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| 1 | An Act relating to the establishment, maintenance, government and operation of public and private schools in the State of Nevada; providing for state and local administrative organization of the public schools; creating certain departments, commissions and boards and defining their powers and duties; providing for the finances and financial support of the public schools; providing for a system of public instruction, courses of study and the adoption and use of textbooks; providing for the certification, employment and retirement of teachers and other personnel in the public schools; providing for the transportation, health, safety and attendance of pupils and the care, management and control of public school property; regulating private schools; providing for the education of the deaf, dumb and blind; providing penalties for violations hereof; repealing certain acts and parts of acts; and other matters properly relating thereto. Committee on Education. 8, 9, 26, 48, 53, 55, 56, 57, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 102, 103, 104, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 126, 127, 128, 130, 131. |
| 2 | An Act to amend the title of and to amend an act entitled "An Act authorizing the governing authorities of counties, incorporated cities, school districts, and unincorporated towns and cities of the State of Nevada to fund or refund existing indebtedness by the issuance and sale of funding or refunding bonds; providing for the levying and collection of taxes for the payment thereof, and other matters relating thereto," approved March 26, 1937. Committee on Education. 9, 28, 29, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 88, 125. |
| 3 | An Act to amend the title of and to amend an act entitled "An Act relating to bonds issued by counties, cities, towns, school districts, and other municipal corporations, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved March 23, 1927. Committee on Education. 9, 28, 29, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 88, 125. |
| 4 | An Act to amend the title of and to amend an act entitled "An Act relating to bond elections, providing for the manner of holding the same, defining the duties of certain persons in relation thereto, and other matters properly relating thereto," approved March 16, 1937, and to repeal a certain act. Committee on Education. 9, 28, 29, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 88, 125. |
| 5 | An Act to amend the title of and to amend an act entitled "An Act relating to the state university and matters properly connected therewith," approved February 7, 1887. Committee on Education. 9, 28, 29, 32, 33, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 89, 125. |
| 6 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act regulating the fiscal management of counties, cities, towns, school districts, and other governmental agencies or political subdivisions of the State of Nevada; repealing certain acts and parts of acts, and other matters properly connected herewith," approved March 28, 1953. Committee on Education. 9, 10, 28, 29, 52, 53, 78, 92, 125. |
| 7 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to regulate traffic on the highways of this state, to provide punishment for violation thereof, to make exceptions in certain cases, and other matters properly connected therewith," approved March 21, 1925, and to repeal a certain act. Committee on Education. 10, 28, 32, 40, 45, 60, 78, 86, 91, 125, 126. |
| 8 | An Act to repeal an act entitled "An Act providing that bonds authorized to be issued by the board of trustees of any school districts within the State of Nevada having a population of five thousand people or more for the purpose of erecting and furnishing school buildings may mature in such annual amounts over a period of not exceeding twenty years from the date of issue as may be determined by the board of trustees of the school district, and giving priority to the taxes to be levied for the payment of such bonds," approved March 27, 1947. Committee on Education. 10, 28, 29, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 89, 125. |
| 9 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to define judicial officers and offices and school officers and offices, and to declare them nonpartisan, and to provide that the names of candidates for such offices shall appear alike upon all ballots at primaries and general elections," approved March 22, 1917. Committee on Education. 10, 28, 29, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 89, 125. |
| 10 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act relating to elections," approved March 24, 1917. Committee on Education. 10, 28, 29, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 91, 125. |
| 11 | An Act to amend the title of and to amend an act entitled "An Act regulating the registration of electors for general, special, and primary elections," approved March 27, 1917. Committee on Education. 10, 11, 28, 32, 49, 50, 51, 52, 79, 86, 125. |

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| 12 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act concerning District Attorneys," approved March 11, 1865. Committee on Education. 11, 28, 29, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 89, 125. |
| 13 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act regulating the nomination of candidates for public office in the State of Nevada," approved March 23, 1917. Committee on Education. 11, 28, 29, 32, 38, 45, 60, 78, 86, 91, 92, 125. |
| 14 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act relating to the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles upon highways and to make uniform the law relating thereto, providing for a board of examiners therefor, defining the duty of certain officers and other persons in relation thereto, and other matters properly relating thereto," approved March 31, 1941, and to repeal a certain act. Committee on Education. 11, 28, 32, 40, 45, 47, 48, 54, 78, 86, 92, 97, 99, 125. |
| 15 | An Act to amend the title of and 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 and qualifications, authorizing the levy of license taxes for revenue purposes, defining certain duties of county auditors as regards their accountability to the boards of county commissioners, and prescribing the duties of such county auditors as regards a monthly detailed report to certain school districts as to the condition of the funds of such districts, prescribing certain duties of the district attorneys, and other matters properly relating thereto," approved March 8, 1865. Committee on Education. 11, 28, 30, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 89, 90, 125. |
| 16 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to provide for free public libraries in counties, and other matters relating thereto," approved March 21, 1925. Committee on Education. 11, 28, 30, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 90, 125. |
| 17 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to authorize provision for or extension of county library service through contracts with existing county libraries," approved March 22, 1945. Committee on Education. 12, 28, 30, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 90, 91, 125. |
| 18 | An Act providing a method for the establishment of free public libraries in cities and unincorporated towns; providing a procedure for the formation of county library districts and the establishment of free public libraries therein; providing for the levy of taxes for the support and maintenance of free public libraries; providing for the appointment of library trustees and their powers and duties; creating certain county library districts; repealing certain acts; and other matters properly relating thereto. Committee on Education. 12, 28, 30, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 91, 125. |
| 19 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act providing for the incorporation of cities, their classification, the establishment and alteration of their boundaries, the government and disincorporation thereof, and repealing all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict therewith," approved March 27, 1907. Committee on Education. 12, 28, 32, 38, 45, 59, 60, 99, 113. |
| 20 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act authorizing the transfer of public libraries in certain counties of this state," approved March 26, 1929. Committee on Education. 12, 28, 30, 39, 43, 52, 60, 78, 86, 90, 125. |
| 21 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to provide a method for voting at any general, special or primary elections by qualified voters who by reason of the nature of their vocation or business or other causes are unavoidably absent from the polls in the county of their residence on the day of election, providing penalties for the violation thereof, and other matters properly connected therewith," approved March 11, 1921. Committee on Judiciary. 18, 38, 45, 60, 78, 79, 85, 125. |
| 22 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act authorizing the board of county commissioners of Clark County to issue and sell bonds for the purpose of constructing a new courthouse or altering the present courthouse of Clark County; providing for the payment thereof and the interest thereon by levy and collection of tax; and providing that such bonds shall not be issued until approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon at the next election called in Clark County," approved March 22, 1955. Clark County Delegation. 18, 30, 32, 38, 66, 86. |
| 23 | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to provide for the organization and operation of a flood control district in Lincoln County, Nevada; defining the powers of such district, and providing for the financing of the same by assessments, loans, and otherwise; providing for the incurring of indebtedness by Lincoln County to provide funds for advancement to the district, and for the levy of taxes to repay such loans, and matters connected thereto," approved March 27, 1947. Lincoln County Delegation. 19, 28, 30, 38, 39, 93. |
| 24 | An Act providing an additional and supplemental appropriation for traveling expenses of the district judges for the biennium ending June 30, 1957. Committee on Ways and Means. 19, 30, 32, 38, 39, 72. |

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| 26..... | An Act providing for the acquisition by the State of Nevada at the City of Reno of a joint armory and community building for training the Nevada National Guard, for large assemblages and for public events; providing for the issuance of bonds therefor by the County of Washoe and the City of Reno subject to the approval of the electors therein; providing details concerning the authorization and issuance of such bonds and their redemption by tax levies; delineating powers, rights, privileges, immunities and duties in connection with the acquisition, operation and maintenance of the building, of the state treasurer, the state board of military auditors, the board of county commissioners of the county, the city council of the city, the state planning board, its chairman and secretary, the adjutant general of the state, the chairman of the board of county commissioners, the mayor of the city, and the attorney general of the state; prescribing other details concerning the building, the bonds, and the taxes; and concerning other matters properly relating thereto. Washoe County Delegation. 19, 55, 59, 70, 71, 99, 113. |
| 27..... | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act fixing the compensation of the county officers of Lander County, Nevada, regulating the employment and compensation of deputies and other employees of said officers, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," approved March 13, 1953. Swackhamer. 29, 34, 36, 43, 45, 46, 66, 86. |
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| 29..... | An Act providing for the construction and installation of solitary confinement cells at the Nevada state prison; providing for a boundary, topography and utility survey of the lands and buildings comprising the Nevada state prison (exclusive of prison farm); making appropriations therefor; defining certain duties of the state planning board; and other matters properly relating thereto. Committee on Ways and Means. 35, 42, 50, 59, 60, 110, 132. |
| 30..... | An Act providing for the retirement of bonds issued pursuant to chapter 434, Statutes of Nevada 1955, and making an appropriation therefor; designating the duties of certain state officers in connection therewith; providing for the transfers of certain funds; and other matters properly relating thereto. Committee on Ways and Means. 35, 42, 50, 59, 60, 110, 132. |
| 31..... | An Act appropriating the sum of \$50,000 to the state planning board revolving fund, and other matters relating thereto. Committee on Ways and Means. 36, 42, 50. |
| 32..... | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act creating a board to be known as the state planning board, defining its duties, powers, and jurisdiction, and making an appropriation for the expenses thereof, and other matters properly relating thereto," approved March 22, 1937. Committee on Ways and Means. 36, 42, 50. |
| 33..... | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act relating to Marriage and Divorce," approved November 28, 1861. Jepson. 36, 66, 70, 71, 72. |
| 34..... | An Act providing an additional and supplemental appropriation to the state welfare department for the support of old-age assistance for the biennium ending June 30, 1957. Jepson. 36, 96, 99, 100, 101, 109, 125. |
| 35..... | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to regulate certain fees of county clerks in the State of Nevada and to repeal acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved March 27, 1947. Jepson. 36, 66, 70, 71, 72, 87. |
| 36..... | An Act to provide an additional and supplemental appropriation for the support of the state planning board for the biennium ending June 30, 1957. Committee on Ways and Means. 44, 100, 103, 104, 111, 125. |
| 37..... | An Act to provide an additional and supplemental appropriation for the support of the statute revision commission for the biennium ending June 30, 1957. Committee on Ways and Means. 44, 58, 59, 70, 99, 113. |
| 38..... | An Act to repeal an act entitled "An Act to amend an act entitled 'An Act concerning public schools of the State of Nevada, establishing and defining certain crimes and providing punishment therefor, and repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating thereto,' approved March 15, 1947," approved March 29, 1955; and other matters properly relating thereto. Crawford. 44, 45. |

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| 40..... | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act concerning public schools of the State of Nevada, establishing and defining certain crimes and providing punishment therefor, and repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating thereto," approved March 15, 1947. Crawford. 45. |
| 41..... | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act providing for the incorporation of cities, their classification, the establishment and alteration of their boundaries, the government and disincorporation thereof, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved March 27, 1907. Clark County Delegation. 46, 54, 59, 70, 71, 110, 132. |
| 42..... | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to authorize municipalities to issue bonds for the purpose of paying the cost of municipal improvements for which special assessments are levied," approved March 13, 1909. Clark County Delegation. 46, 54, 59, 70, 71, 110, 112, 132. |
| 43..... | An Act appropriating \$236,610.96 from the general fund and \$41,420 from the state highway fund for the purpose of supplementing moneys heretofore appropriated by the 47th session of the legislature for the payment of salaries and wages of employees in the classified service of the State of Nevada; authorizing the state board of examiners to disburse the same; and other matters properly relating thereto. Pozzi and Hunter. 57, 100, 103, 104, 111, 120, 121, 125. |
| 44..... | An Act authorizing and empowering the board of trustees of the Washoe County School District of the State of Nevada to issue and sell negotiable coupon bonds of Washoe County School District for specific purposes until January 1, 1957, without the consent of the electors; limiting the amounts of bonds which may be issued and sold; providing a procedure for the issuance and sale of such bonds; providing when this act shall expire; and other matters properly relating thereto. Washoe County Delegation. 61, 87, 93, 102, 106, 108, 128. |
| 45..... | An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act relating to and providing for the general welfare of the State of Nevada and of the people thereof by providing for compulsory old-age assistance to needy aged persons in this state, as defined and provided for in this act; defining certain terms; designating the single state agency of this state to supervise the administration thereof, and defining the authority and duties thereof; providing for cooperation with the government of the United States in furnishing such pensions or assistance pursuant to the provisions of the so-called social security act of Congress, approved August 14, 1935; designating the boards, and other agencies, authorized to administer and supervise the administration of such assistance and defining the authority and duties thereof; defining the minimum amount of such need and assistance to each such needy aged person and the qualifications for eligibility therefor; authorizing the making and promulgation of rules and regulations relating to the administration of this act; providing for the establishment of certain state and county funds and regulating the expenditures therefrom; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; repealing a certain act and all other acts and parts of acts of this state in conflict herewith; and other matters relating thereto," enacted by the people on November 7, 1944. Jepson. 61, 62, 96, 99, 108, 109, 125. |
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PERSONNEL OF THE NEVADA ASSEMBLY

Special Session, 1956

<i>County</i>	<i>Name and party</i>	<i>P. O. Address</i>
Churchill.....	Norman Shuey (R).....	Fallon
	C. B. Stark, Sr. (R).....	Fallon
Clark.....	William Byrne (D).....	225 Water St., Henderson
	M. J. Christensen (D).....	827 S. Seventh St., Las Vegas
	E. J. Dotson (D).....	1127 Barnard St., Las Vegas
	William Embry (D).....	Mesquite
	Maude Frazier (D).....	1940 Ballard Dr., Las Vegas
	Tom Godbey (D).....	609 Ave. L., Boulder City
	George Harmon (D).....	110 E. Bonanza Rd., Las Vegas
	Stan Irwin (D).....	1929 Griffith St., Las Vegas
	George Von Tobel (R).....	203 E. Imperial, Las Vegas
Douglas.....	Henry Berrum (R).....	Gardnerville
Elko.....	Jack J. Hunter, Jr. (D).....	237 Pine St., Elko
	J. F. McElroy (D).....	683-1st St., Elko
	Hugh D. McMullen (R).....	101 Court St., Elko
	Robert O. Vaughan (R).....	Prof. Bldg., Elko
Esmeralda.....	Henry G. Carlson (D).....	Goldfield
Eureka.....	John H. Murray (R).....	Eureka
Humboldt.....	Lyle L. Ellison (R).....	Home Ranch, Orovida
	Donald M. Leighton (D).....	590 W. 2d St., Winnemucca
Lander.....	W. D. Swackhamer (D).....	Battle Mountain
Lincoln.....	Cyril O. Bastian (D).....	Hiko
	Hazel B. Denton (D).....	Caliente
Lyon.....	Bruce Barnum (D).....	Yerington
	John F. Giomi (D).....	Smith Valley
Mineral.....	Charles A. Hendel (R).....	P. O. Box 1245, Hawthorne
	Bruce M. Parks (D).....	361 Baker St., Hawthorne
Nye.....	Norman E. Hanson (R).....	Gabbs
	Glenn H. Jones (D).....	Tonopah
Ormsby.....	Archie Pozzi, Jr. (R).....	1711 North Division St., Carson City
	Richard L. Waters, Sr. (D).....	Carson City
Pershing.....	Thomas Ivers (D).....	Lovelock
Storey.....	Michael R. Nevin (D).....	Virginia City
Washoe.....	Gary J. Adams (R).....	830 Ryan Lane, Reno
	Chester S. Christensen (D).....	974 Pyramid Way, Sparks
	Don Crawford (D).....	Vya, Nevada, via Cedarville, California
	Manford I. Hardesty (D).....	1325 Charles Dr., Reno
	Mabel Isbell (R).....	1235 Sharon Way, Reno
	Oscar D. Jepson (D).....	934 F St., Sparks
	Thomas Kean (R).....	643 Joaquin Miller Dr., Reno
	Rodney J. Reynolds (R).....	641 Donner Dr., Reno
	Clarence Ruedy (R).....	312 Mill St., Reno
	James E. Wood (R).....	735 Balzar Circle, Reno
White Pine.....	A. C. Barr (D).....	1121 Lyons Ave., Ely
	L. M. Hose (D).....	1201 Mill St., Ely
	Darwin Lambert (D).....	244 Fay Ave., Ely
	Max R. Wainwright (D).....	220 16th St., Ely

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Assembly of the State of Nevada

SPECIAL SESSION 1956

THE FIRST DAY

CARSON CITY (Monday), February 6, 1956.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and Statutes, the Special Session was called to order by Secretary of State John Koontz, at 12 noon.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Arthur S. Kean.

The Secretary of State appointed Mr. Briscoe C. Honea as temporary Sergeant-at-Arms.

Roll called. Messrs. Adams, Barnum, Barr, Bastian, Berrum, Byrne, Carlson, Christensen (Washoe), Christensen (Clark), Crawford, Mrs. Denton, Messrs. Dotson, Ellison, Embry, Miss Frazier, Messrs. Giomi, Godbey, Hanson, Hardesty, Harmon, Hendel, Hose, Hunter, Irwin, Mrs. Isbell, Messrs. Ivers, Jepson, Jones, Kean, Lambert, Leighton, McElroy, McMullen, Murray, Nevin, Parks, Pozzi, Reynolds, Ruedy, Shuey, Stark, Swackhamer, Vaughan, Von Tobel, Wainwright, Waters and Wood.

All present.

The Secretary of State appointed Messrs. Waters, McElroy, Dotson, Embry, Adams, Berrum and Shuey as a Temporary Committee on Legislative Functions to examine credentials.

The Secretary of State announced a 15-minute recess while the credentials were examined by the Temporary Committee on Legislative Functions.

Recess at 12:05 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 12:15 p. m.

The Secretary of State in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Secretary of State:

Your Committee on Legislative Functions has had the credentials of Mr. James E. Wood, of Washoe County, and Mr. Bruce M. Parks, of Mineral County, under consideration, and begs leave to report that the said Mr. James E. Wood, of Washoe County, and Mr. Bruce M. Parks, of Mineral County, are duly appointed and qualified members of the Assembly of the 1956 Special Session of the Legislature of the State of Nevada.

RICHARD L. WATERS, SR., *Chairman.*

Mr. Waters moved the adoption of the report.

Motion carried.

The Secretary of State appointed Messrs. Dotson, Hunter and Vaughan as a Committee on Escort to escort Chief Justice Merrill of the Supreme Court of Nevada to the rostrum to administer the oath of office to the new members.

The Temporary Sergeant-at-Arms announced that the Committee on Escort with Chief Justice Merrill were at the bar of the Assembly.

Chief Justice Merrill was escorted to the rostrum by the Committee on Escort.

The Secretary of State asked that the new members of the Assembly rise and receive the oath of office.

Chief Justice Merrill administered the oath of office to Mr. Bruce M. Parks, from Mineral County, and Mr. James E. Wood, from Washoe County.

Mr. Leighton moved that the Chief Justice be given a unanimous vote of thanks for administering the oath.

Motion carried unanimously.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag led by Mr. Leighton.

The Secretary of State instructed the Chief Clerk to call the roll.

Roll called. Messrs. Adams, Barnum, Barr, Berrum, Byrne, Carlson, Christensen (Washoe), Christensen (Clark), Crawford, Mrs. Denton, Messrs. Dotson, Ellison, Embry, Miss Frazier, Messrs. Giomi, Godbey, Hanson, Hardesty, Harmon, Hendel, Hose, Hunter, Irwin, Mrs. Isbell, Messrs. Ivers, Jepson, Jones, Kean, Lambert, Leighton, McElroy, McMullen, Murray, Nevin, Parks, Pozzi, Reynolds, Ruedy, Shuey, Stark, Swackhamer, Vaughan, Von Tobel, Wainwright, Waters, Wood and Mr. Speaker.

All present.

The Secretary of State announced that there would be no temporary organization of the Assembly, and that all nominations would be for permanent appointment.

The Secretary of State declared that nominations were in order for Speaker.

Mr. Barr nominated Mr. Cyril O. Bastian for Speaker.

Mr. Christensen (Clark) moved that nominations be closed.

Motion carried.

The Secretary of State declared Mr. Bastian to be Speaker of the Assembly.

The Secretary of State appointed Messrs. McElroy and Wood to escort the Speaker to the rostrum.

The Secretary of State congratulated Mr. Speaker and presented the gavel to him.

Messrs. McElroy and Wood escorted the Secretary of State to the bar of the Assembly.

Mr. Speaker remarked as follows:

"I want to thank you people for this honor in placing me here. All I can say is that I will do my level best to serve you all in an unbiased manner, for the best interests of our State. I know that there will be mistakes made, but such mistakes are not intentional. I aim to be impartial and whatever advice or consultation is asked of me, I will cooperate with you all to the utmost. It will be my endeavor to keep things running smoothly."

Mr. Speaker declared nominations were in order for Speaker pro tem.

Mr. Hardesty nominated Mr. Chester S. Christensen (Washoe) as Speaker pro tem.

Mr. Christensen (Clark) moved that nominations be closed.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker declared Mr. Christensen (Washoe) to be Speaker pro tem of the Assembly.

Mr. Christensen remarked as follows:

"To the members of the Assembly, I thank you for the opportunity to serve you, and to assist Cyril again in this tremendous job."

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced that a committee from the Senate consisting of Senators Emminger, SeEVERS, and Slattery, was at the bar of the Assembly.

The committee reported that the Senate was organized and ready for business.

Mr. Speaker declared that nominations were in order for Chief Clerk.

Mr. Harmon nominated Mr. J. J. Cleary for Chief Clerk.

Mr. Waters moved that nominations be closed.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker declared Mr. J. J. Cleary to be Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

Mr. Speaker appointed Messrs. McElroy, Harmon and Wood as a committee to notify the Senate that the Assembly was organized and ready for business.

Mr. Speaker appointed Messrs. Dotson, Irwin and Adams as a committee to notify the Governor that the Assembly was organized and ready for business.

Mr. Waters moved that Mr. Speaker assign space at the press table to the following persons: Denver Dickerson, Las Vegas Evening

Review Journal and Television Station KZTV of Reno; Wallie Warren, Nevada State News; Bryn Armstrong, William Friel, John Sanford, Joseph R. Jackson, Paul Leonard, Reno Evening Gazette; Edward Olson and Theodore Wilson, Associated Press; Bob Smith, Nevada Appeal; Clark Bigler and Robert Bennyhoff, United Press; Frank Sullivan, and Joseph F. McDonald, Nevada State Journal; Chester Sobsey, Las Vegas Review Journal; Don Mitchell, Radio Station KWRN; Paula Day, Nevada State News; Neal Van Sooy, Carson City Appeal.

Motion carried.

Mr. Waters moved that Weld Arnold be assigned space at the press table representing the Nevada Appeal.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy reported that the committee had notified the Senate that the Assembly was organized and ready for business, and that the Senate would like to receive the Governor's message at 2:15 p. m.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly and Senate meet in Joint Session at 2:15 p. m. to receive the message of the Governor.

Motion carried.

Mr. Dotson reported that his committee had advised the Governor that the Assembly was organized and ready for business.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Standing Rules of the Assembly of the Forty-Seventh Session, as amended, be adopted by the Assembly of the Special Session of 1956.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that:

All new members must sign official oaths of office and withholding tax statements.

Attachés may not participate in the Public Employees Retirement System, since they are working less than 1,200 hours altogether during the span of the legislative session. The law provided that the members of the Legislature may participate in the Public Employees Retirement System.

Parking stickers authorizing free parking may be obtained in the office of the Legislative Counsel Bureau.

Mr. Ellison introduced his wife, Mrs. Lyle Ellison.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 12:45 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:10 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

Mr. Speaker appointed Messrs. McElroy and Wood as a committee to invite the Senate to meet in Joint Session with the Assembly to hear the Governor's Message.

Mr. Speaker appointed Messrs. Christensen (Washoe) and Ruedy to escort the President of the Senate, Lieutenant Governor Bell, to the rostrum.

Mr. Speaker appointed Messrs. Swackhamer and Berrum to escort the President pro tem of the Senate, Senator Settelmeyer, to the rostrum.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced that the President of the Senate and members of the Senate were at the bar of the Assembly.

Messrs. Christensen (Washoe) and Ruedy escorted the President of the Senate to the rostrum.

