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JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

TWENTY-SECOND SESSION.

FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, Tuesday, January 4th, 1881.

Agreeably to the provisions of the constitution and laws of the State of Minnesota, designating the first Tuesday after the first Monday of January as the time of the meeting of the Legislature, the members of the House of Representatives assembled at the capitol in St. Paul, on Tuesday, the 4th day of January, A. D. 1881.

The hour of 12 M. having arrived, Hon. Fred. Von Baumbach. Secretary of State, proceeded to call the body to order, and designated Hon. S. G. Comstock, a member from the forty-first district, as clerk *pro tem.*

The Secretary of State then proceeded to call the several representative districts in numerical order, and the members elect from the same came forward and were sworn in by Hon. James Gilfillan, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and took their seats in the Hall of the House of Representatives, as follows:

First District	H. H. Snure,
	O. B. Tone,
	H. F. Kohlmier,
	Lewis Redding.
Second District	G. A. Hayes,
	Ole O. Stedjie,
	E. Loveland.
Third District	J. N. Graling,
	P. McCracken.
Fourth District	J. D. Allen,
	P. A. Peterson.
Fifth District	Bennett Asleson,
	A. F. Denby.
Sixth District	A. C. Dunn,
	John J. Northness.
Seventh District	E. Churchill,
	Geo. H. Henry.

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Eighth District ..... O. B. Gould,
S. B. Sheardown.
Ninth District ..... C. A. Butterfield,
Ole Juleson.
Tenth District ..... O. S. Porter,
J. V. Daniels.
Eleventh District ..... C. S. Kneeland,
O. B. Kidder.
Twelfth District ..... H. H. Rosebrock,
A. Colguhoun.
Thirteenth District ..... Christoph Wagner,
D. J. Dodge.
Fourteeenth District ..... James D. Hawkins,
Joseph Burger,
Richard Lewis,
Wm. Hall,
Joseph Bookwalter.
Fifteenth District ..... G. D. Post,
H. H. B. McMasters,
E. C. Geary,
E. D. Southard.
Sixteenth District ..... F. W. Hoyt,
F. Tether.
Seventeenth District ..... H. P. Hulebak,
Arthur A. Flom,
Chas. Hill.
Eighteenth District ..... Jno. Thompson,
S. P. Stewart,
R. A. Mott,
W. R. Baldwin,
Philip Plaisance.
Nineteenth District ..... Edwin Purrington,
David Baker.
Twentieth District ..... Joseph N. Searles,
D. Boser,
John F. Norrish,
James Kennedy,
R. McAndrews.
Twenty-First District ..... J. W. Callender.
Twenty-Second District ..... D. M. Sabin,
Andrew Peterson,
Wm. Schmidt.
Twenty-third District ..... Jno. B. Sanborn,
R. C. Wiley.
Twenty-fourth District ..... C. W. Griggs,
Jas. Smith Jr.,
P. Bohland.
Twenty-fifth District ..... T. H. Craine,
G. W. Putnam.
Twenty-sixth District ..... Loren Fletcher,
H. G. Hicks,
A. Tharalson,
J. Thompson Jr.
Twenty-seventh District ..... Geo. Huhn,
Jno. Baxter,
A. Roberts,

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Twenty-eighth District.....John Dean.
Twenty-ninth District.....H. C. Kendall.
Thirtieth District.....C. B. Buckman.
Thirty-First District.....S. W. Collins,
Carl Herberger,
D. J. Hanscomb,
Alex. Moore.
Thirty-Second District.....E. J. Cutts,
T. C. Porter.
Thirty-Third District.....L. L. Baxter,
H. R. Denney,
C. G. Halgrin.
Thirty-Fourth District.....T. M. Cornish,
C. Amundson,
Jacob Klossner, Jr.
Thirty-Fifth District.....O. M. Sonnell.
Thirty-Sixth District.....M. A. Donohue,
E. A. Child,
W. J. Ives.
Thirty-Seventh District.....S. C. Zieske.
Thirty-Eighth District....J. A. Armstrong,
W. D. Rice,
P. Kniss.
Thirty-Ninth District.....C. F. Washburn.
F. B. Van Hoesen.
Fortieth-District.....L. K. Stone.
Forty-First District.....S. G. Comstock,
B. Sampson.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The roll being called, a quorum was found to be present.

The House, then, on motion of Mr. Daniels, proceeded to the election of a Speaker.

The question being taken on the election of a Speaker, Mr. Fletcher received 95 votes and Mr. Dunn 1 vote, as follows:

Those who voted for Mr. Fletcher were—

Messrs. Baker, Baldwin, Baxter, J., Baxter, L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Boser, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Collins, Churchill, Coloquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Denny, Donahue, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gearey, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Henry G. H., Hawkins, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juleson, Kohlmier, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Klossner, Kniss, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McMaster, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sabin, Searles, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjie, Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Tother, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

Mr. Redding voted for Mr. Dunn.

Mr. Fletcher, receiving a majority of all the votes cast, was declared duly elected Speaker.

The Speaker elect took the chair, thanking the House for the honor conferred upon him, and assuring them that he would endeavor to dis-

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charge the duties of his office faithfully and impartially, to the best of his ability.

The Speaker stated that the first business in order was the election of a Chief Clerk, and, on motion of Mr. Hicks, John R. Howard, of Stearns county, was duly elected Chief Clerk by acclamation.

Mr. Howard then came forward and took the oath of office, and entered upon the discharge of his duties.

The House then proceeded to the election of first assistant clerk, and

On motion of Mr. Sabin, Robert Deakin, of Goodhue county, was duly elected first assistant clerk by acclamation.

Mr. Deakin then came forward and took the oath of office, and entered upon the duties of his office.

The House then proceeded to the election of second assistant clerk, and

On motion of J. V. Daniels, H. L. Daniels of Renville county, was duly elected second assistant clerk by acclamation.

The House then proceeded to the election of enrolling clerk, and

On motion of Mr. Stedjie, M. J. Wiltse of Fillmore county was duly elected enrolling clerk by acclamation.

Mr. Weltse then came forward and took the oath of office, and entered upon the discharge of his office.

The House then proceeded to the election of engrossing clerk, and

On motion of Mr. Denuy, Frank F. Krayenbuhl, of Carver county, was duly elected engrossing clerk by acclamation.

Mr. Krayenbuhl then came forward, took the oath of office and entered upon the duties of his office.

The House then proceeded to the election of assistant engrossing clerk and postmaster, and

On motion of Mr. Mott M. Sargent of Rice county was duly elected by acclamation.

Mr. Sargent then came forward, took the oath of office and entered upon the duties of his office.

The House then proceeded to the eleetion of sergent-at-arms, and

On motion of Mr. Sabin, F. H. Dayton of Washington county, was duly elected by acclamation.

Mr. Dayton then came forward and took the oath of office and entered upon the duties of his office.

The House then proceeded to the election of Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, and

On motion of Mr. Denby, C. E. Johnson, of Freeborn county. was duly elected Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.

Mr. Johnson then came forward and took the oath of office and entered upon the duties of his office.

The House then proceeded to the election of a Chaplain.

Mr. Geary nominated Rev. Dr. G. H. T. Wright, of Wabasha county, or Chaplain.

Mr. Porter T. C., nominated Rev. David Brooks, of Wright county, for Chaplain.

Mr. Daniels moved that the roll be called and that each Member designate his candidate for Chaplain,

Which motion prevailed; and,

The roll being called, Mr. Wright received 58 votes, Mr. Brooks received 27 votes, and Mr. Marvin received 1 vote, as follows:

Those who voted for Mr. Wright were—

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Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Andrus, Arlessn, Boser, Buckman, Child, Collins, Churchill, Coloquhoun, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gearey, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Henry G. H., Hanscom, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kniss, Linnell, Loveland, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson, Peterson P. A., Post, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sabin, Searles, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tother, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted for Mr. Brooks were—

Messrs. Amundson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Comstock, Denby, Hawkins, Halgren, Herberger, Juleson. Klossner, McCracken, Moore, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Stedlee, Tharlson, Wiley and Zieske.

Mr. Marvin received one vote.

Mr. Wright having received a majority of the votes cast, was duly elected Chaplain.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I am directed to inform the House that the Senate is now fully organized by the election of the following officers:

Secretary—S. P. Jennison of Goodhue.
Assistant Secretary—A. G. Wedge of Freborn.
Enrolling Clerk—John P. Jacobson of Ramsey.
Engrossing Clerk—A. P. Bryant.
Sergeant-at-Arms—Wm. H. Mellen.
Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—Chas. M. Kies.
Chaplain—Rev. Robt. Smith.

Also that the Senate has adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the President to act with a similar committee on the part of the House of Representatives to wait on the Governor of the State and inform him that the Senate and House of Representatives are fully organized and ready to receive any communication His Excellency may please to make.

Senators Wilson, Gilfillan C. D., and Buck D., are appointed such committee.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McCracken offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to act with a similar committe on the part of the Senate to waite upon the Governor of the State, and to inform him that the Senate and the House of Representatives are fully organized, and ready to receive any communication His Excellency may be pleased to make.

The Speaker announced as such committee Messrs. McCracken, Baxter L. L. and Rice

Mr. Comstock offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of thirteen be selected, one from each judicial district and one at large, be appointed on legislative appor-

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tionment, and a committee of nine be appointed on congressional apportionment.

On motion of Mr. Sabin the resolution was laid upon the table.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the rules of the last House be adopted as the temporary rules of this House.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, a special committee of five was appointed by the Speaker to report any amendments to the rules of the last House, as follows: Messrs. Hicks, Sanborn, Graling, Dunn and Denny.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the House proceed to the selection of seats immediately after the reading of the journal on to-morrow morning.

On motion of Mr. Daniels, the House adjourned to 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

JNO. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL, Wednesday, Jan. 5, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Andrus, Cornish, Griggs, Kohlmer and Wilson.

On motion of Mr. Cutts the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the House resolved itself into committee of the whole for the purpose of the drawing of seats.

Mr. Baxter L. L., in the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and reported that they had under consideration the drawing of seats, and had discharged that duty.

Mr. Baxter L. L. moved that the report of the committee of the whole be adopted.

Mr. Hicks moved to amend by allowing Hon. L. L. Baxter to select his seat in the Hall of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

And the report as amended was adopted.

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On motion of Mr. Rice the journal of yesterday was corrected, and Mr. Redding recorded as having voted for Mr. Fletcher for Speaker.

Mr. Gardner moved to recall the vote by which L. L. Baxter was allowed to take a front seat.

Which motion was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I am directed to inform the House that the Senate has adopted the following resolution, and requests the concurrence of the House therein.

Resolved, By the Senate of the State of Minnesota, (the House of Representatives concurring) that the Senate and House of Representatives meet at the Hall of Representatives on the 5th inst. at 11 A. M., for the purpose of counting the votes cast at the last election for persons to fill certain judicial offices.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration:

On motion of Mr. Collins, the Senate joint resolution appointing a time for counting the judicial votes, was amended, so as to change the time from 11 o'clock A. M. to 11:30 A. M., and the House concurred in the resolution as amended.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has concurred in the amendment of the House to the resolution for a joint canvassing convention.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

The following communication was received from the Secretary of State:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
ST. PAUL, January 6, 1881.

To the Honorable Speaker of the House of Representatives of Minnesota:

SIR:—Pursuant to the provision of section 20 of chapter 1, General Statutes, I have the honor herewith to deliver to you a copy of the abstracts of the votes cast at the last general election of this State in the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 7th judicial districts for judge thereof. The Board of Canvassers designated in article 5 section 2 of our State Constitution (as amended) ommitted to canvass said votes for the reason that there seems to be no express provision in the constitution or laws authorizing such board to canvass the vote for judges of Supreme Court and District Court, the Clerk of the Supreme Court and State Railroad Commissioner.

Very respectfully,
Your obediant servant,
FRED VON BAUMBACH,
Secretary of State.

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Mr. Gardner offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be and he hereby is authorized to furnish the officers and members of the House with stationery during the session.

Mr. Dunn gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

On motion of Mr. Baxter, L. L., the House took a recess of fifteen minutes.

JOINT CONVENTION.

The hour of 11:30 A. M. having arrived, the Senate appeared within the bar of the House and took thair seats in joint convention and were called to order by the President.

The roll of the convention being called, by the Secretary, the following Senators and Representatives answered to their names:

Senators Aaaker, Adams, Beman, Bonniwell, Buck D., Campbell, Case, Hinds, Howard, Johnson F. I, Johnson R. B, Lawrence, MacDonald, McCormick, McCrea, McLaughlin, Miller, Morrison, Officer, Peterson, Powers, Rice, Schaller, Shaleen, Wedge, Wheat, White, Wilkins and Wilson.

Representatives Allen, Amundsen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Coloquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gearey, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscomb, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juleson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter G. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tother, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

The President announced the order of business to be the canvassing of the votes cast at the last general election for Judges of the District Court, for the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 7th Judicial Districts, and the business of canvassing of the votes of said Judicial Districts by counties was proceeded with.

On motion of Mr. Collins the names of James McKelvey and James M. McKelvey, in the 7th Judicial District, were canvassed for James M. McKelvey.

On motion of Mr. McCormack the votes cast for Thomas Buckham and Thomas S. Buckham in the 5th Judicial District were canvassed for Thos. S. Buckham.

The president then announced the result of the canvass as follows:

FOR JUDGE OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

	VOTES.
William Mitchell received - - - - - -	12,705

William Mitchell having received all the votes cast was declared duly elected Judge of the District Court for the Third Judicial District.

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FOR JUDGE OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

	VOTES.
C. E. Vanderburg received	17,499
D. E, Secombe received	5
W. W. McNair received	11

C. E. Vanderburg having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared duly elected Judge of the Fourth Judicial District.

FOR JUDGE OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

	VOTES.
Thomas S. Buckham received	10,223
D. Brownell received	4

Thomas S. Buckham having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared duly elected Judge of the Fifth Judicial District.

FOR JUDGE OF THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

	VOTES.
James M. McKelvey received	14,980
John Harshman received	2

Thomas M. McKelvey having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared duly elected Judge of the Seventh Judicial District.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, a committee of three was appointed to investigate the matter of the canvassing of the votes for Judge of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District.

And the President appointed as such committee—

Messrs. Dunn, Smith and Castle.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the convention adjourned.

The Speaker then called the House to order and announced that there were several members elect who had not been sworn in, when

Messrs. Gardner, Brayly and Thornton appeared and were duly sworn as members, and took their seats in the Hall of the House.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the special committee, to whom was referred the matter of amendments to the rules of the House, made the following report:

Your special committee to whom was referred the rules of the last House for such amendments as might be deemed necessary would respectfully report and recommend that the rules of the last House be adopted as the rules of the present House when amended as follows:

Amend rule 10 by inserting the words "by the mover" before the last word of line 2.

Amend Rule 11 by striking out the word "or" in line 2. and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for."

Amend Rule 23 by striking out the word "or" in line 1, and inserting the word "and" in lieu thereof.

Amend Rule 21 by striking out entire rule, and by substituting the following:

Rule 21—Bills, memorials, and joint resolutions may be introduced by any member in his place or by an order of the House on a report of a committee.

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Amend Rule 27 by strking out the word "or" in line 1 and inserting the word "and."

Amend Rule 28 by striking out the words "member present" in line two, and inserting "House."

Amend Rule 37. First, by striking out the word "ten" in line four, and inserting the word "eleven" in lieu thereof,

Second, by striking the words "ways and means" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "finance."

Amend Rule 41 by striking out the word select wherever it occurs in said rule, and inserting the word "special" in lieu thereof.

Amend Rule 52 by striking out the word "and" in line two, and inserting after the word "resolutions" in line three, the words "and motions and resolutions directing the payment of money."

Amend Rule 54 by adding thereto the following: "And pending the call no motion shall be in order except it pertains to matters incidental to the call or a motion to suspend further proceedings under the same."

Amend Rule 51 by striking out the word "select" in line 1, and substituting the word "special" in lieu thereof.

Amend Rule 19 of the Joint Rules by the passage of the following Joint resolution:

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that Joint Rule 19 be amended by striking out the word "two" in line one and inserting the word "four" in lieu thereof, and by striking out the word "and" before the word "five" in line three, and by striking out the "comma (,)" after the first word "committees" and inserting a "semi colen (;)" in lieu thereof, and by adding to said rule the following:

"Five on the part of the Senate and ten on the part of the House upon Congressional Districts; and seven on the part of the Senate and fourteen on the part of the House upon apportionment and Legislative Districts."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

By order of the committee. HENRY G. HICKS.
Chairman.

The report was amended, and adopted as amended.

Mr. McCracken, from the special committee to waite on the Governor and inform him that the Senate and House of Representatives are fully organized and ready to receive any communication His Excellency may be pleased to make, beg leave to make the following report:

That they have performed their duties, and that the Governor will deliver his annual message in the Hall of the House of Representatives on tomorrow, the 6th Inst., at 2 1-2 o'clock P. M.

On motion of Mr. Burger the report by the committee was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to inform the House that the Senate has adopted the following resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the House:

Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that the members of the Senate and House of Representatives meet in the Hall of the House on Thursday, January 6, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of receiving the message of His Excellency the Governor.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

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Mr. Comstock offered the following resolution :

Resolved That the Northwestern Telegraph Company be and they are hereby invited to open an office in the Capitol.

Which was adopted.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration, the House concurred in Senate joint resolution appointing Thursday, January 6th, at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., the time for receiving the message of his Excellency the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Rice, the House adjourned to 11 o'clock to-morrow morning.

JNO. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL. Jan. 6, 1881.

The House met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent :

Messrs Andrus, Baxter J., Flom, Huhn, Kendall, Rice, Tharlson, Thompson J. Jr., and Wilson.

The reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with and corrections having been made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Post and Buckman.

Mr. Daniels appeared and was duly sworn as Second Assistant Clerk, and entered upon the discharge of his duties as Second Assistant Clerk.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Baxter L, L., offered the following resolution.

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That the Hall of the House of Representatives be hereby tendered to the Minnesota State Forestry Association, for the purpose of holding its annual meeting, on Tuesday evening, January 11, 1881.

On motion of Mr. McCracken a committee of four was appointed to ascertain and report the amount of mileage due each member.

And the Speaker appointed as such committee :

Messrs. McCracken, Comstock, Dunn and Sheardown.

Mr. Wiley offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to have the names of members printed on cardboard and placed on the back of their respective desks facing the speaker.

Mr. Mott offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted :

Resolved, That sub-division two, of rule thirty-eight, be amended by

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striking out the comma, after the word deaf, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and;" also by adding thereto the words "and Imbecile School"

On motion of Mr. Hicks the committee to amend the rules of the last House, was amended by striking out the word "directing" in line three, in the amendment to Rule fifty-two, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "involving," and by striking out the word payment in said line three, and inserting the word expenditure in lieu thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Baxter L. L., on committee introduced—

H. F No. 1, A bill to change the name of the Big Stone Lake and Lake Traverse Internal Improvement and Transportation Company to that of the Big Stone Lake Navigation Company.

Which was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Sanborn, on leave, introduced—

H. F. No. 2, A bill to amend section 6, of chapter 84, relative to the service of summons in forcible entry action.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also—

H. F. No. 3, A bill to provide for the means of electing overseers of highways in this State.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following pages:

Peter M. Magnuson, Charles Van Dyke, Alex. Worthington, Harry McMasters, Willie Holbrook, and Paul Conn.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has adopted the following resolution, in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that a joint committee be constituted to consist of seven from the Senate, and fourteen from the House, to whom shall be referred all matters pertaining to legislative apportionment.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration, the Senate joint resolution relating to the appointment of a committee on legislative apportionment was, on motion of Mr. Dunn, laid upon the table.

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JOINT CONVENTION.

The hour of 2:30, P. M., having arrived, the Senate appeared within the bar of the House, and took their seats in joint convention.

The roll of the convention being called, the following members answered to their names:

Senators Aaker, Bonniwell, Campbell, Case, Castle, Clements, Crooks, Johnson, F. I., Johnson, R. B., Langdon, Lawrence, MacDonald, McCormick, McCrea, McLauglin, Miller, Morrison, Officer, Perkins, Peterson, Powers, Pillsbury, Rice, Schaller, Tiffany, Wheat, White, Wilkins, Wilson.

Representatives Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L, J., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske, Mr. Speaker.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Smith J. Jr., offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to notify His Excellency Governor Pillsbury, that a convention of the two branches of the Legislature is now organized, and that the convention will be pleased to receive any official communication he may see proper to make.

And the President appointed as such committee Messrs. Smith, McCrea and Sheardown.

The annual message of His Excellency John S. Pillsbury was then presented and delivered.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the convention adjourned.

The Speaker then called the House to order.

On motion of Mr. McCracken the report of the committee on mileage was taken from the table and adopted as follows:

Mr. McCracken from the committee on mileage, reports the following as the number of miles travelled by each member in coming to and returning from the capitol:

NAMES.	MILES.
Messrs.	
Allen,	260
Amundson,	150
Andrus,	290
Armstrong,	390
Asleson,	218
Baker,	130

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NAMES.	MILES.
Baldwin,	106
Baxter J.,	20
Baxter L. L.,	120
Boser,	74
Bohland,	10
Bookwalter,	218
Braley,	350
Buckman,	216
Burger,	174
Butterfield,	274
Caine,	130
Callender,	100
Child,	120
Churchill,	204
Collins,	150
Colquhoun,	170
Comstock,	513
Cornish,	200
Cutts,	110
Daniels,	230
Dean,	100
Denny,	74
Denby,	232
Dodge,	230
Donahue,	120
Dunn,	250
Flom,	110
Gardner,	166
Geary,	200
Gould,	206
Griggs,	
Graling,	260
Hall,	236
Hayes,	350
Halgren,	94
Hanscom,	202
Hawkins,	208
Henry G. H.,	254
Herberger,	196
Hicks,	20
Hill,	280
Hoyt,	82
Huhn,	22
Hulebak,	138
Ives,	156
Juelson,	280
Kendall,	312
Kennedy,	40
Kidder,	160
Klossner,	228
Kniss,	460
Kneeland,	200
Kohlmier,	400
Lewis,	204

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NAMES.	MILES.
Linnell,	170
Loveland,	330
McAndrews,	100
McCracken,	300
Moore,	234
Mott,	104
McMaster,	160
Norrish,	40
Northness,	334
Peterson A.,	26
Peterson P. A.,	190
Plaisance,	140
Porter O. S.,	230
Porter T. C.,	130
Post,	120
Purrington,	154
Putnam,	56
Redding,	350
Rice,	242
Roberts,	90
Rosebrock,	140
Sabin,	40
Sampson,	640
Sanborn,	—
Schmidt,	64
Searles,	40
Sheardown,	296
Smith,	—
Snure,	300
Southard,	200
Stedjee,	350
Stewart,	80
Stone,	300
Tharlson,	20
Thornton,	78
Thompson J. Jr.,	20
Thompson J.,	100
Tone,	344
Tether,	102
Van Hoesen,	290
Wagner,	230
Washburn,	346
Wiley,	—
Wilson,	208
Zieske,	230
Mr. Speaker,	20

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Mott moved that when the House adjourn it adjourn to 8 o'clock P. M. next Monday.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Baxter, L. L., the resolution offered by Mr. Gardner relating to furnishing the members with stationery was taken from the table. Mr. Dunn offered the following as an amendment:

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Resolved, That the chief clerk be authorized to furnish each member and officer of the House with a certificate for the sum of ten dollars for postage.

The question being taken upon the adoption of the amendment there were yeas 73, and nays 14, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were--

Messrs. Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Tharlson, Thompson J. Jr., Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Amundson, Baker, Boser, Butterfield, Colquhoun, Denby, Graling, Klossner, Linnell, McCracken, Southard, Thompson J., Washburn, Zieske.

So the resolution as amended was adopted.

Mr. Denny offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be authorized to purchase articles necessary for the cloak room not exceeding fifteen dollars in value.

The question being taken upon the adoption of the resolution, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the negatlve were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter, J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson, A., Plaisance, Porter, O. S., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson, J. Jr., Thompson, J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Zieske, Mr. Speaker.

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Sanborn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the vote of the House whereby the report of the special committee on the joint rules of the House and Senate was adopted be reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Daniels, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

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FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, January 10, 1881.

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the calling of the roll was dispensed with.

A quorum present.

On motion of Mr. Geary the reading of Thursday's journal was dispensed with.

Corrections having been made, the Speaker stated that the journal stood approved.

NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Burger gave notice that he would on to-morrow or some future day, introduce a bill to amend section 60 of chapter 107 of Young's General Statutes of 1878, relating to the presentation and recording of indictments.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the consideration of the Senate resolution referring to matters pertaining to legislative apportionment, was made a special order for to-morrow at 11 o'clock, A. M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. McCracken, on leave, introduced—

H. F. No. 4, A bill to prescribe the penalty of murder in the first degree.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Washburn, on leave, introduced—

H. F. No. 5, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in the county of Grant.

Which was read the first time and referred to the delegation from the 39th district.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I am directed to inform the House that the Senate has adopted the following resolution, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that the Secretary of State be requested, at the earliest date practicable, to furnish to each member of the Senate and House of Representatives, respectively, a

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detailed statement of the population of every county and township in this State, as well as the towns and cities in said counties which vote as separate municipalities, as shown by the last census returns, and that a certified copy of this resolution be furnished the Secretary of State by the Secretary of the Senate as soon as favorable action shall be taken on the same in the House.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the resolution of the Senate requesting the Secretary of State to furnish to each member of the Senate and House a statement of the population of every township and county in the State, as well as the towns and cities, was amended by inserting after the word "cities," the words, "and wards."

And on motion of Mr. Graling the House concurred in the resolution as amended.

On motion of Mr. Stone the House adjourned until ten o'clock to-morrow morning.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

FIFTH DAY,

ST. PAUL, Tuesday, January 11th, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock, A. M, and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent :

Messrs. Andrus, Buckman, Dean, Dodge, Griggs, Hoyt, Huhn, Kniss, Norrish, Rosebrock, Sabin, Tharlson, Van Hoesen and Wilson.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Hoyt, Buckman and Wilson.

Mr. Denny moved that the reading of yesterday's journal be dispensed with.

Which was lost, and the Clerk read the journal.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the journal stood approved.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The speaker announced the following standing committees:

Finance—Sanborn, Thompson J. Jr., Daniels, Kniss, Van Hoesen, Dunn, Norrish.

Judiciary—Hicks, Dunn, Sanborn, Collins, Searles, Mott, Hoyt, Gould, Smith, Baxter L. L., Wilson.

Railroads—Sabin, Moore, Allen, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Thompson, J. Jr., Post, Ives, Comstock, Gould, Armstrong, Stone, Kendall, Griggs, Norrish.

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Public Accounts and Expenditures—Dunn, McMasters, Hall, Cutts, Huhn, Amundson, Callender.

Public Lands—Putnam, Hoyt, Hayes, Dean, Buckman, Baxter, J., Moore, Braley, Boser, Peterson, A., Hawkins, Ives, McCracken, Gardner, Donahue.

Federal Relations—Colquhoun, Bohland, Schmidt, Linnell, Northness, Juelson, McAndrews.

Education—Daniels, Mott, Denny, Sheardown, Dodge, Hanscom, Childs.

Towns and Counties—Allen, Baxter J., Post, Washburn, Andrus, Sampson, Callender.

Military Affairs—Stedgee, Gould, Hicks, Zieske, Flom, Burger, Thornton.

Incorporations—Stone, Baldwin, Colquhoun, Sabin, Washburn, Cornish, Southard.

Indian Affairs—Plaisance, Redding, Sabin, Butterfield, Peterson P. A., Hulebak, Purrington.

Agriculture and Manufactures—Dean, Graling, Caine, Tone, Kidder, Lewis, Kennedy.

State Prison—Denny, Allen, Comstock, Kniss, Hall, Smith, Wilson.

Claims—Rice, Denby, Baker, Churchill, Plaisance, Snure, Southard.

Insurance Companies—Van Hoesen, Huhn, Washburn, Putnam, Halgren, Thompson, J., Smith.

Immigration—Tharalson, Henry, Klossner, Tether, Kohlmeier. Baker, Herberger.

Normal Schools—Collins, Gearey, Stewart, Burger, Rosebrock, Henry, Donahue.

Hospital for the Insane—Geary, Sheardown, Porter, O. S. Kneeland Bookwalter, Braley, Gardner.

Deaf and Dumb and Blind—Mott, Tharalson, Armstrong, Bohland, Dodge, Graling, Purrington.

State Reform School—Wiley, Klossner, McMasters, Roberts, Butterfield, Lewis, Thornton.

Soldier's Orphans—Sheardown, Asleson, Hanscom, Kidder, Zieske.

Roads, Bridges and Navigable Streams—Porter, O. S., Roberts, Porter, T. C., Linnell, Sampson, Hawkins, Kennedy.

Banks—Kniss, Kneeland, Stewart, Denby, Baxter, L. L.

Printing—Andrus, Rosebrock, Loveland, Juelson, Graling.

Elections—Peterson A., Cornish, Zieske, Redding, Donahue.

Commerce—Cutts, Halgren, Baldwin, Putnam, Gardner.

Public Buildings—Boser, Wagner, Wiley, Northness, Childs.

Rules and Joint Rules—Amundson, Tether, Rice, Stedgee, McCracken.

State Library—Bohland, Hoyt, Hayes, Graling, Griggs.

Mines and Minerals—Kendall, Peterson, P. A., Schmidt, Asleson, Childs.

Engrossment—Buckman, Flom, Porter, T. C., Tone, Herberger.

Enrollment—Hill, Kohlmeier, Kendall, Hayes, Griggs.

Tree Culture and Fuel—Rosebrock, Hulebak, Klossner, Wagner, Southard.

Inebriate Asylum—Kneeland, Snure, Henry, Wiley, Thornton,

Joint Standing Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws—Searles. Bookwalter, Churchill, Thompson, J , Wilson.

Joint Standing Committee on University and University Lands—Huhn, Hill, Daniels, Collins, McCracken.

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NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Hicks rose to a point of order, stating that that order of business was unnecessary, and moved that that order of business be dispensed with.

Which motion prevailed, and the House proceeded to the

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Burger, on leave, introduced—

H. F. No 6, a bill for the protection of the dairy interest, and for the punishment of fraud connected therewith.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Washburn, on leave, introduced—

H. F. No. 7, a bill to remove the county seat of Grant county from Township one hundred and thirty-nine north ot range forty-two west in said county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Baxter, L. L., introduced—

H. F. No. 8, a bill to amend an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Minnesota Western Railway Company, approved March 3d, 1853, and the acts amendatory thereto, approved February 4, 1870."

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F., No. 9, A bill to permit certain persons to cut and maintain a channel from Floyd Lake to the Pelican River.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Committee on roads, bridges and navigable streams.

Also H. F., No. 10, A bill to incorporate the village of Wadena in the County of Wadena.

Also, H. F., No. 11, A bill to legalize the Town Plat of the township of Detroit in Becker County.

Which were read the first time and referred to the Committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F., No. 12, A bill to annul Sec. 12 of Chap. 114 of the general statues of 1878.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judicary.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F., No. 13, A bill to promote forest culture and apple culture in Minnesota.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on tree planting.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 14, a bill to legalize the acts of commissioners surveying and locating a State road from Fergus Falls, in Otter Tail county, to Herman, in Grant county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Searles introduced—

H. F. No. 15, a bill to punish tramps.

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Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary, and

On motion of Mr. Donahue, the same was ordered printed.

Mr. Callender introduced—

H. F. No. 16, a bill to tax dogs, and for the protection of sheep,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

The hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., having arrived, the Speaker announced the order of business to be the consideration of the Senate resolution referring to matters pertaining to legislative apportionment, made the special order for that hour.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the consideration of the same was postponed until after the first reading of bills.

Mr. Braley introduced--

H. F- No. 17, A bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Redwood county to attach fractional township No. 113, of range 34, to any organized town in said county,

Which was read the first time and referred to committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Griggs introduced—

H. F. No. 18, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue certificates of indebtedness,

Which was read the first time and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Collins introduced—

H. F. No. 19, A bill to limit the jurisdiction of municipal courts,

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Smith introduced—

H. F. No. 20, A bill for an act relating to foreign corporations.

Which was read the first time and referred to committee on Judiciary.

Mr Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 21, A bill for an act to reduce the bounderies of independent school district No. one in Redwood county.

Which was read the first time and referred to committee on Towns and Counties

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 22, A bill to authorize the commissioners of the county of Swift to levy a special tax for road and bridge purposes.

Which was read the first time and referred to committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Griggs introduced—

H. F. No. 23, A bill authorizing an increase of the sewerage fund in the city of St. Paul.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

The hour of twelve o'clock having arrived, the Speaker announced the order of business to be, the consideration of the Senate resolution on legislative apportionment, made a special order for that hour, and messages from the Senate being under consideration.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the Senate resolution relating to the appointment of a joint committee on legislative apportionment was taken from the table, and Mr. Hicks offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

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Resolved, That the joint resolution adopted by the Senate relating to a joint commtttee on apportionment, be amended by substituting the the following joint resolution:

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring that joint rule 19 be amended, by striking out the word "two" in line one, and inserting the word "four" in line thereof, and by striking out the word "and" before the word "five" in lieu three, and by striking out the "comma" (,) after the first word "committees," and inserting a semi-colon (;) in lieu thereof, and by adding to said rule the following:

Five on the part of the Senate, and ten on the part of the House, upon congressional districts; and seven on the part of the Senate, and fourteen on the part of the House, upon apportionment and legislative districts.

