asked for by Messrs. Coryell, Raftice and Platt.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Corbett, Dickerson, Graham, Heidenreich, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Skaggs, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Hastings, Henningsen, Platt, Raftice and Stinson—8.

Absent—Messrs. Allen and Jacobs—2.

Not voting—Mr. Paul.

Assembly Bill No. 52.

Reported from Conference Committee with amendment.

Mr. Wilson moved the House adopt the amendment.

Amendment adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—26.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Dickerson, Jacobs, Paul and Summerfield—5.

Assembly Bill No. 116—An Act to create a State Board of Equalization of the State of Nevada, define their duties, provide for their compensation, and district the State.

Mr. Corbett moved the bill be laid on the table.

Roll call asked for by Messrs. Raftice, Nelson and Stinson.

Motion carried by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Skaggs, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—19.

NAYS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Coryell, Henningsen, Platt, Raftice and Stinson—7.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Dickerson, Jacobs, Paul and Summerfield—5.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17, relative to the appointment of a Revenue Commission.

Mr. Whitacre moved that the amendment offered by the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Roll call asked for by Messrs. Raftice, Skaggs and Van Duzer.

Motion lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Corbett, Coryell, Johnson, Nelson, Paul, Raftice, Skaggs, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—14.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Conaway, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney and Mr. Speaker—15.

Absent—Messrs. Dickerson and Jacobs—2.

Mr. Van Duzer moved that the resolution be considered engrossed.

Carried.

Resolution by Mr. Burke (by leave):

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 26, relative to adjournment *sine die*.

Mr. Burke moved the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Allen moved to amend by striking out the words "12 m." and inserting in lieu thereof the words "3 p. m."

Amendment adopted.

Resolution, as amended, adopted.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 133—An Act appropriating fifteen hundred dollars for taking up of old and replacing new water pipe on the State water works.

Considered engrossed, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raffice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—30.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Mr. Jacobs.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means have had Assembly Bill No. 63 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Mr. Platt moved to adjourn until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Carried.

House adjourned at 10:30 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FIFTY-FOURTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Friday), March 15, 1901.

House convened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. R. L. Macfarlane.

Journal of fifty-third day read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration Senate Bill No. 42 and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

MARION S. WILSON,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 14, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 16, and to inform your honorable body that the Senate refused to concur in the Assembly amendment by the following vote: Yeas, none; nays, 15.

Also, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24, which was this day adopted by the unanimous vote of the Senate.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution No. 16, amending the Constitution of the State of Nevada by adding an Article thereto (passed as amended by Assembly; Senate refused to concur in Assembly amendment).

Assembly receded by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Sweeney and Whitacre—14.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Corbett, Dickerson, Hastings, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend and Webster—13.

Absent—Messrs. Jacobs, Raftice, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—4.

Senate Bill No. 67—An Act to determine who shall perform the duties of Bailiff of the Supreme Court of the State of Nevada, and fixing the compensation for his services, and to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the appointment and compensation of Bailiff of the Supreme Court," approved March 6, 1899.

Reported from Committee of the Whole with amendments.

Amendments adopted.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Cocks, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Whitacre and Wilson—24.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Burke, Corbett, Dickerson, Nelson, Parker, Webster and Mr. Speaker—7.

Mr. Van Duzer moved that the House take a recess until 11:30 a. m.
Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 11:30 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Mr. Stinson moved that Assembly Bill No. 116 be taken from the table.

Carried.

Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Bill No. 116 be taken up for consideration.

Mr. Platt moved to amend by referring the bill to Committee of the Whole.

Amendment lost, and motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 116—An Act to create a State Board of Equalization of the State of Nevada, define their duties, provide for their compensation, and district the State.

Amendment by Mr. Skaggs: In line 2, Section 3, strike out the word "taxpayer," and insert in lieu thereof the word "citizen."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Raftice: In lines 2 and 4, Section 5, strike out the word "four," and insert in lieu thereof the word "two."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Wilson: In line 2, Section 6, strike out the sum "\$1,800," and insert in lieu thereof the sum "\$1,200."

Amendment to amendment by Mr. Allen: Strike out the sum "\$1,200," and insert in lieu thereof the sum "\$800."

Amendment to amendment lost.