Messrs. Swackhamer and Berrum escorted the President pro tem of the Senate to the rostrum.

IN JOINT SESSION

At 2:28 p. m.

President of the Senate in the Chair.

The Secretary of the Senate called the roll of the Senate.

All present.

The Chief Clerk of the Assembly called the roll of the Assembly.

All present.

The President appointed Senator Settelmeyer and Assemblyman Christensen (Washoe) to wait upon His Excellency, Governor Russell.

The Sergeant-at-Arms informed the President that the Committee on Escort was at the bar of the Assembly.

Senator Settelmeyer and Assemblyman Christensen (Washoe) escorted His Excellency, Governor Russell to the rostrum.

The President welcomed His Excellency, Governor Russell, and asked him to deliver his message.

MESSAGE OF THE GOVERNOR TO THE SPECIAL SESSION OF 1956

STATE OF NEVADA

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER

CARSON CITY, February 7, 1956.

To the Honorable, the Senate and Assembly of the State of Nevada in Extraordinary Session:

The Constitution of the State, in Section 9, Article V, provides that the Governor may, on extraordinary occasions, convene the Legislature by proclamation.

I determined that such extraordinary condition exists to warrant the use of the authority and power conferred by the Constitution and, on January 17, 1956, issued my proclamation calling the Legislature into special session at 12 o'clock, noon, February 6, 1956.

It now is my duty and honor to advise you of those conditions which prompted the call and to define and limit the scope of your legislative endeavors. The Constitution, in Section 9, Article V, provides that, when a special session of the Legislature is convened the Governor shall state to both houses, when organized, the purpose for which they have been convened and the Legislature shall transact no legislative business except that for which they were especially convened, or such business as the Governor may call to the attention of the Legislature while it is in session.

The emergency which I deem of sufficient gravity to warrant calling you into special session concerns Nevada's greatest asset—its children.

SCHOOLS

One year ago you evidenced your intention of providing Nevada's boys and girls with the best possible education.

Following the adjournment of the 1955 regular session certain technicalities were discovered which would make an important part of the school legislation you adopted, and I signed, inoperative. Those technicalities were such as to set at naught your intentions of providing Nevada with the best possible school facilities. It is necessary those technicalities be corrected immediately so the schools of our State will function as you and I intended.

Remedial legislation has been prepared for adoption. Twenty-one bills have been drafted by the Legislative Bill Drafter, approved by the Attorney General and a firm of the nation's leading bonding attorneys. Nothing substantial has been added to the legislation you enacted a year ago. Nothing substantial has been deleted. They represent the same legislative intent you sought to enact one year ago.

I strongly urge that you adopt this legislation, which is ready for introduction. These bills have the unqualified endorsement of my School Survey Committee. It was the recommendation of that committee which resulted in the legislation you adopted one year ago. Nevada's school administrators also have endorsed this remedial legislation.

I further strongly recommend that no school legislation except that contained in the twenty-one remedial bills be considered and urge that you limit your consideration to enactment of the new School Code and the amendments to existing Acts necessary to supplement that Code.

UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA

Increased enrollment at the State's only institution of higher learning has posed an increasingly serious situation which must be met if the University of Nevada is to provide education in the fields of agriculture, engineering, mining, teaching, business and the arts and sciences to which the young men and women of Nevada are entitled.

In order that the University may meet its increasing needs from July 1, 1956 to the end of the current biennium, I recommend an emergency appropriation of \$619,223, to be allocated as follows: \$329,687 for increased salaries for staff other than classified personnel, \$239,536 for additional staff, and \$50,000 for library purposes.

STATE HOSPITAL

One year ago the Legislature recognized the need for providing better care for unfortunate aged persons under treatment at the Nevada State Hospital in approving a bond issue designed to defray the costs of construction of a geriatrics building.

Due to increasing construction costs and, frankly, due to a too low estimate given you at the 1955 session, the funds provided one year ago have been found to be insufficient to cover the cost of the structure as authorized and to meet federal hospital requirements.

In order that such elderly persons have the care and treatment you recognized as necessary, I recommend that you authorize issuance of an additional \$160,000 in bonds or a supplemental appropriation from the General Fund of an equal amount to insure the speedy construction of the geriatrics building.

SALARY ADJUSTMENTS

The efficient operation of Nevada's governmental machinery is dependent upon the retaining and obtaining of skilled and conscientious workers.

To obtain such workers it is necessary that the State compete with private industry as well as providing salaries comparable with those in other western states.

A survey which I requested be made by the Personnel Department has shown Nevada's pay scale is in need of adjustment.

On the basis of the results of that survey I am recommending an appropriation of \$236,610.96 from the General Fund to make the necessary adjustments effective from April 1, 1956 to the end of the current biennium.

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

All have been horrified by the unnecessary and constantly increasing death toll on the highways of our State.

One hundred and seventy-three persons died on Nevada's highways in 1955; in 1954 the death toll was 146 and in 1953 it was 145.

Records show speed has been the principal killer.

So that no stone may be left unturned in the battle against this needless slaughter, I am recommending that you establish a maximum speed limit on Nevada's highways of 65 miles per hour to be effective July 1, 1956.

To insure enforcement of such speed limit I recommend that the Highway Patrol be relieved of conducting drivers' license examinations by the addition of six persons to the Drivers' License Division.

CONCLUSION

It may be other amendments to sections of other laws and possibly even new legislation may become necessary to bring about consistency and insure the welfare of our State. If such occasions arise I will call your attention to the facts and recommend action.

As men and women concerned with private responsibilities each of you is here at a considerable financial sacrifice which the small remuneration you receive cannot begin to compensate but, none-the-less, this or any special session imposes an unexpected and heavy burden on the taxpayers.

I am sure each of you, and the taxpayers, recognize the urgency of the problems I have placed before you, and I am equally confident each of us will meet these responsibilities with expediency consistent with skill and honor.

We should, and I know we will, forget partisan politics in this hour when the welfare of our children and our State is at stake.

In order that we may accomplish our work in the shortest time possible, at the least expense to the taxpayers, let us each turn now to our appointed tasks.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. RUSSELL,
Governor.

Senator Lovelock moved that the Senate and the Assembly in Joint Session extend a vote of thanks to His Excellency, Governor Charles H. Russell.

Seconded by Senator Lemaire.

Motion carried.

The Committee on Escort, Senator Settelmeyer and Assemblyman Christensen (Washoe), escorted His Excellency, Governor Russell to the bar of the Assembly.

Senator Brown moved that the Joint Session be dissolved.

Seconded by Senator Lemaire.

Motion carried.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:40 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

Mr. Speaker announced that the Assembly will meet as a Committee of the Whole with members of the Senate in the Assembly Chamber at 7:15 p. m. to discuss pending school legislation.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Committee on Legislative Functions:

Assembly Resolution No. 1—Providing an allowance for each member of the Assembly of the 1956 Special Session of the Legislature for periodicals, stamps and stationery.

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That the sum to be allowed each member of the Assembly for the 1956 Special Session of the Legislature for periodicals, stamps and stationery, as provided by law, be the sum of \$30, and that the same be certified by the Speaker and the Chief Clerk to the State Controller.

Mr. Swackhamer moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Mr. Swackhamer.

Resolution adopted.

By Committee on Legislative Functions:

Assembly Resolution No. 2—Relating to the appointment of attachés.

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That the following-named persons be, and they are hereby, elected as attachés of the Assembly for the 1956 Special Session of the Legislature of the State of Nevada:

Susan B. Leyson, Muriel H. Elges, Katherine S. Mayhew, Robert D. Franks, Briscoe C. Honea, Paul Slade, Harold J. Berger, Luella L. Hess, Mildred N. Bray, Genevieve M. Holcomb, Pearl L. McElroy, Margaret E. Robsen, Evelyn M. Burke, Thelma L. Cobb, Madelyn Kurth, Arnold J. Gillie, Walter Pedlar, F. Martin Clayton, and Paulina E. Hardy.

Mr. Waters moved the adoption of the resolution.

Resolution adopted.

Mr. Reynolds moved that any further printing of the bills prepared and sent to the Legislature be dispensed with until such time as the bills have been discussed at the meeting tonight.

Motion carried.

Mr. Waters moved that the committees functioning at the 1955 Legislature be reinstated, and that Mr. Hose serve in the place of Mr. Mount on the various committees, and that Mr. Hose be named chairman of the Committee on Roads and Transportation.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 3:30 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 3:05 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 4:20 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 1—An Act relating to the establishment, maintenance, government and operation of public and private schools in the State of Nevada; providing for state and local administrative organization of the public schools; creating certain departments, commissions and boards and defining their powers and duties; providing for the finances and financial support of the public schools; providing for a

system of public instruction, courses of study and the adoption and use of textbooks; providing for the certification, employment and retirement of teachers and other personnel in the public schools; providing for the transportation, health, safety and attendance of pupils and the care, management and control of public school property; regulating private schools; providing for the education of the deaf, dumb and blind; providing penalties for violations hereof; repealing certain Acts and parts of Acts; and other matters properly relating thereto.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 2—An Act to amend the title of and to amend an Act entitled "An Act authorizing the governing authorities of counties, incorporated cities, school districts, and unincorporated towns and cities of the State of Nevada to fund or refund existing indebtedness by the issuance and sale of funding or refunding bonds; providing for the levying and collection of taxes for the payment thereof, and other matters relating thereto," approved March 26, 1937.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 3—An Act to amend the title of and to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to bonds issued by counties, cities, towns, school districts, and other municipal corporations, and repealing all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict therewith," approved March 23, 1927.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 4—An Act to amend the title of and to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to bond elections, providing for the manner of holding the same, defining the duties of certain persons in relation thereto, and other matters properly relating thereto," approved March 16, 1937, and to repeal a certain Act.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 5—An Act to amend the title of and to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to the state university and matters properly connected therewith," approved February 7, 1887.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 6—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act

regulating the fiscal management of counties, cities, towns, school districts, and other governmental agencies or political subdivisions of the State of Nevada; repealing certain Acts and parts of Acts, and other matters properly connected herewith," approved March 28, 1953.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 7—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate traffic on the highways of this State, to provide punishment for violation thereof, to make exceptions in certain cases, and other matters properly connected therewith," approved March 21, 1925, and to repeal a certain Act.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 8—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act providing that bonds authorized to be issued by the board of trustees of any school districts within the State of Nevada having a population of five thousand people or more for the purpose of erecting and furnishing school buildings may mature in such annual amounts over a period of not exceeding twenty years from the date of issue as may be determined by the board of trustees of the school district, and giving priority to the taxes to be levied for the payment of such bonds," approved March 27, 1947.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 9—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to define judicial officers and offices and school officers and offices, and to declare them nonpartisan, and to provide that the names of candidates for such offices shall appear alike upon all ballots at primaries and general elections," approved March 22, 1917.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 10—An Act to amend the title of and to amend an Act entitled "An Act regulating the registration of electors for general, special, and primary elections," approved March 27, 1917.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 11—An Act to amend the title of and to amend an Act entitled "An Act regulating the registration of electors for general, special, and primary elections," approved March 27, 1917.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 12—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act concerning District Attorneys," approved March 11, 1865.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 13—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act regulating the nomination of candidates for public office in the State of Nevada," approved March 23, 1917.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 14—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to the licensing of persons operating motor vehicles upon highways and to make uniform the law relating thereto, providing for a board of examiners therefor, defining the duty of certain officers and other persons in relation thereto, and other matters properly relating thereto," approved March 31, 1941, and to repeal a certain Act.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 15—An Act to amend the title of and 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 and qualifications, authorizing the levy of license taxes for revenue purposes, defining certain duties of County Auditors as regards their accountability to the Boards of County Commissioners, and prescribing the duties of such County Auditors as regards a monthly detailed report to certain school districts as to the condition of the funds of such districts, prescribing certain duties of the District Attorneys, and other matters properly relating thereto," approved March 8, 1865.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 16—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for free public libraries in counties, and other matters relating thereto," approved March 21, 1925.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 17—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to authorize provision for or extension of county library service through contracts with existing county libraries," approved March 22, 1945.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 18—An Act providing a method for the establishment of free public libraries in cities and unincorporated towns; providing a procedure for the formation of county library districts and the establishment of free public libraries therein; providing for the levy of taxes for the support and maintenance of free public libraries; providing for the appointment of library trustees and their powers and duties; creating certain county library districts; repealing certain Acts; and other matters properly relating thereto.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 19—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act providing for the incorporation of cities, their classification, the establishment and alteration of their boundaries, the government and disincorporation thereof, and repealing all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict therewith," approved March 27, 1907.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Education:

Assembly Bill No. 20—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act authorizing the transfer of public libraries in certain counties of this State," approved March 26, 1929.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 6:45 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 4:33 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 7 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to meet with a like committee from the Senate for the purpose of hearing Mr. Russell McDonald discuss the bills as

introduced by the Committee on Education, with Miss Frazier as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Motion carried.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Miss Frazier presiding.

Miss Frazier requested Senator Gallagher, Chairman of the Senate Committee on Education, to preside over the Committee of the Whole.

Senator Gallagher presided over the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee of the Whole was addressed by Mr. Russell McDonald, Statute Revision Director.

On motion of Mr. McElroy, the committee did rise, and report back to the Assembly.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 9:58 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole has heard Mr. Russell W. McDonald.

CYRIL O. BASTIAN, *Chairman.*

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Tuesday, February 7, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 10 p. m.

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE SECOND DAY

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), February 7, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:08 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Monsignor H. J. M. Wientjes.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole, to meet with a like committee from the Senate, for the purpose of hearing Mr. Russell W. McDonald, Statute Revision Director, with Miss Frazier, Chairman of the Committee on Education, as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Motion carried.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Miss Frazier presiding.

The Committee of the Whole heard Mr. Russell W. McDonald discuss the various bills introduced by the Committee on Education.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Committee of the Whole recess until 11:10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Committee in recess at 11 a. m.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

At 11:10 a. m.

Miss Frazier presiding.

The Committee of the Whole heard Mr. Russell W. McDonald.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Committee of the Whole recess until 1:30 p. m.

Motion carried.

Committee in recess at 12:08 p. m.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

At 1:47 p. m.

Miss Frazier presiding.

Discussion of bills introduced by the Committee on Education was continued.

On motion of Mr. McElroy, the committee did rise, and report back to the Assembly.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 4:05 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole has heard the members of the Governor's Special School Committee.

CYRIL O. BASTIAN, *Chairman.*

Chief Justice Merrill administered the oath of office, in the Senate Chambers, to the following attachés: Susan B. Leyson, Muriel H. Elges, Katherine S. Mayhew, Robert D. Franks, Briscoe C. Honea, Paul Slade, Harold J. Berger, Luella L. Hess, Mildred N. Bray, Genevieve M. Holcomb, Pearl L. McElroy, Evelyn M. Burke, Thelma L. Cobb, Madelyn Kurth, Arnold J. Gillie, F. Martin Clayton, Paulina E. Hardy and J. J. Cleary.

Mr. Barnum introduced Mrs. Walter Whitacre and Mrs. Harrod, and members of the eighth grade of Yerington Grammar School.

Mr. Giomi introduced Mr. Fred Bennett, representative of Dayton School District No. 2.

Mr. Christensen (Washoe) introduced members of the P.T.A. of the Kate M. Smith School, Sparks, Nevada, Mrs. M. Hawkins, Unit President, Mrs. G. E. Rock, Legislative Chairman, Mrs. E. E. Baglin, Mrs. M. J. Bisagna, Mrs. William E. Leonard and Miss Opal Calhoun.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 7 p. m.
Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 4:05 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 7:20 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of hearing the opinion of the Governor's Special School Committee on the pending school legislation, with Mr. Speaker as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Motion carried.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Mr. Speaker presiding.

The Committee of the Whole was addressed by the members of the Governor's Special School Committee.

On motion of Mr. McElroy, the committee did rise, and report back to the Assembly.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 9:58 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole has heard the members of the Governor's Special School Committee.

CYRIL O. BASTIAN, *Chairman.*

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Wednesday, February 8, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 10 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,

Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,

Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE THIRD DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), February 8, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:05 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend John D. Ward.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF NEVADA

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER

Carson City, February 8, 1956.

To The Honorable The Assembly:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 9, Article V of the Constitution which provides the Governor may request the Legislature, when convened in extraordinary session, to consider other matters than those previously enumerated, I am, therefore, recommending for your consideration the following:

1. A bill to amend the 1921 Absent Voters Law to clarify the voting rights of Nevada residents within the District of Columbia.

2. A bill to provide a supplemental appropriation of \$5,000 for traveling expenses of District Judges.

3. A bill to amend the 1929 Brand Inspection Law requiring brand inspection before consignment for slaughter or transfer of ownership in a brand inspection district.

4. A bill providing for the acquisition of a joint armory and community building at Reno and the issuance of the City of Reno and Washoe County bonds therefor.

5. A bill to amend the 1955 Act authorizing sale of bonds for the Clark County Courthouse and confirming proceedings heretofore taken.

6. A bill amending the 1903 Reno City Charter to define the city's boundaries.

7. A bill to amend the 1947 Lincoln County Flood Control District Act by defining cooperation and action in conjunction with the United States Government and authorizing the levy of a special tax.

8. A bill providing for the transfer of water, water rights and ditch rights to the University of Nevada and to authorize the Board of Regents to enter into agreements and to take other action with respect to water, water rights and ditch rights.

9. A bill amending the 1953 Lander County Salary Act to provide for increases and compensation for county officers.

10. A bill to appropriate \$2,651.01 for payment of costs allowed and taxed against the Public Service Commission in an action brought against the Commission in Federal Court by the California Electric Power Company.

Bills providing for this legislation have been prepared for introduction.

CHARLES H. RUSSELL, Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 7, 1956.

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1:

Mr. Speaker ordered a roll call vote on Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

Roll call.

YEAS—42.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Dotson, Irwin, Ivers, Shucy—4.

Not voting—Adams.

Resolution adopted and ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for five minutes.

Assembly in recess at 10:17 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 10:27 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By Committee on Judiciary:

Assembly Bill No. 21—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide a method for voting at any general, special or primary elections by qualified voters who by reason of the nature of their vocation or business or other causes are unavoidably absent from the polls in the county of their residence on the day of election, providing penalties for the violation thereof, and other matters properly connected therewith," approved March 11, 1921.

Mr. Leighton moved that the bill be referred to a Joint Committee of Judiciary and Elections.

Motion carried.

By Clark County Delegation:

Assembly Bill No. 22—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Clark County to issue and sell bonds for the purpose of constructing a new courthouse or altering the present courthouse of Clark County; providing for the payment thereof and the interest thereon by levy and collection of tax; and providing that such bonds shall not be issued until approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon at the next election called in Clark County," approved March 22, 1955.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Clark County Delegation.

Motion carried.

By Lincoln County Delegation:

Assembly Bill No. 23—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the organization and operation of a Flood Control District in Lincoln County, Nevada; defining the powers of such district, and providing for the financing of the same by assessments, loans, and otherwise; providing for the incurring of indebtedness by Lincoln County to provide funds for advancement to the district, and for the levy of taxes to repay such loans, and matters connected thereto," approved March 27, 1947.

Mrs. Denton moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Lincoln County Delegation.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Ways and Means:

Assembly Bill No. 24—An Act providing an additional and supplemental appropriation for traveling expenses of the District Judges for the biennium ending June 30, 1957.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Messrs. Adams, Hardesty, Kean, Reynolds, Ruedy, Wood, and Mrs. Isbell:

Assembly Bill No. 25—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to incorporate the town of Reno, in Washoe County, and defining the boundaries thereof, and to authorize the establishing of a city government therefor, and other matters relating thereto," approved March 16, 1903.

Mr. Ruedy moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Reno members of the Washoe County delegation.

Motion carried.

By Washoe County Delegation:

Assembly Bill No. 26—An Act providing for the acquisition by the State of Nevada at the City of Reno of a joint armory and community building for training the Nevada National Guard, for large assemblages and for public events; providing for the issuance of bonds therefor by the County of Washoe and the City of Reno subject to the approval of the electors therein; providing details concerning the authorization and issuance of such bonds and their redemption by tax levies; delineating powers, rights, privileges, immunities and duties in connection with the acquisition, operation and maintenance of the building, of the State Treasurer, the State Board of Military Auditors, the Board of County Commissioners of the county, the City Council of the city, the State Planning Board, its chairman and secretary, the Adjutant General of the State, the chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, the mayor of the city, and the Attorney General of the State; prescribing other details concerning the building, the bonds, and the taxes; and concerning other matters properly relating thereto.

Mr. Ruedy moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Washoe County Delegation.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Speaker announced that he was appointing a Special Committee to study any new bills to determine whether or not such bills are within our prerogative and conforms to the message of the Governor, outlining the legislation that will be considered at this Special Session. Members of this Special Committee to study any new bills are Messrs. Leighton, Dotson and Vaughan.

Mr. Speaker appointed Mr. Chester Christensen (Washoe) as a member of the Interim Building Committee, named in the 1955 Session of the Legislature, to supervise construction of new state buildings.

Mr. Speaker instructed the Chief Clerk to read the following communication:

The members of the Assembly and their escorts, the attachés of the Assembly and their escorts, are extended a hearty invitation to be Enrico's guests at a spaghetti dinner, Wednesday, February 8, 1956, at 7 p. m.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 10:55 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:05 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 8, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 1.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING

Senate Bill No. 1.

Mr. McElroy moved that all rules be suspended, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, bill considered engrossed, declared an emergency measure under the Constitution, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Motion carried unanimously.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Messrs. Byrne, Barr, Reynolds, Hanson, Jepson, Von Tobel, Godbey, Harmon, Bastian, Embry, Dotson, Wainwright, Hose, Hendel, Mrs. Denton, Messrs. Jones, Nevin, Wood, Miss Frazier, Messrs. Christensen (Clark), Hunter and Carlson:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1—Expressing gratitude and commending the offices of Legislative Bill Drafting Department and Attorney General for their work in drafting new school legislation for the State of Nevada.

WHEREAS, The 1956 Special Session of the Nevada Legislature was convened primarily to consider legislation which would overcome presently existing legal difficulties concerning county school districts and their finances; and

WHEREAS, Through the office of the Legislative Bill Drafting Department, with the assistance of the office of the Attorney General, 21 bills were drafted, one of which sets forth an entirely new school code of 131 pages, and these bills have now been introduced in both houses of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, It is the desire of the 1956 Special Session of the Nevada Legislature to express its gratitude to the offices of the Legislative Bill Drafting Department and the Attorney General; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, the Senate Concurring, That the 1956 Special Session of the Legislature does hereby express its gratitude to and commend Mr. Russell W. McDonald, Legislative Bill Drafter, and Mr. William N. Dunseath, Chief Deputy Attorney General, on the time expended and fine work done in drafting the new school legislation; and be it further

Resolved, That the members of both houses of the 1956 Special Session of the Legislature do hereby commend Mr. Russell W. McDonald for his time spent in addressing the members and his excellent and painstaking explanation of the features of the proposed new school code; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be delivered to Mr. Russell W. McDonald and Mr. William N. Dunseath.

Mr. Byrne moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Mr. Byrne.

Resolution adopted unanimously.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 1.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 1:

YEAS—41.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Embry, Ivers, Jepson, Parks, Shuey, Wood—6.

Senate Bill No. 1 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Speaker appointed a special Screening Committee composed of Messrs. Byrne, Dotson, Parks, Adams and Pozzi, to pre-screen any suggested amendments proposed for the school legislation, to determine that there is no duplication of proposed amendments, and that such proposed amendments do conform with the message received from the Governor.

Mr. Speaker announced that the amendments submitted to the special Screening Committee are to receive priority when they are given to the Bill Drafter, Mr. Russell McDonald.

Mr. Speaker announced that the suggested amendments are to be typed, giving full reference as to Article, line number, page number, and are to be signed by the Assemblyman submitting the suggested amendment to the special Screening Committee.

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Mr. Christensen (Washoe) moved that proposed amendments for the

school legislation now before us be presented to the special Screening Committee prior to 7 p. m., February 9, 1956.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that Floor Leaders had been appointed by the members of the caucus held February 5, 1956, and Mr. J. F. McElroy is the Majority Leader, and Mr. James E. Wood, the Minority Leader.

Mr. Speaker announced the membership of Assembly Standing Committees, for the Special Session, 1956, with the chairman named first on each committee, as follows:

AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION

Giomi, Crawford, Ivers, Embry, Berrum, Ellison, McMullen.