And that the Senate be requested to concur in the resolution as amended.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Bohland offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The State Treasurer in funding the permanent school, university, college and internal improvement land funds, has often to pay a high premium at a low rate of interest for bonds of the United States and other States of this Union, in funding the above named funds; and whereas, boards of school districts and boards of education, counties, cities, villages and towns of this State, have to pay often a bonus and a high rate of interest in selling their bonds,

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, That the committee on finance of the House, and a similar committee of the Senate are hereby instructed to draft a bill to amend the constitution for the purpose of funding the permenant school, university, college and internal improvement land funds with bonds of school districts or board of education, counties, cities, villages and towns in this State and report as soon as practical.

Mr. Dunn gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

Mr. Rice offered the following resolution—

Resolved, That the Speaker is hereby authorized to appoint a suitable person to take charge of the House committee rooms and coat room, and to act as mail-carrier for the postmaster; said person so appointed to receive as compensation not to exceed five dollars per day.

Mr. Dunn gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over nnder the rule.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted—

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be authorized and directed to furnish to each member of this House one copy of the general statutes of 1878, for his use during this session.

Mr. Denby offered the following resolution—

Resolved, That the committee on printing be and is hereby instructed to procure the printing of the Governor's message in different languages, as follows: 3000 in English, 1000 in German, 2000 in Norwegian, 1000 in Swedish, 500 in French; to be distributed among the members of the House in quantities to best suit the nationality of each member's particular locality.

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On motion of Mr. Dunn, the resolution was referred to the following special committee, viz:

Messrs. Dunn, Denby and Stedjee.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

H. F. No. 1, A bill to change the name of the Big Stone Lake and Lake Traverse Internal Improvement and Transportation Company to that of Big Stone Lake Navigation Company.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passsge of the bill, there were yeas 88 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson. Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser. Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hoyes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore. McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J., Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Mott voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Huhn, a member elect from the 27th district, appeared, was sworn in and took his seat in the hall of the House as a member from said district.

On motion of Mr. Baxter, L. L., the House adjourned to 11 o'clock to morrow morning.

JNO. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives

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SIXTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Wednesday, January 12, 1881.

The House met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the chaplain.

The roll being called the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Andrus, Baker, Buckman, Halgren, Hoyt and Wilson.

The Clerk proceeded to read the journal.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the further reading of the journal was dispensed with. Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the journal stood approved.

Leave of absence was grantod to Mr. Hoyt.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Smith, from the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred.

H. F. No. 18, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue certificates of indebtedness, reports the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Smith the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 18, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue certificates of indebtedness

Was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 81, and nays none. as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thaarlson, Thompson J. Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McCracken offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That 400 copies of the journal of the House be printed daily for the use of the House, each member and officer of the House to receive daily three copies of the same.

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Mr. Baxter L. L. offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be authorized to subscribe for seven daily newspapers (or their equivalent in weeklies) for the use of each member of the House.

The question being taken upon the adoption of the resolution, there were yeas 76, and nays 17, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Hicks, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Lewis, Lovelund, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Horsen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Raxter J., Colquhoun, Geary, Graling, Hanscom, Herberger, Hill, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McCracken, Norrish, Rosebrock, Southard, Stewart, Thompson J. and Tether.

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Mott offered the following resolution:

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that a special committee of two on the part of the Senate, and of three on the part of the House be appointed, whose duty it shall be to revise and codify the probate laws of this State, and to report such revision and codification to this Legislature in time for consideration and action during its present session.

Mr. Searles gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the Judicary Committee be anthorized to employ a clerk during the session, whose compensation shall be five dollars per day.

The question being taken upon the adoption of the resolution, there were yeas 81, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dan, iels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gearey, Gould, Griggs, Graling-Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier-Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske, Mr. Speaker.

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution.

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That the chief clerk make requisition on the Secretary of

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State for such stationery and stationers' supplies as are necessary for the use of the members and officers of this House, and report to this House the kinds and amount of stationery and supplies, that can not be furnished on said requisition.

On motion of Mr. Bohland the following resolution was taken from the table and considered:

Whereas, The State Treasurer in funding the permanent school, university, college and internal improvement land funds, has often to pay a high premium at a low rate of interest for bonds of the United States and other States of this Union, in funding the above named funds; and whereas, boards of school districts and boards of education, counties, cities, villages and towns of this State, have to pay often a bonus and a high rate of interest in selling their bonds,

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, That the committee on finance of the House, and a similar committee of the Senate are hereby instructed to draft a bill to amend the constitution for the purpose of funding the permanent school, university, college and internal improvement land funds with bonds of school districts or board of education, counties, cities, villages and towns in this State and report as soon as practical.

On motion of Mr. Geary the resolution was amended by striking out the words "to draft" and inserting the words "to inquire into the expediency of reporting" and adopted as amended.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the following resolution was taken from the table and considered:

Resolved, That the Speaker is hereby authorized to appoint a suitable person to take charge of the House committee rooms and coat room, and to act as mail-carrier for the postmaster; said person so appointed to receive as compensation not to exceed five dollars per day.

The question being taken upon the adoption of the resolution, there were yeas 81 and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Lovland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Gould, Henry G. H., Kneeland, Porter T. C., and Putnam.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 4, A bill to legalize the acts of commissioners survey of and locating a State road from Fergus Falls in Otter Tail county, to Herman in Grant county.

Report the same back with an amendment, with the recommendation that the bill do pass as amended.

Which was adopted.

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MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to the resolution relating to the census returns of population.

Also, that the Senate has adopted the following resolution, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that a special committee of two on the part of the Senate, and three on the part of the House be appointed, whose special duty it shall be to proceed to St. Peter at as early a day as practicable, and investigate the cause or causes that occasioned the destruction by fire of the Insane Asylum at that place, and the loss of so many human lives; and that said committee be empowered to send for persons and papers, and examine witnesses under oath in all matters touching the subject under investigation, and report the result to the legislature within four weeks from January 11th.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following Senate File, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 6, A bill to repeal section 1 of chapter 211, of the Special Laws of Minnesota, approved March 1, 1876.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed

H. F. No. 1, A bill to change the name of the Big Stone Lake and Lake Traverse Internal Improvement Transportation Company, to that of the Big Stone Lake Navigation Company.

Which is herewith returned.

Also, the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 16, A bill to appropriate moneys for the legislative expenses of the present session of the State of Minnesota.

S. F. No. 16, A bill to authorize the clerk of the District Court of Goodhue county, in the first judicial district, to record certain papers now in his office.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration.

Mr. Hall offered the following amendment:

Amend resolution of the Senate relating to investigating committee of Insane Asylum at St. Peter, by adding thereto the following:

Also, that said committee be authorized and directed to investigate and report as to the wrongful treatment or neglect of the inmates of said institution, by those in charge of the same, or by any employee therof.

Such investigation not to relate to any case heretofore investigated.

Mr. Dunn offered to further amend so as to authorize the committee to employ a clerk and stenographer.

Which was lost.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the Attorney General was requested to accompany the said committee to St. Peter, in the matter of the investigations.

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The question recurring upon the amendment of Mr. Hall, it was adopted,

And the question being taken upon the adoption of the rosolution of the Senate, as amended, there were, yeas 82, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messers. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjer, Tharolson, Thornton, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messers. Gould, Henry G. H., Sheardown.

So the resolution as amended was adopted.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 17, A bill to appropriate money for the Legislative expenses of the present session of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota.

Was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second and third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the final passage of the bill there were yeas 93, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messsrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gearey, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmeier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske, Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No 6, A bill to repeal sec. 1, of chap. 211, of the Special Laws of Minnesota, approved March 1st, 1876

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Collins for amendment.

S. F. No. 16, a bill to authorize the clerk of the district court of Goodhue county to record certain papers now in his office,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 14 was read the second time.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Burger introduced—

H. F. No. 24, a bill to appropriate money to pay the expenses of the State Normal School at Mankato.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on Normal schools.

Mr. Mott introduced—

H. F. No. 25, a bill to organize a school for idiots and imbeciles.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on hospital for deaf and dumb.

On motion of Mr. Huhn, the House adjourned to 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

SEVENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Thursday, January 13, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Andrus, Buckman and Hoyt.

The Clerk proceeded to read the journal of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Amundson, the further reading of yesterday's journal was dispensed with.

Mr. Wilson, member from the Eighth District, appeared at the bar of the House, was duly sworn as a member of the House, and took his seat in the hall of the House as a member thereof.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Collins to whom was referred.

S. F. No. 6, A bill to repeal section 1, of chapter 211, of Special Laws of Minnesota, approved March 1, 1876, for amendment.

Reported the same back with amendments, with the recommendation that said bill do pass as amended.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Denby, the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 6, A bill to repeal section 1, of chapter 211, of Special Laws of Minnesota, approved March 1st, of 1876.

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Was read the second and third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 92, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, VanHoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Van Hoesen, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 5, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in the county of Grant,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Washburn, the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary to whom was referred

H. F. No. 2, A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 84, relative to the service of summons in forcible entry actions,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Which was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 6, A bill for the protection of the dairy interest and for the punishment thereof,

Reported the same back with a substitute, recommending that the substitute do pass.

Which was adopted.

Also H. F. No. 17, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Redwood county to attach fractional township 113, range 34, to any organized town in said county.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Daniels

H. F. No. 17,

Was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 19, A bill to limit the jurisdiction of municipal courts.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do lie upon the table.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Collins, from the committee on Normal schools, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 24, A bill appropriating money to pay the repairs of the State Normal School at Mankato.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Which was adopted.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 27, A bill to abate certain delinquent taxes and authorize the cancellation of the same, in Redwood county.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

Also, H. F. No. 28, A bill to legalize and confirm the organization of all organized towns in Redwood county.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. McCracken introduced—

H. F. No. 29, A bill relating to interest on money, and usury.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Van Hoesen introduced—

H. F. No. 30, A bill to change the name of the town of Chippewa, in Douglas county, to that of Brandon.

Which was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Van Hoesen, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 30, A bill to change the name of the town of Chippewa, in Douglas county, to that of Brandon

Was read the second and third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 95 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter, J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Steward, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Griggs introduced—

H. F. No, 31, A bill in relation to the erection of public buildings for the use of the city of St. Paul, and the county of Ramsey, upon block twenty, (20), of St. Paul proper, known as the Court House Square in the said city of St. Paul.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Amundson introduced—

H. F. No. 32, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Nicollet county to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time and referred to the delegation from Nicollet county.

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Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 33, A bill proposing an additional section to be termed section 33, of article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, prohibiting special legislation.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the rules were suspended and the bill was ordered printed.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 34, A bill to provide for the organization of the county of Big Stone.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Burger introduced—

H. F. No. 35, A bill to amend section 60 of chapter 107, of Young's General Statutes of 1878, relating to indictments.

Which was read the first time and referred to committee on judiciary.

Mr. Van Hoesen introduced—

H. F. No. 36, A bill relating to casuality insurance companies.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Ives introduced—

H. F. No. 37, A bill to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 1, in McLeod county, and attach the same to school district No. 28 in said county.

Which was read the first time and referred to the McLeod county delegation.

Mr. Moore introduced—

H. F. No. 38, A bill to grant lands to aid the construction of the main and branch lines of the Little Falls & Dakota Railroad Company.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public lands.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 39, A bill to change the name of certain persons therein named.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 40, A bill to grant ferry privilege to John Shelly across Red river in Polk county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 41, A bill to change the name of Erick Errickson to Erick E. Grosswick.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Searles introduced—

H. F. No. 42, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 20 of the General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 43, A bill to authorize the Hastings Union Industrial Association to distribute surplus funds.

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Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Graling introduced—

H. F. No. 44, A bill to change the term of office of township supervisors.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 2, 24 and 26 were read the second time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the House adjourned to 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

EIGHTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Friday, January 14th, 1881.

The House met at 2 o'clock P. M.

And was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Baxter J. and Buckman.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Buckman and Denby.

The clerk proceeded to read the journal of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the further reading of the journal was dispensed with.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Henry S. Hurter as Assistant Sergeant-at-arms.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Mott from the committee on deaf and dumb and blind to whom was referred

H. F. No. 25, A bill to organize a school for idiots and imbeciles

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Allen from the committee on towns and counties to whom was referred

H. F. No. 3, A bill to provide for the manner of electing overseers of highways in this State

Reported the same back, without recommendation.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn

H. F. No. 3, was referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also H. F. No. 10, A bill to incorporate the village of Wadena.

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Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.
Which was adopted.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Amundson, from the delegation from Nicollet County, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 32, A bill authorizing the county commissioners to issue bonds,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.
Which was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. Searles, the following resolution was taken from the table, and considered:

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concrrring, that a special committee of two on the part of the Senate, and of three on the part of the House be appointed, whose duty it shall be to revise and codify the probate laws of this State, and to report such revision and codification to this Legislature in time for consideration and action during its present session.

And the same was, on motion, referred to the committee on judiciary.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 45, A bill to incorporate the village of Fisher.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Also, H. F. No. 46, A bill in relation to proceedings supplementary to the execution.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 47, A bill to incorporate the village of Hancock in the county of Stevens.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 48, A bill in relation to the inspection of steam boilers.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the bill was ordered printed.

Mr. Sampson introduced—

H. F. No. 49, A bill to change the name of Andrew A. Severt, of Polk county, to that of Andrew S. Oistad.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 50, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to encourage higher education."

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education, and

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On motion of Mr. Dunn, the bill was ordered printed.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 51, A bill to declare the county of Stevens to be an organized county, and to declare legal the official acts and proceedings of the board of county commissioners and other officers of said county

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kniss introduced—

H. F. No. 52, A bill to detach Pipe Stone county from Rock county for judicial purposes.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Flom introduced—

H. F. No. 53, A bill to protect the people of Minnesota from empyricism and imposition in the practice of medicine and surgery.

Which was read the fiast time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Caine introdnced—

H. F. No. 54, A bill to change the names of certain persons therein named.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Bookwalter introduced—

H. F. No 55, A bill to regulate the fees of the sheriff of Blue Earth county for boarding prisoners.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Blue Earth delegation.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 56, A bill to create a new judicial district and provide for the election of a judge therein, to be known as the 13th judicial district.

Which was read the first time and referred, to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Callender introduced—

H. F. No. 57, A bill to change the name of Mathew Strikebold of Scott county, and to confer heirship upon him.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No. 58, A bill to authorize the Duluth Water Company to construct, maintain and operate water works at Duluth, and to acquire property and rights therefor.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Kendall the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill there were yeas 76, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Braley, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts,

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Sampson, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Kneeland voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 22, A bill to incorporate the village of Minneota in Lyon county.

S. F. No. 24, A bill to authorize the county of Scott to borrow money to reimburse certain funds depleted by embezzlement, and to reimburse the county for such loan.

Also, that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to S. F. No. 6,

Also, that the Senate has passed H. F. No. 18, which is herewith returned.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Braley, the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 22, A bill to incorporate the village of Minneota, in Lyon county.

Was read the first, second and third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 10, 32 and 25
Were read the second time.

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THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 5, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in the county of Grant,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passge of the bill, there were yeas 81 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 17, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Red Wood county, and attach fractional townships 113, of range 34, to any organised township in said county.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill then were yeas 77, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roseback, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The House resolved itself into the committee of the whole,

Mr. Daniels in the chair.

After some time the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration:

H. F. No. 2, A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 84, relating to service of summons in forcible entry action.

With the recommendation that the bill do pass.

H. F. No. 14, A bill to legalize the acts of commissioners surveying and locating a state road from Fergus Falls, in Otter Tail county, to Herman, in Grant county.

Which they report back with an amendment with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

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H. F. No. 24, A bill to approriate money to pay the expenses of the the State Normal School at Mankato.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on finance,

H. F. No. 26, A bill to protect the dairy interests of Minnesota.

Upon which they report progress and ask leave to set again.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the report of the committee ot the whole was adopted

On motion of Mr. McCracken, the House adjourned to 8 o'clock next Monday evening.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

NINTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Monday, January, 17, 1881.

The House met at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baxter J., Bohland, Callender, Child, Comstock, Cornish, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Hawkins, Herberger, Lewis, Lovland, Northness, Peterson P. A., Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J. and Wilson.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Hawkins, Lewis, Searles, Linnell and Dodge.

The clerk proceeded to read the journal of Friday last.

On motion of Mr. Denby, the further reading of the journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the journal stood approved.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hoyt offered the following resolution:

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that a special committee of three on the part of the Senate, and five on the part of the House, to be selected by the Speaker, be appointed to take into consideration the recommendation of the Governor relating to the location of a second State Prison. That it shall be the duty of such joint committee to investigate as to the necessity of such prison, and report them, together with such recommendation as to a site for its location as to such committee shall be deemed proper.

Mr. Baxter L. L. gave notice of debate and the resolution went over under the rules.

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Mr. Hicks offered the following resolution,
Which was adopted:
Resolved, That the naming of a person for Senator in Congress from this State, be made the special order of the House for Tuesday, January 18th, at 12 o'clock m.

Mr. Gould offered the following resolution,
Which was adopted:
Resolved, That the resolution adopted on the sixth day of the session authorizing the Clerk to subscribe for daily papers be extended to the officers of the House.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Sampson introduced—
H. F. No. 59, A bill to incorporate the village of Ada, in Polk county,
Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.
Mr. Sanborn Introduced—
H. F. No. 60, A bill to provide for the adjudication of the rights of the holders of the Minnesota State railroad bonds.
Which was read the first time, and
On motion of Mr. Sanborn ordered printed and referred to the committee on judiciary.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Sabin presented a petition singned by S. Chamberlain in relation to the Minnesota State railroad bonds,
Which was read.
Mr. Burger moved that the petition be not received.
Mr. Sabin moved to amend so that the petition be received.
Which motion prevailed.
Mr. Baxter L. L., Moved that the petilion be laid upon the table, and that the same be printed.
Mr. McCracken moved to amend, so that the bill be not printed.
Which was lost.
The question recurring upon the motion of Mr. Baxter, the motion prevailed, and the petition was laid upon the table and ordered printed.
Mr. Washburn introduced—
H. F. No. 61, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Pomme de Terre river in Grant county.
Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on finance.
Mr. Griggs introduced—
H. F. No. 62, A bill to authorize the establishment of and maintenance of a work house in St. Paul.
Which was read the first time and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.
Mr. Dunn introduced—
H. F. No. 63, A bill to amend sections 19 and 20 of chapter 1 of the General Statutes, revision of 1866, relating to the canvassing of votes for State officers.
Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

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Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 64, A bill to amend sections 4, 9, and 10 of chapter 16, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to intoxicating liquors.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Denby introduced—

H. F. No. 65, A bill to amend chapter 65, of the General Laws of 1879, relating to chattel mortgages.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kniss introduced—

H. F. No. 66, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Lu Verne.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 67, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Montevidio.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Chippewa county.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following resolution, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

Resolved, That a joint committeed of five Senators and ten Representatives be appointed, to whom shall be referred all matters relating to the bonds of the State of Miunesota issued in aid of railroads, and that that part of the Governor's message touching this question be referred to the same committee, and that they be instructed to report by bill or otherwise.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration.

The Senate joint resolution was read by the clerk, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn laid upon the table.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 24, A bill to authorize the county of Scott to borrow money to reimburse certain funds depleted by embezzlement, and to reimburse the county for such loss.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Scott county.

THIRD READING OF KOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 2, A bill to amend section 6, of chapter 84, in relation to the service of summons in forcible entry and detainer.

Was read the third time, and on motion of Mr. Garling, the bill was laid upon the table and ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

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TENTH DAY.

SAINT PAUL, Tuesday, January 18, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Andrus, Henry G. H., Roberts and Searles.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Roberts.

The clerk read the journal of yesterday. Corrections being made the Speaker stated that the journal stood approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 45. A bill to incorporate the village of Fisher.

Also, H. F. No. 21, A bill to reduce the boundaries of Independent School District No. 1 in Redwood county.

Also, H. F. No. 34, A bill to provide for the organiaztion of the county of Big Stone.

Reported the sameback with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 7. A bill for an act to remove the county seat off Grant county.

Reports same back with a substitute, and recommends that the substitute do pass.

H. F. No. 68, substitute for H. F. No. 7, A bill to remove the county seat of Grant county,

Was read, and the report of the committee was adopted.

Mr. Hicks, from the Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 16, A bill to authorize the clerk of the District Court of Goodhue county, in the first judicial district, to record certain papers, now in his office

Reported the same back, with the following report, recommending that the report be adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 16, An act to authorize the clerk of the District Court of Goodhue county, in the first judicial district, to record certain papers now in his office, do report:

That they have had the same under consideration, and find that the Act of Congress of April 14, 1802, directed that the proceedings therein provided for the naturalization of ailens should be recorded by the clerk of the court in which said proceedings were had, and that said act has

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ever since been, and still is in force, and that no other authority for recording said proceedings is required.

Your committee further report that the proceedings for the naturalization of aliens is a civil proceeding, in which the State is in no way a party, and that the fees now allowed by law for the services of the clerk are adequate compensation for such services.

This bill must therefore stand, if it stands at all, upon one of the two following propositions: First, that the clerk of said court has collected fees for these proceedings and failed to perform his duties, or, second, has failed to collect his fees at the time his services were rendered, as he might have done.

To require the tax-payers of the county or State to pay fees for recording these proceedings upon either of said propositions seems to your committee to be unsound and vicious.

It would also seem that if such a bill is to pass at all, it should be a general bill extending alike to all counties and clerks in the State. We see no more reason why a county or the State should be compelled to raise and advance money to pay the eosts of court in cases of naturalization of aliens, than in all other cases of a civil nature, where the parties in interest have failed to pay the same, or where, having been paid, the clerk has failed to preform his duties as required by law.

We therefore recommend that this bill be referred to the delegation from Goodhue county.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Hicks, from the judiciary committee, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 33, A bill proposing an additional section to be termed section thirty-three (33), of article four (4), of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, prohibiting special legislation.

Also, H. F. No. 20, A bill relating to foreign corporations.

Also, H. F. No. 28, A bill to legalize and confirm the organization of all tows in Redwood county.

Reported the same back, recommendiog that the bills do pass.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 3, A bill to provide for the manner of electing over seers of highways in this State,

Reported the same back with a substtute, recommending that the substitute do pass.

Which was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 29, A bill relating to interest on money and usury,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. McCracken moved to amend the report of the committee so as to place the bill on general orders,

Which was adopted, and the report as amended was adopted.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Dunn from the special committee on Governor's message, to whom was referred the resolution offered by Mr. Denby on the day of the session,

Report the same back with a substitute, as follows:

Resolved, That the message of the Governor be printed in pamphlet form as follows, for the use of the members of this House:

In the English language, 5,000 copies.

In the German language, 2,000 copies.

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In the Norwegian language, 3,000 copies.

A. C. DUNN,
A. F. DENBY,
O. O. STEDJEE,

and recommend its adoption.

Mr. Geary moved that the report of the committee be indefinitely postponed.

The yeas and nays being called for and ordered, and the question being taken on the motion to indefinitely postpone, there were yeas 41, and nays 47, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Gardner, Gearey, Gould, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Herberger, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore. McMaster, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sheardown, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J., Wagner and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Braley, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Kniss, Linnell, Lovland, Mott, Northness, Peterson A, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Putnam, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the motion to indefinitely postpone was lost

Mr. Cain moved to amend the report of the committee by adding "and 3,000 copies in the Swedish language."

Which was adopted.

Mr. Thornton moved to amend by adding "and two thousand in the French language."

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Callender, the report was amended by adding "and 2,000 in the Bohemian language."

On motion of Mr. Bookwalter, the report of the committee was further amended by adding "and 1,000 copies iu the Welch language."

Mr. Huhn offered the following amendment to the report of the committee:

Resolved, That there be caused to be printed in pamphlet form the following numbers of copies of Governor's message in the following languages: 10,000 in English, 5,000 in German, 5,000 in Norwegian, 3,000 in Swedish, 1,000 in Bohemian. 1,000 in French, and 1,000 in Welch.

Mr. McCracken moved that the amendment be laid upon the table.

Which was lost.

The question recurring upon the amendment of Mr. Huhn, the ayes and nays were called for and ordered, and the question being taken on the adoption of the amendment, there were yeas 48, and nays 42, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baxter, J., Baxter, L. L., Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Caine, Callender, Child, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gearey, Griggs, Halgren, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives,

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Kendall, Kidder, Kniss, Linnell, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Dean, Donahue, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Sheardown, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether and Wagner.

So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Graling moved to refer the report to the committee on printing, with instructions to report the cost of printing the Governor's message as recommended by the special committee.

Which was adopted.

And the report of the committee as amended was so referred.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Daniels offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved that the Secretary of State be requested to obtain from the clerk of the District Court in each respective county in the State the number of suits commenced, and the number tried respectively in their county (except Ramsey county) for the year 1880.

Mr. Rice offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the speaker is hereby authorized to appoint A. O. Redding, of Brown county, to assist Capt. Henry Hurter in taking charge of the House committee rooms and coat room, and in carrying the mails, who shall receive as compensation for such services not exceeding the sum of five dollars per day.

Mr. Armstrong gave notice of debate and the resolution went over under the rules.

Mr. Buckman offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committees on enrollment and engrossment each be allowed a clerk, and that said committees be, and are hereby, authorized to appoint the same whenever they may deem their services required, at a compensation not to exceed five dollars each per day.

Mr. Denny moved to amend that the clerks of said committees shall be appointed by the Speaker.

Mr. Stone gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on public accounts and expenditures is authorized to employ a clerk, whose compensation shall be $5 per day from the date of his employment.

Mr. Thompson J. Jr., gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

Mr. Collins offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved. The Senate concurring, that the Secretary of State be authorized and directed to have printed for the use of the present Legislature 500 copies of the "Proceedings of the Board of Commissioners appointed by the Governor of Minnesota under the provisions of an act entitled "An act for the equitable adjustment of the State railroad bonds, and approved February 28th, 1866."

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Mr. Graling offered the following resolution, which was adopted.

Resolved. That the committee on printing be required to make enquiry into the matter of delay in printing for this house.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

The committee on towns and counties introduced—

H. F. No. 68, Substitute for H. F. No. 7, A bill to remove the County Seat of Grant County.

Which was read the first time and placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Hicks, from committee on judiciary introduced—

H. F. No. 69, Substitute for H. F. No. 3, A bill to provide the manner of electing overseer of highways in the town of Rose, in Ramsey County.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Ramsey County delegation.

Mr Mott introduced—

H. F. No. 70, A bill to amend certain sections of chapter 36, of the statutes of 1878, relating to education.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Stewart introduced—

H. F. No. 71, A bill to regulate and restrain the sale of intoxicating liquors in the city of Northfield, in Rice County.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Rice County delegation.

Mr. Norrish introduced—

H. F. No. 72, A bill to declare the children of Charles Schroth, deceased, to be the heirs at law of John Peller, deceased, and to vest the estate of said decsased in said children.

Which was read the first time, (with accompanying petition,) and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Redding introduced—

H. F. No. 73, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 39, of General Laws of 1879, relating to bounty for the destruction of wolves.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Stedjee introduced—

H. F. No. 74, A bill to change the name of Marcus Olson to M. O. Ulvestad.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Halgren introduced—

H. F. No. 75, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 1, of the Special Laws of 1877, and to repeal chapter 62 of the Special Laws of 1878, relating to the incorporation of the village of Watertown, Carver Couny.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Hoyt introduced—

H. F. No. 76, A bill to amend section 3, of chapter 101, of the Revised statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Northness introduced—

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H. F. No. 77, A bill to encourage and promote the planting of forest trees.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on tree culture.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 78, A bill to authorize the county of Benton to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

The hour of 12 o'clock M. having arrived, the Speaker announced the special order for that hour to be the election of a United States Senator, for the term of six years' from the 4th day of March, A. D. 1881.

Mr. Hicks moved a call of the House, which was ordered, and

The roll being called, the following members were found to be present:

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgreu, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewiss, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance-Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrook, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Shear, down, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

The following members were absent:

Messrs. Andrus, Baldwin, Dodge, Gardner, Griggs, Hawkins, Searles and Wilson.

On motion of Mr. Hicks further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The questien being taken upon the election of a United States senator, and the roll being called,

Those who voted for Mr. S. J. R. McMillan were—

Messrs Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted for Mr. H. H. Sibley were—

Messrs. Child, Kennedy, McAndrews and Norrish.

Messrs. Graling and McCracken voted for Mr. C. H. Roberts.

The Speaker decided that the whole number of votes cast was 98. Necessary to a choice, 50.

Mr. Samuel J. R. McMillan received 92 votes.

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Mr. H. H. Sibley received 4 votes.
Mr. C. H. Roberts received 2 votes.
And the Speaker directed the Clerk to make a record of the votes thus cast.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication was received from His Excellency, the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SAINT PAUL, Jan, 14, 1881.

Hon. Loren Fletcher,

Speaker House of Representatives:

SIR:—I have the honor to transmit herewith the report of the State Board of Immigration, from March 13, 1879, to December, 31, 1880.

Very respectfully,
J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

The following communication was received from the Chamber of Commerce of St. Paul.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
No. 41, WEST THIRD STREET, ROGERS' BLOCK,
ST. PAUL, MINN., January 18, 1881.

To the Hon. Speaker of the
House of Representatives:

DEAR SIR:—The following resolution was adopted at the meeting of the board of the St. Paul Chamber of Commerce, held on the 17th inst.

"Resolved, That the freedom of the reading room of the Chamber of Commerce be extended to the officers and members of both branches of the legislature, and that the Secretary be instructed to notify the presiding officers of both bodies of this action,"

Very truly yours,
WM. D. ROGERS,
Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the chief clerk was authorized to accept the communication, and to return the thanks of this House to the said Chamber of Commerce for that courtesy.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 20, 28, 21, 45, 33, 34, 29, and 68 were read the second time.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Having been reached, the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Dunn in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and reported that they had had under consideration.

H. F. No. 26, Substitute for H. F. No. 6, A bill relating to oleomargarine.

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H. F. No. 10, A bill relating to the villa e of Wadena.
H. F. No. 32, A bill relating to Nicollet county bonds
Which they report back with the recommendation that they do pass.
H. F. No. 25, A bill relating to idiots and imbeciles.
Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to sit again.
On motion of Mr. Geary, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.
Captain Henry S. Hurter appeared at the bar of the House and was duly sworn in as second assistant sergeant-at-arms of the House, and entered upon the discharge of his duties.
On motion of Mr. Mott the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

ELEVENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Wednesday, January 19, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker. Prayer by the Chaplain.
The roll being called, Mr. Andrus, was found to be absent.
The clerk read the journal of yesterday.
On motion of Mr. Burger, the further reading of yesterdays journal was dispensed with.
On motion, Messrs. Hawkins, Wilson, Baldwin and Searles, were recorded as having voted for S. J. R. McMillan, for United States Senator for six years' from the fourth day of March, A. D., 1881.
And the journal of yesterday was so corrected as to place their names upon the roll of the House as having so voted.
The journal having been corrected, the Speaker stated that the journal stood approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks from the judiciary committee, respectfully reports:
That at the request of the Speaker the committee have had under consideration the matter of nominating a special committee of three from the House to act with a special committee of two on the part of the Senate to investigate the cause or causes that occasioned the destruction by fire of the Insane Asylum, at St. Peter, also to investigate and report as to the wrongful treatment or neglect of the inmates

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of said institution in pursuance of a joint resolution adopted by the House, on the 12th of January, 1881, in relation to said matter, and that the committee respectfully name as such committee, Messrs. Callins, Sheardown and Norrish.

The report was adopted, and the Speaker appointed as such committee:

Messrs. Collins, Sheardown and Norrish.

Also, H. F. No. 63, A bill to amend sections 19 and 20 of chapter 1, of the General Statutes' revision of 1866, relating to the canvassing of votes for State officers.

Also H. F. No 70, A bill to amend certain sections of chapter thirty (30), of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to education.

Also, H. F. No. 43, A bill to authorize the Hastings Union Industrial Association to distribute surplus funds.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 42, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 20, of the General Statutes of 1878, entitled an act for the preservation of game.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinately postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 65, A bill to amend Chapter 65 of the General laws of 1879, entitled an act in relation to chattle mortgages.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinately postponed.

On motion of Mr. Sabin, the bill was recommitted to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 76, A bill to amend an act entitled "Offenses against the public Health."

Also, H. F. No. 35, A bill to amend section 61 of chapter 107, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to Indictments.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 50, A bill to declare the county of Stevens to be an organized county, and to declare legal the official acts and proceedings of the board of county commissioners and other officers of said county.

Reported the same back, with a substitute recommending that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Porter, from the committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 40, A bill granting ferry privileges to John Shelly across Red river,

Report the same back, with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 9, A bill to permit certain persons to cut and maintain a channel from Floyd lake to Pelican river for milling purposes,

Report the same back without recommendation.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the bill was referred to the committee of the whole.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill from the committee on enrollment, reports that he has examined

H. F. No. 1, A bill to change the name of the Big Stone Lake and

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Lake Traverse Internal Improvement and Transportation Company to that of the Big Stone Lake Navigation Company.

Also, H. F. No. 18, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue certificates of indebtedness,

Finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hoyt from the committee composed of the Goodhue county delegation, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 16, A bill authorizing the clerk of the district cou rt of Goodhue county to record certain papers now in his office,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The report was adopted.