Amendment of Mr. Wilson adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Allen: In line 2, Section 7, strike out the sum "\$600," and insert in lieu thereof the sum "\$300."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Allen: After the first comma, in line 15, Section 8, insert the word "it."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Nelson: Add to Section 8: "*Provided*, that nothing herein shall be construed so as to impair the right of the Board of Equalization of any county to equalize taxes as now provided by law."

Amendment laid on the table.

Amendment by Mr. Allen: In line 4, Section 10, insert after the word "corporation" the word "operating."

Adopted.

Mr. Nelson moved the bill be laid on the table.

Lost.

Mr. Skaggs moved a recess until 1:30 p. m.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 1:30 p. m.

Roll called.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

All present.

Reading of Assembly Bill No. 116 continued.

Amendment by Mr. Allen: In line 5, Section 15, insert after the word "the" the word "county."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Allen: In line 10, Section 15, insert before the word "Board" the word "State."

Adopted.

Bill considered engrossed.

Mr. Van Duzer raised the point of no quorum.

Roll called, and quorum found to be present.

Mr. Van Duzer raised another point of no quorum.

Roll called, and no quorum present.

Mr. Platt moved to adjourn.

Mr. Sweeney moved to amend by taking a recess for two minutes.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2:32 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Mr. Parker.

Previous question moved by Messrs. Wilson, Sweeney and Allen.

Motion carried.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Dickerson, Hastings, Heidenreich, Paul, Platt and Summerfield—8.

Not voting—Messrs. Raftice, Skaggs and Whitacre—3.

Resolution by Mr. Nelson (by leave):

Resolved, That all debate on any one question be limited to five minutes.

Adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Military and Indian Affairs have had Senate Joint and Concurrent Memorial No. 1 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

R. E. SKAGGS,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary have had Senate Bill No. 78 under consideration, and beg leave to report favorably on the same, with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee—the Ormsby Delegation—have had Assembly Bills Nos. 114, 119 and 118 under consideration, and beg leave to report the same back unfavorably,

and with the recommendation that they do not pass, for the reason that the Committee do not agree.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
SAMUEL PLATT,
THOS. J. HEIDENREICH.

Mr. Allen moved the rules be suspended, and that he be allowed to introduce a bill.

Carried.

By Mr. Allen:

Assembly Bill No. 134—An Act to fix the State tax levy, and to distribute the same to the proper funds.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, rules further suspended under emergency rule, and placed on top of file.

Carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 134.

Considered engrossed, read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Henningsen, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—25.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Dickerson, Heidenreich, Holmes, Peckham and Webster—6.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 14, 1901. }

To the Honorable Senate and Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 40, which was this day, upon recommendation of the Free Conference Committee, amended and passed as amended by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none. Amendments are attached by rider.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 131, which this day, under the emergency provision of the Constitution, passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 15, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 132, which, under the emergency provision of the Constitution, this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 15, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate this day concurred in the Assembly amendment to Senate Bill No. 56 by the following vote on concurrence: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 130, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 122, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Judiciary Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 128, which was this day lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 8; nays, 7.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 124, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote:
Yeas, 15; nays, none.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 15, 1901 }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate has this day concurred in the Assembly amendment to Senate Bill No. 67 by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 98, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, none.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 133, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote:
Yeas, 14; nays, none; absent, 1.

Also, Assembly Bill No. 106, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote:
Yeas, 11; nays, 1; absent, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 95 and 85, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 15, and Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 17, relative to revising the revenue laws, and authorizing a commission for that purpose.

Mr. Skaggs moved to lay the resolution on the table.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 63—An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners for the Care of the Insane to purchase an undivided one-fourth interest in and to the Sullivan water ditch, in Washoe county, Nevada.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Dickerson, Parker and Stinson—4.

Senate Bill No. 42—An Act to amplify the powers and duties of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—None.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend and Mr. Speaker—18.

Not voting—Messrs. Raftice and Skaggs—2.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Burke, Cocks, Coryell, Dickerson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Stinson, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—11.

Mr. Allen moved to suspend the rules and introduce a bill.

Carried.

By Mr. Allen (by unanimous consent):

Assembly Bill No. 135—An Act to provide for the salaries and expenses of the members of the State Board of Equalization in the State of Nevada.