AVIATION

Hunter, Leighton, Jones, Reynolds, Murray.

BANKS, BANKING AND CORPORATIONS

Dotson, Crawford, Hardesty, Jepson, Wood, Kean, Shuey.

BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION

Ivers, Wainwright, Christensen (Washoe), Hendel, Reynolds.

CIVIL DEFENSE

Christensen (Clark), Lambert, Christensen (Washoe), Hendel, Murray.

COUNTIES AND COUNTY BOUNDARIES

Nevin, Carlson, Barr, Wood, Ruedy.

EDUCATION

Frazier, Denton, Giomi, Ivers, Byrne, Stark, Pozzi, Adams, Murray.

ELECTIONS

Harmon, Barr, Carlson, Murray, Berrum.

FEDERAL RELATIONS

Godbey, Lambert, Wainwright, Hendel, Stark.

FISH AND GAME

Barr, Embry, Hose, Godbey, Parks, Shuey, Murray, McMullen, Ellison.

INSURANCE

McElroy, Waters, Dotson, Kean, McMullen.

INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS AND PUBLIC LANDS

Jones, Godbey, Lambert, Hendel, Ellison.

JUDICIARY

Leighton, Dotson, McElroy, Hardesty, Lambert, Vaughan, Adams, Kean, Wood.

LABOR

Jepson, Godbey, Byrne, Barr, Hanson, Von Tobel, Reynolds.

LEGISLATIVE FUNCTIONS

Waters, Embry, McElroy, Dotson, Adams, Wood, Shuey.

LIVESTOCK

McElroy, Crawford, Lambert, Giomi, Ellison, Stark, Vaughan.

MILITARY AND INDIAN AFFAIRS

Crawford, Barnum, Harmon, Hendel, Ruedy.

MINES AND MINING

Carlson, Barnum, Hose, Nevin, Jones, Ellison, Hanson, Isbell, Hendel.

PUBLIC HEALTH AND PUBLIC MORALS

Byrne, Harmon, Parks, Isbell, Stark.

ROADS AND TRANSPORTATION

Hose, Embry, Parks, Christensen (Washoe), Hanson, Von Tobel, Wood.

SOCIAL WELFARE

Hardesty, Denton, Wainwright, Godbey, Isbell, Reynolds, Von Tobel.

STATE INSTITUTIONS

Barnum, Waters, Parks, Nevin, Hendel, Isbell, Adams.

STATE LIBRARIES

Denton, Wainwright, Harmon, Pozzi, Ruedy.

STATE PUBLICITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Lambert, Irwin, Waters, Berrum, Ruedy.

TAXATION

Embry, Waters, Harmon, Jones, Von Tobel, Vaughan, Kean.

VETERANS AFFAIRS

Hose, Godbey, Byrne, Giomi, Hanson, Pozzi, Vaughan.

WAYS AND MEANS

Swackhamer, Christensen (Clark), Frazier, Irwin, Hunter, Christensen (Washoe), Shuey, Berrum, Ruedy, Pozzi, McMullen.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Thursday, February 9, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 2:43 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,

Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE FOURTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Thursday), February 9, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:06 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Harold W. Borhauer.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Mr. Irwin:

Assembly Resolution No. 3—Memorializing the Governor of the State of Nevada not to submit the Sales and Use Tax Act of 1955 to the 1956 Special Session of the Nevada Legislature for amendment.

WHEREAS, The effectiveness and potentialities of the Sales and Use Tax Act enacted by the Nevada Legislature in 1955 have not yet been proven, and the maximum benefits of the tax have not yet been realized; and

WHEREAS, The educational and social welfare programs, materially advanced by the use of the receipts of the sales and use tax, stand as a burning beacon and have maintained the confidence of the people of this State in their legislators, and the people's certain course of action will be to defeat the referendum measure at the coming November election, thereby supporting the action of the Legislature in 1955 in enacting the tax; and

WHEREAS, There is no evil in the existence of a surplus in the General Fund, which surplus can be employed by the coming Regular Session of the Legislature to bring about a tax adjustment based upon logical revision and honest study of experience, proven facts and figures; and

WHEREAS, Any existing surplus can best be used for advancing the causes of social welfare to improve in some small measure the ways of life of those unfortunate members of our society who suffer disabilities and infirmities; and

WHEREAS, The estimated increased costs of state assistance for elementary and secondary education in the public schools for the biennium 1957-1959 is from \$7,000,000 to \$9,000,000, resulting in the only logical conclusion that no source of revenue should be curtailed, amended or made inoperative in any percentage or degree; and

WHEREAS, The sales and use tax is an "ideal" tax, a substantial portion of the revenues therefrom being paid by tourists; and

WHEREAS, The sales and use tax costs the average family of four persons in this State less than the cost of one package of cigarettes a day, thus resulting in the best and highest single source of tax revenue; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That the Governor be, and he hereby is, memorialized not to submit the Sales and Use Tax Act of 1955 to the 1956 Special Session of the Nevada Legislature for amendment.

Mr. Irwin moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Messrs. Byrne, Barr, Swackhamer, Shuey, Lambert,

Parks, Godbey, Harmon, Christensen (Washoe), Irwin, Wood, Dotson, Stark, Vaughan and Hendel.

Resolution adopted.

By Mr. Crawford:

Assembly Resolution No. 4—Memorializing the Department of Highways of the State of Nevada to proceed with a survey of the route of State Highway No. 81 in order to enable Washoe County to proceed to improve and pave such state highway route.

WHEREAS, State Highway Route No. 81, extending from Gerlach, Nevada, to the Nevada state line was open and being used during the several times this winter and for several winters past while other highway routes; namely, U. S. Highways Nos. 40, 40-A, Alternate No. 50, and U. S. Highway No. 395, and others to the Pacific Coast were closed by storms and severe inclement weather; and

WHEREAS, The merchants of Gerlach and Eagleville have reported that from 50 to 75 cars a day travel over State Highway Route No. 81 during the times when other highway routes to the Pacific Coast are closed; and

WHEREAS, There is great need and demand for an all-year highway route in and out of northwest Nevada to allow many thousands of people to enter Nevada for the purposes of enjoying skiing and other winter sports and to spend their welcomed tourist dollars, as well as to provide a route for emergency travel, including the possibility of use of such route for national-defense purposes; and

WHEREAS, By the provisions of Chapter 372, Statutes of Nevada 1953, the Board of County Commissioners of Washoe County and the State Department of Highways were provided with a method and authorized to pave and improve State Highway No. 81 by the force-account method, thus allowing road construction and maintenance crews employed by Washoe County to do and perform necessary work on the route, such as grading, cutting and filling; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That the Department of Highways of the State of Nevada proceed immediately to survey the route of State Highway No. 81, thus enabling the crews and equipment of Washoe County to proceed with the paving and improvement of such route; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution, duly certified by the Chief Clerk of this House, be transmitted by the Chief Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners of Washoe County, to the Board of Directors of the Department of Highways of the State of Nevada, and to the State Highway Engineer.

Mr. Crawford moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Messrs. Von Tobel, Shuey, Crawford, Stark and Christensen (Washoe).

Resolution adopted.

By Mr. Crawford:

Assembly Resolution No. 5—Memorializing the Nevada Congressional delegation and the Honorable Claire Engle, Congressman from California, to oppose the "Navy Land Grab."

WHEREAS, A large and extensive area of Washoe, Pershing and Humboldt Counties is in extreme danger of being removed from the tax rolls of this State by the acquisition of the same by the United States Navy for use as a bombing range; and

WHEREAS, If the proposed Navy acquisition becomes a fact great damage may be done to the mining and ranching industries, to the fish and game resources, and to the tax structures of these several counties; and

WHEREAS, The United States Navy has already acquired the Black Rock Desert, extending roughly over 90 miles long from Gerlach to Winnemucca,

and if their practice bombs cannot hit the Black Rock Desert now, what good would they be in wartime; and

WHEREAS, There is in existence at the present time the bombing range near Tonopah, consisting of an area of nearly 4,000,000 acres; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That the Nevada Congressional delegation and the Honorable Claire Engle, Congressman from the State of California, are hereby memorialized by this Legislature assembled in Special Session to oppose vigorously the "Navy Land Grab" proposed in the State of Nevada; and be it further

Resolved, That duly certified copies of this resolution be transmitted by the Secretary of State to each of our Senators and to our Representative in the Congress of the United States and to the Honorable Claire Engle, Congressman from the State of California.

Mr. Crawford moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Messrs. Crawford and Stark.

Mr. Speaker requested a division of the house on adoption of Assembly Resolution No. 5.

Resolution adopted.

Mr. Kean moved that the Assembly do not permit the introduction of any other resolutions until Assembly Bill No. 1 and bills directly related to the legislation on the agenda as presented by the Governor have gone through the regular and proper channels.

Remarks by Messrs. Kean, Harmon, Byrne, Adams, Wood, Jepson, Von Tobel, Stark and Reynolds.

Mr. Wood moved that Mr. Kean's motion be amended to include: "in-so-far as there are no bills on the floor or reported back from Committees."

Remarks by Messrs. Von Tobel, Christensen (Washoe) and Harmon.

Mr. Von Tobel moved to amend Mr. Kean's motion to include "no resolutions be introduced until they are introduced after having been cleared through a Special Committee or Standing Committee.

Mr. Von Tobel's motion lost.

Mr. Wood's motion lost.

Mr. Kean's motion lost.

Mr. Reynolds moved that all resolutions be excluded except those petitioning the Governor.

Motion lost.

Mr. Hardesty introduced members of the Reno Girl Scout Troop, Senior Troop No. 13 and Intermediate Group No. 10, and their Counsellor, Mrs. White.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 11:30 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:03 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Friday, February 10, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 2:07 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE FIFTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), February 10, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:12 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Messrs. Christensen (Washoe), Dotson, Ellison, Ivers, Leighton and Ruedy, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend H. G. Rannells.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

MAUDE FRAZIER, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 7 and 14, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass and re-refer to the Committee on Roads and Transportation.

MAUDE FRAZIER, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 11, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass and re-refer to the Committee on Elections.

MAUDE FRAZIER, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 19, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass and re-refer to the Committee on Judiciary.

MAUDE FRAZIER, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee of the Lincoln County Delegation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 23, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

HAZEL B. DENTON, *Chairman.*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 9, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By Mr. Swackhamer:

Assembly Bill No. 27—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act fixing the compensation of the county officers of Lander County, Nevada, regulating the employment and compensation of deputies and other employees of said officers, and repealing all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict herewith," approved March 13, 1953.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Lander County Delegation.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 2.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 3.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 4.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 5.

Bill read second time.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Reynolds moved that Assembly Bill No. 5 be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk and held for amendment.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 6.

Bill read second time.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Parks moved that Assembly Bill No. 6 be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk and held for amendment.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 8.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 9.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 10.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 12.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 13.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 15.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 16.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 17.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 18.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 20.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 23.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Reynolds moved that a certain time be set for the chairman of the Planning Commission to appear before the Assembly and present long-range planning for state buildings.

Motion carried.

Mr. Shuey moved that the Assembly reconvene on Saturday, February 11, 1956.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 10:49 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 24, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee of the Clark County Delegation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 22, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

MAUDE FRAZIER, *Chairman.*

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF NEVADA

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER

Carson City, February 10, 1956.

To The Honorable The Assembly:

The necessity of advanced, thorough and accurate planning of state construction has been demonstrated through the failure, in the past, of various

agencies to provide the Legislature with accurate estimates of construction costs. In order that the 1957 Regular Session of the Legislature and subsequent sessions will not be faced with problems resulting from inadequate appropriations, I recommend the adoption of an amendment to the 1937 State Planning Act providing a revolving fund for preplanning for state construction.

Accompanying the bill providing such amendment, another bill has been prepared appropriating \$50,000 for the establishment of a State Planning Board Revolving Fund to be used for preplanning.

One of the incidents which resulted in my decision to recommend to you the foregoing Acts was the passage at the 1955 Regular Session of an appropriation for certain construction at the Nevada State Prison. That appropriation was found to be inadequate and I am now asking you to pass an Act providing for the retirement of the 1955 State Prison Building Bonds.

The necessity for solitary confinement cells at the State Prison is most pressing. To meet that emergency, I am recommending, in another bill prepared for introduction, an appropriation of \$18,500 for the construction and installation of six solitary confinement cells at the State Prison. You recognize, I am sure, that under the 1955 Act, as passed, it was impossible to use any portion of the revenue from bonds issued for the State Prison building program for the construction of such cells. Included in the bill is an appropriation of \$4,250 to make a necessary boundary, topographical and utility survey of the lands and buildings comprising the State Prison exclusive of the Prison Farm.

Also prepared for introduction is a bill to provide for increased travel expenses for Mineral County Officers.

I am submitting these five recommendations to you under the provisions of Section 9, Article V of the Constitution which provides the Governor may request the Legislature, when convened in extraordinary session, to consider other matters than those previously enumerated.

CHARLES H. RUSSELL, *Governor*.

To The Honorable The Assembly:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 9, Article V of the Constitution which provides the Governor may request the Legislature, when convened in extraordinary session, to consider other matters than those previously enumerated, I am recommending for your consideration the following:

A bill to amend the North Las Vegas City Charter to exclude certain territory from the city because of certain hardships and inequities.

A bill providing for this legislation has been prepared for introduction.

CHARLES H. RUSSELL, *Governor*.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Committee on Roads and Transportation:

Assembly Resolution No. 6—Memorializing the Governor to submit Chapter 202, Statutes of Nevada 1931, as amended, pertaining to licensing and registration of motor vehicles, to the 1956 Special Session of the Nevada Legislature for amendment.

WHEREAS, The 47th Session of the Nevada Legislature, by enacting Chapter 221, Statutes of Nevada 1955, at page 350, amended the statute pertaining to licensing and registration of motor vehicles by providing reciprocity with other states in licensing and registration of motor vehicles and eliminating the necessity of registration in Nevada during the period for which the vehicle was licensed in another state; and

WHEREAS, It immediately became apparent after the effective date of the amendment that this ill-considered and damaging piece of legislation would result in the loss of untold amounts of revenue sorely needed by the several counties of this State; and

WHEREAS, As a result of such legislation, many persons who are gainfully employed in the State of Nevada have been able to escape taxation and to evade their responsibility to assist in the support of the government and schools of the State from which they derive their livelihood; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That the Governor be, and he hereby is, memorialized to submit Chapter 202, Statutes of Nevada 1931, as amended, pertaining to licensing and registration of motor vehicles, to the 1956 Special Session of the Nevada Legislature for amendment; and be it further

Resolved, That Chapter 202, Statutes of Nevada 1931, be amended to remedy the apparent inequities resulting from the amendments adopted in 1955.

Mr. Hose moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Messrs. Hose and Von Tobel.

Resolution adopted.

Miss Frazier moved that Assembly Bill No. 11 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and re-referred to the Committee on Elections.

Motion carried.

Miss Frazier moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 7 and 14 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and re-referred to the Committee on Roads and Transportation.

Motion carried.

Miss Frazier moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 13 and 19 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 22.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 24.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Reynolds moved that Assembly Bill No. 5 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and placed on the Second Reading File.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 5.

Bill read second time.

Mr. Reynolds moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend section 2, page 1, line 11, by striking out the word "eight" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven".

Further amend section 2, page 1, line 12, by striking out the comma after the figure "10.6" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and"; and by striking out the following "and 10.8".

Further amend section 2, page 1, line 15, by striking out the following "Except as provided in section 10.2, it" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "It".

Further amend section 2, page 2, by striking out lines 6 through 11 in their entirety.

Further amend section 2, page 2, line 12, by changing "section 10.3" to read "section 10.2".

Further amend section 2, page 2, line 15, by striking out the comma

after the word "funds" and the following words immediately thereafter: "except teachers, instructors and professors".

Further amend section 2, page 2, line 16, by striking out the following: "employed pursuant to the provisions of section 10.2,".

Further amend section 2, pages 2 and 3, by renumbering sections 10.3 to 10.8, inclusive, as section 10.2 to 10.7, inclusive.

Remarks by Messrs. Reynolds, Irwin, Lambert, Shuey, Miss Frazier, Messrs. Hendel and Crawford.

Messrs. Wood, Crawford and Shuey requested a roll call on Mr. Reynolds' motion.

Roll call on Mr. Reynolds' motion:

YEAS—15.

NAYS—Barnum, Barr, Christensen (Washoe), Christensen (Clark), Crawford, Denton, Embry, Frazier, Giomi, Godbey, Hanson, Hardesty, Harmon, Irwin, Ivers, Jones, Lambert, Leighton, McElroy, McMullen, Nevin, Vaughan, Von Tobel, Wainwright, Mr. Speaker—25.

Absent—Adams, Byrne, Dotson, Ellison, Parks, Pozzi, Ruedy—7.

The motion having failed to receive a majority, Mr. Speaker declared it lost.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By the Clark County Delegation:

Assembly Bill No. 28—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to incorporate the City of North Las Vegas in Clark County, and defining the boundaries thereof, and to authorize the establishment of a city government therefor, and other matters relating thereto," approved March 27, 1953.

Miss Frazier moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Clark County Delegation.

Motion carried.

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Senate Bill No. 1 and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

Mr. McElroy introduced the Superintendent of Elko County Schools, Mr. Byron Stetler.

Mr. Christensen (Washoe), introduced a former Assemblyman of the 1953 Session, Mr. George Rudiak, of Las Vegas.

Mr. Ivers introduced Boy Scouts Ray Handley, Bobby Fourvilly and Stephen Young, of Lovelock.

Mr. Von Tobel introduced Mr. Herschel Trumbo, Councilman of Henderson, Nevada.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Saturday, February 11, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 2:47 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE SIXTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Saturday), February 11, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:05 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Messrs. Dotson, Ellison, Hardesty, Ivers and Jepson, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend A. G. Shriver.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that members of the Special Screening Committee were excused so that they could meet to discuss and screen proposed suggestions and amendments to the education bills.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee of the Lander County Delegation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 27, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF NEVADA

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER

CARSON CITY, February 11, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

The first and paramount obligation of any society is to its future citizens, but there is an obligation of almost equal importance to those unfortunate elderly individuals who, through no fault of their own, are unable to adequately provide for themselves.

Nevada will meet its obligation to its children through revenues derived from the sales and use tax you enacted one year ago.

The obligation to its aged still is owing.

Since it has become apparent that the sales and use tax will provide a surplus, after meeting the needs of our educational system, it seems to me only right and proper that our aged are entitled to benefits we now are financially able to pay.

I am, therefore, recommending you enact a bill providing for an additional appropriation to the Welfare Department in the sum of \$110,000 to provide an average monthly increase of five (\$5.00) dollars in benefits now paid to Nevada's aged persons from April 1, 1956, to the end of the current biennium.

The increased payments in Old-Age Assistance benefits would impose an added burden on the counties and to meet this in nearly all the counties and to aid the counties financially, I am recommending the following:

That you assure additional revenue to the counties by providing for the retention of civil action filing fees by the counties and by amending the 1861

Marriage and Divorce Act to allow the counties to retain marriage license fees.

My feeling is that such revenues rightfully belong to the counties although portions of such fees were allocated to the State some years ago to meet an emergency which has been eliminated through your enactment of the sales and use tax.

These recommendations are made to you under the provisions of Section 9, Article 5 of the Constitution, which provide the Governor may request the Legislature, when convened in extraordinary session, to consider other matters than those previously enumerated.

Bills providing for the recommended legislation have been prepared for introduction.

CHARLES H. RUSSELL, *Governor*.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that all bills on the General File for today be moved to the General File for Monday, February 13, 1956.

Motion carried.

Mr. Crawford moved that Mr. Speaker appoint a committee to call on Reverend John L. Harvey, who has served as chaplain of the Legislature for 27 years and is now in the hospital as the result of a serious accident.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for two minutes.

Assembly in recess at 10:17 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 10:25 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By Committee on Ways and Means:

Assembly Bill No. 29—An Act providing for the construction and installation of solitary confinement cells at the Nevada State Prison; providing for a boundary, topography and utility survey of the lands and buildings comprising the Nevada State Prison (exclusive of Prison Farm); making appropriations therefor; defining certain duties of the State Planning Board; and other matters properly relating thereto.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Ways and Means:

Assembly Bill No. 30—An Act providing for the retirement of bonds issued pursuant to Chapter 434, Statutes of Nevada 1955, and making an appropriation therefor; designating the duties of certain state officers in connection therewith; providing for the transfers of certain funds; and other matters properly relating thereto.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Ways and Means:

Assembly Bill No. 31—An Act appropriating the sum of \$50,000 to the State Planning Board Revolving Fund, and other matters relating thereto.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Ways and Means:

Assembly Bill No. 32—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act creating a board to be known as the State Planning Board, defining its duties, powers, and jurisdiction, and making an appropriation for the expenses thereof, and other matters properly relating thereto," approved March 22, 1937.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Mr. Jepson:

Assembly Bill No. 33—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to marriage and divorce," approved November 28, 1861.

Mr. Jepson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

By Mr. Jepson:

Assembly Bill No. 34—An Act providing an additional and supplemental appropriation to the State Welfare Department for the support of old-age assistance for the biennium ending June 30, 1957.

Mr. Jepson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Mr. Jepson:

Assembly Bill No. 35—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to regulate certain fees of County Clerks in the State of Nevada and to repeal Acts or parts of Acts in conflict therewith," approved March 27, 1947.

Mr. Jepson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 27.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 11, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 28.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

Senate Bill No. 28.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Speaker instructed the Chief Clerk to read the following communications:

Assemblymen are requested to give their addresses to the History Clerk, both home and Carson City addresses.

There will be a March of Dimes benefit dance, sponsored by the Carson City Lions Club and the Teen-Age Dance Association of Carson City, tonight at the Civic Auditorium beginning at 9 p. m. Two orchestras will play and a queen will be crowned by Lieut. Gov. Rex Bell. All legislators and their wives are invited.

Mr. Hardesty introduced his wife, Mrs. Manford I. Hardesty.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Monday, February 13, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 10.34 a. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE EIGHTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Monday), February 13, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:08 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Messrs. Ivers and Leighton, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Ellis G. Martin.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that members of the Special Screening Committee were excused to continue their work on the proposed amendments to the school legislation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 13 and 19, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

DONALD M. LEIGHTON, *Chairman*.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Joint Committee on Judiciary and Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 21, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

DONALD M. LEIGHTON, *Chairman* (Judiciary).

GEORGE HARMON, *Chairman* (Elections).

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 22, 23 and 24 be taken from the bottom of the General File and placed on top of the General File.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 22.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Miss Frazier.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 22:

YEAS—36.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Adams, Byrne, Crawford, Dotson, Embry, Harmon, Ivers, Parks, Pozzi, Reynolds, Shuey—11.

Assembly Bill No. 22 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for two minutes.

Assembly in recess at 10:21 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 10:24 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 23.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mrs. Denton.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 23:

YEAS—37.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Adams, Byrne, Crawford, Dotson, Harmon, Irwin, Ivers, Parks, Pozzi, Reynolds—10.

Assembly Bill No. 23 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 24.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Swackhamer.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 24:

YEAS—38.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Adams, Byrne, Crawford, Dotson, Hose, Ivers, Leighton, Parks, Pozzi—9.

Assembly Bill No. 24 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 20 be taken from the General File this legislative day and placed on General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Mr. Reynolds moved that the Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of hearing Mr. M. George Bissell, Manager and Technical Supervisor of the State Planning Board, with Mr. Speaker as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Motion carried.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Mr. Speaker presiding.

The Committee of the Whole was addressed by Mr. M. George Bissell, Manager and Technical Supervisor of the State Planning Board.

On motion of Mr. Reynolds, the committee did rise, and report back to the Assembly.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 11:28 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole has heard Mr. M. George Bissell discuss long-range planning of state buildings.

Mr. Christensen (Washoe) moved that a standing vote of thanks be extended Mr. Bissell.

Motion carried unanimously.

CYRIL O. BASTIAN, *Chairman.*

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Shuey moved that Mr. Bissell request all members of the State Planning Board, at their earliest convenience, to meet with a Joint Committee of Ways and Means and Building and Construction.

Motion carried.

Mr. Giomi introduced Mr. David McDonald, principal of Dayton High School, Mrs. Roberta Hunt, instructor of Dayton High School, and the students of Dayton High School.