Mr. S. P. Stewart from the special committee of the Rice county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 71, A bill to regulate and restrain the sale of intoxicating liquors in the city of Northfield, Rice county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Stone from the committee on incorporations, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 66, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Luverne,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Ives, from the special committee, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 37, A bill to detach certain territory from Independant School District No. 1, in McLeod county, and attach the same to School District No. 28 in said county.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Stone, from the special committee, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 67, A bill to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Montevideo, Chippewa county.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The report was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman C. B., from the committee on engrossment, reports that they have compared

H. F. Nos. 14 and 10.

And that they find the same correctly approved.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Burger offered the following resolution, which wrs adopted :

Whereas, on the night of the 15th day of November, 1880, the hospital for the insane at St. Peter, an institution owned by the State of Minnesota, was discovered to be on fire, and the lives of many hundreds of human beings were thereby put in great peril.

And whereas, the said institution was located at a distance remote from any organized fire companies.

And whereas, at the summons and request of the State authorities, Superior Hose Company No. 2, an organization of volunteer firemen

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located at Mankato, a distance of ten miles from said hospital, as well as Fire Company No.——of St. Peter, also a volunteer organization, responded with the utmost dispatch, and with their apparatus repaired at once to the scene of conflagration, and labored heroically and successfully in saving the most of the lives thus imperilled, as well as over $500,000 worth of State property.

Therefore, be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the thanks of the people of the State of Minnesota are due, and are hereby tendered through their Representatives and Senators now in legislature assembled, to the Superior Hose Company No. 2 of Mankato, Minn., and to the said Fire Company of St. Peter, volunteer organizations of firemen, for their heroic and unselfish exertions on the night of November 15th, 1880, in assisting to extinguish the fire and staying the elements that was destroying the Hospital for the insane at St. Peter, and jeopardizing the lives of its imates.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions and preamble be properly engrossed under the direction of the Secretary of State, and certified under his hand and the great seal of the State, and presented to each of the said organizations.

Mr. Callender offered the following joint resolution:

Joint resolution for the relief of persons who have filed upon homesteads on the Western prairies.

WHEREAS, Many citizens of the United States, during the months of September and October, A. D. 1880, made homestead filings upon lands on our Western prairies, under the acts of Congress granting homesteads to actual settlers; and

WHEREAS, Under the homestead law, as now existing, persons so making homestead filings are required to make actual settlement thereon within six months from the date of filing thereon; and

WHEREAS, By reason of the early winter, the severity of the climate and the scarcity of fuel on our Western frontier, it will be impossible, in many cases, for those who made their filings during the said months of September and October, A. D. 1880, to reach their homesteads, or to construct houses thereon sufficient to protect them and their families from the rigors of a cold climate, within six months from the date of their said filings. Therefore, by reason of the premises aforesaid, be it

Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress are hereby requested to use their influence to secure the passage of an act extending the time for actual settlement until the 15th day of May, A. D. 1881, in all cases where homestead filings have been made between the 1st day of September and the 1st day of November, in the year A. D. 1880, both days inclusive.

That the Secretary of State be requested to forward immediately to each of our said Senators and Representatives a certified copy of the foregoing resolution.

On motion of Mr. Denny, the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Peterson A., offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be, and is hereby, authorized to furnish each member of the House with one of Sisson's improved patent magic binder.

The question being taken upon the adoption of the resolution, there were yeas 86, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Caine,

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Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Burger, Mott and Northness.

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Kniss offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on tree-culture and fuel be requested to prepare and bring before the House a bill to encourage the growth of timber on our prairies

Mr. Braley offered the following:

A joint resolution requesting Congress to fix the head of navigation of the Minnesota River.

WHEREAS, the Minnesota River is not a navigable river west of the eastern line of the county of Redwood, and,

WHEREAS, that in law it is considered as navigable, to the great expense and detriment of the people residing near said river, west of said point in the matter of bridging it for highway purposes, and the improvement of milling priveleges; Therefore,

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be requested to urge immediate action, and procure a resolution of Congress fixing the head of navigation of the Minnesota River at a point where the range line between ranges 33 and 34, west of the fifth principal meridian crosses said river, said range line being the eastern boundary of Redwood county.

Resolved, That the Secretary of State is requested to forward copies of this resolution to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the resolution was referred to the committee on Federal relations.

Mr. Baxter L. L., offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the House of Representatives be and are allowed the services of two extra Pages, making six in all, and the term of their service be from Jan. 4th, the date of the organization of the House, and the time at which their services began.

Mr. Collins offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That a joint committee, consisting of two members of the Senate and three of the House, be appointed to visit the third State Normal School at St. Cloud, and investigate the charges of sectarianism recently preferred against that institution.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the following resolution was taken from the table, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on public accounts and expenditures is

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authorized to employ a clerk, whose compensation shall be $5 per day from the date of his employment.

On motion of Mr. Rice, the foliowing resolution was taken from the table and considered:

Resolved, That the speaker is hereby authorized to appoint A. O. Redding, of Brown county, to assist Capt. Henry Hurter in taking charge of the House committee rooms and coat room, and in carrying the mails, who shall receive as compensation for such services not exceeding the sum of five dollars per day.

The yeas and nays being called for and ordered.

And the question being taken on the adoption of the resolution there were yeas 48, and nays 41, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter, J., Baxter, L. L., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Hanscom, Herberger, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Kniss, Kohlmier, Linnell, Moore, Peterson, A., Peterson, P. A., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tone, Washburn. Wiley, Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Asleson, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Denby, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, G. H., Hill, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter, O. S., Porter, T. C., Post, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson, J., Tether, Wagner, Wilson.

So the resolution was adopted.

And A. O. Redding was duly appointed as such assistant, by the Speaker.

On motion of Mr. Hoyt, the following resolution was taken from the table and considered:

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that a special committee of three on the part of the Senate, and five on the part of the House, to be selected by the Speaker, be appointed to take into consideration the recommendation of the Governor relating to the location of a second State Prison. That it shall be the duty of such joint committee to investigate as to the necessity of such prison, and report them, together with such recommendations as to a site for its location as to such committee shall be deemed proper.

Mr. Collins moved to amend, by striking out the last clause, to-wit: "together with such recommendation as to a site for its location as to such committee shall be deemed proper."

Which motion prevailed, and the resolution, as amended was adopted.

Mr. Gould offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That Mrs. Matilda Fletcher be and she is hereby invited to address the House on the subject of industrial and moral training in the public schools, at 8 o'clock this Wednesday evening, and that the House hold a session at that time for the purpose of listening to said address. That the Senate be invited to seats on the floor of the House at said session.

Mr. Geary moved to amend by striking out all after and including the word "House" in the fifth line of the resolution.

Mr. Hicks offered the following amendment to the amendment:

That the Hall of the House be tendered to Mrs. M. Fletcher, for tomorrow.

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evening, and that Senators and Representatives be requested to be present.

On motion of Mr. Wilson the resolution with the amendments was laid upon the table.

Mr. Dunn moved that the vote by which the report of the judiciary committee that

H. F. No. 42, Be indefinitely postponed, was adopted, was reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn the bill was recommitted to the committee on judiciary.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 79, A bill to define the boundaries of Wadena county, and to provide for its organization.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Graling introduced—

H. F. No. 80, A bill to change the name of a person.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The judiciary committee introduced—

H. F. No. 81, Substitute for H. F. No. 51, A bill to declare the county of Stearns to be an organized county, and to declare legal the official acts of county commissioners and other county officers of said county.

Which was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Allen introduced—

H. F. No. 82, A bill to amend section 3, of chapter 9 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to removals by the Governor.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 83, A bill to incorporate the city of Ortonville, in the counties of Big Stone and Lac Qui Parle.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Washburn the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 83, Was read the second and third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 90, and nayes none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, caine, Callender, Child, Churchill Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone,

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Tharalson, Thomson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House took a recess of ten minutes, for the purpose of preparing the Hall of the House for the joint convention to meet at 12 o'clock, M.

JOINT CONVENTION.

The hour of 12 o'clock, M., having arrived, the Senate appeared within the bar of the House and took their seats in joint convention.

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

Senators Adams, Beman, Bonniwell, Buck C. F., Buck D., Campbell, Case, Castle, Clement, Crooks, Gilfillan C. D., Hinds, Howard, Johnson F. I., Johnson R. B., Macdonald, McCormick, McCrea, McLaughlin, Morrison, Officer, Perkins, Peterson, Pillsbury, Rice, Schaller, Shaleen, Tiffany, Wedge, Wheat, White, Wilkins and Wilson.

Representatives Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry J. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompspn J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

The secretary of the Senate read the Senate journal of yesterday, relating to the vote of the Senate for a Senator in congress from this State.

And the chief clerk of the House read the House journal of yesterday, relating to the vote of the House for a senator in congress from this State, and it appearing by the records of each of said journals that Samuel J. R. McMillan had received a majority of all the votes cast in each House, a majority of all its members being present and voting.

The speaker declared Samuel J. R. McMillan duly elected Senator in congress from this State, for the full term of six years, commencing the fourth day of March A. D. 1881.

On motion of Mr. Daniels, the joint convention adjourned.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

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The House met at 2 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Hulebak introduced—

H. F. No. 84, A bill to change the name of Halsten Thorson to that of Halsten T. Bakke.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hill introduced—

H. F. No. 85, A bill to change the name of a certain child therein named.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Baxter L. L. introduced—

H. F. No. 86, A bill to fix the time for holding the general term of the District Court in the eight judicial district.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L. the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 86

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 83, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative, were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter, J., Baxter, L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juleson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson, A., Peterson, P. A., Plaisance, Porter, O. S., Porter, T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton, Thompson, J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 87, A bill to authorize the formation of Millers and Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Companies.

Also, H. F. No. 88, A bill to amend section 318, Chapter 34, General Statutes, 1878, relating to mutual insurance companies of other states.

Which were read the first time and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 89, A bill to relieve settlers upon the Fort Ripley Reservation.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public lands.

Mr. Kniss introduced—

H. F. No, 90, A bill to incorporate the village of Pipe Stone.

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Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Kniss the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 90

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 85, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Jeulson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Thompson J. Jr. introduced—

H. F. No. 91, A bill to amend an act to regulate fishing in Lake Minnetonka.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Thompson J. Jr., the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and referred to the Hennepin county delegation.

Mr. Kniss introduced—

H. F. No. 92, A bill to allow the trustees of the village of Worthington to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Collins introduced—

H. F. No. 93, A bill to amend section 62 of chapter 13 of the General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 94, A bill to authorize the county of Chippewa to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time and

On motion of Mr. Stone, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third time and put upon its final passage.

The qustion being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 82, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Potter O. S., Potter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Samp-

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son, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J: Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Ziesks and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 95, A bill for the protection of wool growers.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on agriculture and manufactures.

Mr. Hawkins introduced—

H. F. No. 96, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 83 of the laws of 1875, relating to town insurance companies.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 97, A bill to incorporate the village of Glyndon.

Which was read the first time, and ordered engrossed for the third reading.

Mr. Tharlson introduced—

H. F. No. 98, A bill relating to insurance against fire and lightning.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 99, A bill to amend section 3, of Chapter 211, of the special laws of 1878.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Chippewa County delegation.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 100, A bill relating to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Court of the City of St. Paul.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Wilson introduced—

H. F. No. 101, A bill to enable the Winona and St. Peter Railroad Company to purchase the property and franchises of certain other railroad companies.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 102, A bill to amend section 26 of chapter 62 of the general statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Stewart introduced—

H. F. No. 103, A bill to fix the boundaries of the village of Dundas.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Stewart, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 103, was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 84, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were,

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J. Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels. Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberg-

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er, Hicks, Hill Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J. Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Braly introduced—

H. F. No. 104, A bill to detach the county of Lincoln from the county of Lyon, and to organize the same for judicial purposes.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 105, A bill to amend section 21 of chapter 295 of the Special Laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 106, A bill to amend section 191 of title 10 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1879, relating to garnishments.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 107, A bill to incorporate the village of Murdock.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Stone the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 107

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 86, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 108, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Red Wood Falls.

Which was read the first time, and,

On motion of Mr. Braley, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 108

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas, 80, and nays none as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages was received from the Senate :

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted :

S. F. No. 28, A bill to prohibit the catching of fish in the creek running out of Lake Whipple, Pope county.

S. F. No. 29, A bill to change the name of Trenton, Big Stone county.

S. F. No. 45, A memorial to Congress in regard to the construction of reservoirs in aid of the navigation of the Mississippi river.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

S. F. No. 27, A bill to annul chapter 4 of the Special Laws of 1874, incorporating the village of Wilmar.

S. F. No. 31, A bill to authorize the Winona County Mining Company to engage in and carry on the business of quarrying and working and of manufacturing stone and brick.

Also, H. F. No. 30, A bill to change the name of the town of Chippewa in Douglas county, to that of Brandon.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 31, A bill to authorize the Winona county mining company to engage in and carry on the business of manufacturing of brick.

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sheardown the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 31, was read the second and third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas, 71, and nays, none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Baldwin, Baxter, J., Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juleson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmer, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter, O. S., Porter, T. C.,

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Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharlason, Thornton, Thompson, J. Jr., Thompson, J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 45, A memorial to Congress.

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the consideration of the memorial was made the special order for next Friday, at 10 A. M.

S. F. No. 27, A bill to amend chapter 4, of the Special Laws of 1874, incorporating the village of Wilmar:

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 29, A bill to change the name of Trenton, Big Stoue county.

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 16

Was read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 9, 37, 40, 43, 66, 71, 67 and 81

Were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. McCracken, the report of the committee on mileage was corrected so as to increase the mileage of Mr. Tone from 346 miles, to 364 miles.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the following resolution was taken from the table, and concurred in by the House :

Resolved, That a joint committee of five Senators and ten Representatives be appointed, to whom shall be referred all matters relating to the bonds of the State of Minnesota issued in aid of railroads, and that that part of the Governor's message touching this question be referred to the same committee, and that they be instructed to report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Gould offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted :

Resolved, That the Hall of the House of Representatives be and the same is hereby tendered to Miss Mathilda Fletcher, on Thursday evening, January 20th, 1881, for a lecture on industrial and moral training in the public schools, and that the members of the House and Senate be respectfully invited to be present.

On motion of Mr. Daniels the House adjourned.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

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TWELFTH DAY.

SAINT PAUL, Thursday, January 20, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Andrus, Comstock, Hoyt, Roberts, Sabin, Searles.

On motion of Mr. Flom, leave of absence was granted to Mr. Hoyt.

The clerk proceeded to read the journal of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Thompson J. Jr., the further reading of yesterday's journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made the Speaker stated that the journal stood approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Allen from the committee on Towns and Counties to whom was referred.

H. F. No. 47, A bill to incorporate the village of Hancock, Stearns county.

Also, H. F. No. 78, A bill authorizing the county of Benton to issue bonds for certain purposes therein mentioned.

Also, H F. No. 92, A bill to allow the trustees of the village of Worthington to issue bonds.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 44, A bill to change the term of office of township supervisors.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Collins, the report of the committee was amended so as to recommit the bill to the committee on judiciary.

Also, S. F. No. 27, A bill to amend chapter 4 of the Special Laws of 1874, incorporating the village of Wilmar.

Also, H. F. No. 59, A bill to incorporate the village of Ada in Polk county.

Also, S. F. No. 29, A bill to change the name of Trenton, Big Stone county.

Also, S. F. No. 28, A bill to prohibit the catching of fish in Lake Whipple, Pope county.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Colquhoun, from the committee on federal relations, to whom

A joint resolution, requesting Congress to fix the head of navigation on the Minnesota River, was referred, respectfully report the same back,

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recommending that the resolution be referred to committee of the whole.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 82, A bill to amend Section three (3) of Chapter nine (9), General Statutes of 1878, relating to removals by the Governor,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 52, A bill to detach the county of Pipe Stone from the county of Rock, and to organize the same for judicial purposes, and to provide for general terms of the District Court therein,

Reported the same back, with an amendment, and recommed that the bill do pass as amended.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 72, A bill to authorize the Judge of Probate of Dakota county, State of Minnesota, to decree the residue of the estate of the late John Peller, deceased,

Reported the same back with a substitute, recommending that the substitute do pass.

The substitute was read the first time, and,

On motion of Mr. Norrish. the rules were suspended, and,

H. F. No. 111, substitute for H. F. No. 72,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were, yeas 82, nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

The committee on finance to whom was referred,

H. F. No. 24, A bill appropriating money to pay for the repairs of the State Normal School at Mankato, report the committee has had the same under consideration, and find and report that the actual expenditures made in making said repairs are nine thousand six hundred and two and 75-100, and that the repairs were actually necessary to protect said property, and that the new roof is better and more expensive than the old roof, and have amended by adding to the fifth (5) line the words, "or so much thereof as may be necessary," and

Report the same back, and recommend that the bill do pass as amended.

The bill as amended was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Bookwalter from the delegation from Blue Earth county, to whom was referred.

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H. F. No. 55, A bill to regulate and limit the fees of the Sheriff of Blue Earth county for boarding prisoners.

Reported the same back, with substitute recommending that substitute be referred to the judiciary committee.

The report was adopted.

The delegation from Dakota county to whom was referred.

H. F. No. 109.

Respectfully report the same back, with recommendations that it do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Baxter L. L., offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be authorized to furnish all articles of stationery, blank books and articles for the use of its members and the several committees, that cannot be supplied by the Secretary of State.

Mr. Dunn offered the following amendment, which was lost:

Resolved, That the chief clerk be authorized to procure a proprr supply of lithograph letter heads and envelopes and blank books, for use of members, clerks and committees.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution offered by Mr. Baxter L. L., there were yeas 36, and nayes 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L, L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner ,Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Houhn, Hnlebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Stewart Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Kennedy and Wilson.

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. McCracken offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the speaker to inquire into and ascertain the number of officers actually and necessarily required by this House and also, as to the power of this House under the general laws of this State to increase the number of officers of this House beyond the number authorized by the general laws of this State, and report by bill or otherwise.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the resolution was referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hicks moved to reconsider the vote by which

S. F. No. 45, A memorial to Congress was made the special order for next Friday at 10 o'clock A. M.

Which motion prevailed, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks the consideration of said memorial was made the special order for next Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Cutts offered the following resolution which was adopted:

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Resolved, that the Speaker be authorized to appoint a special committee to whom shall be referred all bills, resolutions and petitions relating to the subject of temperance.

Mr. Sanborn moved that the House request the Senate to return to the House the following Senate joint resolution concurred in by the House on yesterday.

Resolved, That a joint committee of five Senators and ten Representatives be appointed, to whom shall be referred all matters relating to the bonds of the State of Minnesota issued in aid of railroads, and that that part of the Governor's message touching this question be referred to the same committee, and that they be instructed to report by bill or otherwise.

Which was lost.

On motion of Mr. Buckman, the following resolution was taken from the table:

Mr. Buckman offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on enrollment and engrossment each be allowed a clerk, and that said committees be, and are hereby, authorized to appoint the same whenever they may deem their services required, at a compensation not to exceed five dollars each per day.

Mr. Sabin moved to amend to include the railroad committee, and that the Speaker appoint such clerks.

Mr. Thornton moved to amend the amendment by adding, and to be paid from the time they are employed.

Which was accepted by Mr. Sabin.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the question was divided, and

The question was taken upon the appointment of the cleks by the Speaker.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The question recurring upon the amendment of Mr. Sabin to include the railroad committee,

The question being taken upon the adoption of the resolution as amended,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 62, and nays 22, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Caine; Callender, Churchill, Collins, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscomb, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlhiemer, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Potter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn; Wiley and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Colquhoun, Cutts, Graling, Hayes, Kennedy, Klossner, Loveland, McCracken, Norrish, Northness, Porter O. S., Rosebrock, Southard, Stedjee. Tharalson, Wagner, and Zieske.

The resolution as amended was adopted.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Braly introduced—

H. F. No. 112, A bill to change the boundaries of school district No. 3 of Yellow Medicine.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Also, H. F. No. 113, A bill to change the boundaries of school district No. 8 of Yellow Medicine county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Also, H. F. No. 114, A bill to legalize the organization of certain school district in Yellow Medicine county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 115, A bill to authorize the draining of a lake in Wright county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Rosebrock introduced—

H. F. No. 116, A bill to establish the rate of passenger fare on the railroads of the State of Minnesota.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee or railroads.

Mr. Collins introduced—

H. F. Fo. 117, A bill to amend chapter 16 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to intoxicating liquors.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hall introduced—

H. F. No. 118, A bill to amend section 17 of chapter 36, statutes of 1878, relating to education.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on education.

Also, H. F. No. 119, A bill to amend section 10, chapter 15, of the statutes of 1878, relating to relief of poor.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 120, A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 71 of the general statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Zieske introduced—

H. F. No. 121, A bill to appropriate money to pay Governor's guards for services.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 122, A bill to fix the salary of the Clerk of Probate of the county of Hennepin, and to prohibit his practicing in said court.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Hennepin county delegation.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

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H. F. No. 123, A bill for the appointment of phonographic reporter for the District Court of Hennepin county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Hennepin county delegation.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

H. F. No. 124, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Anoka.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Putnam the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Cornish introduced—

H. F. No. 125, A bill to legalize the acts of certain commissioners in establishing a certain State road from Fort Ridgley to Swede Grove.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

The Speaker announced the appointment of L. H. Bishop as clerk of the committee on public accounts and expenditures.

On motion of Mr. Geary the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

And was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted :

Resolved, That the use of the Hall of the House of Representatives is hereby tendered the Minnesota Editorial and Publishers' Association on the evening of Wednesday, January 26, 1881.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following committee clerks.

Clerk of Railroad Committee—Dr. J. Q. A. Vale, of Winona county;

Clerk of the Committee on Enrollment—N. Richardson, of Morrison county;

Clerk of Committee on Engrossment—E. P. Pierce, of Blue Earth county.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Armstrong introduced—

H. F. No. 127, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Martin county to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and,

On motion of Mr. Armstrong, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 127,

Was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 80, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Hill, Huhn,

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Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Kniss introduced—

H. F. No. 128, A bill to allow Pipe Stone county to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 129, A bill to repeal chapter 185 of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the service of summons in Ramsey county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 130, A bill to amend section 210 of title 13 of chapter 66 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to security when judgment is entered by default.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Baxter L. L. introduced—

H. F. No. 131, A bill to amend section 119 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to pleading.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 132, A bill to incorporate the village of Herman in Grant county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Allen introduced—

H. F. No. 133, A bill to amend section 44, chapter 11, General Statutes of 1878, relating to county boards of equalization.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has concurred in the resolution of the House, for the printing of 500 copies of the proceedings of the Board of Commissioners, appointed under the act of February 28, 1866, "For the eqitable adjustment of State Railroad Bonds."

And have concurred in the House amendment to the resolution relating to investigation of the destruction of the Insane Asylum, at St. Peter, with an amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested. Said amendment being the addition of the words, "By legislative committee," after the words. Such investigation not to relate to any case heretofore investigated.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files, herewith returned.

H. F. No. 83, A bill to incorporate the City of Ortonville, in the counties of Big Stone and Lac qui Parle, in the State of Minnesota.

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H. F. No. 86, A bill to fix the time for holding the general terms of the District Court, in the Eighth Judicial district.

H. F. No. 107, A bill to incorporate the village of Murdock.

H. F. No. 108, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Redwood Falls.

Also the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 32, A bill to amend section 5 of title 2, and section 7 of title 3 of chapter thirty-two, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to logs and lumber.

S. F. No. 30, A bill to provide for the removal of the county seat of Lincoln County, from the village of Marshfield to the village Lake Benton, in said county.

Also, That the Senate has concurred with the House in the resolution of thanks to the fire companies of Mankato and Saint Peter.

In the resolution for a committee of investigation of the charges of sectarianism preferred against the management of the State Normal School, at St. Cloud.

And in the resolution for a special committee on the location of a second State Prison.

Also, That the Senate has non-concurred in the House amendment to joint rule 19.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the vote by which the resolution offered by Mr. McCracken relative to the appointment of a committee to ascertain and report the number of officers actually and necessary required by this House to promptly transact the business of the same, and also as to the power of this House to increase by resolution the number of officers of the House to any greater number than is now authorized by the general laws of the State was lost, was reconsidereded, and the resolution was adopted, and

The Speaker appointed as such committee

Messrs. McCracken, Denny and Geary.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House concurred in the amendment of the Senate to the amendment of tbe House to the Senate resolution relating to the investigation of the cause of the destruction of the Insane Hospital at St. Peter

Mr. Hicks moved that the House insist upon its amendment to joint rule 19, and that a committee of conference be appointed to consist of three on the part of the House.

Which motion prevailed.

And the Speaker appointad as such committee,

Messrs. Hicks, Dunn and Graling.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

S. F. No. 30, A bill for the removal of the county seat of Lincoln county,

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 32, A bill to amend section 5 of title 2, of section 7 of title 3, of chapter 32, of General Statutes of 1878, relating to logs and lumber,

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

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SECOND READING OF THE SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 27, 28 and 29,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 78, 35, 110, 109, 92, 76, 52, 47, 59, 63 and 126,
Was read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 10,
Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 14, A bill to legalize the acts of the commissioners surveying and locating a State road from Fergus Falls in Otter Tail county, to Herman in Grant county.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 71 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Lovland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, VanHoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 32, A bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Nicollet county to issue bonds.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas, 72, and nays, none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs,

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Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hosen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F. No. 34, A bill to incorporate the village of White Bear, in the county of Ramsey, State of Minnesota.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Cutts, offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That the committee on Temperance authorized to be appointed by the Speaker, consist of five members, of whom Mr. Dunn shall be appointed chairman.

Mr. Hicks presented the itemized bills of expenses of cleaning and furnishing the House judiciary committee room, amounting to the sum of $36.08.

Which were referred to the committee on claims.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached, the House resolved itself into committee of the whole.

Mr. Geary in the chair.

After some time spent, the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration,

H, F. No. 21, A bill relating to independent school disstricts in Red Wood county.

H. F. No. 28, A bill relating to organized townships in Red Wood county.

H F. No. 34, A bill relating to Big Stone county.

H. F. No. 45, A bill to incorporate the village of Fisher.

H. F. No. 68, substitute for H. F. No. 71, A bill to remove the county seat of Grant county.

H. F. No. 20, A bill relating to incorporations.

H. F. No. 9, A bill to change the channel of Pelican River.

H. F. No. 37, A bill relating to school districts in McLeod County.

H. F. No. 40, A bill granting ferry privileges to Jno. Shelly.

H. F. No. 43, A bill relating to the Hastings Industrial Association.

H. F. No. 66, A bill to amend the charter of Lu Verne.

H. F. No. 67, A bill to amend the village charter of the village of Montevedia.

H. F. No. 71, A bill to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in the city of Northfield.

H. F. No. 81, A bill substitute for H. F. No. 51, relating to the organization of Stevens county.

S. F. No. 19, A bill relating to papers in the office of the clerk of the District court of Goodhue county.

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Which they report back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

H. F. No. 25, A bill relating to schools for idiots and imbeciles.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be placed at the head of general orders for Tuesday, Jan. 25th.

H. F. No. 33, A bill relating to special legislation.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be made the special order for next Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Daniels the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

THIRTEENTH DAY.

SAINT PAUL, Friday, January 21, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock, A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found absent:

Messrs. Cutts, Mott, Northness, Purrington, Putnam, Snure, Tharlason and Mr. Speaker.

Leave of Absence was granted to Messrs. Northnes, Roberts and Kohlmeir.

The Clerk read the journal of yesterday.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the journal stood apved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 4, A bill fr an act to prescribe the penalty of murder in the first degree.

Reported the same back, with a substitute recommending the substitute do pass.

The substitute was placed on file for second reading.

Also. H F. No. 120, A bill to amend section 4, of chapter 71, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the summoning of jurors.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

On Motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 120, A bill to amend section 4, of chapter 71, of the General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L, L., Boser, Braley, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gould,

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Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Also, H. F. No. 102, A bill to amend section 26 of chapter 62 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the security for the payment of alimony and other allowances in actions for divorce.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 100, A bill relating to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Court of the city of St. Paul, in relation of forcible entry and unlawful detention of lands or tenements.

Reported the same back, with amendments, recommending that the same pass as amended.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 64, A bill to amend sections 4, 9 and 10 of chapter 16 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to intoxicating liquors.

Also, H. F. No. 42, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 20 of the General Statutes of 1878, entitled an act for the preservation of game.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 115, A bill to authorize the draining of a lake in Wright county.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinately postponed.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 75, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Watertown.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Wilson offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Whereas, The State of Minnesota heretofore granted to several railroad companies of this State certain bonds to aid in the building of roads of said companies respectively; and whereas said bonds have on certain considerations been exempted from taxation until the same should be sold or contracted to be sold by said railroad companies, respectively; and whereas it is by law made the duty of said companies respectively to report to the State auditor every track or parcel of such lands sold or contracted, that the same might be taxed as lands or property of other persons in this State; and whereas it is reported and believed that certain of said railroad companies have parted with, contracted or sold the lands, or some of the lands granted to them, respectively as aforesaid, which sales they have failed or neglected to report as required by law as aforesaid. That hundreds of thousands of acres of such lands are held as the sole and exclusive property of divers and

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sundry private persons who have contracted for or purchased the same; and whereas it is represented and believed that the purchasers and owners of such lands so sold and unreported for taxation as aforesaid, have by certain subterfuges and devices attempted to hold, and have for some time succeeded in holding said lands exempt from taxation in violation of law and of manifest justice, and to the great detriment of the State and of other residents and tax-payers of the State;

Therefore be it resolved, That a committee of three members of this House be appointed to investigate and report at as early a day as practicable to this House whether any lands granted by this State as aforesaid to aid in the building of any lines of railroads have been or are held exempt from taxation after the same have been sold or contracted to be sold, or after they have become the private property of any person or persons, natural or artificiel, other than the railroad companies to which they were granted as aforesaid; or whether by any device or subterfuge any of said lands are held exempt from taxation in violation of the law aforesaid, which declares that they shall be taxable and taxed after they have been sold, or contracted to be sold by the said railroad companies, respectively: that said committee shall have the power to send for persons and papers; to examine and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of any documentary evidence touching the questions concerning which the committee is authorized to inquire and report.

That said committee may sit either within or without this State; that it may employ a stenographer to write down and report the testimony taken by said committee.

That said committee report to this House the facts and what, if any, legislation may in its judgement be necessary in the premises; and whether any railroad company is, or has been, aiding or assisting the owner or owners, purchaser or purchasers of said lands to hold the same exempt or free from taxation, and if so what, if any, action on part of the legislative or any officer of the State is necessary or proper to prevent or punish such action on part of said railroad companies.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Smith introduced—

H. F. No. 136, A bill to amend title of 1 chapter 34 relating to corporations.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on railroads.

Mr. Hoyt introduced—

H. F. No. 137, A bill to authorize the Board of Education of the Red Wing School District to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hoyt, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 137 was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Boser, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Lewis, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter

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T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, VanHoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Boser introduced—

H. F. No. 138, A bill to change the name of a person named therein.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 139, A bill to amend section 6 chapter 37, of the general laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

Mr. Hoyt introduced—

H. F. No. 140, A bill relating to the salaries of District Judges.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committe on judiciary.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 141, A bill to amend the charter of the St. Paul Gas Light Company.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Searles introduced—

H. F. No. 142, A bill to codify the several acts incorporating the village of Farmington.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Dakota county delegation.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 143, A bill to incorporate the village of Appleton.

Which was read the first time and referred to Mr. Stone.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 144, A bill to authorize independent school district No. 1, in Redwood county, to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Braley, the rules were suspended and,

H. F. No. 144 was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Callender, Churchill, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Porter, O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Daniels, gave notice of a motion to reconsider the vote by which,

H. F. No. 144, was passed.

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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Norrish offered the following resolution :

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that a committee of five on the part of the House, and three on the part of the Senate, be appointed to whom shall be referred, all that part of the report made by the farmers board of trade relating to the appointment of an inspector by the State, for the grading of wheat in this State, and be requested to report on the same by bill or otherwise.

On motion of Mr. Kennedy, the resolution was adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No. 145, A bill relating to the St. Louis River Boom Association in St. Louis county,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 146, A bill to legalize and confirm certain conveyances heretofore made and preceedings had thereunder, relating to partnerships.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Donahue introduced—

H. F. No. 147, A bill authorizing each town in Sibley county to support its own poor.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Sibley county delegation.

Mr. Wiley introduced—

H. F. No. 148, A bill to amend an act to secure proper commitments to the State Reform School, approved February 26, 1872.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Gould introduced—

H. F. No. 149, A bill to introduce industrial expositions into the public schools of this State.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 150, A bill to introdue moral and social science into the public schools of this State.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Rice introduced—

H. F. No. 151, A bill to amend section 2, chapter 50 of the General Laws of 1878, relating to the compensation and fees of county officers and clerk hire of the same.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Baker introduced—

H. F. No. 152, A bill relating to the catching of fish in Le Sueur Lake.

Which was read the first time, and,

On motion of Mr. Baker, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 152,

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Was read the second time.

H. F. No. 152, A bill relating to the catching of fish in Le Sueur Lake,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hill, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

Mr. Wiley introduced—

H. F. No. 153, A bill to appropriate money for the purchase of books for the Minnesota State Reform School.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed

S. F. No. 40, A bill to amend section 34 of chapter 94 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to t e punishment of manslaughter in the fourth degree.