Read first time, rules suspended, read second time by title, and referred to Committee of the Whole.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 78—An Act to regulate the purchase of supplies by the State of Nevada.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—24.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Coryell, Dickerson, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson and Whitacre—7.

Mr. Sweeney moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 114, 118 and 119 be laid on the table.

Carried.

Senate Joint and Concurrent Memorial No. 1—Memorial to the Senate and House of Representatives.

Read third time, and adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Townsend, Webster, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—24.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Coryell, Dickerson, Platt, Sweeney and Whitacre—7.

Mr. Allen moved the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole, to consider such matters as may come before it.

Carried.

Mr. Allen in the chair.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 3:35 p. m.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole have had Assembly Bill No. 135 under consideration, and report the same back favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Adopted.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Assembly Bill No. 135.

Considered engrossed.

Under emergency clause of the Constitution, placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Burke, Conaway, Coryell, Graham, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—21.

NAYS—Messrs. Cocks, Corbett, Hastings, Platt and Summerfield—5.

Absent—Messrs. Dickerson, Heidenreich, Johnson, Paul and Mr. Speaker—5.

Assembly Bill No. 40.

Reported from Free Conference Committee with amendment.

Assembly concurred in the amendment by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Nelson, Parker, Peckham, Platt, Skaggs, Stinson, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre and Wilson—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Paul and Summerfield—2.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Johnson, Raftice and Mr. Speaker—4.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 129, 56, 101, 109, 123, 103 and 83 with the engrossed copies, and find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Webster moved that Senate Bill No. 84 be taken from the table.
Carried.

Senate Bill No. 84.

Placed on third reading and final passage, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster and Whitacre—25.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Brooks, Parker, Platt, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—6.

Mr. Skaggs moved a recess until 7 o'clock.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 7 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks and Parker.

Mr. Webster moved that Senate Bill No. 44 be taken from the table.
Carried.

Senate Bill No. 44—An Act providing for the appointment of a State Live Stock Inspector, defining his duties and fixing his compensation.

Mr. Skaggs moved that Senate Bill No. 44 be rereferred to the Committee of the Whole.

Carried.

Mr. Skaggs moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Senate Bill No. 44.

Carried.

Mr. Skaggs in the chair.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 7:33 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 44, have had

the same under consideration, and report the same favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass.

R. E. SKAGGS,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. Wilson moved the bill be laid on the table.

Lost.

Mr. Nelson moved that Section 8 be stricken out of the bill.

Mr. Jacobs moved, as an amendment, that the amendment be laid on the table.

Lost.

Motion of Mr. Nelson carried.

Mr. Nelson moved that Section 12 be stricken out.

Lost.

Read third time, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Jacobs, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Summerfield, Sweeney and Webster—13.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Conaway, Dickerson, Henningsen, Johnson, Nelson, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—13.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Holmes and Parker—4.

Not voting—Mr. McDonell.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bills Nos. 124, 52, 131, 81, 125, 120, 115 and 84, also Assembly Joint Resolutions Nos. 20 and 19, also Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 24, also Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 130, with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 15, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that Assembly Bill No. 116 has been laid on the table in the Senate, and that the following Senators have been appointed as Senate members of a Free Conference Committee to confer with a like committee from your honorable body relative to revenue measures now pending in the Senate and Assembly: Senators Pitt (Chairman), Jackson and Martin.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Resolution by Mr. Wilson:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 27, relative to adjournment.

Mr. Allen moved to amend by making the time of adjournment at 12 m., March 16, 1901.

Mr. Skaggs moved the resolution be laid on the table.

Lost.

Amendment of Mr. Allen adopted.

Mr. Jacobs moved an adjournment until to-morrow at 9 o'clock.

Carried.

House adjourned at 8:35 p. m.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

FIFTY-FIFTH DAY.

CARSON CITY (Saturday), March 16, 1901.

House in session at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Messrs. Burke, Cocks, Parker and Paul.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. R. L. Macfarlane.

Journal of the fifty-fourth day read and approved.

Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Van Duzer moved that Senate Bill No. 75 be taken from the table.
Carried.

Senate Bill No. 75—An Act to provide for a more uniform valuation and assessment of property in this State.