Mr. Hardesty introduced his mother, Mrs. E. W. Hardesty, his sister, Mrs. Albert Cartlidge and her daughter, Gail.

Mr. Christensen (Washoe) introduced members of the Sparks Intermediate School, P.T.A., Mrs. Eugene Hammersmith, Mrs. W. B. Knight, Mrs. Frank McStocker, Mrs. Eugene Moor, and Mrs. Walter Wedow, of the Sparks Council, P.T.A.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.
Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 11:30 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:10 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Roads and Transportation, to which were referred Assembly Bills. Nos. 7 and 14, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

L. M. HOSE, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee of the Clark County Delegation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 28, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

MAUDE FRAZIER, *Chairman.*

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Tuesday, February 14, 1956, at 10 a. m., and that we do so in honor of that Great Emancipator, Abraham Lincoln.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 2:15 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,

Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE NINTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), February 14, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:03 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Messrs. Byrne, Christensen (Clark), Embry, Godbey and Leighton, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend L. D. Fisher.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Speaker announced that members of the Special Screening Committee were excused to continue their work on the proposed amendments to the school legislation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 29, 30, 31, 32, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee of the Reno members of the Washoe County Delegation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 25, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

CLARENCE RUEDY, *Chairman.*

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF NEVADA

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER

CARSON CITY, February 13, 1956.

To The Honorable The Assembly:

There exists in Nevada a pressing need for additional hospital facilities. That need has been recognized by the Federal Government and, to a lesser degree by the State through the enactment, in 1949, of the Nevada Hospital and Construction Act.

So Nevada communities may avail themselves of grants by the United States, I am recommending you amend the 1949 Hospital and Construction Act so the counties, with the assistance of the State, may take advantage of such funds as are available for approved construction projects.

To provide assistance on the state level I am recommending a bill, which has been prepared for introduction, appropriating \$250,000 to be used in

matching county and federal funds in the construction of public, general hospital and medical facilities.

As specific bills to meet pressing needs in certain counties before federal allocations expire in June of this year, I also am urging adoption of these proposed Acts:

(a) An authorization under which Washoe County may issue bonds, without an election, in an amount not to exceed \$100,000 for construction of additional facilities at Washoe Medical Center; and

(b) An authorization under which Clark County may issue bonds, without an election, in an amount not to exceed \$100,000 for construction of additional facilities at Southern Nevada Memorial Hospital; and

(c) An authorization under which Elko County may issue bonds, without an election, in an amount not to exceed \$50,000 for construction of additional facilities at Elko General Hospital.

Due to an unprecedented and unanticipated workload, I urge the passage of a bill appropriating an additional \$15,000 for the use of the Statute Revision Commission so that agency may carry its vital work to a speedy conclusion.

As there exists in the incorporated city of Henderson a situation which is extremely urgent and which well could arise in other communities operating under the State's General Incorporation Act, I am recommending you adopt amendments to the following:

(a) The 1909 Act authorizing municipalities to issue bonds to defray costs of municipal improvements; and

(b) The 1907 Act relating to incorporated cities concerning improvements financed by special assessments.

The 1955 Legislature recognized that in 1959 Nevada will celebrate the centennial of the first major discovery of silver in these United States, on the Comstock Lode at what now is famed Virginia City.

In conformity with that Resolution, plans have been inaugurated for such celebration, which envisions the striking of a commemorative silver dollar by the United States.

Such commemorative silver dollar would be entirely fitting since the discovery of silver in Nevada, generally, is recognized as having saved the Union during the dark days of the Civil War, and I recommend adoption of a Joint Resolution memorializing the Congress of these United States to set aside forty million ounces of silver bullion for the minting of such coin.

CHARLES H. RUSSELL, *Governor*.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Swackhamer moved that Assembly Bill No. 27 be taken from the bottom of the General File and be placed at the top of the General File.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 20 be taken from the General File and be placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for two minutes.

Assembly in recess at 10:18 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 10:24 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Messrs. Waters and Pozzi:

Assembly Resolution No. 7—Memorializing former page Gary Tolladay.

WHEREAS, The members of this body have learned with deep sorrow of the untimely death of former page Gary Tolladay in an automobile accident in Ormsby County in June 1955; and

WHEREAS, He was born in Klamath Falls, Oregon, on July 23, 1937, and attended Toiyabe High School, and Shasta Union High School in California, and graduated from Carson High School in June 1955; and

WHEREAS, He was a page boy in the Assembly during the 1955 regular session of the Nevada Legislature, and at the time of his death was to be employed by the Sales Tax Division of the Nevada Tax Commission; and

WHEREAS, During his entire life he devoted his attention and energies to the welfare of young people, being an outstanding musician, a member of his high school choir, and an accomplished pianist and organist; and

WHEREAS, His exemplary and industrious career reminds us forcibly of what may be accomplished by right living and honest endeavor; and

WHEREAS, He lived well the roles of a good citizen and a good friend; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That the condolences of members of the Assembly of the 1956 Special Session of the Nevada Legislature are extended to his surviving parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Tolladay of Gabbs, Nevada, and to his brother, Dearle; and be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the Assembly, and that when this body adjourns today it does so in memory of former page Gary Tolladay; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit certified copies of this resolution to Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Tolladay and to Dearle Tolladay, at P. O. Box 43, Gabbs, Nevada, and to the Reverend and Mrs. Hubert G. Rannells, at 326 E. John Street, Carson City, Nevada.

Mr. Waters moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Mr. Waters.

Resolution adopted unanimously.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By Committee on Ways and Means:

Assembly Bill No. 36—An Act to provide an additional and supplemental appropriation for the support of the State Planning Board for the biennium ending June 30, 1957.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Ways and Means:

Assembly Bill No. 37—An Act to provide an additional and supplemental appropriation for the support of the Statute Revision Commission for the biennium ending June 30, 1957.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Mr. Crawford:

Assembly Bill No. 38—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act concerning public schools of the State of Nevada, establishing and defining certain crimes and providing

punishment therefor, and repealing certain Acts and parts of Acts relating thereto,' approved March 15, 1947," approved March 29, 1955; and other matters properly relating thereto.

Mr. Crawford moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Mr. Crawford:

Assembly Bill No. 39—An Act to repeal an Act entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act concerning public schools of the State of Nevada, establishing and defining certain crimes and providing punishment therefor, and repealing certain Acts and parts of Acts relating thereto,' approved March 15, 1947," approved March 29, 1955.

Mr. Crawford moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Mr. Crawford:

Assembly Bill No. 40—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act concerning public schools of the State of Nevada, establishing and defining certain crimes and providing punishment therefor, and repealing certain Acts and parts of Acts relating thereto," approved March 15, 1947.

Mr. Crawford moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 7.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 14.

Bill read second time.

Mr. Harmon moved that Assembly Bill No. 14 be taken from the Second Reading File, and be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 28.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 13.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 19.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 21.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 27.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Swackhamer.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 27:

YEAS—42.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Adams, Barnum, Byrne, Christensen (Clark), Pozzi—5.

Assembly Bill No. 27 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Berrum introduced the Civics Class of the Douglas County High School and their instructor, Mr. Jim Todd.

Mr. Giomi introduced Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Braden, and the members of the Junior and Senior classes of the Smith Valley High School.

Mr. Wood introduced the members of the Civics Class from the Central Intermediate School, at Reno, Nevada, and Mrs. Robert Grubic, their instructor.

Mr. Christensen (Washoe) introduced members of the Kate Smith School, P. T. A., Sparks, Nevada, Mrs. Dorothy Rock, Mrs. Ida Bisagno, Mrs. Sally Baglin, Mrs. Carol Biswell, Mrs. Adele Leonard, Mrs. Marie Avansino and Mrs. Jacqueline Francovich, of the Peavine P. T. A., Reno, Nevada.

Mr. Irwin introduced Messrs. Kenny Adams and Charles Bell of Las Vegas, Nevada.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 10:50 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:07 p. m.

Mr. Speaker Pro Tempore in the Chair.

Quorum present.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By Clark County Delegation:

Assembly Bill No. 41—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act providing for the incorporation of cities, their classification, the establishment and alteration of their boundaries, the government and disincorporation thereof, and repealing all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict therewith," approved March 27, 1907.

Mr. Byrne moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Clark County Delegation consisting of the Henderson Delegation.

Motion carried.

By Clark County Delegation:

Assembly Bill No. 42—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to authorize municipalities to issue bonds for the purpose of paying the cost of municipal improvements for which special assessments are levied," approved March 13, 1909.

Mr. Byrne moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Henderson member of the Clark County Delegation.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Mr. Shuey:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2—Memorializing the Secretary of State and the Attorney General to phrase the language in the synopses and statements of the true objects of the proposed initiative and referendum in plain, clear, concise and understandable language.

WHEREAS, The subject of financing the common public schools of the State of Nevada involves the initiative and referendum of the people of the State of Nevada and concerns the Peabody formula; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 397, Statutes of Nevada 1955, known as the "Sales and Use Tax Act," will be submitted to a referendum at the general election on November 6, 1956; and

WHEREAS, Section 7424, N.C.L. 1929, imposes the duty upon the Secretary of State or the Attorney General of the State of Nevada of preparing brief synopses and statements of the true objects of the proposed initiative and referendum; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, the Senate concurring, That the Secretary of State and the Attorney General be memorialized to phrase with particularity the language in the synopses and statements of the true objects of the proposed initiative and referendum, using plain, clear, precise and unambiguous language which is understandable, intelligible and capable of interpretation by the layman as well as the lawyer; and be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the Journals of the Assembly and Senate, and that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the Assembly and the Secretary of the Senate to the Secretary of State of the State of Nevada and to the Attorney General of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Shuey moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Messrs. Shuey and Harmon.

Resolution adopted.

Mr. Harmon moved that Assembly Bill No. 14 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and placed on the Second Reading File.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 14.

Bill read second time.

Mr. Harmon moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend section 3, page 3, by adding immediately after line 27 the following:

"(3) Authorize the licensee to transport as passengers in a motor vehicle operated by him, members of his immediate family, or other minor persons upon written consent of the parents or guardians of such minors; but in no event shall the number of passengers so transported at any one time exceed the number of passengers for which the vehicle was designed."

Further amend section 3, page 3, line 28, by changing "(3)" to read "(4)".

Remarks by Messrs. Harmon, Wood and Reynolds.

Mr. Kean moved that the Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections in the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 14.

Motion carried.

Mr. Harmon withdrew his motion to adopt the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 14.

Mr. Harmon moved that Assembly Bill No. 14 be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk until the proposed amendment can be mimeographed and placed on the desks of the Assemblymen.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for ten minutes.

Assembly in recess at 2:23 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:54 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of considering informally, the proposed amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1 with Mr. Speaker as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Motion carried.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Mr. Speaker presiding.

The Committee of the Whole discussed the proposed amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1.

On motion of Mr. McElroy, the committee did rise, and report back to the Assembly.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 4:30 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole has considered the proposed amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1.

CYRIL O. BASTIAN, *Chairman.*

Mr. Reynolds moved that the Assembly recess until 7 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 4:37 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 7:30 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 11, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

GEORGE HARMON, *Chairman.*

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn in memory of Gary Tolladay, until Wednesday, February 15, 1956, at 11 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 8:43 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,

Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,

Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE TENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), February 15, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Fred A. Rinehart.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF NEVADA

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER

CARSON CITY, February 15, 1956.

To The Honorable The Assembly:

Supplementing previous supplementary messages sent to you and to correct an inequity, I request enactment of a bill repealing the provision of the 1955 Act setting the salary of the State Highway Engineer and making the provisions of Section 3 of the 1917 Highway Act as amended in 1953 applicable. In the same bill I recommend that you provide for the placing of the Underground Water Hydrologist in the classified service.

A bill providing for this legislation has been prepared for introduction.

CHARLES H. RUSSELL, *Governor*.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 32.

Bill read second time.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that Assembly Bill No. 32 be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 29.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 30.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 31.

Bill read second time.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that Assembly Bill No. 31 be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 11.

Bill read second time.

The following amendments were proposed by the Committee on Elections:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend section 2, page 2, line 13, by placing an open bracket before the word "and" which immediately follows the words "week days", and placing a closed bracket after the word "Saturdays"; and by inserting immediately after the word "with", the following: "Saturdays,".

Amendment No. 2.

Amend section 2, page 2, line 17, by striking out the word "Regis-" at the end of the line and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Registration offices shall be opened for registration of voters for a special bond election of a school district which is not to be consolidated with the next general election from and including the 20th day next preceding such election up to but excluding the 10th day next preceding such election and during regular office hours. No special registration shall be held for a special school district bond election not consolidated with a general election if such election is held within 90 days of an election for which a countywide registration was held."

Further amend section 2, page 2, by striking out lines 18 through 20 in their entirety.

Further amend section 2, page 2, line 21, by striking out the following words: "tion and during regular office hours."

Amendment No. 3.

Amend section 3, page 2, line 38, by removing the closed bracket after the word "Within" and placing it after the word "three" and by inserting immediately thereafter the word "five".

Mr. Harmon moved the adoption of the amendments.

Remarks by Mr. Harmon.

Amendments adopted.

Mr. Parks moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amendment No. 4.

Amend section 3, page 3, line 27, by striking out the figure "10" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "15"; and by striking out the figure "3" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "5".

Remarks by Mr. Parks.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Parks moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amendment No. 5.

Amend section 4, page 4, line 19, by striking out the words "The provisions of this section shall not apply to a special bond".

Further amend section 4, page 4, by striking out lines 20 and 21 in their entirety.

Remarks by Messrs. Harmon, Dotson, Kean, Parks and Vaughan.

Messrs. Dotson, Vaughan and Hose moved the previous question.

Motion carried.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment proposed by Mr. Parks.

Amendment lost.

Mr. Harmon moved that Assembly Bill No. 11, with the amendments, be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk.

Motion lost.

Bill ordered reprinted, engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 25.

Bill read second time.

The following amendment was proposed by the Washoe County Delegation consisting of the Reno Delegation:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 13, by inserting after the figure "660.00" and before the comma, the word "feet".

Further amend section 1, page 4, line 39, by inserting after the word "line", the word "of".

Further amend section 1, page 6, line 29, by inserting after the word "view", the word "Heights".

Further amend section 1, page 8, line 32, by inserting after the figure "644.10", the word "feet".

Mr. Ruedy moved the adoption of the amendment.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Ruedy moved that rules be suspended, that the reprinting of Assembly Bill No. 25 be dispensed with, and that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendment adopted by the Assembly.

Motion carried unanimously.

Bill ordered engrossed and to third reading.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20 be taken from the General File and be placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for five minutes.

Assembly in recess at 11:39 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 11:52 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Parks moved that Assembly Bill No. 6 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and be placed on the Second Reading File.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 6.

Bill read second time.

Mr. Parks moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend section 2, page 3, by striking out lines 19 through 25 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "After February 1 and before

the completion and approval of the budget, when the board of trustees of a school district has prepared a tentative budget of the amount of money estimated to be necessary to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the school district for the next fiscal year starting the following July 1, the Board of Trustees shall hold a public hearing on such tentative budget, at which hearing any person may appear and object to the tentative budget or any item thereof. The Board of Trustees shall cause a notice of the public hearing to be published once in some newspaper published within the school district, but if no such newspaper is published within the school district then in some newspaper published in the State of Nevada and having a general circulation in the school district. The notice shall state the time and place of the public hearing and shall contain a statement of the items and amounts of the tentative budget."

Remarks by Messrs. Parks, Reynolds, Leighton and Miss Frazier.

Miss Frazier moved to amend the amendment by inserting the words "15 days" after the word "and" and before the word "before" in line 2 of the amendment.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Parks moved that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendment proposed by Miss Frazier, to the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 6.

Motion carried.

Mr. Parks' amendment adopted, as amended.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 1, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

MAUDE FRAZIER, *Chairman.*

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Speaker instructed the Chief Clerk to read the following communication:

February 12, 1956.

MR. CYRIL BASTIAN, *Speaker of the Assembly, Carson City, Nevada.*

DEAR SIR: You and the members of the Legislature are cordially invited to a free Smorgasbord at the Half Way House, February 15, starting at 8 o'clock.

Very truly yours,

MICKEY EDWARDS.

Mr. Barnum introduced Mr. Robert Whittemore, Principal, Mrs. Marita Simmons, and members of the Senior Civics Class of Yerington High School.

Mrs. Isbell introduced Mrs. Elliott Cann, Mrs. James Breen, and Mrs. Maurice Beesley, of Reno, Nevada.

Mr. Barr introduced Mr. Henry Lee, of Pioche, Nevada, and Mr. Bert Hanks, County Assessor of White Pine County.

Mr. Hardesty introduced Mrs. George Lohse, Mrs. A. G. Scheuller and Mrs. Carl C. Estridge, of Reno, Nevada.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.
Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 12:13 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Harmon moved that Assembly Bill No. 14 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and placed on the Second Reading File.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 14.

Bill read second time.

Mr. Harmon moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend section 3, page 3, by adding immediately after line 27 the following:

"(3)" Authorize the licensee to transport as passengers in a motor vehicle operated by him, members of his immediate family, or other minor persons upon written consent of the parents or guardians of such minors; but in no event shall the number of passengers so transported at any one time exceed the number of passengers for which the vehicle was designed."

Further amend section 3, page 3, line 28, by changing "(3)" to read "(4)".

Remarks by Messrs. Vaughan, Harmon, Wood and Kean.

Amendment adopted.

Bill ordered reprinted, engrossed and to third reading.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee of the Henderson member of the Clark County Delegation, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 41 and 42, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WILLIAM B. BYRNE, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker moved that the Assembly recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 2:14 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 3:52 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee of the Washoe County Delegation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 26, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

CLARENCE RUEDY, *Chairman.*

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 1.

Bill read second time.

The following amendments were proposed by the Committee on Judiciary:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend section 77, page 23, by striking out lines 9 and 10 in their entirety.

Mr. Leighton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Mr. Leighton.

Amendment adopted.

Amendment No. 2.

Amend section 122, page 36, line 14, by changing the period at the end of the line to a comma and adding thereafter the following: "and all public school moneys held by him and remaining to the credit of the county school fund, the county aid to district high school fund, and any other unapportioned county fund established for the support of the public schools."

Mr. Leighton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Messrs. Leighton and Swackhamer.

Mr. Leighton moved that Amendment No. 2 to Assembly Bill No. 1 be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk.

Motion carried.

Amendment No. 3.

Amend section 151, page 44, line 7, by inserting after the word "expenses", the words "and subsistence".

Amendment No. 4.

Amend section 185, page 54, line 37, by striking out the word "such" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "a".

Further amend section 185, page 54, line 40, by striking out the words "sufficient to raise" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "in an amount sufficient to pay the principal accruing promptly when and as the same becomes due according to the tenor and effect of the bonds, which amount shall be levied, assessed and collected by the County Treasurer of that county in the same manner as the tax for the payment of the interest coupons."

Further amend section 185, page 54, by striking out lines 41 through 46 in their entirety.

Amendment No. 5.

Amend section 240, page 72, line 20, by inserting after the word "district", the following: "and define its boundaries".

Further amend section 240, page 72, by striking out lines 22 and 23 in their entirety.

Further amend section 240, page 72, line 24, by changing "(c)" to read "(b)".

Amendment No. 6.

Amend section 224, page 68, line 8, by striking out the word "such" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "a".

Further amend section 224, page 68, by striking out lines 11 through 17 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "in an amount sufficient to pay the principal accruing promptly when and as the same becomes due according to the tenor and effect of the bonds, which amount shall be levied, assessed and collected by the County Treasurers of the counties in the same manner as the tax for the payment of the interest coupons."

Mr. Leighton moved the adoption of the amendments.

Remarks by Messrs. Leighton, Harmon, Dotson, Adams, Shuey and Jones.

Amendments adopted.

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1 be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk for further amendments.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Messrs. Wood, McElroy, Embry, Harmon, Byrne and Irwin:
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3.

WHEREAS, Chapter 284, 1955 Statutes of Nevada, provided for the authorization of a Legislative Commission for the purpose of engaging the services of a firm of management consultants or other expert assistance for the purpose of making an investigation into the administration and academic operation of the University of Nevada; and

WHEREAS, Said Legislative Commission, pursuant to said authorization and instruction, has heretofore caused to be employed certain individuals, as part of an "investigating team," for the purpose of conducting said investigation; and

WHEREAS, The University of Nevada is a Land Grant College, and by reason thereof an authority on Land Grant Colleges should be a member of said investigating team, and to date such an authority has not been selected; and

WHEREAS, The Executive Secretary of the Association of Land Grant Colleges and Universities is well qualified to recommend an individual from said association with said background and qualification; and

WHEREAS, There should also be on said investigating team a representative from the U. S. Office of Education, Division of Higher Education, which said office regularly and impartially conducts studies and evaluations of Land Grant Colleges and by reason thereof is intimately familiar with the mechanics of a study such as that contemplated of the University of Nevada; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, the Senate concurring, That the Legislative Commission now authorized and instructed to engage the services of a firm of management consultants or other expert assistance for the purpose of making an investigation into the administration and academic operation of the University of Nevada, be memorialized to engage the services, for said purpose, of an authority upon Land Grant Colleges, to be recommended by the Executive Secretary of the Association of Land Grant Colleges and Universities, and to also engage, for such purpose, a representative from the U. S. Office of Education, Division of Higher Education.

Mr. Wood moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Messrs. Wood, Adams, Pozzi, Dotson, Christensen

(Washoe), Crawford, Byrne, Irwin, Vaughan, Shuey, Harmon and Von Tobel.

Mr. Dotson moved that Mr. Wood's motion be amended, and that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Functions.

Remarks by Messrs. Dotson, Wood, Waters, Christensen (Washoe) and Crawford.

Motion lost.

Messrs. Hunter, McMullen and Adams moved the previous question.

Motion carried.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3.

Resolution lost.

Mr. Reynolds moved that amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1, correcting school election laws, be drafted by the Bill Drafter.

Remarks by Messrs. Reynolds, Adams and Harmon.

Messrs. Irwin, Godbey and Von Tobel moved the previous question.

Motion carried.

The question being on Mr. Reynold's motion that amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1 be drafted by the Bill Drafter.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By Messrs. Pozzi and Hunter:

Assembly Bill No. 43—An Act appropriating \$236,610.96 from the General Fund and \$41,420 from the State Highway Fund for the purpose of supplementing moneys heretofore appropriated by the 47th Session of the Legislature for the payment of salaries and wages of employees in the classified service of the State of Nevada; authorizing the State Board of Examiners to disburse the same; and other matters properly relating thereto.

Mr. Pozzi moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Thursday, February 16, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 5:08 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,

Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE ELEVENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Thursday), February 16, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:14 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Mr. Ivers, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Arthur S. Kean.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 37, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Mr. Irwin:

Assembly Resolution No. 8—Memorializing the Assembly of the 1956 Special Session of the Legislature to limit its debate and consideration to only those matters for which it was convened.

WHEREAS, Heretofore and on the sixth day of February, 1956, in accordance with the proclamation of the Governor, this body and the Senate assembled in Carson City for the specific purposes of correcting technical details with respect to the organization, creation and powers of countywide school districts and their powers to issue bonds; and

WHEREAS, By our actions in 1955 we deemed the enactment of countywide consolidation of school districts to be the best method of administering and financing our schools, which to date has had no opportunity for effective operation, nor could it until July 1, 1956; and

WHEREAS, It is not within the proper province of this body to correct in a Special Session a multitude of laws enacted many years ago and which have come to the knowledge of many members of this Assembly for the first time during their legislative careers; and

WHEREAS, The estimated cost to the State of Nevada and its taxpaying citizens is \$2,400 per day while this Legislature is convened in Special Session; and

WHEREAS, For the past several days the deliberations of this body have resulted in very little constructive work concerning the reasons for which we are assembled here; and

WHEREAS, If this procedure is allowed to continue we shall expend a sum of money needed dearly for the administration of our government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That after the regular adoption of this resolution no amendments be considered unless they pertain specifically to the bills introduced pertaining to the subject matter of the call and message of the Governor concerning county school districts and their bonding powers.

Mr. Irwin moved the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the Chief Clerk be authorized to correct the amount to read "between \$2,100 and \$2,300", in paragraph 4 of the preamble.

Motion carried.