Also, S. F. No. 51, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 104 Special Laws of 1879, relating to a school district in Olmsted county herewith transmitted:

Also, S. F. No. 53, A bill for the protection of fish in Lake Hanska.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

S. F. No. 40, A bill to amend section 34 of chapter 94 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to punishment of manslaughter in the fourth degree.

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 53, A bill for the protection of fish in lake Hanska.

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 51, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 104 of Special Laws of 1879, relating to a school district in Olmsted county.

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Daniels, the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 51—

Was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gard-

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ner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak. Ives, Juelson. Klossner, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Portert, O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 135, 102, 100, 64, 42 and 75,
Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 16, A bill to authorize the Clerk of the District Court, of Goodhue county to record certain papers in his office

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks. Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juleson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 21, A bill to reduce the boundaries of independent school district No. 1, Redwood county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amunson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield Caine, Callender, Child, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Donahue. Dunn, Flom. Geary, Gould, Hanscomb, Hawkins, Henry G. H, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Redding Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thomson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether Wagner, Washburn; Wilson and Zierke.

So the bill was passed and the title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 28, A bill to legalize and confirm the organization of all organized towns in Red Wood county.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A. Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 34, A bill to provide for the organization of Big Stone county.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L Boser, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Denny, Donahue, Dunn Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A, Plaisance, PorterT. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 43, A bill to authorize the Hastings Union Industrial Association to distribute surplus funds.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 80, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 66, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Lu Verne.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays, none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 68, A bill to remove the county seat of Grant county.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Braley, Burger, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 81, Substitute for H. F. No. 51, A bill to declare the county of Stevens to be an organized county, and to declare legal the official acts of the county commissioner, and other county officers of said county.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 80, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

MR SPEAKER:—I have to announce that Senators Morrison, Hinds and

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Castle, have been appointed a conference committee on the part of the Senate upon the disagreement regarding the apportionment committees.

Also, that the Senate has concurred in the House resolution for a committee to which shall be referred the report of the Farmers' Board of Trade, in relation to the appointment of an inspector by the State for the grading of wheat, and that Senators Rice, Pillsbury and Powers, are such committee on the part of the Senate.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Having been reached the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Allen in the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 35, Relating to indictments.
H. F. No. 47, Hancock, Stevens county.
H. F. No. 52, Pipestone county.
H. F. No. 59, Village of Ada, Polk county.
H. F. No. 63, Canvassing votes, State officers.
H. F. No 76, Offenses against public health.
H. F. No. 78, Bonds, Benton county.
H. F. No. 82, Bonds, Worthington.
H. F. No. 109, Hastings bonds.
S. F. No. 27, Village of Wilmar.
S. F. No. 28, Fish in Lake Whipple.
S. F. No. 29, Trenton, Big Stone county.

Which they report back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

H. F. No. 29, A bill in relation to usury,

Upon which they report progress and ask leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Daniels the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

Mr. Baxter L. L., moved that when the House adjourn it adjourn until next Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Burger moved to amend to adjourn until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Which was lost.

The question recurring upon the motion of Mr. Baxter, that when the House adjourn it adjourn until next Monday evening, at 8 o'clock,

The motion prevailed.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from His Excellency the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
ST. PAUL, January 21, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have posited the same in the office of the Secretary of State, to-wit:

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H. F. No. 1, Entitled "An act to change the name of Big Stone Lake and Lake Traverse Internal Improvement and Transportation Company, to that of the Big Stone Lake Navigation Company."

H. F. No. 18, Entitled, "An act to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue certificates of indebtedness.

Very respectfully,
J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Baxter, L. L., the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

FOURTEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Monday, January 24, 1881.

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent: Messrs. Baxter J., Caine, Denby, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Herberger, Huhn, Northness, Roberts, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Tharalson and Wilson.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Caine.

The clerk read the journal of last Friday.

On motion of Mr. Burger, the further reading of the journal was dispensed with.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred H. F. No. 93, A bill to amend section 62 of chapter 13 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to roads, cartways and bridges.

Also, H. F. No. 140, A bill relating to salary of district judges.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

And they were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 119, A bill to amend section 10, chapter 15, Statutes of 1878, relating to relief of poor.

Reported the same back with amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 129, A bill to repeal chapter 185 of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the service of summons in Ramsey county.

Also, H. F. No. 130, A bill to amend section 210 of title 13 of chapter 66 of General Statutes of 1878, relative to security when judgment is entered by default.

Also, H. F. No. 104, A bill to detach the county of Lincoln from the county of Lyon, and to organize the same for judicial purposes and to provide for a general term of the District Court therein.

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Also, H. F. No. 117, A bill to amend chapter 16 of the General Statutes of 1878 relating to intoxicating liquors.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass,

And they were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 110, A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 70 the General Statutes of 1878 relating to fees of sheriffs.

Reported the same back with an amendment recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Daniels from the committee on finance to whom was referred

H. F. No. 121, A bill to appropriate money to pay "Governor Guards" for services.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sabin from the committee on railroads to whom was referred

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Searles from the Dakota county delegatioton whom was referred

H. F. No. 142.

Report that they have had the same under consideration, and herewith report the same with the recommendation that the same do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Hicks from the committee of conference to whom was referred

The Joint Resolution relating to the appointment of a joint committee upon apportionment.

Report that after conference duly held, your committee recommend that the House recede from its amendment to said resolution and amend the original resolution by the adoption of the following substitute:

Resolved, By the Senate, the House concurring, that there be two joint committees appointed as follows:

"Five on the part of the Senate and ten on the part of the House on Congressional Districts; and seven on the part of the Senate and fourteen on the part of the House upon apportionment and legislative districts.

The report was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared

H. F. Nos. 9, 24, 26, 37, 52, 71 and 92,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. Daniels the vote by which

H.F. No. 144 was passed, was reconsidered, and the bill was recommitted to Mr. Daniels for amendment.

Mr. Dunn gave notice of a motion to reconsider the vote by which the resolution offered by Mr. Wilson on last Friday, relative to the appointment of a committee to investigate and report as to whether or not lands granted to railroads are held exempt from taxation after the same have been sold, &c., was adopted.

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Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 154, A bill to establish the office of district attorney in and for the 12th judicial district, and to define the duties of such district attorney.

Which was read the first time and referred to Mr. Stone.

Mr. Baxter L. L., introduced—

H. F. No. 155, A bill to amend section 128 of chapter 11, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to taxes.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Thompson J. Jr., introduced—

H. F. No. 156, A bill to amend chapter 157, of the special laws of 1878, relating to the government of free schools in the city of Minneapolis.

Which was read the first time, and on motion of Mr. Thompson J. Jr., the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 156, was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwaltor, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Deniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juleson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

The judiciary committee introduced—

H. F. No. 157, A bill to amend chapter 100, relative to offenses against chastity, morality and decency.

Which was read the first time and placed on file for its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the vote by which the report of committee of conference was adopted, was reconsidered.

And the report was amended, so as to increase the number of each of the joint committees named in said report, to seven on the part of the Senate and fourteen on the part of the House.

And the report of the committee as amended was adopted.

Mr. Klossner introduced—

H. F. No. 158, A bill to amend section 13, chapter 10 of the Revised Statutes of 1866, relating to the election of township officers.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties

Mr. Hoyt introduced—

H. F. No. 159, A bill relating to savings banks.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on banks.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

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H. F. No. 160, A bill to provide for the laying out and establishing certain roads in Ramsey county.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 161, A bill to authorize Theodore Casper to build a mill dam across Skunk river, in Morrison county.

Which was read the first time and refered to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Dodge introduced—

H. F. No. 162, A bill to prevent the catching, taking and destroying of fish in Lake Elysian.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiary.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate.

Mr. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed Senate File No. 55, herewith transmitted.

S. F. No. 55, A bill to fix the compensation of the County Commissioners of Dakota county.

Also the following House files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 14, A bill to legalize the acts of commissioners surveying and locating a State road from Fergus Falls, in Otter Tail county, to Herman, in Grant county.

H. F. No. 32, A bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Nicollet county to issue bonds.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of Senate.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 55, A bill to fix the compensation of the County Commissioners of Dakota county.

Was read the first time, and referred to the Dakota county delegation.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 104, 157, 121, 93, 140, 119, 130, 117, 8, 82, 70, 129, 142 and 110

Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 27, A bill to amend chapter 4 of the special laws of 1874.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Churchill, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter G. S., Porter T. C., Post,

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Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 29, A bill to change the name of Trenton in the county of Big Stone to Otry.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S. F. No. 28, A bill to prohibit the catching of fish in the creek running out of Lake Whipple,

Was read third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J Jr. Thompson J., Tone, Van Hosen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

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FIFTEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL. Tuesday, January 25, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Bookwalter, Caine, Dean, Denby, Graling, Kneeland, Lewis, Northness, Sanborn, and Wilson.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Sanborn, Wilson, Bookwalter, Kendall, Denby and Lewis

The clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Mott, the further reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated the Journal stood approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 79, A bill to define the boundaries of Traverse county and to provide for its organization,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Washburn the rules were suspended and

H. F. No. 79, A bill to define the boundaries of Traverse county and to provide for its organization,

Was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 18, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were--

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kueeland Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedje, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 112, A bill to change the boundaries of school district No. 3, Yellow Medicine county,

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Also, H. F. No. 113, A bill to change the boundaries of school district No. 8. Yellow Medicine county,

Also, H. F. No. 132, A bill to incorporate the village of Herman, Grant county.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 149, A bill to introduce social science in the public schools of this State.

Reported the same back, without recommendation.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 149, A bill for industrial education.

Reported the same back without recommendation.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES:

Mr. Donahue, from the delegation from Sibley county, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 147, A bill authorizing and requiring each town in Sibley county to support its own poor,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill pas placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Stone, from the Special committee, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 143, A bill to incorporate the village of Appleton.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Cutts moved to reconsider the vote by which

H. F. No. 115, A bill relating to draining a lake in Wright county,

Was indefinitely postponed.

The motion prevailed, and the bill was placed on file for the second reading.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the vote by which the resolution offered by Mr. Wilson relative to the exemption from taxation of railroad lands was reconsidered, and the same was amended by striking out the word three, in the second clause of said resolution, and inserting the word five in lieu thereof.

And the resolution as amended was adopted.

Mr. Daniels offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the use of the hall of the House of Representatives be granted to the State Forestry Association Tuesday evening, January 23, 1881.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Smith introduced—

H. F. No. 463, A bill relating to sales of real estate by executors administrators and guardians,

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Smith introduced—

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H. F. No. 164, A bill to legalize a deed of conveyance acknowledged before Geo. Blygh Bowen, commissioner of police and magistrate,

Which was read the first time, and,

On motion of Mr. Smith, the rules were suspended and

H. F. No. 164

Was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Peterson A. Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, VanHoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the Journal of yesterday was corrected, so that he was recorded as not having voted for

H. F. No. 156.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., the vote by which

H. F. No. 156, was passed, was reconsidered.

And the bill was recommitted to the Hennepin county delegation.

Mr. Tharalson introduced—

H. F. No. 165, A bill to amend an act to promote immigration, approved March 7th, 1879.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committe on immigration.

Mr. Klossner introduced—

H. F. No. 166, A bill to amend section 105 of chapter 1, of the General Statutes, approved March 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

Mr. Griggs introduced—

H. F. No. 167, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to purchase the franchises and property of the St. Paul Water Company, &c.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Also, H. F. No. 168, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue bonds for the repair or rebuilding of certain bridges and approaches, and the opening of a street.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Sampson introduced—

H. F. No. 169, A bill to provide for a change of the county lines of the counties of Polk and Marshall.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Also, H. F. No. 170, A bill to authorize a division of the county of Polk, and the organization of a new county, &c.

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Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Rice introduced—

H. F. No. 171, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Watonwan county to levy a tax for certain purpose.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 172, A bill to authorize the town of Detroit to issue bonds to fund its debt.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Also, H. F. No. 173, A joint resolution requesting Congress to appropriate money for the improvement of navigation on Red River.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock the rules were suspended, and

The joint resolution was read the second and third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill there were yeas 68, and nays none os follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter L. L., Braley, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the joint resolution was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 174, A bill to change the place of trial.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kniss introduced—

H. F. No. 175, A bill to amend section 6, of chapter 120, of Laws of 1877, as amended by section 2, chapter 50, General Laws 1878.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Donahue introduced—

H. F. No. 176, A bill relating to the indexes of books "A" and "B," of record of deeds in Sibley county.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kidder introduced—

H. F. No. 177, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Claremont in Dodge county,

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Smith introduced—

H. F. No. 178, A bill to provide for the appointment of commissioners under section 14 of chapter 34 of the general statutes and chapters 35 and 80 of the general laws of 1879,

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Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, January 24, 1881.

MR. SPEARER:—I am directed to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 33, A bill to incorporate the village of Pine City in Pine county.

S. F. No. 12, A bill to legalize the organization of the town of Clontarf in the county of Swift, and all acts of the officers of said town under said organization.

S. F. No. 36, A bill providing for the removal of certain records from the town clerk's office in the town of Norway Lake in Kandiyohi county.

S. F. No. 41, A bill to complete the organization of Wadena county.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 25, 1871.

MR. SPEAKER:—I am directed to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 65, A bill to incorporate the village of De Graff, in the county of Swift.

S. F. Vo. 8, A bill to legalize the acts of Allen D. Ferris, guardian of Emma E. Sherwin, Minnie M. Sherwin and Charles Sherwin, deceased, and Harvey W. Brookins, guardian of John J. Sherwin, Etta May Sherwin and Edward H. Sherwin, minor heirs at law of John E. Sherwin, deceased, in making sale of certain real estate belonging to said minors.

S. F. No. 39. A bill to incorporate the village of Perham, in the county of Otter Tail.

Also the following House Files, herewith returned:

H. F. No. 94, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of the county of Chippewa to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 103, A bill to fix the boundaries of Dundas, Rice county.

The Senate has also concurred in the House amendment to the resolution regarding joint committees on apportionment.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 39, A bill to incorporate the village of Perham, in th county of Otter Tail.

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 8, A bill to legaliae the acts of Allen D. Ferris, guardian of Emma A. Sherwin et als., minors,

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Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 65, A bill to incorporate the village of DeGraff, in the county of Swift.

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 33, A bill to incorporate the village of Pine City, in Pine county.

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 36, A bill to provide for the removal of certain records from the town clerk's office of the town of Norway Lake, in Kandiyohi county,

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 11, A bill to legalize the organization of the town of Clontarf, in the county of Swift,

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 41, A bill to complete the organization of Wadena,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 112, 113, 132, 147, 150, 149, 115 and 143,

Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 9, A bill to permit certain persons to cut and maintain a channel from Floyd Lake to the Pelican River, in Becker county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A, Peterson P. A, Plaisance, Porter O. S, Porter T. C, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske, Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 20, A bill relating to foreign corporations.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Braley. Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels,

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Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger. Hicks, Hill, Ives, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 24, A bill appropriating money to pay for repairs of the State Normal School at Mankato,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were--

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Chnrchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Lovland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 26, A bill (substitute for H. F. No. 6), A bill for the protection of the dairy interest, and for the punishment thereof,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson. Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmeier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks,

H. F. No. 29, A bill relating to money and usury,

Was placed on general orders.

H. F. No. 35, A bill to amend section 607, of chapter 107 of Young's General Statutes of 1878, relating to indictments,

Was, on motion of Mr. Dunn, referred to Mr. Dunn for amendment.

H. F. No. 37, A bill to detach certain territory from independent school district No. 1, in McLeod county, and attach the same to school district No. 28, in said county.

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Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there yeas 78, nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, VanHoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 47, A bill to incorporate the village of Hancock, Stevens county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 76 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus. Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts. Daniels, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy. Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmeier, Lewis. Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 52, A bill to detatch Pipe Stone county from Rock county for judicial purposes,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker. Baldwin, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts. Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hoyt, Ives, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gould, the House took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

The Speaker announced the order of business to be the consideration of

S. F. No. 45, A memorial to Congress, made the special order for this hour.

Mr. Smith offered an amendment to the memorial, as follows:

Amend by striking out of the memorial after the word "consumers," and insert in lieu thereof the following, to-wit:

Your memorialists further most respectfully represent that the reservoir system is of doubtful expediency and should only be considered at most as one of several factors necessary to solve the navigation question, and that the continued construction of wing dams and deepening the channel by dredging are essential to improvement in navigation, and that those methods, known and tried, should not be abandoned for the reservoir system; and if any one of these factors has to be abandoned for the want of a proper appropriation it should not be that of the wing dams and dredging. And your memorialists further respectfully represent that the vast deposits of sawdust, sidings and slabs in the Mississippi river by the manufacture of lumber must be prohibited before any permanent improvement of the upper Mississippi can be secured by any methods whatsoever. Therefore we most respectfully and earnestly request that you make such appropriation as may be necessary for the speedy improvement of the navigation of the upper Mississippi, under the direction of the War Department.

Mr. Wilson offered the following amendment to the amendment—

Therefore, we would most respectfully and earnestly request, that you make such appropriations as may be necessary for the speedy construction, under the direction of the War Department, of one such experimental dam or reservoir on the head waters of the Mississippi river proper as may practically show the utility or inutility of such reservoir, Provided always, that neither for the purpose aforesaid, or otherwise, should there be any abatement of the efforts of the Government to improve the now navigable portion of the river by wing-dams and otherwise, or any subtraction of the funds necessary for the continued improvement of the now navigable portion of the river by such wing-dams or otherwise as aforesaid.

The question being taken on the amendment to the amendment.

It was lost.

The question recurring upon the amendment to the memorial, and the yeas and nays being called for and ordered.

There were yeas 33, and nays 57, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Bohland. Braley, Butterfield, Callender, Daniels, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juleson, Kennedy, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndres, McCrachen, Peterson P.A., Purrington, Redding, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Tone. Tether and Van Hoesen.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Buckman, Burger, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Mcore, Mott,

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McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Resenbrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the amendment was lost.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and,

S. F. No, 45, the memorial under consideration,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the memorial, there were yeas 64, and nays 14, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnel, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Butterfield, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kennedy, Peterson P. A., Redding, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Tone and Tether.

So the memorial was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Smith changed his vote from no to yes, for the purpose of a motion to reconsider.

Mr. Hicks moved to reconsider the vote by which

S. F. No. 45 was passed.

Which was lost.

On motion of Mr. Redding the House adjourned.

JNO. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives

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SIXTEENTH DAY.

SAINT PAUL, Wedneesday, January 26, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Hanscom and Sanborn.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Hanscomb.

On motion, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Kniss, from the committee on banking, to whom was referred
H. F. No. 159, A bill relating to savings banks,
Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.
Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
H. F. No. 163, A bill to amend sections 9, 18, 40 and 51 of chapter 57, General Statutes 1878, relating to sales of lands by executors, administrators and guardians,
Also H. F. No. 177. A bill to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Claremont, Dodge county.
Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.
The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Dunn, from the special committee to whom was referred
H. F. No. 35,
Report the same back with amendment as follows: Amend title so as to read, A bill to amend section sixty of chapter 107 of the General Statutes of 1878.
"Amend section 1 of the bill by inserting before the word "whereas" the following, That section 60 of chapter 107 of the General Statutes of 1878 be amended so as to read as follows:"
Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its third reading.
Mr. Stone, from the special committee to whom was referred

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H. F. No. 99, A bill to amend section three of chapter 211, Special Laws 1878,

Reported the same back, recommending that the same do pass.

On motion of Mr. Stone the rules were suspended and

H. F. No. 99 was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 83, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure. Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thomson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and the title agreed to.

Mr. Stone from the special committee of the delegation from the twelfth judicial district, being Messrs. Braley, Comstock, Linnell, Sampson, Stone and Washburn, to whom was referred,

H. F. No. 154, A bill to establish the office of district attorney for the twelfth judicial district.

Reported the same back, unanimously recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman, reports that he has compared,
H. F. Nos. 2, 40, 63, 67, 124 and 45.

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

Mr. Dunn, presented, claims of the Sergeant-at-Arms, furniture and fixtures under resolution and orders of the House and committees.

And moved that they be referred to the committee on claims with instruction to report at an early day.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENTAE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, January 25, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed

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H. F. No. 137, A bill to authorize the Board of Education of the Red Wing School District, to issue bonds.

Which is herewith returned.

S. P. JENNISON,

Secretary of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Wilson introduced—

H. F. No. 179, A bill to repeal section 2 of chapter 309, of Special Laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Winona county delegation.

Mr. Donohue introduced—

H. F. No. 180, A bill to amend section 22 of title 3, chapter 35, Revised Statutes.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 181, A bill to amend section 151, chapter 8, Revised Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kniss introduced—

H. F. No. 182, A bill to incorporate the village of Adrian.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

Mr. Collins introduced—

H. F. No. 183, A bill to prevent the use of language calculated to cause a breach of the peace.

Which was read the first time, and refered to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Stedjee introduced—

H. F. No. 184, A bill declaring certain acts a misdemeanor.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 185, A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Redwood to construct a bridge.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads, bridges and navigable streams.

Mr. Rice introduced—

H. F. No. 186, A bill to change the name of Mathias Olson.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiary.

Mr. Armstrong introduced—

H. F. No. 187, A bill to appropriate five hundred dollars to the State Dairymans' Association.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture and manufactories.

Mr. Graling introduced—

H. F. No. 188, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Spring Valley, in the county of Fillmore.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

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Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 189, A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Chippewa in building a bridge across the Chippewa river.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads, bridges and navigable streams.

Mr. Zieske introduced—

H. F. No. 190, A bill to change the name of the village of Loreno to Sleepy Eye Lake.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

Mr. Flom introduced—

H. F. No. 191, A bill relating to public schools, in the village of Cannon Falls,

Which was read the first time and

On Motion of Mr. Hoyt, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 191,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Daniels, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Searles gave notice of a motion to reconsider the vote by which H. F. No. 191 was passed.

Mr. Boser introduced—

H. F. No. 192, A bill to declare the policy of this State touching certain insurance contracts.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Hill introduced—

H. F. No. 193, A bill relating to the disbursement of moneys by the treasurer of Goodhue county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 194, A bill to change the name of Rebecca F. Brayton.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 195, A bill to prohibit cattle and other domestic animals from running at large in the town of Toming in the county of Swift.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Swift county delegation.

Mr. Baxter L. L., introduced—

H. F. No. 19, A bill to authorize the town of Chaska, to issue bonds for the construction of a bridge across the Minnesota river.

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Which was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Baxter L. L.

Mr. Kneeland introduced—

H. F. No. 197, A bill to change the boundaries of independent school district No. 28, in the county of Dodge.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Denny introduced—

H. F. No. 198, A bill to provide for inspection of steam boilers, and licensing steam-engineers in Minnesota.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Baxter L. L., introduced—

H. F. No. 199, A bill to amend section 13, chapter 65, of General Laws of 1878, relating to justice courts.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Dunn, introduced—

H. F. No. 200, A bill in relation to the use of school houses in common school districts.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 163, 154, 159 and 177
Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 35, A bill to amend section 60 of chapter 107 of the General Statues of 1878, relating to indictments,

Was read the third time, with an amendment, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juleson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill as amended was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 71, A bill to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in the city of Northfield, in Rice county,

Was read third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks,

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Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 76, A bill to amend an act entitled offences against the public health,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cutts Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Herberger, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmer, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O., S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hosen, Wagner, Washburn and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 78, A bill to authorize the county of Benton to issue bonds for certain purposes therein mentioned,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thomson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 92, A bill to allow the trustees of the village of Worthington to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice,

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Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard. Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn. Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 109, A bill authorizing the city of Hastings to issue bonds.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCrackén, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 2, A bill to amend section 6, chapter 84, of the General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, G. H., Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmeir, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Mc Master, Northness, Peterson P. A, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 40, A bill granting ferry privilege to John Shelly across Red river, in Polk county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchlll, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Hall, Hawkins, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 45, A bill to incorporate the village of Fisher.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Daniels, Denny, Dunn, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Linnell, Lovland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 63, A bill to amend sections 19 and 20 of chapter 1, of General Statutes, revision of 1866, relating the canvassing of votes for State officers,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmeir, Lewis, Linnel, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Ploisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 67, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Montevidio."

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance. Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

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The speaker announced the appointment of the following joint committees :

On apportionment and legislative districts.

Messrs. Comstock, Denny, Sabin, Geary, Hicks, Collins, Sanborn, Allen, Rice, Porter O. S., Searles, Bookwalter, Graling and Callender.

To investigate the charges of sectarianism professed against the normal school at St. Cloud :

Messrs. Searles, Wilson and Denny.

On the location of a second State Prison:

Messrs. Hoyt, Moore, Kneeland, Thompson J. Jr. and Griggs.

On matters relating to the bonds of the State of Minnesota issued in aid of railroads:

Messrs. Daniels, Kniss, Huhn, Sabin, Dunn, Baldwin, Baxter L. L.. Smith, McCracken and Donahue.

On legislative apportionment:

Messrs. Comstock, Ives, Kniss, Stewart, Van Hoesen, Stone, Hayes, Braley, Churchill, Colquhoun, Wiley, Armstrong, McAndrews and Gardner.

On report of the Farmers' Board of Trade, relating to the appointment of an inspector of wheat:

Messrs. Norrish, Kniss, Ives, Geary and Caine.

House committees on taxation of lands granted by the State to aid in building railroads:

Messrs. Wilson, Dunn, Comstock, Collins and Smith.

On temperance:

Messrs. Dunn Putnam, Huhn, Sanborn, and Norrish.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached, the House resolved itself into committee of the whole,

Mr. McCracken in the chair.

After some time spent thereon the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration

S. F. No. 25, Relating to schools for Idiots and Imbeciles.

H. F. No. 75, Relating to the village of Watertown.

H. F. No. 142, Relating to the village of Farmington.

H. F. No. 42, Relating to the preservation of game.

Which they report back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

H. F. No. 100, Relating to municipal courts.

H. F. No. 126, Relating to navigation of the Minnesota River.

Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the consideration of

H. F. No. 33, Was made the special order for 4:30 o'clock this afternoon.

On motion of Mr. Daniels the House took a recess until 3 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 3 o'clock and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

The House again went into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Sheardown in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 102, in relation to alimony.

H. F. No. 70, relating to education.

H. F. No. 8, relating to the Minnesota Western Railway.

H. F. No. 82, relating to removals by the Governor.

H. F. No. 110, relating to the fees of sheriffs.

H. F. No. 104, relating to Lincoln county.

H. F. No. 121, relating to Governor's Guards.

H. F. No. 130, relating to judgment by default.

H. F. No. 157, relating to chastity, morality, &c.

H. F. No. 112, In relation to school district in Yellow Medicine county.

H. F. No. 113, Relating to change of school district in Yellow Medicine county.

H. F. No. 132, Relating to the incorporation of the village of Herman.

H. F. No. 143, To incorporate the village of Appleton.

H. F. No. 147, Relating to the support of poor in Sibley county.

Which they report back with the recommendation that they do pass.

H. F. No. 64, Relating to sale of intoxicating liquors.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be referred to Mr. Wilson for amendment.

H. No. 129, Relating to ervice of summons in Ramsey county.

H. F. No. 29, Relating to interest on money.

H. F. No. 135, Relating to death penalty for murder.

H. F. 114, Draining lake in Wright county.

H. F. No. 149, Relating to industrial exposition in public schools.

H. F. 150, Relating to social science in public schools.

Upon which they report progress, and ask to sit again.

H. F. No. 29, Relating to interest on money.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be indefinitely postponed.

Mr McCracken moved to except from the report of the committee

H. F. No. 29.

And the yeas and nays being called for and ordered, there were yeas 48 and nays 33, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland. Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun. Dean, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland. Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Schmidt, Southard, Stedjee: Thornton, Thompson J , Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Child, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kidder, Kniss, Mott, Norrish, Porter O. S., Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

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So the bill was excepted from the report of the committee.
The report of the committee of the whole, except as to
H. F. No 29,
Was adopted.
On motion of Mr. Hicks the consideration of
H. F. No. 33,
Was made the special order for tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.
On motion of Mr. Rice the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

SEVENTEENTH DAY.

SAINT PAUL, Thrsday, January 27, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock, A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Praryer by the chaplain.

The roll being called, the tollowing members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Bookwalter, Braley. Denby, Dodge, Gardner, Geary, Hanscom, Kendall, Kneeland, Porter O. S., Post, Sanborn and Sheardown.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Dodge, Geary, Sheardown, Porter O. S., Kneeland, Bookwalter, Braley and Gardner.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS

By Mr. Sabin:

To the Honorable the House of Representatives of the State of Mimnesota, greeting:

The undersigned respectfully petition your honorable body, make the following satement:

That in the year 1874, we were charged and subsequently convicted of the murder of Ulrick A. Lick, and sentenced to a life imprisonment in the State Prison at Stillwater. We were convicted upon the testimonial evidence of Joseph Lick, the husband of the murdered woman, of which murder we solemnly declare our innocence, believing that no one had, or could have, any motive to commit the crime, but the complaining witness himself. We were tried at a time of great public excitement,, for which reason, we are persuaded, there was not a fair and impartial hearing, hence our conviction. Having, we believe, no other source of redress than to petition your honorable body, in the name of common justice that you memoralize the Executive in our behalf to the end that we receive a pardon, or take such other and further action for our relief as you, in your legislative capacity, may deem expedient.

Respectfully,

GREGOR LAUTENSCHLAGER,
FRANZ RAPP,
SOPHY RAPP.

Which was, on motion, referred to the committe on judiciary.

Mr. Van Hoesen presented a petition on the subject of temperance, and together with others on the same subject,

Was referred to Mr. Dunn of the special committee on temperance.

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REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 73, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 39, General Laws 1879, relating to bounties on wolves,

Reported the same back with substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 125, A bill to legalize the acts of certain commissioners in establishing a certain State road,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Also, S. F. No. 39, A bill to incorporate the village of Perham, in the county of Otter Tail,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Also, S. F. No. 65, A bill to incorporate the village of De Graff, in the county of Swift,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Also, S. F. No. 12, A bill to legalize the organization of the town of Clontarf, in the county of Swift, and all the acts of the officers of said town,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Also S. F. No. 36, A bill providing for the removal of certain records from the town clerk's office, of the town of Norway Lake, in Kandiyohi county.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Also, H. F. No. 171, A bill to authorize the commissioners of Watonwan county to levy tax for certain purposes,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Also, H. F. No. 172, A bill to authorize the town of Detroit to issue bonds to fund its debt,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Also, S. F. No. 33, A bill to incorporate the village of Pine City, in Pine county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared

H. F. Nos. 59 and 97,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 101, A bill to enable the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Co. to purchase the property and franchise of certain other railroad companies,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Mr. Van Hoesen, from the committee on insurance, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 96, A bill to amend sec. 1, chap. 83, of the laws of 1875, relating to town insurance companies,

Reported same back with an amendment, and recommends that same do pass as amended.

The amendment was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 87, A bill to authorize the formation of Millers' and Manufacturers' Mutual Insurance companies,

Reported that they had had the same under consideration, and report the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to whom was referred

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H. F. No. 118, A bill to amend section 17, chapter 36, Statutes of 1878,

Reported the same back with amendment, (inserted), and recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

Report adopted with amendment.

Also, H. F. No. 200, A bill in relation to the use of school houses in common school districts,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 44, A bill to change the term of office of Township Supervisors,

Reported ths same back with a substitute, recommending that the substitute do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No 133, A bill to amend section 44, chapter 11, General Statutes of 1878, relating to county board of equalization and prescribing compensation thereof,

Reported the same back with a substitute, recommending that the substitute do pass.

Report adopted.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 114, A bill to legalize the organization of certain school districts in Yellow Medicine county, and legalize certain official acts of the trustees of said school districts,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Mr. Putnam, from the committee on public lands, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 89, A bill for the relief of settlers, upon the Fort Ripley reservation,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Mr. Putnam, from the committee on public lands, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 38, A bill granting swamp lands to aid in construction of the Little Falls & Dakota railroad.

Reported the same back, with amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

Adopted.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, reports that he has examined

H. F. Nos. 14, 30, 32, 83, 86, 94, 103, 107 and 108,

And finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

The delegation from Dakota county to whom was referred

H. F. No. 55, Report the same back with an amendment, and recommended that the bill do pass as amended.

Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Comstock offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the apportionment committees be allowed a clerk and an assistant clerk, and that the Speaker be and hereby is authorized to appoint each at a compensation not to exceed five dollars per day.

Mr. Dunn offered the following substitute,

Which was adopted:

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Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the joint committee on legislative and congressional apportionment and redistricting be allowed and authorized to appoint a clerk for each of said committees.

Mr. Searles moved a reconsideration of the vote by which

H. F. No. 191 was passed.

The motion was adopted, the vote was reconsidered and the bill referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Norrish offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the special joint committee, appointed under resolution, for the investigation of the burning of the Asylum for the Insane, at St. Peter, be authorized to employ a stenographer, as clerk for said committee, whose compensation will commence from date of employment.

Mr. Daniels offered the following joint resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, By the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring) that a committe of seven, on the part of the House, and five on the part of the Senate, be appointed, to whom all matters pertaining to the alteration or the formation of Judicial Districts, in this State, shall be referred for consideration and their report be made to their respective Houses.

Mr. Rice offered the following resolution:

Whereas, it is well known to the members of this House that there is no officer whose duty is to hoist the flag of our country (that acknowleged emblem of liberty and free government), over this Capitol, and that the folds of the same should be unfurled to gentle zephyrs on each day that the House is in session, in order that the members may feel secure whilst being sheltered under its ample folds,

Therefore, be it resolved, That the Speaker of this House is hereby authorized to appoint Jefferson Davis Hudson, of Ramsey county, to hoist the flag of our country on this Capitol on each and every day that this House is in session, and that the same shall be run down when the House is not in session, and his further duty shall be to protect the said flag from insult from all office-sekers, and to preform such other duties that may in any wise pertain to said office, and who shall receive as compensation for such service not exceeding the sum of any consideration which the Speaker may estimate his services to be worth.