Amendment by Mr. Van Duzer: In line 2, Section 1, strike out the words "State Controller," and insert in lieu thereof the word "Governor."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Van Duzer: Add to Section 1: "*Provided*, any taxpayer under the provisions of this Act shall not be deprived of any remedy or redress, by law now in force, relating to the payment of taxes."

Adopted.

Amendment to the amendment by Mr. Platt: After the word "redress" insert the words "in a court of law"; strike out the words "by law now in force."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Skaggs: In line 1, Section 1, strike out the words "County Assessors," and insert in lieu thereof the words "Chairmen of the Boards of County Commissioners."

Amendment lost.

Amendment by Mr. Van Duzer: In Section 2 strike out the words "State Controller," except in line 3, wherever it appears, and insert the word "Governor"; strike out the words "or his deputy," and insert in lieu thereof the words "Governor's Secretary."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Van Duzer: In line 3, Section 3, strike out the words "State Controller" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Governor."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Van Duzer: In line 2, Section 4, strike out the

words "State Controller" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Governor."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Allen: In line 1, Section 17, strike out the words and figures "four thousand (\$4,000) dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "three thousand (\$3,000) dollars."

Adopted.

Amendment by Mr. Peckham: Amend Section 2 by inserting the following: Between the word "business" and the word "and" in line 6, and after the word "majority," in the same line, insert the word "vote." "In all matters requiring a vote the respective counties will be entitled to the following number of votes, to be cast by their respective Assessors: Churchill county, one vote; Douglas county, one vote; Elko county, five votes; Eureka county, two votes; Esmeralda county, one vote; Humboldt county, four votes; Lander county, two votes; Nye county, one vote; Lincoln county, one vote; Lyon county, two votes; Ormsby county, two votes; Storey county, two votes; Washoe county, five votes; White Pine county, one vote. In case of a tie vote, the Governor to cast the deciding vote."

Mr. Sweeney moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Carried.

Amendment by Mr. Skaggs: In Section 2, line 6, strike out the word "majority," and insert in lieu thereof the words "two-thirds majority."

Mr. Holmes moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Carried.

Previous question moved by Messrs. Holmes, Heidenreich and McDonell.

Motion carried.

Roll called, and bill passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Graham, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Holmes, McDonell, Paul, Platt, Raftice, Stinson, Sweeney, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Hastings, Jacobs, Johnson, Peckham, Skaggs, Summerfield, Townsend and Webster—8.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Dickerson and Parker—4.

Not voting—Mr. Nelson.

Mr. Paul of the Enrolling Committee obtained leave to withdraw Assembly Bill No. 81 for correction.

Mr. Jacobs moved that Senate messages be taken up out of order.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 16, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate this day concurred in the Assembly amendment to Substitute for Senate Bill No. 84 by the following vote: Yeas, 12; nays, none; absent, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 127, which was this day lost in the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 1; nays, 11; absent, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 15, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 134, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 11; nays, 1; absent, 3.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 16, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to present for the consideration of your honorable body Senate Bill No. 35, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 15, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved and deposited with the Secretary of State:

Assembly Bill No. 71—An Act amendatory of and supplemental to an Act entitled "An Act to regulate proceedings in criminal cases in the courts of justice in the Territory of Nevada."

Assembly Bill No. 20—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act to prevent the dissemination of contagious diseases among sheep."

Assembly Bill No. 49—An Act to prohibit the sale of ardent spirits to Indians.

Assembly Bill No. 47—An Act fixing the salaries and compensation of county officers of Lander county, Nevada.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, relative to the maintenance of a mail route between Austin, Lander county, and Potts, Nye county, Nevada.

Assembly Bill No. 67—An Act to amend section one of an Act entitled "An Act relating to the National Guard," approved February 28, 1899.

REINHOLD SADLER,
Governor.

REPORTS OF ENROLLING COMMITTEE.

ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, DR.

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|---------------------|---------|
| To Miss Tanner..... | \$4 25 |
| To Miss Lawson..... | 38 00 |
| To Miss Fish..... | 32 84 |
| To A. C. Pratt..... | 3 00 |
| Total..... | \$78 09 |

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Enrollment beg leave to report that it has been necessary to employ extra clerks to complete the work of the Enrollment Committee; therefore be it

Resolved, That the sum of \$78 09 is hereby appropriated out of the Legislative Fund for the payment of the claims of parties as above set forth.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman Enrolling Committee.