Remarks by Messrs. Irwin, Swackhamer, Embry, Byrne, Miss Frazier, Messrs. Lambert, Dotson and Kean.

Messrs. Parks and Harmon and Miss Frazier moved the previous question.

Motion carried.

The question being on the adoption of Assembly Resolution No. 8. Resolution lost.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 26.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 41.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 42.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 37.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Harmon moved that Assembly Bill No. 28 be taken from its present position on the General File and placed at the top of the General File.

Motion carried.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 29 and 30 be taken from their present positions on the General File and be placed immediately following Assembly Bill No. 28 on the General File.

Motion carried.

Mr. Parks moved that Assembly Bill No. 19 be taken from its present position and placed below Assembly Bill No. 30 on the General File.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 28.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Miss Frazier.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 28:

YEAS—44.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford, Irwin, Ivers—3.

Assembly Bill No. 28 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 29.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Swackhamer, Hendel, Kean and Reynolds.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 29:

YEAS—44.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford, Ivers, Parks—3.

Assembly Bill No. 29 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 30.

Bill read third time.

The following amendment was proposed by the Committee on Ways and Means:

Amend section 4, page 1, line 18, by inserting after the word "directed" and before the word "to" the following: "with the concurrence of the State Board of Finance,".

Mr. Swackhamer moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Mr. Swackhamer.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that rules be suspended, that the reprinting of Assembly Bill No. 30 be dispensed with, and that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendment adopted by the Assembly.

Motion carried unanimously.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 30:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Denton and Ivers—2.

Assembly Bill No. 30 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 19.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Parks, Harmon, Leighton and Adams.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 19:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Ivers and Ruedy—2.

Assembly Bill No. 19 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 7, 13 and 21 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker instructed the Chief Clerk to read the following communication:

James Olivas, coach of the University of Nevada boxing team, cordially invites all members of the Legislature to the matches which will be held on

Saturday, February 18 at the University of Nevada, in Reno. The matches will be between the University of California and the University of Nevada boxing teams.

ART BROTEN, *Athletic Director,
University of Nevada.*

Mr. Christensen (Washoe) introduced Mrs. W. H. Kelly, Secretary of Nevada Congress P.T.A.; Mrs. W. A. Saxton, Mrs. Harold Biegler, and Mrs. Thad Holcomb, of the Mount Rose School, P.T.A., Reno, Nevada; Mrs. Frank McStocker, of the Sparks P.T.A.; Mrs. G. T. Gustin, Mrs. C. E. Taylor, and Mrs. V. Nichoff, of the M.L.N. P.T.A., of Sparks, Nevada.

Mr. Parks introduced Mr. Keith Mount, former Assemblyman of Mineral County.

Mr. Hendel introduced Mr. John Mount, son of the former Assemblyman of Mineral County, Mr. Keith Mount.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.
Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 11:20 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Ruedy moved that Assembly Bill No. 25 be taken from the bottom of the General File and placed at the top of the General File.
Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By Washoe County Delegation:

Assembly Bill No. 44—An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Trustees of the Washoe County School District of the State of Nevada to issue and sell negotiable coupon bonds of Washoe County School District for specific purposes until January 1, 1957, without the consent of the electors; limiting the amounts of bonds which may be issued and sold; providing a procedure for the issuance and sale of such bonds; providing when this Act shall expire; and other matters properly relating thereto.

Mr. Ruedy moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Washoe County Delegation.

Motion carried.

By Mr. Jepson:

Assembly Bill No. 45—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act relating to and providing for the general welfare of the State of Nevada and of the people thereof by providing for compulsory old-age assistance to needy aged persons in this State, as defined and provided for in this Act; defining certain terms; designating the single state

agency of this State to supervise the administration thereof, and defining the authority and duties thereof; providing for cooperation with the government of the United States in furnishing such pensions or assistance pursuant to the provisions of the so-called Social Security Act of Congress, approved August 14, 1935; designating the boards, and other agencies, authorized to administer and supervise the administration of such assistance and defining the authority and duties thereof; defining the minimum amount of such need and assistance to each such needy aged person and the qualifications for eligibility therefor; authorizing the making and promulgation of rules and regulations relating to the administration of this Act; providing for the establishment of certain state and county funds and regulating the expenditures therefrom; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act; repealing a certain Act and all other Acts and parts of Acts of this State in conflict herewith; and other matters relating thereto," enacted by the people on November 7, 1944.

Mr. Jepson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 25.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Ruedy.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 25:

YEAS—43.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Ivers, Wainwright, Wood—3.

Not voting—Hendel.

Assembly Bill No. 25 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Assembly in recess at 2:14 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 4:40 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and placed on the Second Reading File.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 1.

Bill read second time.

The following amendments were proposed by the Committee on Judiciary:

Amendment No. 7.

Amend section 4, page 3, line 37, by striking out the words "any five members of the board." and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the president or any three members of the board."

Amendment No. 8.

Amend section 5, page 3, line 47, by striking out the words "the General Fund as other" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "funds provided by direct legislative appropriation from the General Fund as other claims against the State are allowed and paid."

Further amend section 5, page 3, by striking out line 48 in its entirety.

Amendment No. 9.

Amend section 78, page 23, line 30, by inserting after the word "receive" the words: ", at a regularly called meeting,".

Further amend section 78, page 23, line 31, by striking out the words "of the members" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of all the members"; and by inserting a period after the word "trustees" and striking out the words "at a".

Further amend section 78, page 23, by striking out line 32 in its entirety.

Amendment No. 10.

Amend section 99, page 27, by striking out lines 14 through 32 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 99. (This section deleted by amendment.)"

Amendment No. 11.

Amend section 130, page 38, line 22, by inserting after the figure "181," the following: "Chapter 63,".

Amendment No. 12.

Amend section 247, page 74, by striking out line 7 in its entirety.

Amendment No. 13.

Amend section 249, page 74, by striking out lines 27 through 37 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 249. (This section deleted by amendment.)"

Amendment No. 14.

Amend section 395, page 107, line 19, by inserting after the word "Transport" the words "Public School".

Further amend section 395, page 107, line 23, by inserting after the words "transportation of" the words "public school".

Mr. Leighton moved the adoption of the amendments.

Remarks by Messrs. Leighton, Dotson, Adams and Miss Frazier.

Amendments adopted.

The following amendment was proposed by the Committee on Judiciary:

Amendment No. 15.

Amend the bill as a whole, by adding thereto a new section to be designated as section 415.1, which section shall immediately follow section 415 on line 21 of page 113, and which shall read as follows:

"Section 415.1. School District Property Not To Be Used for

Sectarian Purposes. No real or personal property of any kind or character belonging to a school district shall be used for any sectarian purposes whatever."

Mrs. Denton moved that the word "teaching" be inserted after the word "sectarian" and before the word "purposes".

Remarks by Messrs. Adams, Harmon, Von Tobel and Byrne.

Motion lost.

Mr. Parks moved that Amendment No. 15 to Assembly Bill No. 1, proposed by the Committee on Judiciary, be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk and be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Remarks by Messrs. Parks and Harmon.

Motion lost.

Messrs. Harmon, Irwin and Dotson moved the previous question.

Motion carried.

The question being on the adoption of Amendment No. 15 to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for two minutes.

Assembly in recess at 5:18 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 5:22 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

Messrs. Dotson, Byrne and Harmon requested a roll call on Mr. Leighton's motion.

Roll call on Mr. Leighton's motion:

YEAS—16.

NAYS—Barnum, Barr, Berrum, Byrne, Carlson, Christensen (Washoe), Christensen (Clark), Dotson, Embry, Frazier, Giomi, Godbey, Hanson, Harmon, Hendel, Hose, Hunter, Irwin, Jepson, Jones, Murray, Parks, Stark, Swackhamer, Von Tobel, Wainwright, Waters, Mr. Speaker—28.

Absent—Crawford, Ivers, Nevin—3.

The motion having failed to receive a majority, Mr. Speaker declared it lost.

The following amendments were proposed by the Committee on Judiciary:

Amendment No. 16.

Amend section 147, page 43, by adding thereto a new subsection which shall immediately follow subsection 4 between lines 22 and 23, and which shall read as follows:

"5. All moneys in a building reserve fund of a school district or educational district abolished by this Act and transferred to the county school district fund pursuant to the provisions of section 122 shall, after the effective date of this Act, be expended only for the purpose of constructing or making additions to elementary schools, junior high schools or high schools within the area which formerly constituted the school district or educational district abolished by this Act wherein the annual special tax was levied and collected."

Amendment No. 17.

Amend section 189, page 56, by striking out lines 18 through 24 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"1. All taxes levied and assessed as provided in this article shall constitute a lien on the property charged therewith on the date and in the manner provided in section 2 of Chapter 344, Statutes of Nevada 1953, as amended by Chapter 243, Statutes of Nevada 1955, at page 399."

Amendment No. 18.

Amend section 228, page 69, by striking out lines 40 through 46 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"1. All taxes levied and assessed as provided in this article shall constitute a lien on the property charged therewith on the date and in the manner provided in section 2 of Chapter 344, Statutes of Nevada 1953, as amended by Chapter 243, Statutes of Nevada 1955, at page 399."

Mr. Leighton moved the adoption of the amendments.

Remarks by Mr. Leighton.

Amendments adopted.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1 be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk for further amendment.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Friday, February 17, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 5:40 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE TWELFTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), February 17, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:08 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Messrs. Ivers and Kean, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Father C. J. Caviglia.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Majority Committee on Judiciary, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 33 and 35, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do not pass.

DONALD M. LEIGHTON, *Chairman.*

J. F. McELROY,

ROBERT VAUGHAN,

G. ADAMS,

JAMES E. WOOD,

M. I. HARDESTY,

T. M. KEAN,

DARWIN LAMBERT,

Majority Committee.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Minority Committee on Judiciary, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 33 and 35, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

EDWIN J. DOTSON,

Minority Committee.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 16, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bills 27, 22; Senate Bill No. 38; Senate Joint Resolution No. 1.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Leighton moved that Amendment No. 2, dated February 15, 1956, to Assembly Bill No. 1 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and be returned to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and placed on the Second Reading File for further amendment.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1.

Mr. McElroy moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 38.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Mineral County Delegation.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENTS

Assembly Bill No. 1.

Bill read second time.

The following amendments were proposed by the Committee on Education:

Amendment No. 19.

Amend section 10, page 4, by adding, immediately after line 39, the following:

"3. Nothing contained in this section shall be construed to apply to any funds received by any school district in the State of Nevada pursuant to the provisions of:

(a) "An Act to provide financial assistance for local educational agencies in areas affected by federal activities, and for other purposes," being Public Law 874—81st Congress; and

(b) "An Act relating to the construction of school facilities in areas affected by federal activities, and for other purposes," being Public Law 815—81st Congress,

as the same have been amended or may be hereafter amended."

Miss Frazier moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Miss Frazier.

Amendment adopted.

Amendment No. 20.

Amend section 113, page 31, line 23, by striking out the colon and adding the following words and figures: "the proceeds of the 70-cent local tax, computed as provided in section 128."

Further amend section 113, page 31, by striking out lines 24 through 29 in their entirety.

Miss Frazier moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Miss Frazier, Messrs. Swackhamer, McMullen, Byrne, Parks, Hendel, Vaughan, Harmon, Adams, Christensen (Washoe), Dotson and Reynolds.

Mr. Speaker instructed the Chief Clerk to read the following communications:

LAS VEGAS UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT
R. Guild Gray, Superintendent
 401 South Ninth Street, P. O. Box 551
 Las Vegas, Nevada

February 3, 1956.

Dr. Maude Frazier, Chairman, Committee on Education, Nevada Legislative Assembly, Capitol Building, Carson City, Nevada.

Dear Dr. Frazier:

The writer recently attended a meeting of forty-six representatives of school districts who are applicants for financial relief from the Federal Government under Public Law 874. This law grants money to districts on which a burden is placed due to crowding of schools with students whose parents are brought into an area due to federal activities without compensating tax money through regular channels. The meeting was held in the California Teachers Building in San Francisco, January 20, 1956.

Some of the men present had attended conferences of Senate and House Committees on Education in Washington, D. C. and reported a Federal philosophy inclined to withhold money that might otherwise be granted under Public Law 874, from school districts in states where the state basic apportionment is reduced in consequence. Money from Public Law 874 is granted only to relieve local districts where federal activity has caused a financial hardship and is not intended to help statewide.

The Nevada law passed at the last Session of the Legislature that reduces basic apportionment granted to a district by one-half the amount of money received for maintenance and operation from federal grants carries a definite threat of loss of entitlements that amounted to more than \$300,000 in the year 1955 to four districts in Clark County (Las Vegas, Henderson, Boulder City and Indian Springs).

It would seem shortsighted and unjust to jeopardize this \$300,000 in trying to appease the unaffected districts by withholding \$150,000 to inure to the benefit of the State General Fund.

Sincerely,

GEORGE E. HARRIS,
Assistant Superintendent.

The following is quoted from Chapter 25, Code of Federal Regulations; Indian Affairs Manual Volume VI, Part II, Chapter 3, Section 301, Subsection .07:

Uniform Application of State Law. A State entering into a contract agrees that schools enrolling Indian children shall receive all funds and aids to which other public schools of the state are entitled. In no instance shall there be discrimination by the state, or subdivision thereof, against Indians, or in the support of schools enrolling Indians.

Messrs. Irwin, Harmon and Byrne moved the previous question.

Motion carried.

The question being on the adoption of Amendment No. 20 to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Messrs. Byrne, Parks and Godbey requested a roll call on Miss Frazier's motion.

Roll call on Miss Frazier's motion:

YEAS—28.

NAYS—Berrum, Carlson, Ellison, Hanson, Hose, Hunter, Isbell, Ivers, Kean, Leighton, McElroy, McMullen, Nevin, Pozzi, Reynolds, Swackhamer, Vaughan, Wood—18.

Absent—Lambert.

The motion having received a majority, Mr. Speaker declared it carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Swackhamer moved that an invitation be extended to United States Senator George W. Malone to address the Assembly at 11:30 a. m., February 17, 1956.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker appointed Messrs. McElroy and Wood as a Committee on Escort to escort Senator Malone to the rostrum of the Assembly.

Mr. Harmon moved that the Assembly recess until 11:30 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 11:18 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 11:35 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of hearing United States Senator George W. Malone, with Mr. Speaker as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Motion carried.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Mr. Speaker presiding.

The Committee of the Whole was addressed by United States Senator George W. Malone.

On motion of Mr. Swackhamer, the committee did rise, and report back to the Assembly.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 12:01 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole has heard Senator George W. Malone.

CYRIL O. BASTIAN, *Chairman.*

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the members of the Assembly give a standing vote of thanks to Senator Malone for the discussion of our problems.

Motion carried unanimously.

Messrs. McElroy and Wood escorted Senator Malone to the bar of the Assembly.

Mr. Parks introduced his wife, Mrs. Bruce M. Parks, and his two daughters, Lynne and Joan, of Hawthorne, Nevada.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 12:03 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:10 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1 be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk for further amendment.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee of the Mineral County Delegation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 38, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

BRUCE M. PARKS, *Chairman*.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 33.

Bill read second time.

Mr. Dotson moved that all rules be suspended, bill considered engrossed, declared an emergency measure under the Constitution and placed on third reading and final passage.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 35.

Bill read second time.

Mr. Dotson moved that all rules be suspended, bill considered engrossed, declared an emergency measure under the Constitution and placed on third reading and final passage.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 42, 41, 26 and 37 be taken from their present position on the General File and placed at the top of the General File.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 37.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Swackhamer.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 37:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Parks and Wainwright—2.

Assembly Bill No. 37 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 42.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Byrne.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 42:

YEAS—44.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Swackhamer, Vaughan, Wainwright—3.

Assembly Bill No. 42 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 41.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Byrne.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 41:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Wainwright.

Not voting—Stark.

Assembly Bill No. 41 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 26.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Ruedy.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 26:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Byrne and Wainwright—2.

Assembly Bill No. 26 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 33.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Jepson, Dotson, Swackhamer, Ivers, Reynolds, Barr, Crawford, Shuey and Christensen (Washoe).

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Christensen (Washoe) moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 33 and 35 be taken from the General File and placed on the Chief Clerk's desk.

Remarks by Messrs. Dotson, Leighton, Christensen (Washoe), Harmon and Waters.

Mr. Speaker requested a division of the house.

Motion lost.

Messrs. Harmon, Adams and Byrne moved the previous question.

Motion carried.

The question being on the passage of Assembly Bill No. 33.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 33:

YEAS—10.

NAYS—Adams, Barnum, Barr, Berrum, Carlson, Christensen (Washoe), Denton, Ellison, Giomi, Hanson, Hardesty, Hendel, Hose, Hunter, Isbell, Ivers, Jepson, Jones, Kean, Lambert, Leighton, McElroy, McMullen, Murray, Nevin, Pozzi, Ruedy, Shuey, Stark, Swackhamer, Vaughan, Wood, Mr. Speaker—33.

Absent—Parks and Wainwright—2.

Not voting—Byrne and Frazier—2.

Assembly Bill No. 33 having failed to receive a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it lost.

Mr. Jepson gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Assembly Bill No. 33 was this day refused passage.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Reynolds moved that Assembly Bill No. 35 be taken from the General File and placed on the Chief Clerk's desk.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for five minutes.

Assembly in recess at 3:15 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 3:30 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 17, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as amended, Senate Bill No. 35.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 24; Senate Bills Nos. 27, 29, 30, 36, 37, 39.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Shuey gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Amendment No. 20 to Assembly Bill No. 1 was this day adopted.

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and placed on the Second Reading File.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

Senate Bill No. 27.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to a Joint Committee of Ways and Means and Building and Construction.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 29.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 30.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to a Joint Committee of Ways and Means and Building and Construction.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 36.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to a Select Committee of the Washoe County Delegation.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 37.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to a Joint Committee of Ways and Means and the Washoe County and Elko County Delegations.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 39.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 35.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to a Joint Committee of Ways and Means and the Washoe County and Elko County Delegations.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that Senate Bill No. 39 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk, all rules be suspended, bill considered engrossed, declared an emergency measure under the Constitution, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 39.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. McElroy.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 39:

YEAS—43.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Denton, Harmon, Vaughan, Wood—4.

Senate Bill No. 39 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 1.

Bill read second time.

The following amendments were proposed by the Committee on Education:

Amendment No. 21.

Amend section 58, page 16, line 47, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Further amend section 58, page 16, line 50, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Amendment No. 22.

Amend section 60, page 17, line 22, by adding after the period the following: "Immediately after the effective date of this Act, in a county

school district having 1,000 or more pupils enrolled therein and in which only five trustees were elected on May 2, 1955, pursuant to the provisions of section 44 of Chapter 402, Statutes of Nevada 1955, at page 815, the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall appoint two additional qualified persons as trustees of the county school district, and they shall hold their offices until the 1st Monday of January following the General Election in 1956."

Amendment No. 23.

Amend section 62, page 18, line 14, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Further amend section 62, page 18, line 16, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Amendment No. 24.

Amend section 63, page 18, line 36, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Further amend section 63, page 18, line 38, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Amendment No. 25.

Amend section 64, page 19, line 10, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Further amend section 64, page 19, line 14, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Further amend section 64, page 19, line 16, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Further amend section 64, page 19, line 24, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Amendment No. 26.

Amend section 65, page 19, line 32, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Further amend section 65, page 19, line 34, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Further amend section 65, page 19, line 39, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Amendment No. 27.

Amend section 66, page 20, line 5, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Further amend section 66, page 20, line 9, by striking out the figure "7,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1,000".

Amendment No. 28.

Amend the bill as a whole by adding thereto a new section to be designated as section 65.1, which shall immediately follow section 65 on page 19 after line 40 and shall read as follows:

"Section 65.1. Creation of Trustee Election Districts Within County School District: Procedure; Election of Trustees.

"1. Notwithstanding the provisions of sections 62 and 63, or any other section of this Act, the trustees of a county school district may be elected in the alternate manner hereinafter provided in this section.

"2. Within 30 days prior to May 1 of any year in which a General Election is to be held in the State, 10 percent or more of the registered voters of a county school district may file a written petition with the

Board of County Commissioners of the county praying for the creation of school trustee election districts within the county school district in the manner provided in this section. The signatures to the petition need not all be appended to one paper, but each signer must add to his name his place of residence, giving the street and number whenever practicable. One of the signers of each paper shall make oath, before an officer competent to administer oaths, that each signature to the paper appended is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be.

"3. Immediately after the receipt of the petition, the Board of County Commissioners shall fix a date for a public hearing to be held during the month of May, and shall give notice thereof by publication at least once in a newspaper published in the county, or if no such newspaper is published therein then in a newspaper published in the State of Nevada and having a general circulation in the county. The costs of publication of such notice shall be a proper charge against the County School District Fund.

"4. If, as a result of the public hearing, the Board of County Commissioners finds that the creation of school trustee election districts within the county school district is desirable, the Board of County Commissioners shall, by resolution regularly adopted prior to June 1, divide the county school district into a number of school trustee election districts equal to the number of members comprising the board of trustees of the county school district as provided in section 58, designate them by number and define their boundaries. The school trustee election districts shall be as near equal in registered voters as can be conveniently provided, and the territory comprising each school trustee election district shall be contiguous.

"5. Prior to June 1 and immediately following the adoption of the resolution creating school trustee election districts within a county school district, the clerk of the Board of County Commissioners shall transmit a certified copy of the resolution to the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

"6. A candidate for the office of trustee of a county school district in which school trustee election districts have been created shall be a qualified elector and shall be a resident of the school trustee election district which he seeks to represent. Candidates for election to the office of trustee shall be nominated for election by the registered voters residing in the respective school trustee election districts, but shall be elected by the registered voters residing in the county school district. At the general election held following the creation of school trustee election districts within a county school district, school trustees to represent the odd-numbered school trustee election districts shall be elected for terms of 4 years and school trustees to represent the even-numbered school trustee election districts shall be elected for terms of 2 years. Thereafter, at each general election, the offices of school trustees shall be filled for terms of 4 years in the order in which the terms of office expire.

"7. The Board of County Commissioners shall change the boundaries of school trustee election districts whenever the voters voting at the

time of any general election in any school trustee election district shall exceed the number of voters voting in any other school trustee election district by more than 15 percent.

"8. If the certificate of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, filed with the County Clerk in compliance with the provisions of section 61, states that the pupil enrollment during the preceding school year in a county school district was less than 1,000, and the board of trustees of the county school district is composed of seven elected members based upon a previous pupil enrollment of 1,000 or more, then the Board of County Commissioners shall redistrict the county school district into five school trustee election districts, and only such number of school trustees shall thereafter be nominated and elected at the forthcoming elections.

"9. If the certificate of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, filed with the County Clerk in compliance with the provisions of section 61, states that the pupil enrollment during the preceding school year in a county school district was 1,000 or more, and the board of trustees of the county school district is composed of five elected members based upon a previous pupil enrollment of less than 1,000, then the Board of County Commissioners shall redistrict the county school district into seven school trustee election districts and two additional school trustees shall thereafter be nominated and elected at the forthcoming elections."

Miss Frazier moved the adoption of the amendments.

Remarks by Miss Frazier, Messrs. Barnum, Hardesty, Christensen (Washoe), Von Tobel, Byrne, Christensen (Clark), Reynolds and Adams.

Amendments adopted.

The following amendment was proposed by the Committee on Education:

Amendment No. 29.

Amend section 394, page 107, line 12, by adding, after the period following the word "guardian", the following: "If such public school is in an adjoining county or an adjoining state, the per pupil costs for tuition and transportation or for tuition and subsistence shall not exceed the per pupil costs for tuition and transportation or tuition and subsistence to the nearest public school in Nevada."

Miss Frazier moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Miss Frazier.

Amendment adopted.

The following amendment was proposed by the Committee on Judiciary:

Amendment No. 2.

Amend section 122, page 36, line 14, by changing the period at the end of the line to a comma and adding thereafter the following: "and all public school moneys held by him and remaining to the credit of the county school fund, the county aid to district high school fund, and any other unapportioned county fund established for the support of the public schools. Any moneys so transferred from an existing school district building reserve fund shall be expended only in the manner provided in section 147."

Amendment No. 30.

Amend section 18, page 6, by striking out lines 12 through 14 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "authorized by law. Funds to carry out the provisions of this section shall be provided by direct legislative appropriation from the General Fund, and shall be paid out on claims as other claims against the State are paid."