Mr. Dunn, gave notice of debate and the resolution went over under the rules.

Mr. Dunn, offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, The Senate concurring that the joint committee on legislative apportionment and redistricting, be instructed in apportioning and redistricting the State into Senatorial and Representative districts, to fix the Senatorial representation at one Senator for every 15,000 inhabitants, and one Representative for every 7,500 inhabitants.

Mr. Daniels gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

On motion of Mr. Searles, the vote by which

H. F. No. 191 was passed, was reconsidered. and the bill was referred to the committee on education

The hour of 11 A. M. having arrived being made the special order for the consideration of

H. F. No. 33.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House went into committee of the whole.

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Mr. Putnam in the chair, after sometime spent therein.
On motion of Mr. Hicks, the committee rose, and reported progress.
On motion of Mr. Thompson J. Jr., the House took a recess until 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 P. M, and was called to order by the speaker.
A quorum present.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House resolved itself into committee of the whole.
Mr. Putnam in the chair, and
Resumed consideration of
H. F, No. 33.
After some time spent therein, the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration
H. F. No. 33, special legislation,
And recommended the same pass as amended.
On motion of Mr. Hicks, the report of the committee in relation to
H. F. No. 33,
Was adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Ives introduced—
H. F. No. 204, A bill to amend section 166 of chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878.
Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.
Mr. Ives introduced—
H. F. No. 205, A bill to incorporate the village of Hutchinson, McLeod county.
Which was read the first time, and,
On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., the rules were suspended and the bill had its second and third reading and was put on its final passage.
And the roll being called, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were—
Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry G. H., Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Lovland, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.
So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.
Mr. Sabin introduced—
H. F. No. 206, A bill to authorize the Chicago, St Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company to purchase, own and operate the St. Paul & Sioux City railroad and its proprietary or connecting roads, and to issue stocks and bonds thereon.

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Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

Mr. Sabin introduced—

H. F. No. 207, A bill legalizing certain transfers made to the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

Mr. Sabin introduced—

H. F. No. 208, A bill to authorize the Chicago, St. Paul Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company to acquire, contract and maintain and operate railroads in the State of Minnesota

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

Mr. Sabin introduced—

H. F. No. 209, A bill to confer upon the Chicago, St. Paul Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company, the rights, powers, franchises, privileges and immunities within the State of Minnesota, heretofore conferred upon the Chicago, St. Paul, & Minneapolis, & West Wisconsin Railway Companies, and to declare the Chicago, St. Paul & Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company the successor in the State of Minnesota, of the Chicago, St. Paul & Minneapolis & West Wisconsin Railway Companies.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

Mr. Linnell introduced—

H. F. No. 210, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 330, special laws of 1879, relating to compensation of county officers in Meeker county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Linnell the rules were so far suspended that the bill had its second reading, and placed on file for third reading.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. 211, A bill to amend the Statutes in relation to cattle running at large in the towns of Cokato and Stockholm, in Wright county.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Tether ntroduced—

H. F. No. 212, A bill to amend section 20, chapter 36, of the General Statutes of 1878 relating to change the annual school district meeting.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 213, A bill to provide for registering and payment of interest on town orders.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Tharalson introduced—

H. F. No. 214, A bill to change the name of certain person therein named.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kneeland introduced—

H. F. No. 215, A bill to prevent double taxation of property.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

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Mr. James Smith Jr. introduced—

H. F. No. 216, A memorial to Congress, requesting the speedy passage of the bill now before Congress to prevent the deposit of sawdust and other mill refuse in the Mississippi River.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Smith, the rules were so far suspended that the bill had its second reading, and was placed on file for committee of the whole.

Mr. Sabin introduced—

H. F. No. 217, A bill to incorporate camp and grove-meeting associations, sunday school assemblies or any society for religious instruction.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Washington county delegation.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 218, A bill granting the right to establish and maintain a wagon bridge across Red River, at Moorhead,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Dean introduced—

H. F. No. 219, A bill to reimburse Pine county for the expenses of the trial of Herbert Hutchinson.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F. No. 220, A bill proposing additional section to be termed section fifteen (15) of article nine (9) of the constitution of the State of Minnesota for the purpose of a State forest.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public lands.

Mr. Amundson introduced—

H. F. No. 221, A bill relating to the payment of salaries of county attorneys, judges of probate, and county superindents of public schools.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

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EIGHTEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL. Friday, January 28, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by Rev. Samuel G. Smith.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Hall, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, McCracken, Norrish, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Roberts, Schmidt, Sheardown, Stone and Wagner.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Boser and all members absent on committees.

On motion of Mr. Amundson, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 175, A bill to amend General Laws of 1877, as amended in 1878,

Reports the same back, and recommends that it be referred to the committee on judiciary.

The report was adopted.

Also, S. F. No. 53, A bill for the protection of fish in Lake Hanska,

Also, H. F. No. 169, A bill to provide for a change of the county lines of the counties of Polk and Marshall,

Also, H. F. No. 170, A bill to authorize a division of the county of Polk, &c.,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Searles, from the joint committee on taxes and tax laws, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 27, A bill to abate certain delinquent taxes in Redwood county, report the same back with a substitute, and recommend that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute was read and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Tharalson, from the committee on immigration, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 165, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to promote immigration, approved March 7, 1879,"

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

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The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sabin, from the committee on railroads, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 206, A bill to authorize the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway company to purchase, own and operate the St. Paul & Sioux City railroad and its proprietary and connecting roads, and to issue stock and bonds thereon,

Also, H. F. No. 208, A bill to authorize the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway company to acquire, construct, maintain and operate railroads in the State of Minnesota,

Also, H. F. No. 209, A bill to confer upon the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway company the rights, powers, franchises, privileges and immunities within the State of Minnesota heretofore conferred upon the Chicago, St. Paul & Minneapolis and West Wisconsin railway companies, and to declare the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway company the successor in the State of Minnesota of the Chicago, St. Paul & Minneapolis and West Wisconsin railway companies,

Also, H. F. No. 207, A bill legalizing certain transfers made to the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for the second reading, and ordered printed.

Also, H. F. No. 136, A bill to amend title 1, chapter 34, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted and placed on file for its second reading, and ordered printed.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred,

H. F. No. 46, A bill relative to proceedings supplementary to the execution,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Comstock moved to amend the report of the committee so as to refer the bill to the committee of the whole.

Which was adopted, and the bill placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 48, A bill relating to inspection of steam boilers, and for the better protection of life and property,

Reported the same back with amendments, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended, was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 198, A bill to provide for the inspection of steam boilers, and licensing steam engineers in Minnesota,

Reported the same back, recommending it to be printed and referred to the committee of the whole.

The report was adopted, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Sabin, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. Nos. 206, 207, 208 and 209,

Were read the second time.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

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H. F. No. 181, A bill to amend section 151, chapter 8, of the General Statutes of 1878,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Also, H. F. No. 180, A bill to amend section 22, of title 3, chapter 35, of the General Statutes, of 1878, relating to fees for examining and conveying insane persons to the hospital for the insane,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 184, A bill declaring certain acts, misdemeanors, and providing punishment for the same,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 106, A bill to amend section 191, of title 10. chapter 66, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to garnishments,

Reported the same back, with an amendment recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 174, A bill to change the place of trial,

Reported the same back, recommending the bill do be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted,

Also, H. F. No. 176, A bill making the idexes of books A and B of deed records in Sibley county evidence of the contents and validity of the conveyances and record thereof in said books which were burned A. D. 1863,

Reported the same back, recommeding that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 155, A bill to amend section 128, of chapter 11 of the General Statutes 1878, relating to taxes.

Reported the same back without recommendation, asking that the bill be printed and recommitted to the committee on judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the bill was recommitted to the committee on judiciary, and ordered printed.

S. F. No. 41, A bill to complete the organization of Wadena county,

Reported the same back, without recommendation.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the bill was referred to Mr. Comstock.

Also, H. F. No. 211, A bill to amend the Statutes in relation to cattle running at large in the towns of Cokato and Stockholm, in Wright county,

Reported the same back without recommendation.

On motion of Mr. Cutts the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, S. F. No. 41, A bill to amend section 34, chapter 94 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the punishment of manslaughter in the fourth degree,

Reported the same back with amendment recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Dean, from the committee on agriculture and manufacture, to whom was referred

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H. F. No. 197, A bill to appropriate five hundred dollars to the State dairyman,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Stone, from the committee on incorporations, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 188, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Spring Valley,

Also, H. F. No. 190, A bill to change the name of the village of Loreno to Sleepy Eye Lake,

Also, H. F. No. 182, A bill to incorporate the village of Adrian,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Stone, from the special committee to whom was referred

H. F. No. 195, A bill to prohibit cattle from running at large in the town of Toming, Swift county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared

H. F. Nos. 8 and 102,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, reports that he has examined

H. F. Nos. 37, 137, 152 and 173,

And finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the following resolution was taken from the table :

Resolved, the Senate concurring, that the joint committee on legislative apportionment and redistricting, be instructed in apportioning and redistricting the State into Senatorial and Representative districts, to fix the Senatorial representation at one Senator to every 15,000 inhabitants, and one Representative for every 7,500 inhabitants.

Consideration of the resolution was made the special order for next Tuesday, at 11 o'clock a. m.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Northness introduced—

H. F. No. 223, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the east branch of Blue Earth river in Fairbault county.

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Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Denny introduced—

H. F. No. 224, A bill to incorporate the village of Cologne, in the county of Carver,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

Mr Collins introduced—

H. F. No. 225, A bill to prescribe the session of the board of commisioners of Stearns county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Stearnscounty.

Also, H. F. No. 226, A bill to prevent the carrying of concealed and dangerous weapons.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Mott introduced—

H. F. No. 227, A bill to amend chapter 120 of the General Laws of 1877, fixing the compensation of county auditors.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Wilson introduced—

H. F. No. 228, A bill to authorize the city of Winona to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Winona county.

Mr. Van Hoesen introduced—

H. F. No. 229, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Long Prairie River.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Juelson introduced—

H. F. No. 230, A bill to change the name of certain persons named thereon.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Rice introduced—

H. F. No. 231, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Watonwan River, in Watonwan county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Deny introduced—

H. F. No. 232, A bill to incorporate the village of Benton, in the county of Carver.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Carver county delegation.

Mr. Sampson introduced—

H. F. No. 233, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Polk county to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 234, A bill to authorize the appointment of an agent to prosecute certain land claims against the United States.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Ives introduced—

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H. F. No. 235, A bill to amend section 230, of title 117, chapter 8, of General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 236, A bill to amend section 41, of chapter 1, of General Statutes, 1878, relating to fees of messenger for carrying election returns.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 237, A bill to amend section 153, of General Statutes, 1866, the same being chapter 3, General Laws of 1879, relating to bond of register of deeds.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 238, A bill to amend section 142, title 4, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to manner of paying county auditor's salary.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 239, A bill to amend section 172, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to salary of county treasurer.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 240, A bill to amend the statutes in relation to mutual fire insurance companies.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 241, A bill for the relief of settlers on lands claimed by the State as swamp lands, and for the adjustment of land grants inuring to the State under the several acts of Congress.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public lands.

Mr. Purrington introduced—

H. F. No. 242, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Montgomery, in Le Suer county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 243, A bill to locate and establish a State road from the village of Herman, in Grant county, to the village of Holmes City, in Douglass county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from the 39th district.

Mr. Post introduced—

H. F. No. 244, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Lake City.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

Mr. Herberger introduced—

H. F. No. 245, A bill to fix the salary of the treasurer of Stearns county,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The committee on judiciary introduced—

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H. F. No. 246, A bill to establish a deputy clerkship in the office of clerk of the supreme court,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

Mr. Van Hoesen introduced—

H. F. No. 247, A bill to incorporrte the village of Osakis.

Which was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Van Hoesen.

Mr. Child introduced—

H. F. No. 248, A bill to prevent cattle from running at large in the town of Bergen in McLeod county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Childs the rules were suspended and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 249, A bill to further amend an act entitled "An act to reduce the law regulating the public schools of St. Paul."

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Searles introduced—

H. F. No. 250, A bill prescribing the salary of the Judge of Probate of Dakota county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Searles the rules were suspended and the bill was placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. 251, A bill to declare the policy of this State concerning certain life insurance contracts.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Thompson J. Jr., introduced—

H. F. No. 252, A bill relating to the salary of the county attorney of Hennepin county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Thompson J. Jr, the rules were so far suspended that the bill had its second reading, and was placed on file for a third reading.

Mr. Thompson J. Jr., introduced—

H. F. No. 253, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of the county of Hennepin to pay the claims of C. H. Ward et. el., member of the board of equalization.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Thompson, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 253,

Was read the secondt ime, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Dean introduced—

H. F. No. 254, A bill to amend section 232, title 11, chapter 8, General Statutes, 1878, relating to county surveyors.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Thompson introduced—

H. F. No. 255, A bill to protect grain fields by destroying weeds in the highways.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

The committee on judiciary introduced—

H. F. No. 256, A bill to amend section 9 of chapter 100, General

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Statutes 1878, relating to offences against chastity, morality and decency,

Which was read the first time, and the rules so suspended that it was placed on file for second reading.

H. F. No. 257, A bill relating to the organization and to promote the efficiency of the uniformed militia of the State of Minnesota,

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Stedjee, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time, and placed on general orders, and ordered printed.

On motion of Mr, Baxter L. L., the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock, this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock, and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Daniels, Denny, Churchill, Herberger, Klossner and Rice.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate :

SENATE CHAMBER, January 26, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I am directed to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate bills herewith transmitted :

S. F. No. 74, A bill to amend section 12, of chapter 1, of the Special Laws of 1874, entitled an act to incorporate the village of Cannon Falls. Approved February 19, 1874.

S. F. No. 77, A bill to incorporate the village of Norwood, in the county of Carver, under the provisions of chapter 139, of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota, for the year A. D. 1875, and to confer certain powers upon the council and electors of said village.

S. F. No. 86, A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to issue bonds.

S. F. No. 89, A joint resolution for the relief of persons who have filed upon homesteads, on the Western prairies.

S. F. No. 43, A bill to amend section 24, of chapter 95, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to punishment of larceny from the person.

S. F. No. 90, A memorial to Congress of the United States.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files, herewith returned.

H. F. No. 37, A bill to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 1, in McLeod County, and attach the same to School District No. 28, in said county,

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H. F. No. 152, A bill relating to the catching of fish in Le Suer county,

H. F. No. 173, A joint resolution requesting Congress to appropriate money for the improvement of navigation on Red River.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 27, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 98, A bill to amend an act relating to fees of county officers in Goodhue county.

S. F. No. 14, A bill to incorporate the village of Evansville.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned.

H. F. No. 17, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Redwood county to attach fractional township 113 of range 34 to any organized town in said county.

H. F. No. 43, A bill to authorize the Hastings Industrial Association to distribute surplus funds.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 26, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to inform the House that the following appointments have been made upon the part of the Senate to act upon certain joint special committees.

To investigate the Hospital for the Insane:
Senators Wilson and Castle.
To investigate the St. Cloud Normal School:
Senators D. Buck and Officer.
Upon State Railroad Bonds:
Senators Crooks, Pillsbury, Case, Powers and C. F. Buck.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 46, A bill to amend chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to exemptions.

S. F. No. 21, A bill to incorporate the village of Tracy in Lyon county.

S. F. No. 57, A bill to amend chapter 61 of the Special Laws of 1878, as amended by chapter 35 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Benson.

S. F. No. 60, A bill to amend chapter 21, of the Special Laws of 1876, entitled an act to amend chapter 5, of the special laws of 1870, entitled an act to incorporate the village of Lake Crystal.

S. F. No. 63, A bill to authorize the lowering of the water in Eagle Lake, Carver county.

S. F. No. 68, A bill to incorporate the village of Detroit, in the county of Becker.

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S. F. No. 81, A joint resolution for the relief of Captain Jacob Nix.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House file herewith returned.

H. F. No. 5, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals, in the county of Grant.

Also, that the following appointments have been made upon special joint committees:

On the committee on Congressional apportionment: Senators Clement, Shaller, Peterson, Howard, McCrea, Adams and Campbell.

On the committee on Legislative apportionment: Senators Perkins, Rice, Langdon, Gilfillan C. D., Wilson, Simmons and Buck D.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, January 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has concurred in the resolution of the House authorizing the joint apportionment committees to appoint clerks.

And has concurred in the resolution authorizing the employment of a stenographer by the joint committee to investigate certain matters in relation to the Insane Asylum at St. Peter.

And has concurred in the resolution for a joint committee on judicial districts.

Also, that the Senate has passed

H. F. No. 109, A bill authorizing the city of Hastings to issue bonds.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 98, A bill to amend an act relating to the salaries of county officers of Goodhue county.

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hulebak the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 98

Was read the second and third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 56, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Juelson voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 90, A memorial to Congress,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the rules were suspended, and the memorial was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the memorial, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Gould Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnel, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the memorial was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 89, A joint resolution for the relief of persons who have filed upon homesteads on the western prairies,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 86, A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to issue bonds,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 77, A bill to incorporate the village of Norwood in the county of Carver,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 14, A bill to incorporate the village of Evansville,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. A bill to amend section 12 of chapter 1 of the Special Laws of 1874, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Cannon Falls,"

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 43, A bill to amend section 24 of chapter 94 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the punishment of larceny from the person,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committe on judiciary.

S. F. No. 21, A bill to incorporate the village of Tracy in Lyon county,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Zieske the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andurs, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dunn, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 46, A bill to amend chapter 66, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to exemptions,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

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S. F. No. 63, A bill to authorize the lowering of the water in Eagle Lake in Carver county,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Halgren.

S. F. No. 57. A bill to amend chapter 61, of the Special Laws of 1878, as amended by chapter 35, of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Benson,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the bill was amended, and the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 60, A bill to amend chapter 21, of the Special Laws of 1876, entitled an act to amend chapter 5, of the Special laws of 1870,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 68, A bill to incorporate the village of Detroit in the county of Becker,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 81, A joint resolution for the relief of Jacob Nix,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Zieske the rules were suspended and the joint resolution was read the second and third times and adopted by the House.

On motion of Mr. Hill the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 74 was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Graling the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 188, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Spring Valley,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Hohland, Butterfield, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Zieske, the rules were suspended, and

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H. F. No. 190, A bill to change the name of the village of Loreno to Sleepy Eye Lake,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnel, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 33, 36, 12, 65, 39, 55, 40 and 53,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 38, 46, 48, 136, 101, 182, 181, 188, 106, 180, 190, 114, 222, 172, 171, 125, 203, 96, 200, 202, 170, 256, 169, 165, 195, 187, 201, 118, 211, 87, 248, 246 and 250,

Were read the second time.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., the rules were suspended, and the House proceeded to the

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 8, A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act to incorporate the Minnesota Western Railway company, approved March 3, 1853.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Searles, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No 124, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Anoka,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60. and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Searles, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and the title agreed to.

H. F. No. 210, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 330, Special Laws of 1879, relating to compensation of county officers in Mecker county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 25, A bill to authorize a school for idiots and imbeciles,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter, J. Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dunn, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P.A., Plaisance, Porter T.C., Purrington, Putnam, Rodding, Sanboun, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson Zeisk and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 59, A bill to incorporate the village of Ada in Polk county.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L.

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L., Bohland, Butterfield Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Mr. Rice, from the committee on claims, to whom was referred bills for articles of furniture for the House and House committee rooms, purchased by the Sergeant-at-Arms, as follows, viz.:

From Craig & Larkin,	$ 62 82
Craig & Larkin,	14 82
DeCoster & Clark,	17 00
F. H. Dayton, desk and furniture,	5 00
DeCoster & Clark,	24 00
DeCoster & Clark,	28 25
DeCoster & Clark,	33 00
	$184 15

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills be ordered paid.

The question being taken on the adoption of the report, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L., L., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the report was adopted.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 97, A bill to incorporate the village of Glyndon,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson,

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Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 132, A bill to incorporate the village of Herman, in Grant county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 142, A bill to amend and codify the several acts incorporating the village of Farmington,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A , Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton, Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 75, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 1, of the Special Laws of 1877, and to repeal chapter 62 of the Special Laws of 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmatiue were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colduhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Lewis, Linnel, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. —, A bill to incorporate the village of Appleton, in Swift county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Alseson, Baxter J., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dunn, Gould. Griggs, Graling, Hayes Halgren, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hurlebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone. Tharlson, Thornton, Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 113, A bill to change the boundary of School District No. 87, Yellow Medicine county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Bohland, Butterfield, Caine Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak. Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Petertson, P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stodjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, V n Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Searles moved that when the House adjourn it adjourn to next Monday, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

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NINETEENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL. January 31, 1881.

The House met at 3 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Baldwin, Boser, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone and Tether.

On motion of Mr. Colquhoun, the reading of Friday's Journal was dispensed with.

Correction being made, the Speaker stated that the journal stood approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to which was referred

H. F. No. 193,

Reported the same back and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, S. F. No. 30, A bill for the removal of the county seat of Lincoln county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Amundson, the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 158, A bill to amend section 13, chapter 10, Revised Statutes of 1866, relating to election of township officers,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Stone, from the committee on incorporations to whom was referred

H. F. No. 224, A bill to incorporate the village of Cologne in the county of Carver and State of Minnesota.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary to which was referred

H. F. No. 53, A bill to protect the people of Minnesota from emperiesm and imposition in the practice of medicine and surgery,

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Repored the same back, and recommended that the bill be placed on file for second reading.

The bill was read the second time, and placed on general orders.

Also, H. F. No. 131, A bill to amend section 119 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to pleading,

Reported the same back, with a substitute, recommending that substitute do pass.

The substitute was read, and placed on file for the third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 162, A bill to prevent catching, taking or destroying of fish in Lake Elysian, Waseca county.

Reported the same back with a substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The substitute was read, and placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Hicks moved that the vote by which

H. F. No. 174, was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hicks

H. F. No. 174, was recommitted to the committee on judiciary.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Smith, from the Ramsey county delegation, reported

H. F. No. 62, relative to the erection of a workhouse.

Also, H. F. No. 167, relating to the St. Paul Water Company.

Also, H. F. No. 23, relative to sewerage bonds.

Also, H. F. No. 168, relating to the issuing of bonds by the city of St. Paul.

With the recommendation that the bills do pass.

On motion of Mr. Smith the rules were suspended and the bills were read the second time and placed on file for the third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 3 and substitute therefor,

H. F. No. 69,

And recommended the indefinate postponement of the same.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Collins from the delegation from Stearns county, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 225, A bill to prescribe the sessions of the board of commissioners of Stearns county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Washburn member from the 39th district, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 243, A bill to locate and establish a State road from the village of Herman, in Grant county, to the village of Holmes City, in Douglass county.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Denny, from the delegation from Carver county, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 232, A bill to incorporate the village of Benton, in the County of Carver and State of Minnesota.

Reported the same back, recommending that the same do pass

The bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sanborn offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

WHEREAS, All propositions pending before the Congress of the United States relating to the apportionment for representation in the House of Representatives under the census of 1880 allow to Minnesota five Representatives and no more, therefore,

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the joint committee of the two Houses upon congressional districts be, and hereby is instructed to report a bill dividing this State into five congressional districts without unnecessary delay, and without reference to any final action by Congress upon apportionment for representation under said census.

Mr. Allen moved that

H. F. No. 201 be recalled from the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

The committee on judiciary introduced—

H. F. No 260, A bill to amend section 4, chapter 100, General Statutes 1878, relating to offenses against chastity, morality and decency.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion the rules were suspended and the bill was placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 261, A bill to amend section 99 of chapter 66 of General Statutes of 1878, in relation to civil actions.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion the rules were suspended and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 262, A bill declaring resistance to officers a misdemeanor, and providing punishment therefor.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion the rules were suspended and the bill was placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Redding introduced—

H. F. No. 263, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Houston in the county of Houston,

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Redding the rules were suspended and,

H. F. No. 263 was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Flom introduced—

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H. F. No. 264, A bill to grant ferry privileges.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Allen introduced—

H. F. No. 265, A bill to amend section 3, chapter 14, of Special Laws of 1876, to incorporate the village of Le Roy, Mower county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Allen the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Hayes introduced—

H. F. No. 266, A bill to change the names of certain persons named therein.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No 267, A bill to change the name of Peter Erickson of Kandiyohi county to that of Peter E. Reese,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Caine introduced—

H. F. No. 268, A bill to appropriate money to aid Isanti county in building bridges.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 269, A bill to amend chapter 20 of the General Laws of 1868, relating to the organization of persons as a chamber of commerce or board of trade,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the rules were suspended, and

H. F. Nos. 3, 258, 259, 260, 261, and 262

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 3, 53, 193, and 268

Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 147, A bill to authorize each town in Sibley county to support its own poor.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 253, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of the county of Hennepin to pay the board of equalization,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 104, A bill to detach the county of Lincoln from the county of Lyon, and to organize the same for judicial purposes and to provide for a general term of the District Court therein,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 252, A bill relating to the salary of the county attorney of Hennepin county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter, J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churcihll, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 112, A bill to change the boundary of school district No. 3 of Yellow Medicine county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock,

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Denny, Dunn, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn Wiley, Wilson, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 23, A bill to authorize an increase of the sewerage fund in the city of St. Paul.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those whe voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Allen, Amundson, Andras, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kidder, Kohlmeir, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 168, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue bonds, for the repair or rebuilding of certain bridges and approaches on the opening of a street,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 167, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to purchase the franchises and property of the St. Paul Water Company, and creating a board of water commissioners.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bonland, Bookwalter, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 62, A bill to authorize the establishment and maintenance of a work house in the city of St. Paul,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and the title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Searles, the rules were suspended, and he offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, (the Senate concurring,) that the joint committee, appointed to investigate the charges of sectarianism made against the management of the State Normal School at St. Cloud, be authorized to send for persons, papers, and records, and employ a stenographer at an expense not exceeding ten dollars per day above his expenses.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 86, A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., A., Petterson P. Plaisance, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 77, A bill to incorporate the village of Norwood, in the county of Carver,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Mrssrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulbak, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown,

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Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharlston, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the rules were suspended, and the vote by which

S. F. No. 86 was passed was reconsidered, and the bill was recommitted to the Hennepin county delegation for amendment.

S. F. No. 30, A bill for the removal of the county seat of Lincoln county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Boser, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dodge Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks. Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES:

Mr. Hicks, from the Hennepin county delegation, reports back

S. F. No. 86, with amendment,

And recommended that the bill pass as amended.

The report was adopted.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 86, A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to issue bonds.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, as amended, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 57, A bill to amend chapter 61 of the Special Laws of 1878, as amended by chapter 35 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Benson,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hicks,

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Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Post, Purrington, Redding, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Senate be respectfully requested to furnish to the House printed copies of the Journal and all bills ordered printed by the Senate, and that the chief clerk of the House be directed to furnish the Senate with printed copies of the Journal and all bills printed by order of this House.

On motion of Mr. Peterson P. A., the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

TWENTIETH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Tuesday, February 1, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Bohland, Buckman, Comstock, Denby, Griggs, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Snure and Southard.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Snure and the committee on Insane Hospital.

On motion of Mr. Cutts, the reading of yesterday's journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the journal stood approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 68, A bill to incorporate the village of Detroit, in Becker county.

Also, S. F. No. 14, A bill to incorporate the village of Evansville, Douglas county.

Also, S. F. No. 60, A bill to amend chapter 5 of Special Laws of 1870, relating to the incorporation of Lake Crystal.

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Also, H. F. No. 218, A bill granting the right to establish and maintain a wagon bridge across Red river at Moorhead,

Reported the same back and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 204, A bill to amend section 166 of chapter 34, General Laws of 1878,

Reported the same back and recommended that the bill be referred to the committee on judiciary.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 128, A bill to allow Pipestone county to issue bonds, &c.,

Reported the same back with substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted and the substitute

Was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 201, A bill to amend section 1 chapter 39, General Statutes, relating to State bounty, for the destruction of wolves,

Reported the same back, with substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and

The substitute was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to whom was referred

H. F No. 191, A bill relating to public schools in the village of Cannon Falls, in Goodhue county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to which was referred

H. F. No. 151, A bill to amend section 2, chapter 50, of the General Laws of 1878, relating to the compensation and fees of county officers, and clerk hire of the same,

Report the same back, with a substitute, and recommend that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, the substitute read and placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 226, A bill to prevent the carrying of concealed and dangerous weapons,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 227, A bill to amend chapter 120 of the General Laws of 1878, fixing the compensation of county auditors,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be referred to the committee on towns and counties.

The report was adopted, and the bill was so referred.

Also, H. F. No. 183, A bill to prevent the use of language calculated to cause a breach of the peace,

Reported the same back and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 146, A bill to legalize and confirm certain conveyances heretofore made and proceedings had thereunder, relating to partnership,

Reported the same back with a substitute, and recommend that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

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Mr. Stone, from the committee on incorporations, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 242, A bill to amend an act entitled, an act to incorporate the village of Montgomery, in the county of Le Sueur.

Also, H. F. No. 244, A bill to amend an act, entitled an act to incorporate the city of Lake City,

Reported the same back and recommended that it do pass.

The bills were placed on file for the second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

The delegation from Winona county, to whom was referred,

H. F. No. 179, A bill to repeal section 2, chapter 309 of Special Laws of 1879,

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Also, H. F. No. 228, Have considered the same, and report it back with the recommendation that they do pass.

The bills were placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Wilson, from the the committee to whom was referred

H. F. No. 64, A bill to amend sections 4, 9 and 10 of chapter 16 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to intoxicating liquors,

Reported the same back with amdndments, with the recommendation that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill was ordered printed, and referred to committee of the whole.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Hicks presented two petitions signed by Martin Hogan and others relating to the State Railroad Bonds and Internal Improvement Lands,

Which were read and referred to the joint committee on State Railroad Bonds.

Also, petition of Milton A. Stubbs and others, relating to the protection of wool-growers in this State.

Mr. Cutts presented the petition of Geo. McWright and many others, on the same subject.

Which petitions were read and referred to the committee on agriculture and manufactures.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Huhn offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved: That there be and hereby is allowed to Henry W. Stuart, for engraving six copies of the joint resolution, expressing the thanks of the Legislature to certain companies for valuable services rendered to the Insane Asylum fire the sum of twenty-five dollars.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution, there were yeas 73, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Haw-

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kins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Armstrong and Graling.

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Graling moved to amend rule 45, relating to the order of business so that the third reading of House bills shall precede the third reading of Senate bills.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That there be a committee of three appointed by the Speaker to confer with the State auditor in regard to loans of seed grain to the several counties in previous years, as to the need of legislation on the matter, and said committee be authorized to confer with the several county auditors in counties interested if deemed necessary.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 275, A bill prescribing the fees of jutors in justices' courts.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 276, A bill to authorize the village of D lano, in Wright county, to issue bonds.

Which was read read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Cutts, the rules were suspended and the bill read a second time, and referred to thefcommittee of the whole.

Mr. Post introduced—

H. F. No. 277, A bill to amend shapter 15 of the special Laws of 1872, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Lake City."

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Wabasha county.

The committee on judiciary introduced—

H. F. No. 278, A bill to amend title 1, chapter 80, General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 279, A bill to amend section 29, title 1, and section 112, title 2, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878, entitled Corporations.

Which was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Purrington introduced—

H. F. No. 280, A bill to authorize the judge of the probate court of Le Sueur county to properly arrange and record the papers in his office relating to proceedings in said court.

Which was read the first time, and

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On motion of Mr. Gardner the rules were suspended and the bill read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McCracken, Norrish, Porter O. S., Porter T.C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 281, A bill to amend section 65 of title 3, chapter, 34 of Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Northness introduced—

H. F. No. 282, A bill proposing an amendment to section 7, article 1 of Constitution, relating to grand jury system.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 283, A bill to change the name of William James Rising to William Grafton Beagle.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Searles introduced—

H. F. No. 284, A bill to change the boundary of school district No. 66, in Dakota county.

Which was read the first time, and,

On motion of Mr. Searles the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Rosebrock introduced—

H. F. No. 285, A bill to amend section 66 of chapter 36 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to education.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Cornish introduced—

H. F. No. 286, A bill to organize the town of Olivia, in the county of Renville.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 287, A bill to detach the county of Grant from the county of Douglas, in the seventh judicial district.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from —

The hour of 11 o'clock A. M. having arrived,

The Speaker announced the special order for that hour to be the consideration of the joint resolution offered by Mr. Dunn on last Friday, as follows:

Resolved, the Senate concurring, That the joint committee on legis-

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lative apportionment and redistricting be instructed, in apportioning and redistricting the State into Senatorial and Representative districts, to fix the Senatorial representation at one Senator to every 15,000 inhabitants, and one Representative for every 7,500 inhabitants.

Mr. Dunn moved that the resolution be adopted.

Mr. Fletcher moved to amend to refer the resolution to the joint committee on apportionment.

Mr. Allen offered the following substitute:

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that it is the opinion of this Legislature that the present representation in both branches of the Legislature is approximately the proper basis for the joint committee on Legislative apportionment to base their actions.

