

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Bailey, Banks, Barnhardt, Bell, Burgwyn, Campen, Carlyle, Carruthers, Copeland, Dorsett, Eagles, Eller, Fountain, Frink, Gold, Hancock, Hicks, Horton, Johnson, Jones of Macon, Jones of Pitt, Jones of Surry, Larkins, Leatherman, Lennon, Lowder, Medford, Morris, Page, Poole, Powell, Price, Rankin, Sawyer, Scott, Stoney, Watts, Weaver, Westbrook, Whitley, Winslow, Woodson, Young—43.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 179, a bill to establish a law library for the public officials and courts in Lincoln County, upon third reading.

The bill passes its third reading by roll call vote, ayes, 43, noes 0, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Allsbrook, Bailey, Banks, Barnhardt, Bell, Burgwyn, Campen, Carlyle, Carruthers, Copeland, Dearman, Dorsett, Eagles, Eller, Fountain, Gold, Hancock, Hicks, Horton, Johnson, Jones of Macon, Jones of Pitt, Jones of Surry, Larkins, Leatherman, Little, Lowder, Medford, Morris, Page, Poole, Powell, Rankin, Sawyer, Scott, Stoney, Watts, Weaver, Westbrook, Whitley, Winslow, Woodson, Young—43.

The bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 75, a bill to amend General Statutes 14-107 so as to prohibit any person, firm or corporation from aiding and abetting or soliciting any person, firm or corporation to give worthless checks.

Upon motion of Senator Eagles, action on the bill is postponed until Monday, February 26, 1951.

S. B. 171, a bill to amend the law relating to aid to the blind so as to conform to Federal requirements.

Passes its second and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives.

Upon motion of Senator Rankin, the Senate adjourns to meet tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

FORTY-SECOND DAY

SENATE CHAMBER,

Tuesday, February 20, 1951.

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment, and is called to order by Lieutenant Governor H. P. Taylor.

Prayer is offered by Rev. H. D. Garman, Pastor of the First Methodist Church, Norwood, N. C.

Senator Burgwyn for the Committee on Journal announces that he has examined the Journal of yesterday and finds the same correct, and upon motion the reading of the Journal is dispensed with and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Price, the courtesies of the lobby are extended to Mrs. Frances Fogg and Mrs. Esther Wilson of Rockingham County.

Upon motion of Senator Dorsett, the courtesies of the lobby are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruton of Montgomery County.

Upon motion of Senator Whitley, leave of absence is granted to Senator Talton for an indefinite period of time due to illness.

Upon motion of Senator Young, the courtesies of the galleries are extended to the teachers and the students of the Erwin School of Harnett County.

Upon motion of Senator Carruthers, the courtesies of the lobby are extended to J. Frank Hart of Guilford County.

Upon motion of Senator Lowder, the courtesies of the galleries are extended to the teacher, Mrs. A. D. McNeill, and the students of the Norwood School of Stanly County.

Upon motion of Senator Burgwyn, the courtesies of the galleries are extended to the teachers, Miss Umstead, Miss Wilkins, and Mrs. Peterson, and the students of the Mangum School of Durham County.

Upon motion of Senator Scott, the courtesies of the galleries are extended to the teachers, Miss Sherwood and Mrs. Gutheridge, and the students of the eighth grade of the Chapel Hill High School of Orange County.

Upon motion of Senator Carruthers, the courtesies of the galleries are extended to the teacher, Mrs. Goodwin, and the students of the Lowes Grove School of Durham County.

Upon motion of Senator Johnson, the courtesies of the galleries are extended to the teacher, Miss Kornegay, and Parents Teachers Association President, Mrs. Elizabeth Rouse, and the students of the B. F. Grady School of Duplin County.

The President grants leave of absence to Senator Little for Wednesday, February 21, 1951.

Upon motion of Senator Morris, H. B. 167, a bill to amend Article 7 of Chapter 153 of the General Statutes of North Carolina so as to provide protection from fire and other hazards for persons confined in jails and lockups, is taken from the Committee on Public Welfare and placed upon today's Calendar.

The President introduces to the Senate James Butler, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Goldsboro, N. C., who extends an invitation to the Senators, their wives and the clerks to a barbecue supper in Goldsboro, N. C., on March 7, 1951, after the trip to Camp Lejeune.

The employees of the Senate extend an invitation to the Senators to be their guest at a barbecue supper on Thursday night, February 22, 1951, at the Tar Heel Club, Raleigh, N. C.

Upon motion of Senator Allsbrook, the Senate accepts the invitation and a unanimous vote of thanks is given to the employees.

ENROLLED BILLS

Senator Talton, for the Committee on Enrolled Bills, reports the following bills and resolutions properly enrolled, and they are duly ratified and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S. B. 153, an act to amend General Statutes 7-70, relating to the terms of Superior Court in Moore County in the Thirteenth Judicial District.

S. B. 195, an act to authorize the North Carolina State Board of Health to give the name of George Marion Cooper Memorial Building to any future office building that may be erected for said board.

H. B. 68, an act providing for assignment of Superior Court Judges to hear non-jury matters at times other than during terms of court.

H. B. 69, an act relating to the jurisdiction of Special Superior Court Judges.

H. B. 190, an act to amend Section 105-345 of the General Statutes with respect to pre-payment discounts on taxes collected by Robeson County.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Bills and resolutions are reported from standing committees, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their places on the Calendar, as follows:

By Senator Hancock, for the Committee on Constitutional Amendments:

S. B. 168, a bill ratifying a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America, relating to the terms of office of the President of the United States, with a favorable report.

By Senator Allsbrook, for the Committee on Judiciary No. 2:

S. B. 196, a bill to amend General Statutes 2-1, relating to the duties of the clerks of the Superior Courts, with a favorable report.

S. B. 208, a bill to amend General Statutes 106-408, as amended, with respect to the hours of sale of livestock at auction only insofar as the same applies to Robeson County, with a favorable report.

S. B. 210, a bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Lincoln County to appoint not exceeding two deputy sheriffs, with a favorable report.

H. B. 66, a bill to authorize the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina to appoint an administrative assistant, and to prescribe his duties, with a favorable report.

H. B. 70, a bill relating to the jurisdiction of emergency Superior Court Judges, with a favorable report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Senators Dearman, Hancock and Allsbrook: S. B. 211, a bill to amend Chapter 135 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the same being the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement Act, in order to establish a minimum retirement allowance and pension of fifty dollars monthly for thirty years of service.

Referred to Committee on Teachers and State Employees Retirement.

By Senator Little: S. B. 212, a bill to authorize married persons eighteen (18) years of age to dispose of property by will.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Little: S. B. 213, a bill to authorize eighteen (18) year old members of the armed forces and eighteen (18) year old married persons to dispose of property by will.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Little: S. B. 214, a bill to allow members of the armed forces who have attained the age of eighteen (18) years to dispose of property by will.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.