Approved: A. P. JOHNSON,
Chairman Committee on Contingent Expenses and Accounts.

Mr. Paul moved that the report of the Enrolling Committee be adopted, and that warrants be drawn for the amounts.

Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONTINGENT EXPENSES AND ACCOUNTS.

ASSEMBLY, TWENTIETH SESSION,

To J. M. BENTON, DR.

March 16—To ice from March 11th to 16th..... \$2 00

Approved: A. P. JOHNSON.

Mr. Skaggs moved a recess until 1:30 p. m.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 1:30 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Corbett, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Henningsen, Parker and Whitacre.

Mr. Wilson moved a recess of twenty minutes.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 1:40 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Henningsen and Parker.

Mr. Johnson moved that the report of the Committee on Contingent Expenses and Accounts be adopted.

Carried.

Mr. Paul moved to take up Senate messages out of order.

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 16, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate this day concurred in the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 75 by the following vote on concurrence: Yeas, 13; nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS.

Senate Bill No. 35—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of a State Live Stock Inspector, defining his duties, and fixing his compensation," became a law March 22, 1899.

Rules suspended, reading had considered first reading, rules further suspended, bill read second time by title, and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

By Mr. Sweeney (by unanimous consent):

Assembly Bill No. 136—An Act relative to making application to Congress to call a National Convention to determine the question of the election of Senators by direct vote of the people.

Rules suspended, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, read second time by title, rules further suspended, and, under the emergency clause of the Constitution, placed on final passage.

Carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Mr. Sweeney moved that Assembly Bill No. 136 be considered engrossed.

Carried.

Read third time, and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Burke, Conaway, Corbett, Coryell, Dickerson, Graham, Hastings, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, Johnson, McDonell, Nelson, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Summerfield, Sweeney, Townsend, Webster, Whitacre, Wilson and Mr. Speaker—27.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Henningsen and Parker—4.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Bills Nos. 134, 122, 40, 133, 98, 132 and 106 with the engrossed copies, find the same correctly enrolled, and have this day delivered the same to the Governor.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

Mr. Jacobs moved that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Senate Bill No. 35, with the Speaker pro tem. in the chair.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 2:18 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 35, have had the same under consideration, and report the same favorably, with the recommendation that it do pass.

H. H. CORYELL,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. Jacobs moved that, under the emergency clause, Senate Bill No. 35 be placed on third reading and final passage.

Carried.

Senate Bill No. 35—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of a State Live Stock Inspector, defining his duties, and fixing his compensation," became a law March 22, 1899.

Read third time, and lost by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Burke, Corbett, Hastings, Heidenreich, Holmes, Jacobs, McDonell, Paul, Peckham, Platt, Summerfield, Sweeney, Webster and Mr. Speaker—14.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Conaway, Graham, Johnson, Raftice, Skaggs, Stinson, Townsend and Whitacre—9.

Absent—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Dickerson, Henningsen, Parker and Wilson—6.

Not voting—Messrs. Coryell and Nelson—2.

By Mr. Holmes:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28, relative to adjournment.

Read and adopted.

Mr. Platt arose and presented the Speaker with a token of esteem from the members and attachés.

Mr. Van Duzer, in a few well chosen and appropriate remarks, accepted the token, and thanked the members.

The Speaker pro tem. was invited to a seat at the side of the Speaker.

Mr. Summerfield presented the Speaker pro tem. with a token of remembrance from the members and attachés.

Mr. Coryell accepted the gift, and thanked the donors for the token, and expressed his appreciation.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

SENATE CHAMBER,
CARSON CITY, NEVADA, March 16, 1901. }

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to return to your honorable body Assembly Bill No. 136, which this day passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 13: nays, none; absent, 2.

C. H. McINTOSH,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Platt asked that Mr. Allen address the members, and the Speaker resigned the chair in favor of Mr. Allen.

Mr. Allen took the chair and feelingly referred to his connection with the Assembly.