Mr. Sanborn offered the following amendment, which was adopted:

Or eight thousand, or a major fraction thereof, for a member, and twenty thousand, or the major fraction thereof, for a Senator; and that in making said districts all county and municipal organizations shall remain undivided as far as practicable.

The question being taken on the adoption of the substitute as amended,

It was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, Februaay 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 38, A bill to amend sub-section 3, of section 64, of chapter 66, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to service of summons by advertisement.

S. F No. 48, A bill to amend chapter 28, of the General Laws, of 1876, relating to the formation of corporations for certain purposes.

S. F. No. 58, A bill amending section 38, of title 3, of chapter 19, of the General Statutes of 1866, amended by General Laws of 1874, chapter 53, relating to restraining beasts doing damage.

S. F. No. 64, A bill to amend section 2, chapter 24, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the number of hours constituting a day's labor.

S. F. No. 73, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Mower county to levy a tax for, and to expend the same on roads and bridges in said county.

S. F. No. 76, A bill relating to the erection of party walls in certain cases.

Also that the Senate has passed the following House files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 21, A bill to reduce the bounderies of independent school district No. 1, in Redwood county.

H. F. No. 28, A bill to legalize and confirm the organization of all organized towns in Redwood county.

H. F. No. 47, A bill to incorporate the village of Hancock, Stevens county, State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 67, A bill to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Montevidio, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 81, A bill to declare the county of Stevens to be an organ-

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ized county, and to declare legal the official acts of county commissioners and other officers of said county.

H. F. No. 120, A bill to amend section 4, of chapter 71 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the summoning of jurors.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted—

S. F. No. 95, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Austin approved February 28, 1876.

S. F. No. 115, A bill to change the name of Oak Lake, in the county of Becker to that of Audubon.

S. F. No. 128, A bill to authorize the village council of the village of Benson to issue bonds for the purpose of purchasing a fire engine, building an engine-house, water-works, fire apparatus, etc.

S. F. No. 5, A bill to repress and punish disorderly conduct on public conveyances.

S. F. No. 82, A bill to amend an act entitled, "An act in relation to chattle mortgages, being chapter 65 of the General Laws of 1879."

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 24, A bill appropriating money to pay the repairs of the State Normal school, at Mankato.

H. F. No. 205 A bill to incorporate the village of Hutchinson, in McLeod county.

H. F. No. 45, A bill to incorporate the village of Fisher.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Donahue, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

Mr. Mott moved that the rules be suspended, and

S. F. No. 30 be recalled from the Senate and be referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was so referred.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 288, A bill to le7alize the action of the board of county commissioners of Big Stone county, in organizing school districts and towns.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 289, A bill to authorize the draining of a lake in Wright county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 290, A bill to incorporate the village of Montrose.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Dean introduced—

H. F. No. 291, A bill to authorize the construction of a bridge across the St. Croix river, Chisago county, and to appropriate money to aid in the construction thereof.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Ives introduced—

H. F. No. 292, A bill to amend section 148, chapter 8, General Statutes, relating to county treasurers.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

Mr. Graling introduced—

H. F. No. 293, A bill for the protection of sheep dogs and other domestic animals.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

Mr. Mott introduced—

H. F. No. 294, A bill to amend title 4 of chapter 34, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to religious corporations,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Smith introduced—

H. F. No. 295, A bill to amend section 11, of chapter 86, of the Special Laws of 1876, relating to the city of St. Paul, approved March 1, 1876, and relating to judges of the municipal court of said city,

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Smith, the rules were suspended, and the bill read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, Mott, McMaster, Northness,

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Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 296, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Ramsey county to redeem and pay certain bonds that mature during the present year.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the rules were suspended, and the bill read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

H. No. 297, A bill relating to the government of free schools in the city of Anoka.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Putnam the rules were suspended, and the bill read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 298, A bill to authorize the village of Redwood Falls, and any town in Redwood county to issue bonds to aid in building railroads.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 299, A bill to detach territory therein described from Independent School District No. 1 in Polk county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 300, A bill for an act to change a name.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Colquhoun introduced—

H. F. No. 301, A bill to reduce the law incorporating the village of Blooming Prairie, in the county of Steele and State of Minnesota, and the several acts amendatory thereto, into one act and to amend the same

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Colquhoun the rules were suspended and the bill had its second and third reading and was put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Stedjee,

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Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 302, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Wilkins county to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Rice introduced—

H. F. No. 303, A memorial to Congress.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Rice, the rules were suspended, and the memorial had its second and third reading, and was placed upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 81, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J.. Baxter L., L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 38, A bill to amend sub-section 3rd. of section 64 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to service of summons by advertisement,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 228, 179, 183, 242, 244, 218, 191,272, 273, 274, 192, 271 and 278,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 68, 14 and 60,

Were read the second time.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 48, A bill to amend chapter 28 of the General Laws, of 1876, relating to the formation of corporations for certain purposes,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 58, A bill amending section 38 of title 3 of chapter 19 of the General Statutes of 1866, as amended by General Laws of 1874, chapter 53, relating to distraining beasts doing damage,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Stone.

S. F. No. 64, A bill to amend section 2, of chapter 24, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating the the number of hours constituting a day's work,

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Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 73, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Mower county to levy a tax for, and to expend the same on roads and bridges in said county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 76, A bill relating to the erection of party walls in certain cases,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 82, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to chattle mortgages," being chapter 65, of the General laws of 1879,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 115, A bill to change the name of Oak Lake, in the county of Becker, to that of Audubon,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 95, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Austin, approved Februray 28, 1876,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Allen the rules were suspended, and the bill had its second reading and was put on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 5, A bill to repress and punish disorderly conduct in public conveyances,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 128, A bill to authorize the village of Benson to issue bonds for the purpose of purchasing a fire engine, building an engine house, water works, fire appurtenances, &c.,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Stone.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 110, A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 70, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to fees of sheriff,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish Cutts, Denny, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Donahue, Dunn and Thornton.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 102, A bill to amend section 26 of chapter 62 of the General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Comstock, Cutts, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 130, A bill to amend section 210, of title 13, of Chapter 66, General Statutes of 1878, relative to security when judgment is entered by default,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Burger, Churchhill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Donahue Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Pntnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 232, A bill to incorporate the village of Benton, in the county of Carver and State of Minnesota,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were year 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmatiue were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Tone, Tether, Wagner Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 243, A bill to locate and establish a State road from the village of Herman in Grant county, to the village of Holmes city, in Douglas county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter, J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T.C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Smith, Stone, Tharlson, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zeiske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 70, A bill to amend certain sections of chapter 36 of the Statutes of 1878, relating to education,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 224, A bill to incorporate the village of Cologne, in the county of Carver, and State of Minnesota,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. ——, A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 9, General Statutes of 1878, relating to removals from office by the Governor,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sampson, Schmidt, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Hicks moved a call of the House, and the clerk called the roll.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

H. F. No. 33, A bill proposing an additional section, to be termed section 33, of article 4, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, prohibiting special legislation,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays 19, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Donahue, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hicks, Hoyt, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Butterfield, Callender, Denny, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kohlmier, Northness, Peterson P. A., Purrington, Redding and Southard.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 42, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 20 of General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, nays 14, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A. Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Baldwin, Daniels, Denny, Griggs, Ives, Porter, O. S., Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Stone and Tether.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 121, A bill to appropriate money to pay the Governor's Guards for services.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were ye a 78, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner. Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

Messrs. Northness and Schmidt voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 157, A bill to amend chapter 100, relating to offenses against chastity, morality and decency,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72. and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hulebak, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Dean, Juelson and McAndrews.

So the bill was passed and the title agreed to.

H. F. No. 225, A bill to prescribe the sessions of the board of commissioners of Stearnes county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kneeland. Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Samp-

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son, Sanborn, Schmidt, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 265, A bill to amend section 3, chapter 14, of Special Laws of 1876, to incorporate the village of Le Roy, Mower county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Lovland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 284, A bill to change the boundary of school district No. 66, in Dakota county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Lovelaud, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Washburn, Wiley Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 297, A bill relating to the government of free schools in in the city of Anoka,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts,

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Sampson, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 296, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Ramsey county to issue the bonds of said county to redeem and pay certain bonds that mature during the present year,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 80, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Alseson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hurlebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosbrock, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Flom moved that the rules be suspended, and that

H. F. No. 191, A bill relating to public schools in Cannon Falls,

Be read the third time and put upon its final passage.

Which motion prevailed, and

H. F. No. 191, A bill relating to public schools of the villrge of Cannon Falls, Goodhue county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 85, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstong, Aslesou, Baker, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kness, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson. Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Bohland offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That the chief clerk is hereby instructed to have a calender printed each day of the bills on third reading, and have the same placed on the members desks.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared
H. F. Nos. 157, 33, 42 and 225,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from His Excellency the Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, Jan. 29, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. No. 108, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Redwood Falls," the same being chapter fifteen (15), of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota of the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

H. F. No. 14, An act to legalize the acts of commissioners surveying and locating a State road form Fergus Falls, in Otter Tail county to Herman, in Grant county.

H. F. No. 30, An act to change the name of the town of Chippewa, in Douglas county, to that of Brandon.

H. F. No. 32, An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Nicollet county to issue the bonds of said county to fund the floating debt of said county.

H. F. No. 83 An act to incorporate the city of Ortonville, in the counties of Big Stone and Lac qui Parle.

H. F. No. 86, An act to fix the times of holding the general terms of the district court in the Eighth Judicial District.

H. F. No. 94, An act to authorize the commissioners of the county of Chippewa to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 103, An act relating to the village of Dundas, in the county of Rice.

H. F. No. 107, An act to incorporate the village of Murdock.

H. F. No. 37, An act to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 1, in McLeod county, and attach the same to school district No. 28, in said county.

H. F. No. 137, An act to authorize the board of education of the Red Wing school district to issue the bonds of such district.

H. F. No. 152, An act relating to the catching of fish in Le Sueur county.

H. F. No. 173, A joint resolution requesting Congress to appropriate money for the improvement of the navigation of the Red River of the North.

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,

Governor.

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GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Allen in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 100, A bill relating to the jurisdiction of the municipal court of St Paul.

H. F. No. 119, A bill relating to the relief of the poor.

H. F. No. 140, A bill relating to the salaries of district judges.

Which they report back, with recommendation that they do pass.

H. F. No. 126. A bill relating to the head of navigation, on the Minnesota river,

Which they report back with the recommendation that it lie on the table.

H. F. No. 129, A bill relating to service of summons in Ramsey county,

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be referred to the committeee on judiciary.

H. F. No. 93, Relating to roads, crossings and bridges.

H. F. No. 117, Relating to intoxicating liquors.

Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to set again.

On motion of Mr. Mott

H. F. No. 126, Was excepted from the report of the committee.

The report of the committee of the whole, except as to

H. F. No. 126,

Was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Mott

H. F. No. 126, A memorial to Congress relating to the head of navigation on the Minnesota river

Was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

H. F. No's. 206, 207, 208 and 209, were placed at the head of general orders for to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., general orders was made the special order for to-morrow morning at 10:15 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House adjourned.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

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TWENTY-FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, Wednesday, February 1, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Denby, Norrish, Sabin, Sheardown, Snure and Thompson J. Jr.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Searles presented a petition signed by L. P. Fluke and others, relating to the protection of the ballot box,

Which was read, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Rice the rules were suspended, and the House proceeded to the

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Rice introduced—

H. F. No. 304, A bill to reimburse Watonwan county, and James Glispin for expenses incurred in the capture of the Younger Brothers.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on claims

The hour of 10:25 o'clock having arrived, the Speaker announced the special order of business to be,

GENERAL ORDERS.

And the House resolved itself into committee of the whole.

Mr. Sanborn in the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose, and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 115, Relating to draining a lake in Wright county.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on judiciary.

H. F. No. 206, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha R. R. Co.

H. F. No. 207, St. Paul & Sioux City R. R. Co.

H. F. No. 208, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha R. R. Co.

H. F. No. 209, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha R. R. Co.

H. F. No. 38, Relating to Little Falls & Dakota railroad.

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Which they report back with amendments, and recommend that they pass as amended.

H. F. No. 117, Relating to intoxicating liquors.

H. F. No. 93, Relating to roads, cartways and bridges.

Upon which they report progress and ask leave to sit again.

H. F. No. 154, District Attorney, Twelfth Judicial District.

H. F. No. 177, Village of Claremont.

H. F. No. 135, Relating to death penalty for murder.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that they do pass.

Mr. Smith moved that the House resolve itself into committee of the whole at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Which motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Graling.

On motion of Mr. Gould the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The House again went into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Sanborn in the chair.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the committee rose, and

Mr. Dunn moved that the use of the Hall of the House be tendered to the ladies of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union for tomorrow evening.

Which was adopted.

And the committee again went into the committee of the whole.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 48, A bill relating to steam boilers.

H. F. No. 202, A bill relating to township organization.

Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

H. F. No. 182, A bill relating to the village of Adrian.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on towns and counties.

H. F. No. 46, A bill relating to proceedings supplemental to executions.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be indefinately postponed.

H. F. No. 96, A bill relating to town insurance companies.

H. F. No. 149, A bill relating to industrial education.

H F. No. 159, A bill relating to social science.

Which they report back with amendments, and recommend that the bills do pass as amended.

H. F. No. 87, A bill relating to Mutual Insurance Companies.

H. F. No. 89, A bill relating to Fort Ripley Reservation.

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H. F. No. 114, A bill relating to a School District in Yellow Medicine county.
H. F. No. 118, A bill relating to Education.
H. F. No. 125, A bill relating to State Road to Fort Ripley.
H. F. No. 136, A bill relating to Corporations.
H. F. No. 159, A bill relating to Savings Banks.
H. F. No. 163, A bill relating to Administrators and Guardians.
H. F. No. 165, A bill relating to Imigration.
H. F. No. 169, A bill relating to Polk and Marshall counties.
H. F. No. 170, A bill relating to Division of Polk county.
H. F. No. 171, A bill relating to Commissioners of Watonwon county.
H. F. No. 172, A bill relating to issuing of bonds by Detroit in Becker county.
H. F. No. 180, A bill relating to expenses of conveying insane person to the hospital for the insane.
H. F. No. 195, A bill relating to cattle in Swift county.
H. F. No. 200, A bill relating to the use of school houses.
H. F. No. 203, Substitute for H. F. No. 133.
H. F. No. 211, A bill relating to cattle running at large in Wright county.
H. F. No. 216. memorial to Congress, saw dust, Mississippi river.
H. F. No. 222. Redwood county taxes.
H. F. No. 243, restraining cattle, Bergen, McLeod county.
H. F. No. 250. salary judge of probate of Dakota county.
H. F. No. 256, offenses against chastity, morality, etc.
S. F. No. 12, organization of town of Clontarf, Swift county.
S. F. No. 33, incorporate village of Pine City.
S. F. No. 36, removal records, town clerk's office, Norway Lake.
S. F. No. 39, incorporate village of Perham,
S. F. No. 40, punishment of manslaughter, fourth degree.
S. F. No. 53 protection of fish, Lake Hanska.
S. F. No. 55, compensation county commissioners, Dakota county.
S, F. No. 65, incorporate village of De Graff.
Which they report back, with the recommondation that they do pass.
On motion of Mr. Daniels, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared,
H. F. Nos. 206, 207, 208 and 209, And finds the same correctly engrossed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

On motion of Mr. Hill the rules were suspended, and
H. F. No. 193, A bill relative to the disbursement of moneys by the treasurer of Goodhue county,
Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.
The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were—
Messrs. Allen, Amundson Andrus Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill,

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Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 206, A bill to authorize the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company to purchase, own and operate the St. Paul & Sioux City Railway, etc.,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Bohland, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A , Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 209, A bill to legalize certain transfers made to the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Juelson, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stewart, Thornton, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 208, A bill to authorize the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway company to acquire, control, maintain and operate railroads in this State,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purring-

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ton, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 209, A bill to confer upon the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad Company certain rights, powers, etc.,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Huhn, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stewart, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gardner the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

TWENTY-THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL, Thursday, February 8, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock, A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Collins, Cornish, Griggs, Hicks, Huhn, Norrish, Sheardown and Thompson J. Jr.

On motion of Mr. Searles, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Correction being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Hoyt.

Mr. Dunn moved that it may be in order to correct the Journal of the previous day, at any time during the day,

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following joint committees,

On the subject of the alteration or formation of judicial districts:

Messrs. Daniels, Hoyt, Smith, Rosebrock, Baxter L. L., Zieske and Sampson.

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On the subject of conferring with the State Auditor in regard to loans of seed grain to the several counties in the State:
Messrs. Armstrong, Stedjee and Washburn.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Petition of A. C. Lonesbery, asking that his claim for portraits of Governors be allowed and paid,
Was presented and read, and
Mr. Searles moved that the petition be referred to the committee on finance.
Mr. Wilson moved to amend to indefinitely postpone the petition.
Mr. Sanborn moved to amend to refer the petition to the committee on claims,
Which was lost.
The question recurring on the motion to indefinitely postpone.
The motion prevailed and the petition was indefinitely postponed.
Petition of Hugh Derham and others, relating to the protection of wool growers,
Was presented and read, and referred to the committee on agriculture and manufactures.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Van Hoesen, from the committee on insurance, to which was referred
H. F. No. 251, A bill to declare the policy of the State concerning certain life insurance contracts,
Reported the same back with an amendment and recommended that it do pass as amended.
The report was adopted and the bill was placed on file for the second reading.
Also, H. F. No. 240, A bill to amend the Statutes of 1878, in relation to mutual fire insurance companies,
Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
Also, H. F. No. 36, A bill to authorize and regulate within the State, the business of insurance other than life, fire and marine,
Reported the same back with an amendment, and recommended that it do pass as amended.
The report was adopted, and the bill placed on file for its second reading.
Mr. Bookwalter, from the committee on taxes and tax laws, to which was referred
H. F. No. 22,
Reported the same back, and recommended that it do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to which was referred,
H. F. No. 290, A bill to incorporate the village of Montrose, in the county of Wright.
Also, H. F. No. 288, A bill to legalize the acts of the board of county commissioners of Big Stone county in organizing school districts and towns.
Also, S. F. No. 73, A bill authorizing the board of county commissioner to levy tax for road and bridge purposes in Mower county.

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Also, H. F. No. 299, A bill to detach territory therein named from Independent School District No. 1, in Polk county.

Mr. Andrus from the committee on printing, to whom was referred the resolution to ascertain the cost of printing the Governors Message, made the following report:

They find that the expense of printing,

10,000 copies in the English language,.
5,000 " " German "
5,000 " " Norwegian "
1,000 " " Bohemian "
1,000 " " French "
3,000 " " Swedish "

Will be one thousand dollars.

Also, That the committee is reliably informed that the message has been extensively published and circulated in the English, German and Norwegian languages, and are of the opinion that it would be a useless expenditive of money to publish the same in pamphlet form, and therefore recommend that no further action be taken in publishing said message in any language except as now authorized by law.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to which was referred

S. F. No. 115, A bill to change the name of Oak lake in the county of Benton.

Also, H. F. No. 213, A bill to provide for registering and payment of interest on town orders.

Also, H. F. No. 269, A bill to authorize the draining of a lake in Wright county.

Reported the same back and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 286, A bill to organize the town of Olivia, in the county of Renville.

Also, H. F. No. 227, A bill to amend chapter 120, of the General Laws of 1877, fixing compensation of county auditors.

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bills be indefinitely postponed.

The bills were placed on file for their third reading.

Mr. Van Hoesen, from the committee to which was referred

H. F. No. 247, A bill to incorporate the village of Osakis, in Douglas county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Van Hoesen, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 247, A bill to incorporate the village of Osakis, in Douglas county,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 78, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice-

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Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Rosebrock, from the committee on tree culture and fuel, to which was referred

H. F. No. 77, A bill to encourage and promote the planting of forest trees,

Reported the same back, recomming that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Dunn, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 175, A bill to amend section 6 chapter 120 laws of 1877 as amended by section 2 chapter 50 General Laws of 1878, relating to the compensation and fees of county officers, and clerk hire of the same,

Reported the same back with a substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and

Mr. Dunn moved that the House consider

H. F. Nos. 273 and 306 together.

Which motion prevailed, and

H. F. No. 306 substitute for H. F. No. 175,

Was read the first and second times, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Dunn, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 229, A bill to amend section 172, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to salary of county treasurers.

Also, H. F. No. 236, A bill to amend section 41 of chapter 1 General Statutes of 1878, relating to fees of messengers for carrying election returns.

Also, S. F. No. 32, A bill to amend section 5, title 2, and section 7 of title 3 of chapter 32 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to logs and lumber.

Also, S. F. No. 89, A joint resolution for the relief of persons who have filed upon homesteads on the western prairies.

Also, H. F. No. 269, A bill to amend chapter 20 of the General Laws of 1868, relating to the organization of persons as a chamber of commerce or board of trade.

Also, H. F. No. 245, A bill to fix the salary of the treasurer of Stearns county.

Also, S. F. No. 46, A bill to amend chapter 66 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to exemption.

Also, H. F. No. 15, A bill to punish tramps.

Also, H. F. No. 275, A bill prescribing the fees of jurors in justice's court.

Also, H. F. No. 204, A bill to amend section 166 of chapter 34 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations,

Reported the same back and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 56, A bill to create a new judicial district and provide for the election of a judge therein,

Reported the same back with a substitute, recommending that the substitute be referred to the special committee on judicial districts.

The report was adopted,

And the substitute was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judicial districts.

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Also, H. F. No. 235, A bill to amend section 230, title 11, chapter 8, General Statutes 1878, relating to county surveyor's bond.

Reported the same back with a substitute, recommending substitute do pass.

The report was adopted,

And the substitute was read the first time and placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 237, A bill to amend section 153, General Statutes of 1866, the same being chapter 3 of General Laws 1879, relating to bond of register of deeds,

Reported the same back with a substitute, and recommended that the sudstitute do pass.

The report was adopted,

And the substitute was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

Also, S. F. No. 43, A bill to amend section 24 of chapter 95 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to punishment of larceny from the person,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinately postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 270. A bill making an appropriation to John Patterson for the arrest of a horse thief.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be referred to the committee on claims,

The report was adopted, and the bill was so referred.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Geary, from the Wabasha county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 277, A bill to amend chapter 15 of the Special Laws of 1872 "Entitled an act to incorporate the city of Lake City,"

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Geary the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Stone, to whom was referred

S. F. 128, A bill to authorize the village of Benson to issue bonds, and

S. F. No. 58, Amending section 38 of title 3, chapter 19 of the General Statutes of 1866 as amended by General Laws of 1874,

Reported the same back, and recommended that they do pass,

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Washburn, from the delegation from the 39th district, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 287, A bill to detach the county of Grant from the county of Douglas, and the 7th judicial district,

Reported the same back with a substitute, recommending that the substitute do pass.

The substitute was read the first time,

And Mr. Washburn moved that the rules be suspended, and that the bill be read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

The motion was lost, and the bill was referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Baxter L. L., to whom was referred

H. F. No. 196,

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Reported the same back, and recommended that it do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
Mr. Comstock, from the special committee to whom was referred
S. F. No. 41, A bill to complete the organization of Wadena county,
Reported the same back with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.
The report was adopted, and the bill was placed on file for its third reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reported that he had compared
H. F. Nos. 100, 119 and 140,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, reported that he had examined H. F. Nos. 5, 17, 43, 109 and 120,
Found the same correctly enrolled, and that he had transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Dunn moved to reconsider the vote by which the report of the committee on printing the Governor's message was adopted.
Which was lost.
Mr. Stone moved that the vote which
H. F. No. 286, was indefinitely postponed, and that the bill be recommitted to the committee on towns and counties.
Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so committed.
Mr. Amundson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the committee on finance are requested to retain all bills proposing appropriations out of the internal improvement funds, until February 15th, 1881, and make their report on that day; and all bills providing for an appropriation from said fund shall be referred to the committee on finance.
The resolution was adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. McAndrews introduced—
H. F. No. 310, A bill to require overseers of highways to expend money and labor coming into their hands for that purpose, in working and repairing any highways.
Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.
Mr. Bookwalter introduced—
H. F. No. 311, A bill to provide a better system of land surveys in this State.
Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.
Mr. Searles introduced—
H. F. No. 312, A bill to enforce the payment of taxes, which became delinquent in, and prior to the year 1879.

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Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 313, A bill proposing an amendment to section 1, of article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 314, A bill to appropriate money for the erection of a monument in memory of the Dustin family.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Lewis introduced—

H. F. No. 315, A bill to regulate milage of members of the Legislature.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Allen introduced—

H. F. No. 316, A bill to determine and prevent the spreading of glanders or other contagions or infectious diseases among domestic animals.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F No. 317, A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Lincoln, in the construction of a bridge across the Yellow Medicine river.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Stewart introduced—

H. F. No. 318. A bill relating to town organizations.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 319, A bill to amend section 113, chapter 8, General Statntes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 320, A bill to authorize independent school district No. 1, in Redwood county, to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Braley the rules were suspended, and the bill had its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 321, A bill to change the time for holding general terms of district court in Redwood county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the joint committee on judicial districts.

Mr. Flom introduced—

H. F. No. 322, A bill authorizing and requiring each town in the county of Goodhue to support its own poor.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Goodhue county delegation.

Mr. Ives introduced—

H. F. No. 323, A bill to amend section 162 chapter 36, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the duties of the State treasurer in receipting for State text-book funds.

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Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 324, A bill to amend section 15, chapter 36, General Statutes 1878, relating to change of boundaries of school districts.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Wilson introduced—

H. F. No. 325, A bill to authorize the railroad companies to alter their routes or the location of the lines of their roads.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 326, A bill to authorize any railroad company to lease, purchase, or in any way become owner of or control any other railroad corporation, or to consolidate therewith.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No. 327, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the St. Louis River in the county of Carleton.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Hanscom introduced—

H. F. No. 328 A bill to appropriate funds for the building of a bridge across Sauk river, in the town of Wakefield, Stearns county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 329 A bill confirming the organization and certain purchases of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, and in relation to the charter powers and franchises of said company.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

Also, H. F. No. 330, A bill to restrain the running at large of cattle in Clay county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

Also, H. F. No. 331, A bill to amend section 71 of chapter 64, General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on udiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 332, A bill to amend section 18 of chapter 107, General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kniss introduced—

H. F. No 333, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Worthington.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 334, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Worthington.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Ammundson introduced—

H. F. No. 335, A bill to detach certain territory from Independent

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School District No. 1 in Nicollet county, and attach the same to school district No. 27.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 336, A bill to incorporate the village of Graceville, in the county of Big Stone.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Washburn, the rules were suspended, and the bill had its second and third reading, and put upon its final passage, and

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Wilson.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No. 337, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to appoint an overseer of the poor for a term not exceeding five years.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Van Hoesen introduced—

H. F. No. 338, A bill to provide for assorting and binding the territorial laws.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Redding introduced—

H. F. No. 339, A bill to repeal sections 58 and 59 of the General Statutes 1879, relative to threshing machines

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Gould introduced—

H. F. No. 340, A bill to appropriate money to grade and complete the improvement of the grounds of the State Normal School, at Winona,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 341, A bill to authorize the corporate authorities of the village of Winnebago City, in Faribault county,

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 341

Was read the second and third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Sampson introduced—

H. F. No. 342, A bill to incorporate the village of Red Lake Falls in Polk county.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on incorporation.

On motion of Mr. Wilson the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has concurred in the amendments by the House, to the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 57, A bill to amend chapter 61 of the Special Laws of 1878, as amended by chapter 35, of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Benson.

S. F. No. 86, A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to issue bonds.

Also, that the Senate has passed

H. F. No. 188,

A bill to amend the charter of the village of Spring Valley,

Which is herewith transmitted.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

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SENATE CHAMBER, February 2, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted—

S. F. No. 131, A bill for the establishment and regulation of the public schools in the village of Lanesboro.

S. F. No. 136, A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 19, of the Special Laws of 1872, relating to the village of Brownsville.

S. F. No. 139, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Brown county to issue the bonds of said county for the construction of bridges across the Cottonwood River in said county.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files, herewith returned.

H. F. No. 23, A bill to authorize an increase of the sewerage fund in the city of St. Paul.

H. F. No. 59, A bill to incorporate the village of Ada, in Polk county, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 62, A bill to authorize the establishment and maintenance of a work house in the city of St. Paul.

H. F. No. 104, A bill to detach the county of Lincoln from the county of Lyon, and to organize the same for judicial purposes, and to provide for a general term of the district court therein.

H. F. No. 112, A bill to change the boundaries of school district No. 3, in Yellow Medicine county.

H. F. No. 113, A bill to change the boundaries of school district No. 8, in Yellow Medicine county.

H. F. No. 147, A bill authorizing each town in Sibley county to support its own poor.

H. F. No. 167, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to purchase the franchises and property of the St. Paul Water Company, and creating the board of water commissioners.

H. F. No. 168, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue bonds for the repair or rebuilding of certain bridges and approaches, and the opening of a street.

H. F. No. 190, A bill to change the name of the village of Loreno to Sleepy Eye Lake,

H. F. No. 224, A bill to incorporate the village of Cologne, in the county of Carver and State of Minnesota.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 131, A bill to establish, maintain and regulate the public schools of Lanesboro,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hayes the rules were suspended, and,

S. F. No. 131, was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 136, A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 19 of the Special Laws of 1872, relating to the village of Brownsville,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Redding, the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 136,

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

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SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 46, 60, 58, 128, 41, 115, 73, 89, 32, 14 and 68,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 270, 307, 251, 308, 240, 245, 239, 236, 77, 299, 290, 213, 309, 289, 288, 22, 36, 216, 59, 196, 15, 204, 269, 139 and 275,
Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 95, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Austin, approved February 28th, 1876,
Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.
The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were—
Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callendar, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Honscom, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, McCrackén, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharlson, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, and Wilson.
So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.
Mr. Dunn moved that the House adjourn.
Which was lost.

On Motion of Mr. Comstock, the House took a recess until 4 o'clock P. M.

The hour of 4 o'clock P. M. having arrived, the Speaker called the House to order.
A quorum present.
And the House resumed

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 136, A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 19 of the Special Laws of 1872, relating to the village of Brownsville,
Was read the third time and put upon its final passage
The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were—
Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner,

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Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C. Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 12, A bill to legalize organization of the town of Clontarf in the county of Swift, and all acts of the officers of said town under said organization,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Wiley.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 33, A bill to incorporate the village of Pine City in Pine county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 80, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 36, A bill providing for the removal of certain records from the town clerk's office of the town of Norway Lake in Kandiyohi county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 80, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny,

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Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren. Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberber, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 39, A bill to incorporate the village of Perham, in the county of Otter Tail,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 81, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 40, A bill to amend section 34 of chapter 94 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the punishment of manslaughter in the fourth degree,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passa. e.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 53. A bill for the protection of fish in Lake Hanska.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butter-

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field, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 55, A bill to fix the compensation of the county commissioners of Dakota county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 67 and nays none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter, L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Graling, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 65, A bill to incorporate the village of De Graff, in the county of Swift and State of Minnesota,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 135, A bill to amend 94 of General Statutes of 1878, so as to restore the death penalty for the crime of murder in the first degree,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 50, and nays 30, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Buckman, Burger Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Kendall, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Comstock, Denny, Dodge, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hawkins, Hill, Hoyt, Huleback, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lovland, Purrington, Rice, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Stone and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the vote by which

H. F. No. 135, A bill to restore the death penalty for murder in the first degree, etc., was lost, was reconsidered,

And the bill was placed on file for its third reading.

H. F. No. 87, A bill to authorize the formation of a millers and manufaccturers mutual insurance company,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A. Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 89, A bill for the relief of settlers upon the Fort Ripley reservation,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 77, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 114, A bill to legalize the organization of a certain school district in Yellow Medicine county, and to legalize the official acts of the trustees of said school districts,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Peterson P. A., moved that the Houuse do now adjourn.

Which motion was lost.

H. F. No. 125, A bill to legalize the acts of certain commissioners in establishing a certain State road from Fort Ridgley, Nicollet county, to Swede Grove, in Meeker county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hoyt, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier. Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Donohue moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion was lost.

H. F. No. 163, A bill to amend section nine (9), eighteen (18), forty (40) and fifty-one (51) General Statutes of 1878, relating to sale of lands by executors, administor and guardians

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Northness, Peterson

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P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared
H. F. Nos. 118, 149, 96, 177, 150, 200 and 154,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Burger, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

TWENTY-THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL, Friday, February 4, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Colquhoun, Comstock, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Hall, Hill, Huhn, Kniss, Lewis, Linnell, McCracken, Mott, Norrish, Porter O S., Purrington, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Smith, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tether and Wagner.

On motion of Mr. Cutts the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

PETITIONS AND CMMUNICATIONS.

Three petitions from citizens of Farmington and vicinity, asking the submission of a constitutional amendment to the people providing that women may exercise the right of suffrage on questions relating to the manufacture and sale of liquors,

Were presented and read, and the same were referred to the committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education to whom was refereed H. F. No. 221, A bill relating to the payment of salaries of county attorneys, judge of probate, and superintendents of public schools.

Also, H. F. No. 197, A bill for changing the boundaries of Independent School District in Dodge county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

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The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Dunn, from the committee on judiciary, to which was referred

H. F. No. 313, A bill proposing an amendment to section 1, of article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota.