Amendment No. 31.

Amend section 147, page 43, line 10, by adding after the period the following: "Any levy of an annual special tax authorized by this section shall be included within the tax levy authorized by paragraph (b) of subsection 2 of section 127 or paragraph (b) of subsection 2 of section 139."

Further amend section 147, page 43, by striking out lines 19 through 22 in their entirety.

Mr. Leighton moved the adoption of the amendments.

Remarks by Mr. Leighton.

Amendments adopted.

The following amendments were proposed by Mrs. Denton and Mr. Lambert:

Amendment No. 32.

Amend section 24, page 7, line 42, by striking out the words "approve or disapprove lists of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "adopt lists of recommended".

Amendment No. 33.

Amend section 80, page 23, line 36, by inserting after the comma and before the word "not" the following: "including the power to adopt a selection policy for books to be used in the schools,".

Mrs. Denton moved the adoption of the amendments.

Remarks by Mrs. Denton.

Amendments adopted.

Mr. Reynolds moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amendment No. 34.

Amend section 80, page 23, line 39, by striking out "and" and inserting in lieu thereof ", namely,"; and by striking out "welfare of school" and inserting in lieu thereof "education of".

Amendment adopted.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Adams moved that the vote whereby Amendment No. 34 was adopted, be reconsidered.

Remarks by Messrs. Adams, Reynolds, Parks and Harmon.

Motion carried.

Mr. Reynolds moved the adoption of Amendment No. 34.

Amendment lost.

Mr. Hardesty gave notice that on the next legislative day he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Amendment No. 28 to Assembly Bill No. 1 was this day adopted.

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1 be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 7, 13, 21, 6, 11 and 14 be taken from the General File and be placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Saturday, February 18, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 5:05 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,

Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE THIRTEENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Saturday), February 18, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:12 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Mr. Vaughan, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend John D. Ward.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 29, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Senate Bill No. 29.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Senate Bill No. 38.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Leighton moved that Assembly Bill No. 21 be taken from its present position on the General File and placed on top of the General File.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and placed on the Second Reading File.

Motion carried.

Mr. Harmon moved that Assembly Bill No. 11 be taken from its present position on the General File and placed just below Assembly Bill No. 21, on the General File.

Motion carried.

Mr. Reynolds moved that the Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of hearing Mr. Glenn A. Duncan, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, discuss school legislation until 11 a. m., with Mr. Speaker as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Motion carried.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Mr. Speaker presiding.

The Committee of the Whole was addressed by Mr. Glenn A. Duncan, State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

On motion of Mr. Reynolds, the committee did rise, and report back to the Assembly.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole has heard Mr. Glenn A. Duncan, State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

CYRIL O. BASTIAN, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for five minutes.

Assembly in recess at 11:06 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 11:18 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 1.

Bill read second time.

Mr. Dotson moved the adoption of the following amendment.

Amendment No. 35.

Amend the bill as a whole by adding thereto a new section to be designated as section 86.1, which shall immediately follow section 86 on page 24 after line 22 and shall read as follows:

"Section 86.1. Attendance Area Advisory Committees: Creation; Appointment of Members.

"1. For the purposes of this section, 'attendance area' means the area wherein the pupils attending a particular elementary or high school reside, as such area now exists or as it may hereafter be designated by the board of trustees.

"2. Within 30 days after receipt by the board of trustees of a school district of a petition, signed by 10 percent of the registered voters or 250 registered voters, whichever number is the lesser, residing within an attendance area, requesting such action, the board of trustees shall create an attendance area advisory committee consisting of not more than three members. Members of the attendance area advisory committee shall be appointed by the board of trustees from among the qualified electors residing within such attendance area, and shall be designated as 'members of the attendance area advisory committee of the.....(high or elementary, as appropriate) School of.....

County (or Joint) School District.' Members appointed prior to the 1st Monday in January 1959 will hold office for a term expiring on the 1st Monday in January 1959; thereafter, appointments shall be for terms of 2 years expiring on the 1st Monday in January next following a general election.

"3. The attendance area advisory committee shall have the following powers and duties:

"(a) To attend all meetings of the board of trustees.

"(b) When requested, to make written reports to the board of trustees concerning special problems of the attendance area.

"(c) To make written recommendations to the board of trustees concerning problems of a general nature in the school district.

"Nothing contained in this subsection shall be construed to give any member individually or any attendance area advisory committee any right to vote on any issue before the board of trustees, nor shall any member of the advisory committee have any powers or duties in connection with the issuance or sale of negotiable bonds of the school district.

"4. Vacancies shall occur by resignation or death, or the failure of any member of an attendance area advisory committee to attend four successive regular meetings of the board of trustees. A vacancy occurring by failure to attend meetings shall be declared by resolution of the board of trustees and the successor member shall be appointed by such resolution.

"5. If the majority of a school attendance area advisory committee fails to attend meetings of the board of trustees and the board finds that dissolution of the committee is advisable, the board of trustees may, by resolution, dissolve the attendance area advisory committee.

"6. No member of an attendance area advisory committee shall be paid any compensation or per diem or travel expenses.

"7. Any advisory board created prior to the effective date of this act is hereby abolished and the terms of any members of such a board are hereby terminated."

Remarks by Messrs. Dotson, Christensen (Clark), Shuey, Reynolds, Christensen (Washoe), Mrs. Denton, Mr. Byrne, Miss Frazier and Mr. Adams.

Mr. Speaker requested a division of the house.

Amendment lost.

Mr. Dotson moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amendment No. 36.

Amend section 182, page 53, line 38, by striking out the following: "The board of trustees of a county school district may divide the"; and by inserting immediately after line 38 the following:

"1. Subject to the provisions of subsection 2, the board of trustees of a county school district may divide the".

Further amend section 182, page 53, by adding immediately after line 46 the following:

"2. No county school district bonds shall be issued or sold by the board of trustees after the expiration of 3 years from the date of the election authorizing such issue."

Amendment No. 37.

Amend section 221, page 67, line 2, by striking out the following: "The board of trustees of a joint school district may divide the"; and by inserting immediately after line 2 the following:

"1. Subject to the provisions of subsection 2, the board of trustees of a joint school district may divide the".

Further amend section 221, page 67, by inserting immediately after line 10 the following:

"2. No joint school district bonds shall be issued or sold by the board of trustees after the expiration of 3 years from the date of the election authorizing such issue."

Remarks by Messrs. Dotson and Leighton.

Amendments adopted.

Mr. Reynolds moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amendment No. 38.

Amend section 251, page 75, line 13, by striking out the word "or" and placing a comma after the word "sectarian".

Further amend section 251, page 75, line 14, by adding after the word "tional" the following: ", political or foreign".

Amendment No. 39.

Amend section 291, page 83, line 37, by striking out "prescribed and adopted by the proper authority." and inserting in lieu thereof "recommended by the State Board of Education and adopted by their own authority."

Amendment No. 40.

Amend section 296, page 84, line 26, by adding, immediately after the word "the", the word "ill".

Remarks by Messrs. Reynolds, Harmon, Lambert, Irwin and Adams.

Amendments lost.

Mr. Reynolds moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amendment No. 41.

Amend section 298, page 84, line 36, by removing the period after the word "investment" and adding thereafter the following: "and government taxes."

Remarks by Messrs. Reynolds, Irwin and Lambert.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Reynolds moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amendment No. 42.

Amend section 419, page 114, by striking out lines 2 through 25 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"1. Before letting any contracts for the construction, repair or alteration of any school building, the board of trustees of any school district shall require of the architects and engineers employed and paid by it, that their complete and final plans and working drawings and specifications be submitted to the State Planning Board for its written approval of every phase of design and construction and specifications, and also to the Superintendent of Public Instruction for his final approval of every phase of design and specifications, but not construction.

"2. This section does not preclude the architects employed by the

school districts from submitting any preliminary plans and specifications and other phases of planning school structures to the State Planning Board and the Superintendent of Public Instruction for prior consultation and approval."

Remarks by Messrs. Reynolds, Von Tobel and Irwin.

Messrs. Von Tobel, Christensen (Clark), and Godbey moved the previous question.

Motion carried.

The question being on the adoption of Amendment No. 42 to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Mr. Speaker asked for a division of the house.

Amendment lost.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 1:30 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 12:23 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 1:40 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 1.

Mr. Wood moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amendment No. 43.

Amend the bill as a whole by adding thereto a new section to be designated section 154.1, which shall immediately follow section 154, on page 45, and precede "Article 17.", and shall read as follows:

"SEC. 154.1. Examinations and Audits of School District Fiscal Affairs.

"1. As soon as practicable after the effective date of this act and at least once every year thereafter and at such other times as the board may deem it necessary, the board of trustees of a school district shall cause to be examined and audited all fiscal books, records and accounts of all officers, personnel, custodians of public funds, disbursing officers, property custodians and purchasing agents of the school district, and cause to be made independent verifications of all assets, liabilities, revenues and expenditures of the school district, its officers and departments, now in existence or hereafter created.

"2. The audits and examinations herein provided to be made shall be made for the following purposes:

"(a) To determine whether the handling of the public money is protected by adequate accounting controls.

"(b) To determine whether all revenues or accounts due have been collected or properly accounted for, and whether expenditures have been made in conformance with law and good business practice.

"(c) To determine whether the fiscal controls established by law and administrative regulation are being properly applied.

“(d) To determine whether fraud or dishonesty has occurred in the handling of funds or property.

“(e) To determine whether property and equipment are properly accounted for, and that none is improperly used or disposed of.

“(f) To determine whether the accounting reports and statements issued by the school district under examination are an accurate reflection of the operations and financial condition.

“(g) To provide assistance to trustees of the school district with respect to outlining and installing a uniform, adequate and efficient system of records and accounting.

“3. The audits and examinations herein provided for shall be made and conducted by a certified public accountant, duly licensed to practice under the laws of this state, who shall be selected and employed by the board of trustees of the school district, and he shall be compensated from the school district fund of the school district which so employs him.

“4. Upon completion of each audit and examination, the auditor's report shall be delivered to the board of trustees of the school district, and the board shall take such action with respect to the contents of such report as may be required by law or as the board may deem necessary or desirable. The board of trustees shall cause a copy of such audit report to be filed with the County Auditor, and shall cause a notice of such filing to be published at least once in a newspaper published in the school district, or if no such newspaper is published therein, then in a newspaper published in the State of Nevada having a general circulation in the school district. The notice shall state that the auditor's report is available for public examination in the office of the County Auditor.”

Mr. Wood moved that an amendment be made to Amendment No. 43, by inserting in subsection 1, line 2, after the word “every” and before the word “year” the word “two”, and changing the word “year” to “years”.

Motion carried.

Mr. Wood moved that a second amendment be made to Amendment No. 43, by inserting in subsection 3, line 2, after the word “a” and before the word “certified” the words “practicing public accountant or a”.

Motion carried.

Remarks by Messrs. Wood, Byrne, Hunter and Irwin.

Amendments adopted.

Mr. Wood moved that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendments to Amendment No. 43 adopted by the Assembly.

Motion carried.

Mr. Reynolds moved the adoption of the following amendment:
Amendment No. 44.

Amend section 419, page 114, by striking out lines 2 through 25 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“1. Before letting any contract which is to cost more than \$1,000 for the construction, repair or alteration of any school building, the board of trustees of any school district shall require of the architects

and engineers employed and paid by it, that their complete and final plans and working drawings and specifications be submitted to the State Planning Board for its written approval of every phase of design and construction and specifications, and also to the Superintendent of Public Instruction for his final approval of every phase of design and specifications, but not construction.

"2. This section does not preclude the architects employed by the school districts from submitting any preliminary plans and specifications and other phases of planning school structures to the State Planning Board and the Superintendent of Public Instruction for prior consultation and approval."

Remarks by Messrs. Reynolds, Von Tobel, Christensen (Washoe), Harmon and Lambert.

Amendment lost.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

In compliance with a notice given on a previous day, Mr. Shuey moved that the vote whereby Amendment No. 20 to Assembly Bill No. 1 was passed be reconsidered.

Motion lost.

Mr. McElroy moved that all rules be suspended, Assembly Bill No. 1 considered engrossed, declared an emergency measure under the Constitution, and placed on third reading and final passage and that it be placed on the top of the General File.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 1.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 1:

YEAS—46.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Vaughan.

Assembly Bill No. 1 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bill No. 1 be reprinted with adopted amendments, before being transmitted to the Senate.

Motion carried unanimously.

Assembly Bill No. 21.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Leighton and Byrne.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 21:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Swackhamer and Vaughan—2.

Assembly Bill No. 21 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Speaker pro tem in the Chair.

Assembly Bill No. 11.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Harmon.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 11:

YEAS—44.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Parks, Swackhamer, Vaughan—3.

Assembly Bill No. 11 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker pro tem declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 7, 13, 16 and 14 be taken from the General File and be placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Assembly Bills Nos. 22 and 27.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Monday, February 20, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 3:08 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,

Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE FIFTEENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Monday), February 20, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:04 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Messrs. Adams, Byrne, Crawford, Dotson, Embry, Harmon and Ivers, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Harold W. Borhauer.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 28, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

DONALD M. LEIGHTON, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee of the Washoe County Delegation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 44, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

CLARENCE RUEDY, *Chairman.*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 18, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 40, and Assembly Bills Nos. 25, 28.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Jepson moved that Assembly Bill No. 35 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and postponed indefinitely.

Messrs. Jepson, Hardesty and Christensen (Washoe) requested a roll call on Mr. Jepson's motion.

Remarks by Messrs. Reynolds, Irwin and Miss Frazier.

Roll call on Mr. Jepson's motion:

YEAS—32.

NAYS—Byrne, Christensen (Clark), Denton, Dotson, Embry, Frazier, Godbey, Harmon, Irwin, Reynolds, Von Tobel, Waters, Wood—13.

Absent—Pozzi.

Not voting—Isbell.

The motion having received a majority, Mr. Speaker declared it carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that Senate Bill No. 36 be withdrawn from a Select Committee of the Washoe County Delegation and be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that Senate Bills Nos. 35 and 37 be withdrawn from a Joint Committee of Ways and Means and the Washoe County and Elko County Delegations and be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

Senate Bill No. 40.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 2.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Miss Frazier, Messrs. Reynolds and Adams.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 2:

YEAS—44.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford, Hose, Pozzi—3.

Assembly Bill No. 2 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 3.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 3:

YEAS—43.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford, Pozzi, Ruedy, Von Tobel—4.

Assembly Bill No. 3 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 4.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 4:

YEAS—46.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Pozzi.

Assembly Bill No. 4 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for five minutes.

Assembly in recess at 10:37 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 10:45 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 5.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 5:

YEAS—42.

NAYS—Reynolds, Shuey, Stark—3.

Absent—Crawford and Hendel—2.

Assembly Bill No. 5 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 8.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 8:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford and Hendel—2.

Assembly Bill No. 8 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 9.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 9:

YEAS—44.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford, Dotson, Ruedy—3.

Assembly Bill No. 9 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 12.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 12:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford and Waters—2.

Assembly Bill No. 12 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 15.

Bill read third time.

The following amendment was proposed by the Committee on Judiciary:

Amend section 2, page 2, line 23, by adding after the period following the word "rendered", the following: "The report shall be in such form as the State Board of Education may prescribe."; and by placing

an open bracket before the word "The" following the word "prescribe."

Further amend section 2, page 2, lines 24 through 28 by placing at the beginning and end of each line open and closed brackets.

Further amend section 2, page 2, line 29, by placing an open bracket before "(a)"; and by removing the brackets from the word "Relief"; and by striking out the words "Certified employee"; and by placing a closed bracket at the end of the line.

Further amend section 2, page 2, line 30, by placing an open bracket before "(b)"; and by removing the brackets from the word "Teacher"; and by striking out the word "Pupil"; and by placing a closed bracket at the end of the line.

Further amend section 2, page 2, line 31, by placing a closed bracket at the end of the line.

Further amend section 2, page 2, lines 35, 36, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44 and 45 by placing at the beginning and end of each line open and closed brackets.

Mr. Leighton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Mr. Leighton.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Leighton moved that rules be suspended, that the reprinting of Assembly Bill No. 15 be dispensed with, and that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendment adopted by the Assembly.

Motion carried unanimously.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 15:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Dotson and Vaughan—2.

Assembly Bill No. 15 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Mr. Leighton moved that Assembly Bill No. 15 be reprinted before being transmitted to the Senate.

Motion carried unanimously.

Bill ordered reprinted and transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 16.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 16:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Dotson and Vaughan—2.

Assembly Bill No. 16 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 17.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 17:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Dotson and Parks—2.

Assembly Bill No. 17 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 18.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Harmon, Reynolds, Mrs. Denton, Messrs. Adams, Wood and Swackhamer.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 18:

YEAS—47.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 18 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 10.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 10:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford and Pozzi—2.

Assembly Bill No. 10 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 20.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 20:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford and Pozzi—2.

Assembly Bill No. 20 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 7.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Hose and Reynolds.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 7:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford and Pozzi—2.

Assembly Bill No. 7 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 13.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 13:

YEAS—45.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford and Pozzi—2.

Assembly Bill No. 13 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for two minutes.

Assembly in recess at 11:34 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 11:37 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 6.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 6:

YEAS—43.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Crawford, Leighton, Pozzi, Ruedy—4.

Assembly Bill No. 6 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Crawford moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 11:54 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:08 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 14.

Bill read third time.

The following amendment was proposed by the Committee on Roads and Transportation:

Amend section 3, page 3, line 24, by changing the period at the end of the line to a comma and adding thereafter the following: "and at a speed not in excess of the speed limit set by law for school buses."

Mr. Hose moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Mr. Hose.

Amendment adopted.

Remarks by Messrs. Hose, Wood and Shuey.

Mr. Hose moved that Assembly Bill No. 14 be taken from the General File and placed on the Chief Clerk's desk.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

HENRY CARLSON, *Chairman.*

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Mr. Von Tobel:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Memorializing the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the State Department of Education to emphasize courses of study in secondary schools leading to careers in science and engineering.

WHEREAS, The continued technological and scientific growth of our country has resulted in an extreme shortage of trained scientists and engineers upon whom depends further progress in harnessing the forces of nature for the common good; and

WHEREAS, Our national defense and the continued existence of Western Civilization may well depend upon maintaining our technological superiority over certain totalitarian nations; and

WHEREAS, The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics has concentrated on efforts to train scientists and engineers and is presently training such persons at a rate far in excess of the United States; and

WHEREAS, If the United States fails to keep pace in this vital race we may well soon lose our present technological advantages; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, the Senate concurring, That the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the State Department of Education be memorialized to take such action as may be necessary to encourage the youth of our State to prepare themselves for careers in science and engineering, and to offer courses of study in the secondary schools to assist them in such preparation; and be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the Journals of the Assembly and Senate, and that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the Assembly to the Superintendent of Public Instruction and to the Department of Education.

Mr. Von Tobel moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Mr. Von Tobel and Miss Frazier.

Resolution adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 20, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 23.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Senate Bill No. 28.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 44.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 38.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 38:

YEAS—46.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Pozzi.

Senate Bill No. 38 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 29.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Swackhamer.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 29:

YEAS—46.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Pozzi.

Senate Bill No. 29 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Assembly in recess at 2:28 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 3:10 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Senate Bill No. 39.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF NEVADA

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER

CARSON CITY, February 20, 1956

To the Honorable the Assembly:

The justly famed, or should I say well publicized, Lander County Salary Bill was signed by me Saturday, February 18, and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State shortly after 8 a. m., this morning, Monday, February 20.

Since the bill was delivered to my office by the gentlemen of the Lander County Delegation, from both houses, with due ceremony, including much ringing of a cow bell (some experts, including George H. Meyers, of Carson City, say it was a sheep bell), I am taking this means of notifying you that the measure now is law.

I am herewith returning the cow (or sheep) bell with state colors, in lieu of properly attached state seal.

Inasmuch as only one bell accompanied the Lander County bill, presumably so that the bill would not be lost, I am returning the original bell to the introducer, and a reasonable facsimile to the Senator, that, like the bill received, neither of them shall become lost during the last days of this Special Session.

CHARLES H. RUSSELL, *Governor.*

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Tuesday, February 21, 1956, at 10 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 3:13 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,

Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE SIXTEENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), February 21, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Messrs. Byrne, Dotson, Embry, Harmon and Shuey, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend H. G. Rannells.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Majority Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 34, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER,
M. J. CHRISTENSEN,
C. S. CHRISTENSEN,
CLARENCE RUEDY,

HENRY BERRUM,
JACK J. HUNTER, JR.,
STAN IRWIN,
ARCHIE POZZI, JR.,
MAUDE FRAZIER,

Majority Committee.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Minority Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 34, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do not pass.

NORMAN SHUEY,
HUGH D. McMULLEN,

Minority Committee.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Majority Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 45, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER,
M. J. CHRISTENSEN,
C. S. CHRISTENSEN,
CLARENCE RUEDY,

HENRY BERRUM,
JACK J. HUNTER, JR.,
STAN IRWIN,
ARCHIE POZZI, JR.,
MAUDE FRAZIER,

Majority Committee.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Minority Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 45, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do not pass.

NORMAN SHUEY,
HUGH D. McMULLEN,

Minority Committee.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Hose moved that Assembly Bill No. 14 be taken from the Chief Clerk's Desk and placed on the General File.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker instructed the Chief Clerk to read the following editorial which appeared in the *Nevada Appeal*:

Why Not This Tax?

In San Francisco this week, new mayor George Christopher proposed a 5 percent tax on transient hotel bills.

It would raise about \$1,500,000 annually, he declared, "almost entirely from visitors who admittedly contribute much to the city's business revenues but regrettably add next to nothing to the city's tax revenues."

And he added that his plan had been talked over with leading hotel men in San Francisco, and they were "not opposed" to the move.

After all, if you stay in a hotel today in Denver or Salt Lake or Kansas City or Chicago or New York or Miami, or Atlantic City, you pay a tax on your hotel room bill. It varies from 2 to 4 percent, but the net effect is that it's usually so insignificant in comparison with other charges on a hotel statement, that it's hardly noticeable.

When Nevada legislators keep looking for new tax sources they should consider this hotel tax for transients. It should be at the same 2 percent rate as the sales and use tax. It should involve very little extra work for the hotels to report, for they now make their tax returns on food, beverages, cigarettes and such.

And it wouldn't take a good statistician like Bill Swackhamer, chairman of the Assembly Ways and Means Committee, long to figure out what such a tax could mean in yearly revenue to the State, at the rate of only a few cents per day from each tourist.

Mr. Crawford moved that the editorial read by the Chief Clerk be recorded in the Journal.

Remarks by Mr. Reynolds.

Motion carried.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2:

Mr. Irwin moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Mr. Irwin.

Resolution adopted.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1.

Resolution read second time, and ordered to third reading.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 28.

Bill read third time.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 28:

YEAS—44.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Adams, Harmon, Shuey—3.

Senate Bill No. 28 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Hose moved that the Assembly rescind its action taken on the adoption of the amendments to Assembly Bill No. 14.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 14.

Bill read third time.

Mr. Hose moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend section 3, page 3, by striking out lines 19 through 32 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“(c) Any restricted operator’s license issued pursuant to this subsection:

“(1) Shall be effective only for the school year during which it is issued or for a more restricted period.

“(2) Shall authorize the licensee to operate a motor vehicle on a street or highway only while going to and from school, and at a speed not in excess of the speed limit set by law for school buses.

“(3) Shall contain such other restrictions as the department may deem necessary and proper.

“(4) May authorize the licensee to transport as passengers in a motor vehicle operated by him, only while he is going to and from school, members of his immediate family, or other minor persons upon written consent of the parents or guardians of such minors; but in no event shall the number of passengers so transported at any time exceed the number of passengers for which the vehicle was designed.”

Remarks by Messrs. Hose, Irwin, Vaughan, Wood, Harmon, Byrne and Miss Frazier.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Hose moved that rules be suspended, that the reprinting of Assembly Bill No. 14 be dispensed with, and that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendment adopted by the Assembly.

Motion carried unanimously.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 14:

YEAS—42.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Adams, Leighton, Shuey, Wood—4.

Not voting—Dotson.

Assembly Bill No. 14 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Mr. Hose moved that Assembly Bill No. 14, with the adopted amendment, be reprinted before being transmitted to the Senate.

Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Wood introduced Father Paul, Principal, and the members of the senior class of Manogue High School, Sparks, Nevada; Theresa Mariani, Donna Boyter, Kay Patterson, Joy Carney, Marilyn Ferrari, Sharon Teglia, Sherrill Felisina, Martha Cleary, Lynne Rider, Darlene Grady, Maureen Grady, Sandra Hesse, Joan Banchi, Peggy Diebold, Sandra Smith, Ann Nicora, Woodie Comstock, Jackie Bogue, Ann Smernoff, Tom Maguire, Steve Peluffo, Steve Cullem, John Benevides, Ray Corradetti, Jim Rodrigue, Ken Zunino, Ken Hemphill, Pete Hurd, Fred Mouliau, Sherry Riley and Nondya Lean.

Mr. McElroy introduced Mr. H. L. Covington, former Assemblyman from Washoe County, now residing in Elko County.

Mr. Giomi introduced Mr. Willar Hamlin, Justice of the Peace of Fernley, Nevada, and also Lyon County Democratic Chairman.

Mr. Barnum introduced Mr. Nat I. Brown, prominent citizen and businessman of Fernley, Nevada.

Mr. Bastian introduced former State Senator E. L. Norres, of Pioche, Nevada.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.
Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 11:58 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:08 p. m.

Mr. Speaker Pro Tempore in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 21, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bills Nos. 26, 19, 37.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Barr moved that Assembly Bill No. 34 be placed on the Chief Clerk's desk.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 45.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Wednesday, February 22, 1956, at 11 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 2:31 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE SEVENTEENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), February 22, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 11:07 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Messrs. Hardesty and Ivers, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Ellis G. Martin.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 43, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 36, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 21, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Jepson moved that Assembly Bill No. 34 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and be placed on the Second Reading File.

Motion carried.

By Messrs. Harmon and Byrne:

Assembly Resolution No. 9—Extending to Mr. Bruce Kramer, Sr., the sympathy of the Assembly in the loss of his son, Bruce Kramer, Jr.

WHEREAS, The Assembly has learned with profound sorrow that Mr. Bruce Kramer, Sr., of North Las Vegas, has recently suffered the loss of his son, Bruce, Jr.; and

WHEREAS, Bruce Kramer, Jr., was at the time of his death serving with the United States Marine Corps; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bruce Kramer, Sr., suffered the loss of his other son, Jim, during the Korean conflict; and

WHEREAS, The Assembly feels deep and sincere sympathy for Mr. Bruce Kramer, Sr., because of his recent bereavement; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That this body express, this day, its profound sorrow at the untimely death of Bruce Kramer, Jr.; and be it further

Resolved, That this Resolution be given such permanency as is possible for us to give by spreading it upon the pages of the Journal of the Assembly; and that a duly certified copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Mr. Bruce Kramer, Sr., by the Chief Clerk of the Assembly of the State of Nevada.

Mr. Harmon moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Mr. Harmon.

Resolution adopted unanimously.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that Senate Bill No. 36 be withdrawn from the Committee on Ways and Means, and be re-referred to a Select Committee of the Washoe County Delegation.

Motion carried.

By Committee on Legislative Functions:

Assembly Resolution No. 10—Commemorating the birthday of George Washington.

WHEREAS, On this day, February 22, 1956, we celebrate the birthday of George Washington, the first President of the United States; and

WHEREAS, A recital of his courage and patriotism, his loyalty and devotion, his self-sacrifice will always arouse the imagination and inspire the soul of everyone who loves his country; and

WHEREAS, We all share in the benefits which accrued from the independence he won and the free republic he did so much to establish; and

WHEREAS, It is due to his memory that we guard the sovereign rights of the individual states under our Constitution with the same solicitude that we maintain the authority of the Federal Government in all matters vital to our continued national existence; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That when this body adjourns today it do so in honor of the birthday of George Washington, remembering always that his was the directing spirit without which there would have been no independence, no Union, no Constitution, and no Republic.

Mr. Waters moved the adoption of the resolution.

Resolution adopted unanimously.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 34.

Bill read third time.

The following amendment was proposed by the Committee on Ways and Means:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 26, by striking out the figure "\$110,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "\$197,500".

Mr. Swackhamer moved the adoption of the amendment.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that rules be suspended, that the reprinting of Assembly Bill No. 34 be dispensed with, and that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendment adopted by the Assembly.

Motion carried unanimously.

Bill ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for five minutes.

Assembly in recess at 11:22 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 11:32 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Christensen (Washoe) moved that Assembly Bill No. 44 be taken from the General File and placed on the Chief Clerk's desk.

Remarks by Mr. Christensen (Washoe).

Motion carried.

Mr. Crawford moved that the Assembly Chamber be made available at 4 p. m., Wednesday, February 22, 1956, for a public hearing on the acquisition of land in Washoe, Pershing and Humboldt Counties by the United States Navy for use as a gunnery range, and that broadcasting be permitted.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1.

Resolution read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Carlson, Adams and Irwin.

Roll call on Senate Joint Resolution No. 1:

YEAS—40.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Berrum, Crawford, Dotson, Hardesty, Ivers, Shuey, Swackhamer—7.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Resolution ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of considering Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1 with Mr. Speaker as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Motion carried.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Mr. Speaker presiding.

The Committee of the Whole considered Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1.

On motion of Mr. McElroy, the committee did rise, and report back to the Assembly.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 12:03 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole has considered Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1.

CYRIL O. BASTIAN, *Chairman.*

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 12:05 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:04 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Committee of the Washoe County Delegation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 36, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

CLARENCE RUEDY, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your majority Committee on Ways and Means, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 35 and 37, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

M. J. CHRISTENSEN,

MAUDE FRAZIER,

JACK J. HUNTER, JR.,

C. S. CHRISTENSEN,

STAN IRWIN,

CLARENCE RUEDY,

Majority Committee.

Mr. Speaker:

Your minority Committee on Ways and Means, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 35 and 37, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back without recommendation.

HENRY W. BERRUM,

NORMAN R. SHUEY,

HUGH D. McMULLEN,

Minority Committee.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 22, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 42.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 43.

Bill read second time, ordered engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 36.

Bill read second time.

The following amendments were proposed by the Committee on Ways and Means:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend section 1, line 18, by striking out the figure "\$8,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "\$10,000".

Further amend section 1, line 20, by adding after the period the following: "Not more than \$2,000 of the moneys herein appropriated shall be used for a survey and inspection of the State Capitol to determine that building's present utility and safety condition."

Amendment No. 2.

Amend the preamble of the bill by adding, immediately after line 9, the following:

"WHEREAS, A survey and inspection of the State Capitol is necessary to determine that building's present utility and safety condition, the cost of which will be approximately \$2,000; and"

Mr. Swackhamer moved the adoption of the amendments.

Remarks by Messrs. Irwin and Swackhamer.

Mr. Swackhamer indicated that the aforesaid amendments were agreed to by both the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Building and Construction.

Amendments adopted.

Bill ordered reprinted, engrossed and to third reading.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of considering Assembly Bills Nos. 43 and 1, with Mr. Speaker as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Motion carried.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Assembly Bills Nos. 43 and 1 considered.

On motion of Mr. McElroy, the committee did rise, and report back to the Assembly.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 3:37 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole has considered Assembly Bills Nos. 43 and 1.

CYRIL O. BASTIAN, *Chairman.*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 40, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Messrs. Hanson and Jones:

Assembly Resolution No. 11—Memorializing former Assemblyman Henry Conrad Schmidt.

WHEREAS, The members of this body have learned with deep sorrow of the death of former Assemblyman Henry Conrad Schmidt; and

WHEREAS, Assemblyman Schmidt was born in Germany, January 20, 1870, and died at Carson City, Nevada, February 21, 1956; and

WHEREAS, He came to Nevada in 1886 and made his home for several years at Winnemucca, Nevada, where he was interested in business, and later expanded his business activities throughout southern Nevada; and

WHEREAS, He served his constituency in Nye County as an Assemblyman from 1911 to 1915 with distinction and honor, and also served as a Nye County Commissioner for a period of 6 years; and

WHEREAS, He was elected State Controller in 1934, and was re-elected in 1938 and 1942; and

WHEREAS, He lived well the roles of a good citizen, a capable legislator, an honest and diligent public servant, and a staunch friend; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, That the condolences of the members of the Assembly of the Nevada Legislature are extended to his widow and surviving relatives; and be it further

Resolved, That this Resolution be spread upon the Journal of the Assembly; and that a duly certified copy of this Resolution be transmitted to his widow, Mrs. Georgia Schmidt, by the Chief Clerk of the Assembly of the State of Nevada; and that when this body adjourns today it do so in memory of former Assemblyman Henry Conrad Schmidt.

Mr. McElroy moved the adoption of the resolution.

Resolution adopted unanimously.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By Committee on Ways and Means:

Assembly Bill No. 46—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide a general highway law for the State of Nevada," approved March 23, 1917.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Senate Bill No. 36.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Senate Bill No. 35.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Senate Bill No. 37.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Thursday, February 23, 1956, at 10 a. m., and that it do so in honor of George Washington, and in memory of Henry Conrad Schmidt.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 3:50 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,

Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE EIGHTEENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Thursday), February 23, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:05 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Mr. Adams, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Fred A. Rinehart.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Ruedy moved that Assembly Bill No. 44 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and be placed on the General File.

Motion carried.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that the order of the General File be reversed, and that the bills be considered in the following order: Senate Bill No. 37, Senate Bill No. 35 and Senate Bill No. 36.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

Senate Bill No. 42.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker Pro Tempore in the Chair.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Senate Bill No. 40.

Bill read second time.

The following amendment was proposed by the Committee on Ways and Means:

Amend section 1, page 1, by striking out line 7 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "as amended;"

Mr. Swackhamer moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Mr. Swackhamer.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that rules be suspended, that the reprinting of Senate Bill No. 40 be dispensed with, and that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendment adopted by the Assembly.

Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that all rules be suspended, Senate Bill No.

40 be considered engrossed, declared an emergency measure under the Constitution, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 37.

Bill read third time.

Mr. Swackhamer moved the adoption of the following amendment: Amend section 3, page 2, line 45, by striking out the word "will" and substituting in lieu thereof the word "may".

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that rules be suspended, that the reprinting of Senate Bill No. 37 be dispensed with, and that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendment adopted by the Assembly.

Motion carried unanimously.

Remarks by Messrs. Reynolds, Harmon, Bastian, Ruedy, Stark, Byrne, Kean, Shuey, Hendel, Wood, Swackhamer, Hunter, Crawford, Berrum, Irwin and Jones.

Messrs. Berrum, Harmon and Hardesty moved the previous question.

Motion carried.

The question being on the passage of Senate Bill No. 37.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 37:

YEAS—34.

NAYS—Berrum, Hose, Ivers, Lambert, McMullen, Murray, Reynolds, Shuey, Stark, Mr. Speaker—10.

Absent—Adams, Pozzi, Vaughan—3.

Senate Bill No. 37 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker Pro Tempore declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered re-engrossed and transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 42, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 35.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Ruedy.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 35:

YEAS—33.

NAYS—Berrum, Ivers, Lambert, McMullen, Murray, Reynolds, Shuey, Stark, Mr. Speaker—9.

Absent—Adams, Hose, Parks, Pozzi, Vaughan—5.

Senate Bill No. 35 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 36.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Ruedy.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 36:

YEAS—37.

NAYS—Ivers, Reynolds, Shuey, Stark—4.

Absent—Adams, Hose, Leighton, Parks, Pozzi, Vaughan—6.

Senate Bill No. 36 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 44.

Bill read third time.

The following amendment was proposed by a Select Committee of the Washoe County Delegation:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 34, by striking out the word "an" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "a total".

Mr. Ruedy moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Mr. Ruedy.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Ruedy moved that rules be suspended, that the reprinting of Assembly Bill No. 44 be dispensed with, and that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendment adopted by the Assembly.

Motion carried unanimously.

Remarks by Messrs. Ruedy and Kean.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 44:

YEAS—38.

NAYS—Isbell.

Absent—Adams, Berrum, Dotson, Hose, Pozzi, Swackhamer, Vaughan—7.

Not voting—Wainwright.

Assembly Bill No. 44 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered re-engrossed and transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for five minutes.

Assembly in recess at 11:31 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 11:42 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 45.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Jepson and Swackhamer.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 45:

YEAS—38.

NAYS—McMullen, Reynolds, Shuey—3.

Absent—Adams, Ellison, Embry, Leighton, Vaughan, Wood—6.

Assembly Bill No. 45 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 34.

Bill read third time.

Mr. Barr moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend section 1, line 26, by striking out the figure "\$197,500" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "\$395,000".

Amendment No. 2.

Amend the preamble of the bill, on line 12, by striking out the figure "\$5" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "\$10".

Remarks by Messrs. Barr, Swackhamer, Godbey, Shuey, Reynolds, Hendel, McMullen and Stark.

Messrs. Barr, Harmon and Byrne requested a roll call on Mr. Barr's motion.

Roll call on Mr. Barr's motion:

YEAS—17.

NAYS—Barnum, Berrum, Christensen (Clark), Giomi, Hanson, Hardesty, Hose, Hunter, Irwin, Isbell, Ivers, Jones, Kean, McMullen, Pozzi, Reynolds, Ruedy, Shuey, Stark, Swackhamer, Von Tobel, Wood, Mr. Speaker—23.

Absent—Adams, Ellison, Frazier, Leighton, Parks, Vaughan—6.

Not voting—Christensen (Washoe).

The motion having failed to receive a majority, Mr. Speaker declared it lost.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 34:

YEAS—41.

NAYS—Reynolds and Shuey—2.

Absent—Adams, Ellison, Leighton, Vaughan—4.

Assembly Bill No. 34 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 2 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 12:12 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:08 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 46, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman.*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 23, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bills Nos. 22, 41, 43; Assembly Bills Nos. 41, 42, 29, 30.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Swackhamer moved that all rules be suspended, Assembly Bill No. 46 be considered engrossed, declared an emergency measure under the Constitution, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Motion carried.

Mr. Harmon moved that Assembly Bill No. 43 be taken from the General File and be placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Remarks by Messrs. Harmon and Pozzi.

Motion lost.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4.

Mr. Reynolds moved the adoption of the resolution.

Resolution adopted unanimously.

Mr. Reynolds moved that Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 be sponsored by all the Assemblymen and that when the certified copy is transmitted to Mrs. Betty Jane Taylor a signed list of all Assemblymen accompany the Resolution.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

Senate Bill No. 22.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 41.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 43.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Senate Bill No. 42.

Bill read second time.

Mr. McElroy moved that all rules be suspended, Senate Bill No. 42 be considered engrossed, declared an emergency measure under the Constitution, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 43.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Pozzi.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 43:

YEAS—39.

NAYS—Shuey and Stark—2.

Absent—Adams, Byrne, Embry, Hose, Isbell, Ivers—6.

Assembly Bill No. 43 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. McMullen requested that his remarks be recorded in the Journal:

I have been accused of not being in favor of any pay raise for state employees. The record should show that I have favored some kind of a raise but I do not think this is the best one. I would like to call your attention to an excerpt from an article written by Robert Bennyhoff in the *Nevada State Journal*, February 23, 1956. "During informal discussion on the Assembly floor, Hugh McMullen (R—Elko) urged the lower house to consider giving state workers a flat 10 percent across-the-board pay increase." I hope not many of you who heard me yesterday have the same idea. That is not what I want. I wanted a flat amount in dollars per month. I also want Mr. Bennyhoff to correct his report in the paper.

Assembly Bill No. 36.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Waters and Shuey.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 36:

YEAS—31.

NAYS—Barr, Crawford, Dotson, Harmon, Nevin, Parks, Wainwright, Waters—8.

Absent—Adams, Byrne, Embry, Hose, Ivers, Pozzi, Ruedy, Wood—8.

Assembly Bill No. 36 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 46.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Swackhamer and Dotson.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 46:

YEAS—40.

NAYS—Mr. Speaker.

Absent—Adams, Byrne, Embry, Hose, Ivers, Ruedy—6.

Assembly Bill No. 46 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 40.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Mr. Swackhamer.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 40:

YEAS—41.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Adams, Byrne, Embry, Hose, Ivers, Pozzi—6.

Senate Bill No. 40 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered re-engrossed and transmitted to the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 42.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. Swackhamer, Reynolds and Waters.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 42:

YEAS—40.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Adams, Byrne, Dotson, Embry, Hose, Ivers, Pozzi—7.

Senate Bill No. 42 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Reynolds moved that he be permitted to introduce a Resolution memorializing the Planning Board to make a survey of the Capitol Building and grounds, and requesting the Board to present a complete report to the next regular session of the Nevada Legislature.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker instructed the Chief Clerk to read the following communication:

Alice Maher, Manager, Minden Inn, Minden, Nevada, extends a cordial invitation to all Legislators, their escorts, attachés and their escorts, to a cocktail hour, 6 p. m. to 7 p. m., Friday, February 24, 1956, at the Minden Inn, Minden, Nevada.

ALICE MAHER, *Manager*.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Assembly in recess at 3:01 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 4:08 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 22, 41, 43, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman*.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Swackhamer moved that all rules be suspended, Senate Bills Nos. 22, 41 and 43 be considered engrossed, declared emergency measures under the Constitution, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 22.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Miss Frazier, Messrs. Reynolds, Godbey, Shuey, Crawford, Vaughan, Irwin, Hunter and Barr.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 22:

YEAS—35.

NAYS—Crawford, Isbell, Reynolds, Shuey, Stark, Vaughan—6.

Absent—Adams, Byrne, Embry, Ivers, Murray, Nevin—6.

Senate Bill No. 22 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Swackhamer moved that Senate Bill No. 41 be taken from the General File and be placed on the top of the General File for Friday, February 24, 1956.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 43.

Bill read third time.

Mr. Crawford moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 15, by striking out the words "in its discretion,".

Remarks by Mr. Crawford.

Mr. Speaker requested a division of the house.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Crawford moved that rules be suspended, that the reprinting of Senate Bill No. 43 be dispensed with, and that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendment adopted by the Assembly.

Motion carried unanimously.

Remarks by Messrs. Christensen (Clark), Harmon and Dotson.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 43:

YEAS—41.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Adams, Berrum, Ivers, Kean, Nevin, Swackhamer—6.

Senate Bill No. 43 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered re-engrossed and transmitted to the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Assembly Bills Nos. 37, 26, 19; Senate Bills Nos. 38, 29, 28; Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4; and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2.

Mr. Wood introduced the members of Girl Scout Troop No. 6, of Reno, Nevada, and their troop leaders, Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, Mrs. John Bisango, and Mrs. Stenson.

Mr. Nevin introduced Mr. Jim Zoubek, Instructor, and the members of the Business Law class, of the Storey County High School.

Mr. Parks introduced Mr. Fred Parker, of Hawthorne, Nevada.

Mr. Barnum introduced Mr. Leroy Peterson, of Yerington, Nevada.

Mr. Bastian introduced Mr. Frank E. Walters, former Assemblyman from Elko County, and his wife, Mrs. Frank E. Walters.

Mr. Harmon introduced Messrs. Don Carr and Lee Fisher, of the Home-Sitters Association of Las Vegas, Nevada.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Friday, February 24, 1956, at 10 a. m., and that it do so in memory of Richard C. Taylor.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 4:46 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE NINETEENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), February 24, 1956.

Assembly called to order at 10:04 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Mr. Irwin, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend John D. Ward.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for two minutes.

Assembly in recess at 10:10 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 10:12 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 23, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed, as amended, Assembly Bill No. 1, and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. McElroy moved that consideration of the General File be postponed until the afternoon session.

Motion carried.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess for two minutes.

Assembly in recess at 10:21 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 10:35 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

Assembly Bill No. 1.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amendment No. 1.

Amend section 24, page 8, line 2, by striking out the words "adopt lists of recommended books for" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "approve or disapprove lists of books for".

Miss Frazier moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Mrs. Denton, Messrs. Pozzi, Von Tobel and Lambert.

Motion carried.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amendment No. 2.

Amend section 60, page 17, line 31, by striking out the words "Superintendent of Public Instruction" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of County Commissioners".

Miss Frazier moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Messrs. Leighton, Reynolds and Vaughan.

Motion lost.

The following Senate amendments were read:

Amendment No. 3.

Amend section 62, page 18, line 31, by changing the period to a semicolon and adding thereafter the following: "but if less than 20 percent of the residents of the county reside at the county seat then such person need not reside at the county seat."

Further amend section 62, page 18, line 33, by changing the period to a semicolon and adding thereafter the following: "but if less than 40 percent of the residents of the county reside at the county seat then such person need not reside at the county seat."

Amendment No. 4.

Amend section 65.1, page 20, line 1, by striking out the word "Districts" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Areas".

Further amend section 65.1, page 20, by striking out lines 6 through 50 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"2. Within 30 days prior to May 1 of any year in which a general election is to be held in the state, 10 percent or more of the registered voters of a county school district may file a written petition with the Board of County Commissioners of the county praying for the creation of school trustee election areas within the county school district in the manner provided in this section. The petition shall specify with particularity the school trustee election areas proposed to be created, the number of trustees to be elected from each such area, and the manner of their nomination and election. The number of school trustee election areas proposed shall not exceed the number of trustees authorized for the particular county school district pursuant to section 58 of this Act. The description of the proposed school trustee election areas need not be given by metes and bounds or by legal subdivisions, but shall be sufficient to enable a person to ascertain what territory is proposed to be included within a particular school trustee election area. The signatures to the petition need not all be appended to one paper, but each signer must add to his name his place of residence, giving the street number whenever practicable. One of the signers of each paper shall make oath, before an officer competent to

administer oaths, that each signature to the paper appended is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be.

"3. Immediately after the receipt of the petition, the Board of County Commissioners shall fix a date for a public hearing to be held during the month of May, and shall give notice thereof by publication at least once in a newspaper published in the county, or if no such newspaper is published therein then in a newspaper published in the State of Nevada and having a general circulation in the county. The costs of publication of such notice shall be a proper charge against the County School District Fund.

"4. If, as a result of the public hearing, the Board of County Commissioners finds that the creation of school trustee election areas within the county school district is desirable, the Board of County Commissioners shall, by resolution regularly adopted prior to June 1, divide the county school district into the number of school trustee election areas specified in the petition, designate them by number and define their boundaries. The territory comprising each school trustee election area shall be contiguous. The resolution shall further set forth the number of trustees to be elected from each school trustee election area and the manner of their nomination and election.

"5. Prior to June 1 and immediately following the adoption of the resolution creating school trustee election areas within a county school district, the clerk of the Board of County Commissioners shall transmit a certified copy of the resolution to the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

"6. Upon the creation of school trustee election areas within a county school district the terms of office of all trustees then in office shall expire on the 1st Monday of January thereafter next following a general election. At the general election held following the creation of school trustee election areas within a county school district, school trustees to represent the odd-numbered school trustee election areas shall be elected for terms of 4 years and school trustees to represent the even-numbered school trustee election areas shall be elected for terms of 2 years. Thereafter, at each general election, the offices of school trustees shall be filled for terms of 4 years in the order in which the terms of office expire.

"7. A candidate for the office of trustee of a county school district in which school trustee election areas have been created shall be a qualified elector and shall be a resident of the school trustee election area which he seeks to represent.

"8. School trustee election areas may be altered or abolished, or the number of school trustees representing such areas or the manner of their nomination or election may be changed, in the same manner as herein provided for the creation of school trustee election areas and the election of school trustees.

"9. If the certificate of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, filed with the County Clerk in compliance with the provisions of section 61, states that the pupil enrollment during the preceding school year in a county school district was less than 1,000, and the board of trustees of the county school district is composed of seven elected members based upon a previous pupil enrollment of 1,000 or more,

then the Board of County Commissioners shall alter such school trustee election areas or change the number of trustees to be elected from such areas, or the manner of their nomination and election, as may be necessary to provide for reduction of the membership of the board of trustees of the county school board from seven to five members, and only five school trustees shall thereafter be nominated and elected at the forthcoming elections.

"10. If the certificate of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, filed with the County Clerk in compliance with the provisions of section 61, states that the pupil enrollment during the preceding school year in a county school district was 1,000 or more, and the board of trustees of the county school district is composed of five elected members based upon a previous pupil enrollment of less than 1,000, then the Board of County Commissioners shall alter such school trustee election areas or change the number of trustees to be elected from such areas, or the manner of their nomination and election, as may be necessary to provide for increasing the membership of the board of trustees of the county school district from five to seven members, and two additional school trustees shall thereafter be nominated and elected at the forthcoming elections."