Resolution by Mr. Sweeney:

Resolved, That the thanks of the House be, and they are hereby tendered to the Hon. C. D. Van Duzer, Speaker of the House, for the uniform courtesy and dignified ability with which he has presided over the deliberations thereof.

Resolution unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

By Mr. Stinson:

Resolved, That the thanks of the House be and the same are hereby extended to Hon. H. H. Coryell, Speaker pro tem., for the able and courteous manner in which he has discharged his duties during the present session.

Unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

By Mr. Raftice:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Assembly be and they are hereby extended to the attachés of this body, for their close attention to the duties required of them, and the able manner in which they have discharged the same.

Adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

By Mr. Raftice:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Assembly be, and they are hereby extended to E. L. Bingham, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, for the able and gentlemanly manner in which he has performed his duties, and the kindly favors granted to members of this body.

Unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Senators Bell, Pitt and Flanigan, who announced that the Senate would adjourn at 3:30 p. m.

Mr. Sweeney moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the Governor, and inform him that the Assembly would adjourn at 3:30 p. m.

Carried.

Messrs. Sweeney, Summerfield and Wilson were appointed to wait on the Governor.

Mr. Allen moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the Senate, and inform them, that the Assembly would adjourn at 3:30 p. m.

Carried.

Messrs. Allen, Platt and Raftice were appointed to wait on the Senate.

The Committee appointed to wait on the Senate appeared at the bar of the House, and reported their duty discharged.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Enrolled Bills have carefully compared Assembly Enrolled Bill No. 136, with the engrossed copy and find the same correctly enrolled.

FRANK PAUL,
Chairman.

The committee appointed to wait on the Governor, appeared at the bar of the House and reported their duty performed; that he (the Governor) had no communications, and that he extended his congratulations to the members of the Assembly.

Mr. Skaggs moved that a committee of three be appointed to read and approve the Journal of to-day.

Carried.

Messrs. Platt, Sweeney and Heidenreich were appointed to read and approve the Journal.

Mr. Skaggs moved a recess for five minutes.

Carried.

HOUSE IN SESSION

At 3 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the chair.

Roll called.

Quorum present.

Absent (by leave)—Messrs. Brooks, Cocks, Henningsen and Parker.

Benediction by Rev. J. W. Dorrance.

The hour of 3:30 having arrived, the Assembly was declared adjourned *sine die*.

Approved:

C. D. VAN DUZER,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: E. L. BINGHAM,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

JAMES G. SWEENEY,
SAMUEL PLATT,
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Appointed on Special Committee, 3.

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Answered to name, 1.

Appointed on Special Committee, 3.

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- J. P. Robb, elected, 2.

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- W. P. Harrington, elected, 3.

MULDOON, EDWARD—

- Elected Page, 3.

McDONELL, DAN, STOREY—

- Answered to name, 1.
- Appointed on Standing Committee, 10.
- Introduced bills, 44, 48.

McDONOUGH, B. C.—

- Elected Assistant Chief Clerk, 3.

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NELSON, NELS, HUMBOLDT—

- Answered to name, 1.
- Appointed on Special Committee, 10.
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- Introduced bills, 12, 32, 65.
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- Edward Muldoon, elected, 3.

PARKER, W. H., LANDER—

- Answered to name, 1.
- Appointed on Standing Committees, 10, 11.
- Introduced bills, 21, 48, 76, 77.
- Introduced resolutions, 70.

PAUL, FRANK, WHITE PINE—

- Answered to name, 1.
- Appointed on Special Committees, 3, 12, 137.
- Appointed on Standing Committees, 10, 11.
- Introduced bills, 40, 59, 105, 162, 181.
- Introduced resolutions, 52, 132, 196.
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PECKHAM, G. E., WASHOE—

- Answered to name, 1.
- Appointed on Special Committee, 123.
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- Answered to name, 1.
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- Ed. Blanchard, elected, 3.

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- Answered to name, 1.
- Appointed on Special Committees, 3, 12, 41, 242.
- Appointed on Standing Committees, 10.
- Introduced bills, 53, 135, 140, 184.
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ROBB, J. P.—

- Elected Messenger, 3.

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R. R. Crawford, elected, 3.

SKAGGS, R. E., ELKO—

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WHITACRE, E. H., LYON—

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