Also, H. F. No. 281, A bill to amend sections 65 and 66 of title 3, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The blll was placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 282, A bill proposing an amendment to section 7, article 1 of the Constitution, relating to the grand jury system,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 6, A bill providing for proceedings for an adjudication upon the rights, legal and equitable, of the holders of Minnesota State railroad bonds, and of persons having claims for work done and money paid and materials and supplies furnished in the construction of the railroads in aid of which such bonds were issued, and to determine the liability of the State upon said bonds and claims,

Report the same back with the printed bill and recommend:

1st. That the printed bill be substituted for the original bill;

2nd. That the bill be amended by striking out the preamble thereof, and recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Putnam, from the committee on public lands, to which was referred

H. F. No. 241,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared

H. F. No. 136,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Wilson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the judiciary committee be required to inquire and report at as early a day as convenient, whether the number of associate justices of the supreme court should be increased to four, and that they report by bill or otherwise.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Wilson offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That during the present session the House will not grant the use of this Hall to any person for any purpose.

Mr. Amundson offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved: That the committee on judiciary be, and they are hereby directed to inquire into the propriety of so amending the General Statutes, that when a party is arrested for any felony, and held to await the action of the grand jury, it shall be lawful for such party, if he desires,

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plead guilty to such offense, to appear before the district judge, plead guilty and receive sentence without indictment, and that they report to this House by bill or otherwise at an early day.

Mr Baxter J., offered the following resolution:

Which motion was lost.

Resolved: That the committee on finance be instructed to enquire into the propriety and advisability of purchasing the the portraits of the Governors of this State, and report to the House by resolution, bill or otherwise.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

The committee on judiciary introduced—

H F. No. 343, A bill to amend section 12, of title 3, chapter 8, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to counties and couny officers.

Also, H. F. No. 344, A bill to amend section 2, of chapter 47, of the General Laws of 1875, being section 23, of chapter 123, of the General Statutes of 1878, legalizing deeds and mortgage without seals of grantors.

Also, H. F. No. 345, A bill to amend section 315, of chapter 66, of General Statutes of 1878, relating to levy on unharvested crops.

The bills were read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn the rules were suspended, and the bills were read the second time, and placed on general orders.

Mr. Dunn, introduced—

H. F. No. 346, A bill to provide for the establishing a State capital building fund.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Also, H. F. No. 347, A bill to amend section 67, of chapter 11, of General Statutes of 1868, relating to the assessment and collecting of taxes.

Also, H. F. No. 348, A bill to amend section 100, of chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to county commissioners.

Which two bills were read the first time and referred to the committee on public accounts and expenditures.

Also, H. F. No. 349, A bill to provide for the suspension and removal of county treasurers for malfeasance or non-feasance in office.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public accounts.

Also, H. F. No. 350, A bill to amend section 150, of ehapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the duties of county treasurers, and the care of public funds, etc.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committe on public accounts and expenditures.

Also, H. F. No. 351, A bill to amend section 149, of chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to county treasurers.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public accounts and expenditures.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 352, A bill to change the name of the town of Clarksville, in Big Stone county, to Malta.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Porter O. S., introduced—

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H. F. No. 353, A bill permitting each township in the State to keep a record of all roads running into or through such townships.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 354, A bill to empower the county commissioners to change or vacate military roads in Sherburne county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 355, A bill for the relief of the county of Crow Wing.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Also, H. F. No. 356, A bill to provide for the salary of the county treasurer of Mille Lacs county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 357, A bill to amend chapter 130, Special Laws of 1879, to establish Independent School District of Granite Falls.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Redding introduced—

H. F. No. 358, A bill to authorize the creation of a lien upon a foal before its birth.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 35, A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 21 of the Statutes of Minnesota, revision of 1866, as amended by section 3 of chapter 76 of the General Laws of 1874, relating to weights and measures.

S. F. No. 149, A bill to set apart for incorporation certain territory in the county of Dakota as a village, under the name of Vermillion.

S. F. No. 151, A bill to make sections 1, 2 and 3 of chapter 120 of the General Laws of 1877, relative to salary of county auditors and county treasurers, applicable to the county of Kandiyohi.

S. F. No. 156, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Preston, approved March 4, 1871."

S. F. No. 157, A bill to amend chapter 3, Special Laws of 1879, relating to the village of Alden, Freeborn county.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 90, A bill to incorporate the village of Pipestone, Pipestone county.

H. F. No. 225, A bill to prescribe the sessions of the board of county commissioners of Stearns county.

H. F. No. 232, A bill to incorporate the village of Benton in the county of Carver and State of Minnesota.

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H. F. No. 263, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Houston in the county or Houston and the State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 265, A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 14, Special Laws of 1876, being an act to incorporate the village of Le Roy, Mower county.

Also, that the Senate has concurred in the resolution of the House authorizing the St. Cloud State Normal School investigating committee to send for persons, papers and records, and to employ a stenographer.

S. P. JENNISON,

Secretary of the Senate.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 157, A bill to amend chapter 3, Special Laws of 1879, relating to the village of Alden, Freeborn county,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Denby, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

S. F. No. 156, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Preston, approved March 4, 1871,"

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hayes, the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 156

Was read the second and third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 57, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins Henry, Herberger, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and the title agreed to.

S. F. No. 151, A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of chapter 120 of the General Laws of 1877, in relation to the salary of county auditor, etc., in the county of Kandiyohi,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Stone, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for the third reading.

S. F. No. 35, A bill to amend section 11, chapter 21 of the Statutes of Minnesota, Revision of 1866, as amended by section 3 of chapter 76 of the General Laws of 1874, relating to weights and measures,

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on agriculture.

S. F. No. 149, A bill to set apart for incorporation as a village certain territory in the county of Dakota under the name of the village of Vermillion,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporation.

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SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 60, 241, 381, 282, 323, 197 and 221,
Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

On motion of Mr. Wilson,

H. F. No. 135, was laid upon the table.

H. F. No. 136, A bill to amend title I of chapter 34 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 165, A bill to amend an act entitled, an act to promote immigration.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 44, and nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Hayes, Halgren,, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kendall, Kidder, Kolhmier, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Juelson, Kneeland and Wiley.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 169, A bill to provide for a change of the county limits of the counties of Polk and Marshall,

Was read the third time and put on its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A.,

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Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 170, A bill to authorize a division of the county of Polk in this State and the organization of a new county from a portion of the territory embraced in said county of Polk,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 171, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Watonwan county to levy a tax for certain purposes,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nayes none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Reding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Wiley moved a call of the House, and the Clerk called the roll. The Speaker directed a list of the absentees to be given to the Sergeant-at-Arms and he was directed to report the members in their seats.

On motion of Mr. Cutts further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

H. F. No. 172, A bill to authorize the town of Detroit to issue bonds to fund its debt,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Aleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Colins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt Hulebak, Juleson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner,

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Kneland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 180, A bill to amend section 22 of title 3, chapter 35 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to fees for examining and conveying insane persons to the hospital for the insane.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 195, A bill to prohibit cattle and other domestic animals running at large in the town of Toming, in Swift county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 6[illegible], and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C. Post, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 200, A bill in relation to the use of school houses in school districts,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland. Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S:, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam,

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Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Southard, Stewart, Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wiley Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 203. Substitute for H. F. No. 133, A bill to provide compensation to board of county commissioners while acting as boards of equalization,

Was by unanimous consent amended by excepting from the operation of the bill Dakota and Hennepin counties.

And the bill was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin. Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Cutts, the House took a recess uniil 2:30 o'clock, this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

The House resumed the

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 211, A bill in relation to cattle running at large in the towns of Cokato and Stockhom.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Buckman, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Shear-

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down, Southard. Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 222, Substitute for H. F. No. 27, A bill to cancel certain delinquent taxes in the county of Red Wood, and to transfer certain other taxes from said county to the county of Yellow Medicine,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 248, A bill to prevent cattle from being at large in the town of Bergen in McLeod county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Donahue. Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt. Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 250, A bill to prescribe the salary of the judge of probate, Dakota county.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser. Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 96, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 83, of the Laws of 1875, relating to town insurance companies.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson, J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen Wagner, Wiley and Wilson.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 118, A bill to amend section 17, chapter 36 of the Statutes of 1878, relating to education,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Ziskee.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 119, A bill to amend section 10, chapter 15, Statutes of 1878, relating to relief of poor.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins, Hoyt, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Sheardown voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hoyt,

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H. F. No. 140, A bill relating to the salaries of district judges,
Was laid upon the table.
On motion of Mr. Gould,
H. F. Nos. 149 and 150
Were laid upon the table.

H. F. No. 154, A bill to establish the office of district attorney in and for the 12th judicial district, and to define the duties of said district attorney,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 159, A bill relating to savings banks,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 29, and nays 33, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Buckman, Butterfield, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Hawkins, Hoyt, Kneeland, Mott, McMaster, Post, Putnam, Rice, Sampson, Stone, Tharalson, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Baker, Bohland, Burger, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Denby, Donahue, Hayes, Henry, Juelson, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 177, A bill relating to the village of Claremont.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Graling, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether,

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Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 256, A bill relating to morality, chastity and decency,

Was amended by unanimous consent, read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Wiley.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 277, A bill to amend chapter 15, of the Special Laws of 1872, to incorporate the city of Lake City,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt Sheardowh, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 117, A hill to amend chapter 16 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to intoxicating liquors,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Alseson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould. Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hurlebak, Kendall, Klossner, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 359, A bill to preserve the waters of White Bear and Goose Lakes, in Ramsey and Washington counties.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Kendall, Klossner, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S. Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 360, A bill concering the evidence upon the trials upon indictments.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Northness introduced—

H. F. No. 361, A bill to amend section 75, chapter 13, General Statute of 1878, relating to roads, cartways and bridges.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

On motion of of Mr. Sanborn, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 249 was reported back and read the second time, and placed on file for engrossment and third reading.

Mr. Gould moved to reconsider the vote by which

H. F. No 165 was lost.

The Speaker ruled the motion was not in order.

Mr. Gould appealed from the ruling of the Speaker.

And the House sustained the ruling.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached the House resolved itself into committee of the whole,

Mr. Gould in the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration,

H. F. No. 93, A bill to amend section 62, chapter 13, General Statutes of 1878.

H. F. No. 106, A bill relating to garnishment.

H. F. No. 117, A bill relating to intoxicating liquors.

H. F. No. 179, A bill to repeal section 2, chapter 309, Special Laws of 1879.

H. F. No. 181, A bill to amend section 151, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878.

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H. F. No. 187, A bill to aid State Dairymen's Association.
H. F. No. 306, A bill to amend section 3, General Statutes, relating to fees.
H. F. No. 228, City of Winona to issue bonds.
H. F. No. 242, Incorporate village of Montgomery, Le Sueur county.
H. F. No. 244, Incorporate the village of Lake City.
H. F. No. 246, Establish deputy clerkship, of Supreme Courts.
H. F. No. 257, Militia of the State of Minnesota.
H. F. No. 258, Substitute for H. F. No. 131, Relating to civil actions.
H. F. No. 259, Substitute for H. F. No. 162. Protection of fish.
H. F. No. 260, Chastity, morality and decency.
H. F. No. 276, Village of Delano.
H. F. No. 22. Special tax bridges, County of Swift.
H. F. No. 36. Casualty Insurance Company.
H. F. No. 77, Forest trees.
H. F. No. 100, Jurisdiction municipal courts, St. Paul.
H. F. No. 183, Prevent language to cause breach of the peace.
H. F No. 196, Town of Chaska to issue bonds.
H. F. No. 204, To amend chapter 166 General Laws of 1878.
H. F. No. 213, To pay interest on town orders.
H. F. No. 236, To amend section 41, chapter 1, General Statutes of 1878.
H. F. No. 239, To amend section 172, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878.
H. F. No. 240, To amend General Statutes of 1878 relating to fire insurance companies.
H. F. No. 245, Tax salary of the treasurer of Stearns county.
H. F. No. 261, Relating to civil actions.
H. F. No. 262, Resistance to officers.
H. F. No. 271, Substitute for H. F. No. 158, Pipestone county to issue bonds.
H. F. No. 269, Amend chapter 20, General Laws 1868.
H. F. No. 275, Fees of jurors.
H. F. No. 288, County commissiones Big Stone county.
H. F. No. 290, Incorporate Montrose.
H. F. No. 299, Independent school District, Polk county.
H. F. No. 307, Substitute H. F. No. 235, title 11, chapter 8, General Statutes.
H. F. No. 309, Substitute H. F. No. 56, eighth judicial district.
H. F. No. 320, Independent School district, Redwood county.
H. F. No. 274, Substitue H. F. No. 146. legalize conveyances.
H. F. No. 278, To amend title 1, chapter 80, General Statutes, 1878.
H. F. No. 279, Corporations.
S. F. No. 60, Incorporate Lake Crystal.
S. F. No. 128, Village of Benson,. Issue bonds.
S. F. No. 58, Restraining beasts doing damage.
S. F. No. 46, Relating to exemptions.
S. F. No. 41, To organize Wadena county.
S. F. No. 115, To change the name of Oak Lake.
S. F. No. 89, Joint resolutions for the relief of homestead settlers.
S. F. No. 14, To incorporate the village of Evansville.
S F. No. 32, Logs and lumber.
S. F. No. 68, To incorporate the village of Detroit.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that they do pass.

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H. F. No. 101, Relating to Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company.

H. F. No. 259, Substitute for H. F. No. 162, relating to the protection of fish.

H. F. No. 15, Relating to the punishment of tramps.

Which they report back with amendments, and recommend that they do pass as amended.

H. F. No. 48, Relating to the inspection of steam boilers.

H. F. No. 272, Substitute for H. F. No. 201, relating to General Laws of 1879.

Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

H F. No. 272, To be considered with the Senate bill on the same subject.

H. F. No. 198, Relating to inspecting steam boilers.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be placed on General orders, and be considered with H. F. No. 48.

H. F. No. 202, A bill relating to township organization.

H. F. No. 273, a substitute for H. F. No. 151, relating to fees.

Which they reported back with the recommendation that they be indefinitely postponed.

H. F. No. 64, A bill relating to intoxicating liquors.

Which they reported back with the recommendation that it be placed on general order for next Monday.

H. F. No. 251, relating to inturance contracts.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be printed and placed at the foot of general orders.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

Mr. McCracken moved that the House adjaurn until next Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock,

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

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TWENTY-FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Saturday, February 5, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Baxter L. L., Boser, Buckman, Cornish, Dean, Halgren, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, Post, Redding, Schmidt, Snure, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr. and Wagner.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Cornish, Post and Redding.

On motion of Mr. Denny the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Dunn, from the committee on judiciary, to which was referred

H. F. No. 115, A bill to authorize the draining of a lake in Wright county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 360, A bill concerning the evidence upon the trials upon indictment,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

Mr. Dunn moved that the rules be suspended, that the bill may have its second and third reading and be put upon its final passage.

Which motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the bill was read the second time and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Searles, from the committee on taxes and tax laws, to which was referred

H. F. No. 16,

Reported the same back with

H. F. No. 362, A substitute for said H. F. No. 16, A bill to license the keeping of dogs, and for the protection of sheep,

And recommended that the substitute do pass.

The substitute was read the first time, and placed on file for its third reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Flom, from the Goodhue county delegation, to whom was referred

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H. F. No. 322, A bill authorizing and requiring each town in Goodhue county to support its own poor,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Smith, from the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 134, A bill to incorporate the village of White Bear,

Reported the same back, and recommended that it do pass.

The bill was read the second time, ordered to be engrossed, and placed on file for its third reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, reports that he has examined

H. F. Nos. 81, 24, 28, 21, 67 and 8,

And finds the same correctly enrolled, and that ne has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

M. Allen introduced—

H F. No. 363, A bill to change the name of Hellen A. Tuttle to Hellen A. Fifield.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Wilson introduced—

H. F. No. 364, A bill to enable the Winona & St. Peter Railway company to purchase or lease the property and franchising of the Plainview Railway company.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The committee on taxes and tax laws introduced—

H. F. No. 365, A bill to amend chapter 1, of the General Laws of 1878, to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes.

Which was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Kneeland introduced—

H. F. No. 366, A bill to limit and regulate the salary of the county treasurer, register of deeds and clerk of district court in the county of Dodge.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Roberts introduced—

H. F. No. 367, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 75, in Henepin county, and attach the same to school district No. 74, of said county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Roberts, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Southard introduced—

H. F. No. 368, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 109, in Goodhue county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegations from Goodhue and Wabasha counties.

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Mr Kniss introduced—

H. F. No. 369, A bill to reimburse Munroe county, on account of tax suits with Winona & St. Peter railroad.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Linnell introduced—

H. F. No. 370, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the south branch of Crow river.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Also, H. F. No. 371, A bill to amend an act to suppress the catching of fish in Lake Koronis.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Linnell the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Rice introduced—

H. F. No. 372, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Watonwan river.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 373, A bill to locate and establish a State road from the village of Campbell, in Wilkin county, to the village of Ashby, in the county of Grant.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Daniels introduced—

H. F. No. 374, A bill to amend section 1 and section 7 of article 4 of the constitution.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 25, A bill to amend section 350 of chapter 34 of the Revised Statutes of 1878,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 70, A bill to amend chapter 39 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to chattel mortgages,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 71, A bill to amend chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to civil actions,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 109, A bill to amend sections 38, 40 and 41 of chapter 64 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to short-hand reporters,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 160, A joint resolution asking Congress to appropriate money to improve the harbor of Duluth,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Kendall the rules were suspended, and

The joint resolution was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the joint resolution, there were yeas 62, and nays 2, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Northness and Peterson A.

So the joint resolution was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 166, a memorial to Congress, for an appropriation to aid in constructing a levee and protection of the overflow of lands on the west bank of the Mississippi river, opposite St. Paul,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Smith, the rules were suspended, and the memorial

Was read the second and third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the memorial there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the memorial was passed, and its title agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 134, 365, 322 and 115

Were read the second time.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 70, A bill to amend chapter 39 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to chattel mortgages.

S. F. No. 71, A bill to amend chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to civil actions.

S. F. No. 166, Being a memorial to Congress for an appropriation to aid in constructing a levee and prevention of the overflow of lands on the west bank of the Mississippi river opposite St. Paul.

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S. F. No. 160, A joint resolution asking Congress to appropriate money to improve the harbor of Duluth.

S. F. No. 25, A bill to amend section 350 of chapter 34 of the Revised Statutes of 1878.

S. F. No. 109, A bill to amend sections 38, 40 and 41 of chapter 64, General Statutes 1878, relating to shorthand reporters.

Also, H. F. No. 35, A bill to amend section 607, chapter 107 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to indictments.

H. F. No. 71, A bill to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in the city of Northfield, Rice County.

H. F. No. 78, A bill to authorize the county of Benson to issue bonds for certain purposes therein mentioned.

H. F. No. 92, A bill to allow the trustees of the village of Worthington to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 127, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Martin county to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 296, To authorize the board of county commissioners of of Ramsey county to issue the bonds of said county to redeem and pay certain bonds that mature during the present year.

H. F. No. 284, A bill to change the boundary of school district No. 66, in Dakota county.

S. F. No. 191, A bill relating to public schools in the village of Cannon Falls, Goodhue county.

H. F. No. 124, A bill to amend an act entitled, An act to incorporate the city of Anoka and State of Minnesota.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 68, A bill to incorporate the village of Detroit, in the county of Becker.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A. Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 131, A bill to establish and regulate the public schools in the village of Lonesboro,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender,

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Churchill, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberber, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 151, A bill to make sections 1, 2 and 3 of chapter 120 of the General Laws of 1877, relating to salaries of county auditor and treasurer in the county of Kandiyohi,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 157, A bill to amend chapter 3, Special laws of 1879, relating to the village of Alden, in Freeborn county,

Was read the third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those whe voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callendar, Child, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharlson, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F No. 73, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Mower county, to levy a tax for and to expend the same on roads and bridges, in said county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby,

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Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 46, A bill to amend chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to exemptions,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Wagner, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Northness and Tharalson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 58, A bill amending section 38 of title 3 of chapter 19 of the General Statutes of 1860, as amended by General Laws of 1874, relating to distraining beats doing damage,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 32, A bill to amend section 5 of title 2, and section 7 of title 3 of chapter 32, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to logs and lumber,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Col-

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quhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared
H. F. Nos. 183, 101 and 93,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Donahue, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
ST. PAUL, February 5, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. No 5, An act to prevent the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in the county of Grant.

H. F. No. 17, An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Redwood county, to attach tractional township number 113 of range 34, to any organized town in said county.

H. F. No. 43, An act to authorize the Hastings Union Industrial association, to distribute surplus funds.

H. F. No. 109, An act authorizing the common council of the city of Hastings to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding the present bonded indebtedness of said city.

H. F. No. 8, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Minnesota Western Railroad Company, approved March third (3d), one thousand eight hundred and fifty-

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three (1853), and the acts amendatory thereof," approved February fourth (4th), A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy (1870).

H. F. No. 24, An act appropriating money to pay the repairs of the Sate Normal School, at Mankato.

H. F. No. 120, An act to amend section four (4), of chapter seventy-one (71), of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, relating to the summoning of jurors.

H. F. No. 21, An act to reduce the boundaries of Independent School District No. 1, of Redwood county.

H. F. No. 28, An act to legalize and confirm the organization of all organized towns in Redwood county.

H. F. No. 67, And act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Montevideo."

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,

Governor.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 41, A bill to complete the organization of Wadena county.

Was read the third time and put opon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baxter J., Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Morthness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharlson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 14, A bill to incorporate the village of Evansville,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 89, A joint resolution for the relief of persons who have filed upon homesteads on the western prairies,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T.C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 113, A bill to change the name of Oak Lake in the county of Becker to that of Audubon,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Flom, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 128, A bill to authorize the village council of the village of Benson to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bockwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 60, A bill to amend chapter 21 of the Special Laws of 1876, entitled "An act to amend chapter 5 of the Special Laws of 1870, to incorporate the village of Lake Crystal,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin Baxter J., Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender,

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Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denby, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title a reed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 249, A bill to further amend an act to reduce the law regulating public schools in the city of St. Paul into one act, and to amend the same,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Daniels, Denby, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 22, A bill to authorize the commissioners of the county of Swift, to levy a special tax for road and bridge purposes,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nayes none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 77, A bill to encourage and promote the planting of forest trees,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 36, and nays 24, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin,

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Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Hanscom, Kennedy, Kniss, Linnell, Lovelaud, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Purrington, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Taharlson, Tone, Wagner, Washburn and Wiley.

Those who voted in the negative were.

Messrs. Andrus, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Ives. Juelson, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, McCracken, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Roberts, Sanborn, Thompson J. and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn. the vote by which

H. F. No. 77 was lost was reconsidered, and

The bill was laid upon the table.

H. F. No. 100, A bill relating to the jurisdiction of the municipal courts of the cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis in actions of forcible entry, and detention of lands and tenements,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J , Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstrock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes. Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S , Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 181, A bill to amend section 151, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Rice, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 187, A bill to appropriate $500 to the State Dairyman's association,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 33, and nays 30, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Graling, Hanscom, Ives, Kennedy, Kniss, Moore, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Van Hoesen and Washburn.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andurs, Baker, Cutts, Denby, Flom, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Juelson, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Rice, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill wos lost.

H. F. No. 306, A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 70 of the General Statutes of 1878, entitled, "Fees,"

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 51, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Baldwin, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Denby, Dodge, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson and Dunn.

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Dunn gave notice of a motion to reconsider the vote by which H. F No. 306, was lost.

H. F. No. 258, substitute for H. F. No. 131, A bill to amend sections 101, 102 and 119, title 6, chapter 66, General Laws of 1878, relating to civil actions,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 260, A bill to amend section 4, chapter 100, General Statutes of 1878, relating to offenses against chastity, morality and decency,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill. Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 261, A bill to amend section 99, of chapter 66, of General Statutes, of 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No 262, A bill declaring resistance to officers a misdemeanor, and providing for punishment therefor,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 271, Substitute for H. F. No. 128, A bill to allow Pipe Stone county to issue bonds for certain purposes therein named,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Honscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharlson, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 228, A bill to authorize the city of Winona to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the Affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Sheardown Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 299, A bill to detach territory therein described from Independent School District No. 1, in Polk county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Rice, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 244, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Lake City,

Was referred to Mr. Sanborn for amendment, reported back,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser,

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Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill as amended was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 213, A bill to provide for regestering and payment of interest on town orders,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 49, and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Alseson, Baker, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Juelson, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner and Wiley.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Ives, Kennedy, Schmidt and Northness.

So the bill was lost.

On motion of Mr. Dunn,

H. F. No. 36, A bill relating to casualty insurance companies,

Was ordered printed and recommitted to the committee of the whole.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Flom, from the committee on engrossment, reports that he has compared

H. F. No. 249,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

H. F. No 276, A bill to authorize the village of Delano, Wright county, to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley and Ziskee.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 204, A bill to amend section 166, of chapter 34, of General Statutes of 1878,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnel, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 179, A bill to repeal section 27, chapter 309, Special Laws of 1879,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Lovland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, V n Hoesen, Wagner and Wiley.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 196, A bill to authorice the trwn of Chaska to issue bonds for the constructiou of a bridge across the Minnesota river at the village of Chaska,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Callender Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Shmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether and Wagner.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 236, A bill to amend section 41 of chapter 1 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to fees of messenger for carrying election returns,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Buttefield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge,

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Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 239, A bill to amend section 132, chapter 8 of General Statutes 1878, relating to salary of county treasurer,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Huleback, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 259, A bill for the protection of fish,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 17, and nays 37, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Burger, Callender, Gould, Ives, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, McMaster, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Sanborn, Southard, Stone and Thompson J.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Gardner, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Rice, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Smith, Stedjee, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Collins gave notice of a motion to reconsider the vote by which H. F. No. 259, was lost.

Mr. Bohland moved that the House adjourn until 11 o'clock next Monday morning.

Which motion was lost.

H. F. No. 245, A bill to fix the salary of the treasurer of Stearns county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mc-

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Master, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 240, A bill to amend the Statutes of 1878, in relation to mutual fire insurance companies,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 269, A bill to amend chapter 20 of the General Laws of 1868, relating to the organization of persons as a chamber of commerce or board of trade,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Juelson, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 242, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Montgomery, in the county of Le Sueur,"

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Flom reports that he has compared
H. F. No. 278,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.
On motion of Mr. Dunn
H. F. No. 275, A bill to prescribe the fees of jurors in justices court,
Was placed on the calendar for next Monday
On motion of Mr. Dunn the House adjourned until next Monday at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Monday, February 7, 1881.

The House met at 2:30 P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.
Prayer by the Chaplain.
The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:
Messrs. Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Braley, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Donahue, Griggs, Hall, Huhn, McAndrews, Mott, Redding, Sabin, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton and Thompson J. Jr.
On motion of Mr. Andrus the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. Daniels, the House went into the order of third reading of House bills.
On motion of Mr. Sanborn,
H. F. No. 60,
Was taken from general orders, and referred to the special joint committee on railroads bonds.
On motion of Mr. Rice, the vote by which
H. F. No. 187,
Was lost, was reconsidered.
On motion of Mr. Moore, the vote by which
H. F. No. 169,
Was lost, was reconsidered.
On motion of Mr. Wiley, the vote whereby
H. F. No. 165,
Was lost, was reconsidered.
On motion of Mr. Dunn, the vote whereby
H. F. No. 306,
Was lost, was reconsidered, and

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On motion of Mr. Dunn,
H. F. No. 165,
Was referred to committee of the whole.
On motion of Mr. Hicks,
H. F. Nos. 187, 159 and 306,
Were placed on file for third reading.
On motion of Mr. Collins, the vote whereby
H. F. No. 259,
Was lost, was reconsidered.
On motion of Mr. Collins,
H. F. No. 259,
Was placed on file for third reading.
Mr. Dunn moved to reconsider the vote whereby the House voted to go into the order of third reading of bills.
Which motion was lost.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 275, A bill prescribing the fees of jurors in justices' courts,
Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.
The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 78, and nays 4, as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were—
Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker Baldwin, Baxter, J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Callender Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A. Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Sreaker.
Those who voted in the negative were—
Messrs. Burger, Colquhoun, Flom and Hulebak.
So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 257, A bill relating to the organization and to promote the efficiency of the uniformed militia of the State of Minnesota,
Was read the third time.
On motion of Mr. Gould, the following amendments were unanimously adopted:
Amend section 3 by striking out the word "forty" and inserting "thirty," and the word "seventy-five" and inserting "sixty."
The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 59, and nays 25, as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were—
Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hansom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Lewis, Linnell, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Purrington, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee,

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Stone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Southard, Thompson J., Tone and Tether.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dunn

H. F. No. 77

Was taken from the table and placed on file for third reading.

H. F. No. 288, A bill to legalize the action of the board of county commissioners of Big Stone county, in organizing school districts and towns,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 81, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier. Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice. Roberts, Rosebrock. Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 290, A bill to incorporate the village of Montrose,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 82, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger. Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Bosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 279, A bill to amend section 29, title, 1, and section 112, title 2, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878, entitled "Corporations,"

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows.

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J , Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Steejee, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner. Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 274, A bill to legalize certain conveyances heretofore made and proceedings had thereunder relating to corporations,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to

H. F. No. 320, A bill to authorize Independent School District No. 1, in Redwood county, to issue bonds,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 78, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 308, A bill to amend section 175, title 6, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, and to repeal chapter 3, General Laws of 1879, relating to register of deeds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 307, A bill to amend section 230, title 11, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to county surveyors bond,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A. Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Ives the vote whereby

H. F. No. 213

Was lost, was reconsidered, and placed on general orders.

H. F. No. 93, A bill to amend section 62 of chapter 18 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to roads, cartways and bridges,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 101, A bill to enable the Winona & St. Peter railroad com-

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pany to purchase the property and franchises of certain railroad companies,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Toue, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and the title agreed to.

H. F. No. 134, A Bill to incorporate the village of White Bear, in the county of Ramsey,

Was read the third times, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Allen, Amundsou, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine. Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill Hoyt, Holebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kuhlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 183, A bill to prevent the use of language calculated to cause a breach of the peace,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mc Master, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 278, A bill to amend title 1, chapter 80, General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Rohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 367, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 75, in Hennepin county and attach the same to school district No. 74, in said county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendalls, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 371, A bill to amend an act to suppress the catching of fish in Lake Koronis, in Stearns and Meeker counties,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

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On motion of Mr. Comstock, the rules were suspended, and the House went into the order of messages from the Senate.

The following communication and report from the Secretary of State was received and recorded, and

On motion of Mr. Daniels, the communication and report was ordered to be printed and referred to the special joint committee on judicial districts.

ST PAUL, Thursday, February 7, 1881.

Hon. Loren Fletcher,
Speaker of House of Representatives.

SIR:—I have the honor to transmit herewith statements received from the Clerk of the District Court, for the different counties in the State, giving the number of suits commenced and the number tried in their respective counties, as requested by a resolution of the House of Representatives, I addressed a circular letter to every Clerk of the District Court, (except Ramsey county), in the State; but two failed to receive statments from 17 counties.

Yours very respectfully,
FRED VON BAUMBACH,
Secretary of State.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 5, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 3, A bill to amend chapter 27 of General Laws of 1876, and chapter 5 of General Laws of 1873, and being same as section 3 of chapter 13, General Laws of 1878, relating to roads and cartways.

S. F. No. 4., A bill to prevent fraud and corruption at elections.

S. F. No. 9, A bill to amend section 1 chapter 39, General Laws of 1879, providing for a State bounty for the destruction of wolves.

S. F. No. 42, A bill to increase the standing appropriation for Normal Schools, and to provide for the payment of the salaries of institute teachers therefrom.

S. F. No. 62, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to levy a tax and expend the same on roads, streets, avenues and bridges in said county.

S. F. No. 85, A bill to locate a State road from Alexandria to Herman, in Grant county.

S. F. No. 99, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of the several counties of this State, to pay a bounty for the destruction of wolves.

S. F. No. 103, A bill to authorize the erection of dams and booms across Red Lake river east of range 47, in Polk county.

S. F. No. 129, A bill relating to costs and disbursments in criminal actions.

S. F. No. 137, A bill authorizing the adoption of a child therein named.

S. F. No. 140, A bill extending the time of payment for seed grain furnished sufferers from grass-hoppers ravages under chapter 94, of the General Laws of 1878.

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S. F. No. 145, A bill to cede to the United State jurisdiction over such territory in the city of Minneapolis, as may be selected by the General Government as a site for a post office and other government offices in said city.

S. F. No. 159, A bill to amend section 13, chapter 52 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the estates of deceased persons.

Also the following House Files were passed:

H. F. No. 9, A bill to permit certain persons to cut and maintain a channel from Floyd lake to Pelican river in Becker county.

H. F. No. 40, A bill granting ferry privilege to John Sheely, across Red river in Polk county.

H. F. No. 63, A bill to amend sections 19 and 20 of chapter 1 of the General Statutes, revision of 1866, relating to the canvassing of votes for State officers.

H. F. No. 164, A bill to legalize a deed of conveyance acknowledged before George Bligh Bowen, commissioner of police and magistrate of the city of Madras, East India.

H. F. No. 177, A bill to ameud an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Claremont, Dodge county, Minnesota, approved March 11, 1878.

H. F. No. 193, A bill relating the disbursement of moneys by the treasurer of Goodhue county.

H. F. No. 359, A bill to preserve the waters of White Bear and Goose lakes, in the counties of Washington and Ramsey.

Also, the following House File, with an amendment, in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested:

H. F. No. 25, A bill to organize a school for idiots and imbeciles.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No 25.