Further amend section 65.1, page 21, by striking out lines 1 through 30 in their entirety.

Miss Frazier moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Messrs. Byrne, Berrum, Barnum, Harmon, Leighton, Adams and Reynolds.

Motion carried.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amendment No. 5.

Amend section 78, page 25, line 5, by striking out the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "a majority of the".

Miss Frazier moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Mr. Kean.

Motion lost.

The following Senate amendments were read:

Amendment No. 6.

Amend section 80, page 25, line 25, by striking out the word "includ-".

Further amend section 80, page 25, by striking out line 26 in its entirety.

Further amend section 80, page 25, line 27, by striking out the word "schools".

Amendment No. 7.

Amend section 113, page 32, by striking out lines 41 through 43 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"(b) From July 1, 1956, until July 1, 1957, the availability of local funds shall be determined, which local funds shall be the sum of the proceeds of the 70-cent local tax levied in accordance with the provisions of section 127 or section 139. On and after July 1, 1957, the

availability of local funds shall be determined, which local funds shall be the sum of:

“(1) The proceeds of the 70-cent local tax, computed as provided in section 128 or section 140.

“(2) Forty percent of the receipts during the previous year from all federal funds for maintenance and operation paid because of the existence of federally-owned, tax-exempt property within the school district.”

Miss Frazier moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Messrs. Parks, Byrne and Miss Frazier.

Motion carried.

The following Senate amendments were read:

Amendment No. 8.

Amend section 129, page 39, line 33, by striking out the period and adding thereafter the following: “for school facilities.”

Further amend section 129, page 39, line 34, by striking out the period and adding thereafter the following: “for school use.”

Further amend section 129, page 39, line 35, by striking out the period and adding thereafter the following: “for school use.”

Amendment No. 9.

Amend section 141, page 43, line 16, by striking out the period and adding thereafter the following: “for school facilities.”

Further amend section 141, page 43, line 17, by striking out the period and adding thereafter the following: “for school use.”

Further amend section 141, page 43, line 18, by striking out the period and adding thereafter the following: “for school use.”

Mr. Byrne moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Messrs. Byrne, Wood and Hanson.

Motion carried.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amendment No. 10.

Amend section 154.1, page 47, line 10, by striking out the words “a practicing” and inserting in lieu thereof the words “an independent”, and by inserting after the word “accountant” the following: “doing business within the State of Nevada.”

Further amend section 154.1, page 47, line 11, by striking out the comma following the word “accountant”.

Mr. Byrne moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Messrs. Byrne, Hendel, Wood and Christensen (Washoe).

Motion lost.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amendment No. 11.

Amend section 241, page 75, line 26, by striking out the figure “20” and inserting in lieu the figure “15”.

Miss Frazier moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Motion carried.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amendment No. 12.

Amend section 298, page 86, line 35, by placing a period after the word "investment" and by striking out thereafter the words "and government taxes."

Mr. Reynolds moved that the Assembly do not concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Mr. Reynolds.

Motion carried.

The following Senate amendments were read:

Amendment No. 13.

Amend section 299, page 86, line 50, by striking out the word "may" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "shall".

Amendment No. 14.

Amend section 309, page 88, line 21, by inserting immediately after the words "in all the" the following: "public high schools and".

Amendment No. 15.

Amend section 314, page 90, line 7, by inserting immediately after the words "by a school district" the following: "after approval by the Superintendent of Public Instruction".

Amendment No. 16.

Amend section 322, page 91, line 43, by deleting the period following the word "district" and adding the following: "with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction."

Amendment No. 17.

Amend section 360, page 102, by striking out lines 3 through 7 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"(a) The amount of tuition per pupil in average daily attendance shall not exceed the average current expenditure per pupil of the school district where such pupil or pupils reside; and

"(b) If tuition is paid to a school district in an adjoining state, the school district in which the pupil or pupils reside shall not pay any costs of transportation, or any costs of board, lodging and subsistence of the pupil or pupils as provided in section 394; and

"(c) Transportation costs, if any are incurred in transporting a pupil or pupils to an adjoining school district within this state, shall be paid by the board of trustees of the school district in which the pupil or pupils reside."

Miss Frazier moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Miss Frazier, Messrs. Wood, Byrne, Berrum, Embry and Shuey.

Motion carried.

Mr. Byrne asked that his remarks be recorded in the Journal:

Yesterday afternoon there was a very important bill considered, and I would like the opportunity today to say that I asked one of my colleagues to ask for the placing of this particular bill on today's agenda but for some reason this consideration was not granted and there were some unfavorable remarks. That is a matter of yesterday's news, but I am particularly anxious to have my vote recorded as had I been here when the vote was taken on Assembly Bill No. 43 my vote would have been "yea."

Mr. Embry asked that his remarks be recorded in the Journal:

I, too, am interested in Assembly Bill 43 and had I been present yesterday, I would have voted "yea."

Mr. Kean introduced his wife, Mrs. T. M. Kean.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 1:30 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 12 noon.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 1:32 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 24, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as amended, Senate Bill No. 25.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

Senate Bill No. 25.

Mr. McElroy moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Committee on Building and Construction:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5—Memorializing State Planning Board of Nevada to complete survey and investigation of safety conditions of State Capitol prior to 48th Session of the Legislature.

WHEREAS, By the provisions of Assembly Bill No. 36 of this Special Session of the Legislature an additional and supplementary appropriation of \$2,000 was provided for the investigation and survey of the State Capitol by the State Planning Board of Nevada to determine that building's safety conditions; and

WHEREAS, The provisions of said bill provide no time in which the survey shall be completed; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, the Senate concurring, That the State Planning Board of Nevada be and is hereby memorialized to complete the survey of the safety conditions of the State Capitol prior to the time when the 48th Regular Session shall convene, and shall present all facts pertinent thereto to the Legislature in 1957.

Mr. Ivers moved the adoption of the resolution.

Resolution adopted.

Mr. Berrum moved that Assembly rescind its action on the adoption of amendment No. 17 to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Messrs. Berrum and Wood.

Motion carried.

Mr. Von Tobel moved that the Assembly rescind its action on the adoption of amendment No. 14 to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Mr. Von Tobel.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

Assembly Bill No. 1.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amendment No. 17.

Amend section 360, page 102, by striking out lines 3 through 7 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“(a) The amount of tuition per pupil in average daily attendance shall not exceed the average current expenditure per pupil of the school district where such pupil or pupils reside; and

“(b) If tuition is paid to a school district in an adjoining state, the school district in which the pupil or pupils reside shall not pay any costs of transportation, or any costs of board, lodging and subsistence of the pupil or pupils as provided in section 394; and

“(c) Transportation costs, if any are incurred in transporting a pupil or pupils to an adjoining school district within this state, shall be paid by the board of trustees of the school district in which the pupil or pupils reside.”

Mr. Berrum moved that the Assembly do not concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Motion carried.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amendment No. 14.

Amend section 309, page 88, line 21, by inserting immediately after the words “in all the” the following: “public high schools and”.

Mr. Von Tobel moved that the Assembly do not concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Motion carried.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amendment No. 18.

Amend section 389, page 107, line 35, by striking out the colon and adding thereafter the following: “attending public school.”.

Miss Frazier moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Motion carried.

The following Senate amendments were read:

Amendment No. 19.

Amend section 394, page 109, by striking out line 9 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following: “not to exceed \$3 per school attendance day to assist the parents or guardian in”.

Further amend section 394, page 109, line 11, by inserting after the word “town” the words “in the State of Nevada”; and by placing a period after the word “school”; and by striking out the words “and which is reasonably near.”.

Further amend section 394, page 109, line 12, by striking out the following: “the permanent residence of the parents or guardian.”.

Further amend section 394, page 109, line 13, by placing a comma

after the word "county"; and by striking out the following: "or an adjoining state,".

Amendment No. 20.

Amend section 398, page 110, by striking out lines 12 through 33 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 398. (This section deleted by amendment.)".

Amendment No. 21.

Amend the bill as a whole by adding a new section thereto to be designated as section 440.1, which shall immediately follow section 440 on page 121 and shall read as follows:

"SEC. 440.1. Donation of School Building for Community Center. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other section of this article, if, in the unanimous judgment of the board of trustees, a school building and all or a part of the real property on which the school building is situated belonging to the school district is not required for school purposes or is unsuitable for school use and can be better used to promote the general welfare and to cultivate the development of good citizenship of the people resident in the area, the board of trustees may give the school building and real property to a nonprofit association or corporation organized and existing under the laws of this State to be used thereafter by such nonprofit association or corporation as a community center for community recreational purposes. The board of trustees shall execute the documents necessary to effect the conveyance herein authorized, but any such conveyance shall contain the provisions that if at any time the school building and real property so conveyed shall cease to be used for community recreational purposes, or if the building is later needed for school purposes, it shall immediately, upon written demand by the school trustees, thereupon revert and revest in the board of trustees of the school district or its successors or assigns without further or other conveyance from the grantee or its successors or assigns."

Miss Frazier moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Remarks by Miss Frazier, Mrs. Isbell, Messrs. Leighton, McMullen, Reynolds, Adams, Wood, Kean and Vaughan.

Motion lost.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Assembly in recess at 2:08 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 4:48 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 24, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully receded from its amendments Nos. 5, 14, and 21 to Assembly Bill No. 1.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day respectfully refused to recede from its amendments Nos. 2, 10, 12, 17, 19, and 20 to Assembly Bill No. 1, and requests a conference and appointed Senators Emminger, Crumley, and Cord as a Committee on Conference, to meet with a like committee of the Assembly.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Speaker appointed Messrs. Byrne, Leighton, and Adams as a conference committee to meet with a like committee of the Senate for the consideration of Assembly Bill No. 1.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly adjourn until Saturday, February 25, 1956, at 9 a. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 4:50 p. m.

Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,
Speaker of the Assembly.

Attest: J. J. CLEARY,
Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

THE TWENTIETH DAY

CARSON CITY (Saturday), February 25, 1956:

Assembly called to order at 9:11 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Roll called.

All present except Messrs. Dotson and Irwin, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Arthur S. Kean.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mr. McElroy moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Crawford requested permission to introduce a Joint Resolution pertaining to federal highway legislation.

Permission refused on the grounds that the joint resolution was beyond the scope of the Governor's messages to the Special Session.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 24, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as amended, Senate Bill No. 31.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed as amended, Assembly Bill No. 7, and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 34, 36, 43, 45, 46.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 41.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Miss Frazier.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 41:

YEAS—43.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Dotson, Irwin, Isbell, Nevin—4.

Senate Bill No. 41 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING

Senate Bill No. 31.

Mr. McElroy moved that all rules be suspended, reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, bill considered engrossed, declared an emergency measure under the Constitution, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Motion carried unanimously.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 31.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Messrs. McElroy and Berrum.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 31:

YEAS—44.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Dotson, Irwin, Nevin—3.

Senate Bill No. 31 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

Assembly Bill No. 7.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amend section 2, page 2, line 12, by deleting the words "main line or switchrail" as they appear after the word "any".

Mr. Christensen (Washoe) moved that the Assembly concur in the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 7.

Remarks by Messrs. Wood, Christensen (Washoe) and Von Tobel.

Motion carried.

Bill ordered enrolled.

Mr. Speaker announced that if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Assembly in recess at 9:54 a. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 11:50 a. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 1, consisting of the undersigned members, has met and reports that it has agreed to recommend that:

1. That Amendment No. 2 of the Senate (Amend section 60, page 17, line 31, by striking out the words "Superintendent of Public Instruction" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of County Commissioners") be concurred in.

2. That Amendment No. 10 of the Senate (Amend section 154.1, page 47,

line 10, by striking out the words "a practicing" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "an independent", and by inserting after the word "accountant" the following: "doing business within the State of Nevada." Further amend section 154.1, page 47, line 11, by striking out the comma following the word "accountant".) be receded from and that the bill be further amended to read as follows: Amend section 154.1, page 47, lines 9 through 14, inclusive, by striking out lines 9 through 14, inclusive, in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"3. The audits and examinations herein provided for shall be made and conducted by:

"(a) A practicing public accountant residing within the State of Nevada, who shall not serve the board of trustees of the school district in any other capacity; or

"(b) A certified public accountant duly licensed to practice under the laws of this State.

"The practicing public accountant or certified public accountant shall be selected and employed by the board of trustees of the school district, and he shall be compensated from the school district fund of the school district which so employs him."

3. That Amendment No. 12 of the Senate (Amend section 298, page 86, line 35, by placing a period after the word "investment" and by striking out thereafter the words "and government taxes.") be receded from.

4. That Amendment No. 17 of the Senate (Amend section 360, page 102, by striking out lines 3 through 7 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "(a) The amount of tuition per pupil in average daily attendance shall not exceed the average current expenditure per pupil of the school district where such pupil or pupils reside; and (b) If tuition is paid to a school district in an adjoining state, the school district in which the pupil or pupils reside shall not pay any costs of transportation, or any costs of board, lodging and subsistence of the pupil or pupils as provided in section 394; and (c) Transportation costs, if any are incurred in transporting a pupil or pupils to an adjoining school district within this state, shall be paid by the board of trustees of the school district in which the pupil or pupils reside.") be receded from and that the bill be further amended to read as follows: Amend section 360, page 102, by striking out lines 3 through 7 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"(a) The amount of tuition per pupil in average daily attendance shall not exceed the average current expenditure per pupil of the school district where such pupil or pupils reside; and

"(b) If tuition is paid to a school district in an adjoining state, the school district in which the pupil or pupils reside shall not pay any costs of board, lodging and subsistence of the pupil or pupils as provided in section 394; and

"(c) Transportation costs shall be paid by the board of trustees of the school district in which the pupil or pupils reside:

"(1) If any are incurred in transporting a pupil or pupils to an adjoining school district within the state; and

"(2) If any are incurred in transporting a pupil or pupils to an adjoining state; but no transportation costs in excess of costs incurred for transporting a pupil or pupils 30 miles one way or 60 miles round trip shall be allowed and paid."

5. That Amendment No. 19 of the Senate (Amend section 394, page 109, by striking out line 9 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "not to exceed \$3 per school attendance day to assist the parents or guardian in". Further amend section 394, page 109, line 11, by inserting after the word "town" the words "in the State of Nevada"; and by placing a period after the word "school"; and by striking out the words "and which is reasonably near." Further amend section 394, page 109, line 12, by striking out the following: "the permanent residence of the parents or guardian." Further amend section 394, page 109, line 13, by placing a comma after the word "county"; and by striking out the following: "or an adjoining state,") be concurred in.

6. That Amendment No. 20 of the Senate (Amend section 398, page 110,

by striking out lines 12 through 33 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Sec. 398. (This section deleted by amendment.)" be concurred in.

W. G. EMMINGER,

E. L. CORD,

NEWTON H. CRUMLEY,

Senate Committee on Conference.

WILLIAM B. BYRNE,

DONALD M. LEIGHTON,

GARY J. ADAMS,

Assembly Committee on Conference.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Byrne moved that the Assembly adopt the report of the Conference Committee on Assembly Bill No. 1.

Motion carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 25, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bill No. 44.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Mr. Hendel:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6—Requesting the Governor to appoint a Federal Lands Legislative Committee.

WHEREAS, The U. S. Navy has declared that it is necessary for it to acquire approximately 2,800,000 acres of additional gunnery range in Humboldt, Pershing and Washoe Counties for jet plane gunnery practice; and

WHEREAS, The precarious Nevada state and local tax situation is a matter of great concern to the people of the State, being aggravated by the imposition of federal restriction on the development of the State's principal asset, its mining industry, which, though stimulated in part by federal defense purchase of strategic minerals is, yet, nevertheless inadequate to meet the increased needs of state and local funds for our greatly expanded educational program which our rapidly growing student population requires; and

WHEREAS, As a consequence of our growing population it has been necessary for our Legislature to enact a sales tax and increased gambling tax laws to support this newly expanded education program; and

WHEREAS, Due to the restrictions placed on the development of our mining industry and the prohibitions placed on the production and free-market sale of gold, the principal cost-carrying metal in many of our strategic metal mines, for which there is a vast peacetime and national defense need, many millions of dollars worth of valuable mining properties now lie idle, and once prosperous mining camps, once prosperous communities, and the mines and reduction plants therein lie in wreck and ruin, and millions of dollars of the State's and Nation's taxpayers' private enterprise investments have already been lost to the investors, and as many more millions of dollars in properties yet intact are threatened with the same fate; and

WHEREAS, There are now before Congress measures which would provide for the rehabilitation of the mining industry in an effort to restore the sound economy of the mining states of the West; and

WHEREAS, The restoration of "Free Enterprise" as it may apply to mining in all of its phases, including the return to the "free production and marketing of gold" would, as far as the State of Nevada is concerned, restore that sound economy, and assure a stabilized operation and certain, dependable employment, both of which must be developed and maintained if a sound economy and a dependable structure are to be gained and maintained; and

WHEREAS, Since the education of our children is paramount, not only in the

State of Nevada, but throughout the Nation, and our actual survival depends upon the degree of education the State and Nation can provide for students, especially the sciences which have developed the advance types of the materials of offense and defense, and the multitude of peacetime applications of these and other hitherto unknown great forces of nature, it does not seem unreasonable to the people of Nevada that they should be so deeply concerned over what the inroads will be on their already established, expanded educational program if this additional penalty, which is now planned to be imposed upon the State, is aggravated by the further withdrawal of millions of additional acres of our State's public domain, unless substantial reimbursement to the affected counties and the State is made; and

WHEREAS, A stalemate seems to have been reached between the State of Nevada and the Federal Government in the matter of further land withdrawals, and it is felt imperative that the Governor of the State should continually be kept advised of any action taken or proposed which may, in any way or manner, be or thought to be detrimental to the best interests of the people of the State, directly or indirectly, or where such withdrawals threaten to adversely affect the Nevada state and local tax structures; and

WHEREAS, It is expressly set forth herewith that no final acceptance of any plan of public withdrawal of public lands within the State of Nevada shall be approved except with the approval of the Senate and Assembly of the State of Nevada in Session, and that further, any release by the State of Nevada of any of its valued public lands, whatever the consideration therefor, must include a sum sufficient to meet 50 percent of the Nevada state public school costs, with no federal control, since this acquisition of millions of acres of additional lands by the government and a further continuation of federally imposed restrictions only constricts free enterprise in its privately financed steps toward the full and final development, upon which "potential" the Legislature depends for the major portion of funds which our expanded school program will require, and unless sustained, not only our entire school program but our entire state and local tax structure will fail; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of Nevada, the Senate concurring, That the Governor appoint a Federal Lands Legislative Committee, consisting of the Legislative Commission, the Attorney General, the Surveyor General, the Inspector of Mines, and five private citizens qualified to represent the interests of parties adversely affected in case of the continuation of such withdrawals, and such committee shall function in the matter of federal withdrawal of public lands as the Governor may direct.

Mr. Hanson moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Messrs. Harmon, Kean, Adams, Hendel and Reynolds.
Resolution adopted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 25, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

WM. D. SWACKHAMER, *Chairman*,
M. J. CHRISTENSEN,
MAUDE FRAZIER,
STAN IRWIN,
CHESTER CHRISTENSEN,

NORMAN SHUEY,
HENRY BERRUM,
CLARENCE RUEDY,
ARCHIE POZZI,
HUGH McMULLEN,

Majority Committee.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 25, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do not pass.

JACK J. HUNTER, JR.,
Minority Committee.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Ivers moved that the Chief Clerk read the following editorial from the *Nevada Appeal* of February 24, 1956, and that the Assembly give a vote of thanks to the *Nevada Appeal* for this commendable editorial:

Hail and Farewell

The Special Session of the Legislature will wind up its business tonight or tomorrow, and the members can return home satisfied with the work they've done.

There have been bills won and lost, there have been arguments and differences of opinion, but Nevada's Assemblymen and Senators have done a conscientious, diligent job under great pressure.

Brought here without too much formal notice, faced with emergency needs covering everything from the State's schools to its finances, and given only 20 days by law to study, debate and enact the remedial legislation—these 64 men and women have fulfilled their responsibilities in fine fashion.

Speaker Cyril Bastian has kept the Assembly working on an hour-week basis that could draw censure of the Federal Wage and Hour Administration, since no overtime is paid to lawmakers, but he has achieved results.

Bill Swackhamer and every member of his Ways and Means Committee deserve much praise as the hardest-working group of all since almost every important measure had to be considered by it. Many other Assemblymen had much less to do since their committees were inactive during the Special Session, but they were on the job.

In the Senate, the three leaders—Fred Settlemeyer, Rene Lemaire and Ken Johnson—did a splendid job of guiding bills through on schedule, and Lt. Gov. Rex Bell did his usual smooth job of presiding.

Nevada's two new legislators—Senator E. L. Cord and Assemblyman Bruce Parks—caught on quickly and performed capably. After all, a Special Session is a "sink or swim" deal; both beginners swam.

The State's three Assemblywomen were, as usual, outstanding. Maude Frazier is an experienced legislator who sees her aims accomplished by persuasion and tactics; Hazel Denton quietly does an efficient job; and Mabel Isbell's vote is always worth watching, for she speaks her piece and votes her mind with frankness, courage and no worry at all about who thinks what.

Probably it would do the Senate good to have a woman member of that august body. We await some future Session to see.

Now, of course, all of the Assemblymen and half of the Senators must go home and start getting ready for the September primary and November election. Much of their campaigning must be on the accomplishments of this Special Session. On that basis, they should all be re-elected, because they have worked well and accomplished much for the people of Nevada.

Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. McElroy moved that the Assembly recess until 1:30 p. m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 12:20 p. m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 2:42 p. m.

Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

Quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 25, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day

adopted the report of the Committee on Conference concerning Assembly Bill No. 1.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Swackhamer moved that all rules be suspended, Senate Bill No. 25 be considered engrossed, declared an emergency measure under the Constitution, and placed on third reading and final passage.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 25.

Bill read third time.

The following amendment was proposed by the Committee on Ways and Means:

Amend section 1, page 1, line 2, by striking out the figures "\$38,905" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,934".

Mr. Swackhamer moved the adoption of the amendment.

On a division of the house, amendment adopted.

Mr. McElroy moved that Senate Bill No. 25 be indefinitely postponed.

Motion carried.

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Mr. Wood moved that Assembly Bill No. 1 be mailed to each Assemblyman at his home address, after being properly enrolled.

Motion carried.

Miss Frazier moved that the Assembly give a standing vote of thanks to Mr. Speaker, the Chief Clerk, and all the attachés who have made this a successful Session.

Motion carried unanimously.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 25, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6 and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5.

Mr. Kean moved that the resolution be amended by the insertion of the words "and the Half Way House" in appropriate places in the title, preamble, and body of the resolution; and that the Chief Clerk be authorized to insert the amendments.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved the adoption of the resolution, as amended.

Resolution adopted.

Mr. Leighton moved that those persons designated as recipients under the provisions of Assembly Resolution No. 5 be informed by

letter from the Chief Clerk that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6 was adopted by the Assembly on a date subsequent to the date of adoption of Assembly Resolution No. 5.

Motion carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 25, 1956.

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in the Assembly amendments to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5.

LEOLA H. WOHLFEIL,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Assembly Bills Nos. 29, 30, 41, 42; Senate Bills Nos. 22, 35, 36, 42; Senate Joint Resolution No. 1; and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4.

Mr. Speaker appointed Messrs. McElroy and Wood to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, and to inform him that the Assembly is now ready to adjourn *sine die*.

Mr. Speaker appointed Messrs. Swackhamer and Berrum as a committee to wait upon the Senate and to inform that honorable body that the Assembly is now ready to adjourn *sine die*.

The committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, reported that they had communicated with the Governor, and that the Governor expressed his appreciation for the work done by the Assembly during this Special Session.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Senate reported they had carried out the instructions of the Assembly.

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Mr. McElroy moved that the Journal of February 25, 1956, be approved, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

Mr. McElroy moved that the 1956 Special Session of the Assembly of the Legislature of the State of Nevada adjourn *sine die*.

Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Speaker declared the Assembly adjourned *sine die*.

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Approved:

C. O. BASTIAN,

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