The qustion being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callend r, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed as amended, and its title agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 7, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have the honor to announce the passage to-day of the Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 126, A bill to legalize certain acts of the board of county

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commissioners of the county of Murray, and the election of commissioner had in said county November 2d, A. D. 1880.

S. F. No. 171, A bill to authorize school district No. 1, Scott county, to issue bonds to erect a school building.

And has also passed the following House Files, herewith returned:

H. F. No. 10, A bill to incorporate the village of Wadena.

H. F. No. 97, A bill to incorporate the village of Glyndor.

H. F. No. 154, A bill establishing the office of district attorney.

H. F. No. 280, A bill to authorize the judge of the probate court of Le Sueur county to properly arrange and record the papers in his office, relating to proceedings had in said court, in and for the 12th judicial district, and to define the duties of said district attorney.

And has also passed with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House is requested,

H. F. No. 34, A bill to provide for the organization of the county of Big Stone.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Washburn, the Senate Amendment to
H. F. No. 34,
Was concurred in.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Cardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness Peterson A. Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, as amended, and its title agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Allen introduced—

H. F. No. 375, A bill to incorporate the village of Lansing, in Mower county.

On motion of Mr. Allen, the rules were suspended, and
H. F. No. 375
Was read the first, second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish,

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Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and the title agreed to.

Mr. Allen introduced—

H. F. No. 376, A bill to amend chapter 308, Special Laws of 1879, fixing salaries of county officers, in Mower county.

On motion of Mr. Allen, the rules were suspended so as to give

H. F. No. 376, its first, second and third readings.

H. F. No. 375,

Was read the first, second and third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Sanborn moved that the rules be suspended, and

H. F. No. 216, A memorial to Congress, be put upon its final passage at this time.

Which motion prevailed.

H. F. No. 216, A memorial to Congress requesting the speedy passage of the bill now before Congress to prevent the deposit of saw dust and other mill refuse in the Mississippi river,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays 22, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Huelbak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Baxter J., Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Colquhoun, Cornish, Donahue, Graling, Hanscom, Hicks, Ives, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Resebrock, Thompson J., Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Hicks presented two petitions on sheep and wool interest,

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Which were referred to the committee on agriculture.

By Mr. McCracken, a petition against paying railroad bonds.

Referred to the special joint committee on railroad bonds.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Southard, from the delegation from Goodhue and Wabasha counties, to whom was referred,

H. F. No. 368, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 109, in Goodhue county, and attach the same to joint school district No. 50, in Wabasha county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to which was referred

H. F. No 285, A bill to amend section 66, chapter 86 of the General Statutes, relating to education,

Reported the same back, and recommended that it be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also. H. F. No. 212, A bill to amend section 20 of chapter 36 of the General Statutes of 1878, changing school districts,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 357, A bill to amend chapters 1 and 30 of Special Laws of 1879, for school district in Granite Falls,

Reported the same back, and recommended that it do pass

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 324, A bill to amend the General Statutes, section 15, chapter 36, in relation to posting notices of change of school districts,

Reported the same back, and recommended that it do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 335, A bill to attach certain territory to school district in the county of Nicollet,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 366, A bill to limit and regulate the salaries of county officers in the county of Dodge,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Alien, from the committee on towns and counties to which was recommitted

H. F. No. 286,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 354, A bill to authorize county commissioners of Sherburn county to change or vacate a military road,

Reported the same back and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 353, A bill permitting each township clerk in the State to keep a record of all roads running into or through such township,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

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Also, H. F. No. 352, A bill to change the name of a township in Big Stone county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 318, A bill relating to township organization,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report was adopted.

Mr. Rice, from the committee on claims, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 304, A bill to reinburse Wantonwan county and James Glispin, at and after the capture of the Younger Brothers,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Dunn, from the committee on judiciary, to which was referred,

H. F. No. 161, A bill to authorize Theodore Casper to build and maintain a mill dam across Skunk river, in Morrison county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report was adopted.

Also, S. F. No. 5, A bill to repress and punish disorderly conduct on public conveyances,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was pla ed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Stone, from the committee on incorporations to whom was re-red

S. F. No. 149,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be referred to the delegation from Dakota county

Report was adopted, and the bill was referred to the delegation from Dakota county.

Mr. Dunn, from the committee on judiciary to which was referred

S. F. No. 82, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to chattel mortgages," being chapter 65 of the General Laws of 1879,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 294, A bill to amend title 4 of chapter 34 of the General Statutes of 1878. relating to religious corporations,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Dunn, from the committee on public accounts and expenditures, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 348, A bill to amend section 100 of chapter 8 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to county commissioners,

Reported the same back, with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H F. No. 351, A bill to amend section 149 of chapter 8 General Statutes of 1878, relating to county treasurers.

Also, H. F. No. 349, A bill providing for the suspension and removal of county treasurers for malfeasance or nonfeasance in office, and for the appointment of county treasurers *ad interim*.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

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REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES:

Mr. Hicks, from the Hennepin county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 123, A bill for the appointment of a phonographic reporter for the district court of Hennepin county, and to authorize the county commissioners of said county to provide for the payment of snch phonographer,

Reported the same back, with amendments, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 122, reported the same back, with

H. F. No. 377, a substitute for said H. F. No. 122, A bill to fix the salary of the clerk of probate court of the county of Hennepin, and rec ommended the substitute do pass.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the bill had its second reading, and placed on file for its third reading.

On motion of Mr. Hicks,

H. F. No. 123, had its second reading, and was placed on file for its third reading.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McCracken offered the following resolution.

Which was adopted.

Whereas, it has been currently reported and generally believed that the contract said to have been made between the State and Seymour, Sabin & Co., for the convict labor of the State prison, has not been made in the interest of the State, but has intentionally been made in the interest of Seymour, Sabin & Co.

And whereas, it is also currently reported and generally believed that parties interested in the securing of said contract for Seymour, Sabin & Co., offered Messrs. Forepaugh & Tarobx, the highest bidders for said convict labor, ten thousand dollars if they, the said Forepaugh & Tarbox, would withdraw their bid for said convict labor,

And whereas, it is generally believed that through the action of the prison inspectors in letting the said convict labor to said Seymour, Sabin & Co., the lowest bidders for said convict labor, instead of to said Forepaugh & Tarbox, the highest bidders for said convict labor. The State has been defrauded to the amount of at least ten thousand dollars ($10,000.)

And whereas, it is believed that all of the facts connected with the said transaction were not made known to the committee on State prison.

And Whereas, this legislature and the people of the State are entitled to, and of good right ought to know whether the State has suffered or not by the action of the said inspectors in the making of said contract for said convict labor, and as to whether the State is bound by said contract;

Therefore, resolved, that a joint committee of five on the part of the House and three on the part of the Senate, be selected or appointed to investigate the action of the prison inspectors in the making of said contract with the said Seymour, Sabin & Co.; and that representatives Dunn, Gould, Armstrong, Flom and Donahue be said committee on the part of the House, with power to send for persons and papers, and report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Collins offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

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Resolved: The Senate concurring, that the joint committee heretofore appointed to investigate charges made against the Normal school at St. Cloud, is hereby authorized to sit after the adjournment of the present session of the Legislature, and on the conclusion of such investigation to report to the Governor of this State.

On motion of Mr. Collins, the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Geary offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the finance committee be requested to inquire into the advisability of changing the time of the end of the fiscal year (so far as it relates to the several State institutions) from November 30th to September 30th, and report by bill or otherwise.

Which was adopted.

Mr. McCracken offered the following resolution:

Resolved: That no new bill shall be introduced or received into the House, after the 25th of February instant.

Mr. Smith gave notice of debate, the resolution went over under the rules.

On motion of Mr. Bohland, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Tuesday, February 8, 1881.

The House met at 10 A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Buckman, Callender, Cutts, Dean, Donahue, Juelson, Mott, Purrington, Stewart and Thornton.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. McAndrews and Cutts.

On motion of Mr. Putnam, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

Mr. Geary moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote whereby the resolution offered by Mr. McCracken, on yesterday, relating to an investigation of the action of the State Prison committe, was adopted, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Geary, the resolution, was amended by adding after the word "inspectors," in the sixth line of the resolution, the following words: "And committee on State Prison, or any other person."

And the resolution, as amended, was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Gould, he was excused from serving upon the joint investigating committee under the resolution.

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PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Baxter L. L., presented the petition of C. B. Sheldon and others asking for the protection of the wood-growing interests of the State.

Which was read and referred to the committee on agriculture and manufacturing.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to which was referred

S. F. No. 76, A bill relating to the erection of party walls in certain cases,

Reported the same back with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill was placed on file for the second reading.

Also, S. F. No. 64, A bill to amend section 2, chapter 24 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the number of hours constituting a day's labor,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinately postponed.

The report of the committee was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 337, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to appoint an overseer of the poor for a term not exceeding five years,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Kendall the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 254, A bill to amend section 232, title 11, chapter 8 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to county surveyors.

Also, S. F. No. 38, A bill to amend subsection third of section 64 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to service of summons by advertisement,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bills were placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 65, A bill to amend chapter 65 General Laws of 1879, entitled "An act in relation to chattel mortgages,"

Reported the same back without any recommendation.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 238, A bill to amend section 142, title 4, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the manner of paying county auditor's salary,

Reported the same back with a substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 199, A bill to amend section 13, chapter 65, General Laws of 1878, relating to justice court,

Reported the same back with a substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substituie was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 145, A bill relating to the St. Louis river boom association in St. Louis county.

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Reported the same back, with a substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Kendall, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Dunn, from the committee on public accounts and expenditures, to which was referred

H. F. No. 347, A bill to amend section 67, chapter 11 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the assessment and collection of taxes,

Reported the same back with a substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute

Was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 350, A bill to amend section 150 of chapter 8 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the duties of county treasurers and the care of public funds, and to add subsections 5, 6 and 7 to said section 150,

Reported the same back, with a substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Porter, from the committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 269,

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the delegation from Goodhue county.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 361,

Which they reported back with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 373,

Which they reported back, with the recommendation that it do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Rice, from the committee on claims, to which was referred

H. F. No. 270,

Reported the same back, and recommended that it pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Flom reports that he has compared

H. F. Nos. 15 and 106,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment,

Reports that he has examined

H. F. Nos. 59, 47, 205, 45, 90, 62, 188, 359, 296, 263, 167, 71, 284, 104, 112, 113, 32, 265, 232, 224, 147, 191, 190, 8, 193, 23, 225, 78, 164 and 168,

And finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Daniels offered the following resolution.

Which was adopted.

Whereas, Mr. Daniels receipted to the Secretary of State for copy of the General Statutes for the use of his and Mr. Braley's clerk for the term of this legislature, and

Whereas, Mr. Braley placed the same in his desk on Saturday last together with his manuel, and regularly locked the same, and

Whereas, The said desk has been unlocked by some person unknown and the said copy of the Statutes and manuel abstracted therefrom,

Resolved therefore, That Mr. Daniels be relieved from his responsibility to the State for said Statutes.

Mr. Wilson offered the following resolution.

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That the committee on judiciary be instructed to inquire and report whether any additional legislation is necessary, and if any what legislation, to secure a full and just listing of all personal property for taxation, and to punish any wilful failure to list or false listing of such property.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 383, A bill to incorporate the village of Audubon in Becker county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 383,

Was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 384, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 210, of the Special Laws of 1878, as amended by chapter 259, Special Laws of 1879, relating to the running at large of cattle in Wilkin county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 385, A bill in relation to public schools in Browns Valley.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Huhn introduced—

H. F. No. 386. A bill to legalize the organization of the Hassan German Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Huhn, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 386, was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives,

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Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

The committee on finance introduced—

H. F. No. 387, A bill to appropriate money for the general expenses of the State Government for the years 1881 and 1882.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time ordered printed, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 388, A bill to amend section 11, of chapter 324, Special Laws of 1879, relating to county officers in Hennepin county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Linnell introduced—

H. F. No. 389, A bill to drain a certain lake in Meeker county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The committee on finance introduced—

H. F. No. 390, A bill to provide for the levy of taxes for State purposes for the years 1881 and 1882.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, ordered printed and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Porter O. S., introduced—

H. F. No 391, A bill to authorize the register of deeds of Olmsted county to record a deed.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Porter O. S., the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 392, A bill to amend section 6 of title 3, of chapter 7, of Special Laws of 1874, amended by chapter 54, of Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Winnebago City.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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Mr. Northness introduced—

H. F. No. 393, A bill to amend section 55, of chapter 13, General Statutes of 1878, relating to roads and bridges.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 394, A bill to amend sections 145 and 147, of chapter 11, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to taxes.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

The committee on public accounts and expenditures introduced—

H. F. No. 395, A bill to amend section 34, of chapter 6, of the General Statutes of 1878, prescribing the duties of the State treasurer.

Which was read the first time, and

On Motion of Mr. Dunn, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Donahue introduced—

H. F. No. 396, A bill to authorize persons who have complied with the laws as to planting and cultivating timber.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on tree culture.

Mr Smith introduced—

H. F No. 397, A bill to amend section 104 of chapter 34, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Griggs introduced--

H. F. No. 398, A bill to change the name of George Albert Lilly to that of George Albert Bazille.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 399, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Mustinka river.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Also, H. F. No. 400, A bill to authorize the township of Logan to issue bonds for county purposes.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Gardner introduced—

H. F. No. 401, A memorial to Congress for the payment of bounty to members of the 1st Minnesota Mounted Rangers.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Gardner the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 401

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Caine, Child, Colquhoun, Comstock, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Hanscom, Haw-

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kins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Huhn introduced—

H. F. No. 402, A bill to fix the compensation and fees of certain county officers of Hennepin county therein named.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Sampson introduced—

H. F. No 403, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Red Lake River in Polk county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Hoyt introduced—

H. F. No. 404, A bill to authorize the city of Red Wing to issue bonds for water supplies.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Goodhue county delegation.

Also, H. F. No. 405, A bill to provide for establishing a work house in the city of Red Wing, and provide for the employment of beggars, vagrants and common drunkards

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Goodhue county delegation.

Mr. Wiley introduced—

H. F. No. 406, A bill to appropriate money for the deficiencies in the State Reform School appropriation for 1880.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Also, H. F. No. 407, A bill to appropriate money for the support of the Minnesota State Reform School for 1881 and 1882.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Also, H. F. No. 408, A bill to appropriate money for repairing at the State Reform School.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Van Hoesen introduced—

H. F. No. 409, A bill to amend section 279 of title 6 of chapter 34, of General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Cornish introduced—

H. F. No 410, A bill to incorporate the village of Renville, in the county of Renville.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Ives, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure Southard, Tharlson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Gould introduced—

H. F. No. 411, A bill to establish a clerkship the Adjutant General's office, and fixing the salary thereof.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Also, H. F. No. 412, A bill to provide for the examination of candidates for graduates from the State Normal School, etc.,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Amundson introduced—

H. F. No. 413, A bill to appropriate money for the purpose of reimbursing the employees of the Minnesota hospital for the insane located at St. Peter.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 414, A bill to amend section 6, of chapter 324, of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to city and county officers of Hennepin county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Thompson J., introduced—

H. F. No. 415, A bill touching the assessment of real property subject to mortgage or liens.

Which was read the first time with petition on the same subject, and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

Mr. McCracken introduced—

H. F. No. 416, A bill relating to civil actions in justice court.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr Sabin extended an invitation from the warden of the State Prison to the Legislature, to visit the State Prison on to-morrow afternoon.

On motion of Mr. Geary the thanks of the House were returned to the warden of the prison, and the invitation was accepted.

Mr. Daniels moved that when the House adjourn, it adjourn until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Denby, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker

A quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 8, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 158, A bill to amend chapter 10, of the General Statutes of the year 1866, relating to township organizations, and town officers.

S. F. No. 185, A bill to authorize the village of Benson, in Swift county, to issue bonds in aid of building a bridge, and in aid of maintainance of a system of water works and reservoirs in said village.

S. F. No. 186, A bill to regulate the running at large of animals in the town of Huchinson, and the village of Huchinson, and the town of Acoma, in the county of McLeod, in this State.

S. F. No. 187, A bill to incorporate the village of Elk River.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 79, A bill to define the boundaries of Traverse county, and to provide for its organization,

H F. No. 121, A bill to appropriate money to pay Governor's Guards for services.

H. F. No. 295, A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 86 of the Special Laws of 1876, relating to the city of St. Paul, approved March 6, 1876, relating to the judges of the municipal court of said city.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 140, A bill to extend the time of payment for seed grain furnished to sufferers from grasshopper ravages,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 137, A bill to authorize the adoption of the infant therein named,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 129, Substitute for S. F. No. 59, a bill relating to costs and disbursements in criminal actions,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

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S. F. No. 126, A bill to legalize certain acts of the board of county commissioners of the county of Murray, and the election of commissioners had in said county November 2, A. D. 1880,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 103, A bill to authorize the erection of dams and booms across Red river east of range 47 in Polk county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 9, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 39 of the General Laws of 1879, providing for a State bounty for the destruction of wolves,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

S. F. No. 99, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of the several counties of this State to offer a bounty for the destruction of wolves,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committe on agriculture.

S. F. No. 85, A bill to locate a State road from Alexandria to Herman in Grant county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

S. F. No. 62, A bill to authorize the boards of county commissioners of St. Louis county, to levy a tax and expend the same on roads, streets, avenues and bridges in said county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

S. F. No. 42, A bill to increase the standing appropriate for Normal Schools, and to provide for the payment of salaries of institute teacher therefrom,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 5, 38 and 76,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 385, 352, 65, 378, 254, 379, 354, 357, 366, 368, 115, 381, 264, 373, 270 and 382,

Were read the second time.

Mr. Sanborn, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 141, A bill to amend the charter of the St. Paul Gas Light company,

On leave reported the same back with an amendment, with the recommendation that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 159, Substitute for H. F. No. 141, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 52, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the estates of deceased persons,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 145, A bill to cede to the United States jurisdiction over such territory in the city of Minneapolis as may be selected by the gen-

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eral government as a site for a post office and other government offices in said city,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 3, A bill to amend chapter 27 of the General Laws of 1876, and chapter 5 of the General Laws of 1873, being the same as section 3 of chapter 13, General Laws of 1878, relating to roads and cartways,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

S. F. No. 171, A bill to authorize school district No. 1, Scott county, to issue bonds to erect a school building.

Was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Scott county.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 77. A bill to encourage and promote the planting of forest trees,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 77, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Huleback, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 159, A bill relating to savings banks,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays 16, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Ziske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Asleson, Bohland, Burger, Dodge, Gardner, Graling, Hayes, Hulebak, Juelson, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Peterson P. A., Redding and Stedjee.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 38, A bill to grant swamp lands to aid in the construction of the main line of railroad of the Little Falls & Dakota railway company,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays 37, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Braley, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Churchill, Colquhoun, Flom, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Henry, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No 306, Substitute for H. F. No. 175, a bill to amend section 3 of chapter 70 of the General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Braley and Lewis.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 259, Substitute for H. F. No. 162, A bill to protect fish,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays 26, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Kennedy, Kniss, Lewis, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles,

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Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J , Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Churchill, Denny, Denby, Gardner, Hanscom, Hulebak, Juelson, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Redding, Rice, Schmidt, Stedjee, Tone, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 187, A bill to appropriate five hundred dollars to the State Darymans Association,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays 27, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Braley, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hill, Hulebak, Klossner, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Porter T. C., Schmidt, Searles, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Tone, Wagner and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Baxter. L. L., moved a call of the House.

Which was ordered, and the clerk proceded to call the roll.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

H. F. No. 246, A bill to establish a deputy clerkship in the office of the clerk of the supreme court,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73 and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs, Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J , Baxter L. L. Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun. Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny,Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C. Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Flom Graling, Klossner and Northness.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn

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H. F. No. 123

Was laid on the table, and ordered to be engrossed.

H. F. No. 377, A substitute for 122, A bill to fix the salary of the clerk of probate of Hennepin county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 81, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. J., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hoyt,

H. F. No. 140, A bill relating to salary of district judges,

Was taken from the table, and

Mr. Sanborn moved that the bill be amended, so as to read thirty-five hundred dollars, instead of four thousand.

By unanimous consent, the bill was so amended, and the bill as amended,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 72, and nays 14, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Searle, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Asleson, Colquhoun, Denby, Graling, Hayes, Hulebak, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Peterson P. A., Rosebrock and Stedjee.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Rice, the resolution offered by him on the twenty-seventh day of January ult., in relation to the employment of a person to hoist the flag upon the capitol each day during the session of the House,

Was taken from the table, and adopted.

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GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached, the House resolved into the committee of the whole,

Mr. Geary in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 289, A bill to drain a lake in Wright county.

H. F No. 218, A bill in relation to a bridge across Red river.

H. F. No. 197, A bill relating to a school district in Dodge county.

H. F. No. 221, A bill relating to salaries of county officers.

H. F. No. 241, A bill relating to settlers on State lands.

H. F. No. 281, A bill relating to orphan asylums.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

H. F. No. 198, A bill relating to steam boilers.

H. F. No. 48, A bill relating to steam boilers.

Which they report back with the recommendation that they be referred to Messrs. Denny and Hicks.

H. F. No. 64, A bill in relation to the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be indefinitely postponed.

H. F. No. 244, A bill to legalize the execution of mortgages and deeds not under the seal of the grantors.

Which they report back with an amendment, with the recommendation that it pass as amended.

H. F. No. 322, A bill in relation to the poor of Goodhue county.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on towns and counties.

H. F. No. 243, A bill relating to counties and county officers.

H. F. No. 345, A bill relating to lien on unharvested crops.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that the bills be recommitted to the committee on judiciary,

H. F. No. 251, A bill relating to insurance companies.

Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Daniels, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the vote whereby the motion to adjourn till to-morrow at 9 o'clock A. M., was adoptod, was reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

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TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Wednesday, February 9, 1881.

The House met at 10 A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Allen, Buckman, Collins, Dean, Schmidt, Thornton and Wagner.

The clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Cutts, the further reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

On motion of Mr. Sabin, Mr. McCracken was appointed a member of the committee to investigate the action of the committee on State Prison, in place of Mr. Gould, resigned.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Dunn presented petitions from every county in the State, signed, in the aggregate, by thirty-one thousand two hundred and twenty-eight persons, men and women, of the age of twenty-one years and upward, praying that the constitution of the State be amended so that women of the age of twenty-one years may be allowed to vote on all questions pertaining to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of Minnesota. Also that the statute known as the "Local Option Law" be amended so as to apply to all cities and incorporated villages in the State, as well as to townships.

Which were read and referred to the committee on temperance.

Also, petition of R. A. Jones and three hundred and fifty-one persons, men and women, of Olmstead county, on the same subject.

Which was read and referred to the committee on temperance, with instructions to prepare and introduce bills in accordance with the prayer of such petitioners.

Mr. Daniels presented a communication from Sarah W. Clark, asking the legislature to exempt her from taxation, or to remove her political disabilities.

Which was read and referred to the committee on temperance.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. McCracken the resolution offerred by him on last Monday, providing that no new bills be introduced or received into the House after the 25th day of February, instant,

Was taken from the table, and Mr. McCracken moved its adoption.

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Mr. Burger moved to amend, to indefinitely postpone the resolution.
Which was adopted, and the resolution was indefinitely postponed.
On motion of Mr. Kendall,
H. F. No. 380, was referred to him for amendment.
Mr. Searles offered the following resolution.
Which was adopted.
Resolved, That the committee on finance are hereby instructed to confer with the Governor, and make full inquiry as to what legislation, if any, is required to enable the State to discharge its duty to the suffering people on the frontier of this State, and report by bill or otherwise.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Van Hoesen, from the committee on insurance, to whom was referred
H. F. No. 409, A bill to amend section 279 of title 6 of chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878,
Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to whom was referred
H. F. No. 412,
Reported the same back, and recommended that the same do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
Also, H. F. No 50,
Reported the same back without recommendation, and recommended that it be referred to the committee of the whole.
The report was adopted, and the bill was so referred.
Mr. Rice, from the committee on claims, to which was referred the claim of J. Q. A. Ward,
Reported the same back by bill, and recommended that it do pass.
The report was adopted, and the bill
Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Callender, from the delegation from Scott county, to whom was referred
S. F. No 171, A bill to authorize a school district in Scott county to issue bonds to erect a school house,
Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment,
Reports that he has examined
H. F. Nos. 9, 40, 92, 124, 127, 177 and 280,
And finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Rice introduced—
H. F. No. 417, A bill to appropriate money to reimburse J. Q. A. Ward for money expended by him for the State of Minnesota.
Which was read the first time, and

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On motion of Mr. Rice the rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F. No. 418, A bill to change the name of John Lutheimer to Charles John Lutheimer.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 419, A bill to prevent the several towns within Renville county from issuing bonds to aid in the construction of any railroad in said county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Porter T. C., introcuced—

H. F. No. 420, A bill to regulate the manner of service of summons in civil actions in the district court in Wright county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Roberts introduced—

H. F. No. 421, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 76, of Hennepin county, and attach the same to joint school district No. 112, of Wright and Hennepin counties.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Roberts the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No 422, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to build a county jail, and to levy a special tax for that purpose.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 423, A bill relating to the time of the election of directors and officers of corporations where elections have not been regularly held.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 171, A bill to authorize school district No. 1, of Scott county, to issue bonds to erect a school building,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Callender, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary. Gould, Griggs, Graling Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson

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A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 158, substitute for S. F. No. 23, A bill to amend chapter 10, of the General Statutes of 1866, relating to township organization,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 187, A bill to incorporate the village of Elk River,

Was read the first time, and referredto the committee on incorporation.

S. F. No. 185, A bill to authorize the village of Benson to issue bonds in aid of building bridges,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

S. F. No. 186, A bill to regulate the running at large of animals in the town of Hutchinson and the village of Hutchinson, and town of Acoma in McLeod county,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Ives the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 171,

Was read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H. F. Nos. 412, and 409,

Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 15, A bill to punish tramps,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Colquhoun, Comstoch, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary,

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Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Wiley Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Kendall voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 197, A bill to change the boundaries of Independent School District No 28, in Dodge county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Ives Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharelson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 106, A bill to amend sections 191 and 198 of title 10 of chapter 66 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to garnishment,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The qustion being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 221, A bill relating to the payment of salaries of county attorneys, judges of probate, and county superintendents of public schools.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A.,

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Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 241, A bill for the relief of settlers on lands claimed by the State as swamp lands, and for the adjustment of land grants inuring to the State under the several acts of Congress,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Bockwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 289, A bill to authorize the draining of a lake in Wright county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays 15, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter L. L., Boser, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Peterson A., Porter O. S, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Denby, Dunn Flom Griggs, Graling, Hulebak, Klossner, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Peterson P. A., Redding, Rosebrock, Smith and Stedjee

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 337, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to appoint an overseer of the poor for a term of not exceeding five years,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callen-

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der, Child, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No 388, A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 324 of Special Laws of 1879, relating to county officers in Hennepin county.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Comstock,

H. F. No. 384, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 210 of the Special Laws of 1878, relating to the running at large of cattle in Wilkin county.

Was taken from general orders and read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Mott in the chair.

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After some time spent therein the committee rose, and reported that they had had under consideration.

H. F. No. 313, A bill to amend the constitution.

H. F. No. 251, A bill relating to Life Insurance companies.

Which they report back with amendments, with the recommendation that the bills do pass as amended.

H. F. No. 165, A bill to promote immigration.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it do pass.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the vote whereby

S. F. No. 64,

Was indefinitely postponed, was reconsidered,

And the bill was recommitted to the committee on judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Geary, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Thursday, February 10, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Collins, Cutts, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Peterson A., Sabin, Schmidt, Stone and Thompson J. Jr.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Allen.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Flom, the further reading of the journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Mott presented a petition from the students of Carlton College, praying that an amendment to the constitution may be proposed and submitted to the people, providing that students may exercise the right of suffrage in the place where they are attending school, at all State and National elections.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on elections.

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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred H. F. No. 325, A bill to authorize railroad companies to alter the routes or its location of their lines of their roads.

Also, H. F. No. 343, A bill to amend section 124, title 3, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to counties and county officers.

Also, S. F. No. 71, A bill to amend chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to civil actions.

Also, S. F. No. 129, A bill relating to costs and disbursments in criminal actions.

Also, H. F. No. 364, A bill to enable the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company to purchase or lease the property and franchises of the Plainview Railway Company.

Also, H. F. No. 326, A bill to authorize any railroad company to lease purchase or in any way become owner of, or to control any other railroad corporation, or to consolidate therewith.

Also, H. F. No. 397, A bill to amend section 404 of chapter 34 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations.

Also, H. F. No. 374, A bill to amend section 7, article 4 of the Constitution.

Also, H. F. No. 389, A bill to drain a certain lake in Meeker county.

Also, S. F. No. 137, A bill authorizing the adoption of the infant herein named.

Also, H. F. No. 331, A bill to amend section 71, of chapter 64, General Statutes 1878, relating to drawing jurors in counties attached to others for judicial purposes.

Also, S. F. No. 145, A bill to cede to the United States jurisdiction over such territory in the city of Minneapolis, as may be selected by the General Government as a site for a post office, and other government officers in said city,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Sanborn from the committee on judiciary, to which was referred H. F. No. 148, A bill to amend an act entitled to "An act to secure proper commitments to the Minnesota State Reform School approved February 26, 1872."

Also, S. F. No. 4, A bill to prevent fraud and corruption at elections.

Also, H. F. No. 174, A bill to change the place of trial.

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 319, a bill to amend section 113, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinately postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinately postponed.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to which was referred H. F. No. 332, A bill to amend section 18, of chapter 107 of the General Statutes of 1878.

Reported the same back, with an amendment, and recommended that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill was placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 338, A bill to provide for assorting and binding the Territorial Laws,

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Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 339, A bill to repeal sections 58 and 59 of the General Statutes of 1879, relative to threshing machines,

Reported the same back and recommended the bill have its second reading and be referred to the committee of the whole.

The report was adopted and the bill was so committed,

Also, S. F. No. 103, A bill to authorize the erection of dams and booms across Red Lake River, east of range 47, in Polk county,

Reported the same back and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also, H. F. No. 358, A bill to authorize the creation of a lien upon a foal before its birth,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be referred to the committee on agriculture.

The report was adopted, and the bill was so referred.

Also, S. F. No. 139, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Brown county to issue the bonds of said county for the construction of bridges across the Cottonwood river in said county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be referred to the delegation from Brown county.

The report was adopted, and the bill so referred.

Also, S. F. No. 25, A bill to amend section 350, of chapter 34, of the Revised Statutes, 1878,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be referred to the committee on insurance.

The report was adopted, and the bill was so referred.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Comstock, from the special committe, to whom was referred

H. F. No 68, A bill to incorporate the village of Detroit, in the county of Becker,

Reported the same back, with amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted.

And the bill, as amended, was read and placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Sabin, from the delegation from Washington county, to which was referred

H. F. No. 217,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed one file for the second reading.

Mr. Searles, from the committee on taxes and tax laws, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 139,

Reports the same back, with the recommendation that it be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Denby moved to amend the report so as to commit the bill to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Searles moved to amend the amendment so as to commit the bill to the committee on judiciary.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was referred to the committee on judiciary.

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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Gould moved that
H F. Nos. 149 and 150 be taken from the table and placed on file for their third reading.
Which was lost.

Mr. Hoyt offered the following resolution:

Whereas, the Minnesota State railroad bonds were repudiated by the constitutional amendment adopted by the nearly unanimous vote of the people after a full discussion, and within a few months after the bonds were issued, when the transactions were still fresh and the bonds were, as they still are, except in a small amount, in the hands of the original parties, which amendment was not adopted for the purpose of evading the payment of an honest debt, but from an honest conviction on the part ot the people that gross frauds had been perpetrated upon them by the bondholders and the companies represented by them, and with the belief that said parties from the beginning had conspired to obtain the said bonds without in any just manner fulfilling their contract obligations. and without but little, if any, cost to themselves or real service to the State in the construction of the railroads for which said bonds were issued; and

WHEREAS, The rejection by the people of the proposition to pay the railroad bonds whenever the same has been submitted to them has not been with a view to repudiate any just obligation, but through a belief that such proposition was unjust and unfair to the State on the basis proposed, notwithstanding which the people are now and ever have been ready to pay said bondholders the actual amount by them invested in said bonds, with a reasonable amount of interest thereon, and no more, whenever said amount can be honestly ascertained;

AND WHEREAS, It is now proposed for the State to waive its sovereignty and submit the questions relating to the validity of said bonds to the Supreme Court of the State upon an agreed state of facts, and again to allow the State to be sued in any county in this State by any bondholder, thus subjecting the State to interminable and vexatious litigation in hundreds of suits, with, perhaps, irresponsible parties, at vast expense to the State, all of which proposed action can have no effect in an equitable adjustment, and would open the doors for speculators and lobbyists to feed upon the pubilc crib;

Therefore be it resolved, as the sense of this House, that it is not expedient or proper to adopt any measure for payment of the bonds in question, or of submitting the pretended liability of the State therefor to any other tribunal than that prescribed in the Constitution.

And it is further resolved, that the people of the State having, after full discussion, voted against the payment of said bonds, except to those who hold them *bona fides* and for an adequate consideration, that it is inexpedient to submit any proposition to the people that does not provide for the payment of such holders only on proof of the facts, both sides to be heard before a commission which shall report all the testimony to the Legislature. The Legislature in considering such testimony to provide for payment of said bonds, but in no case allowing more than the actual cost of the bonds with a reasonable amount of interest thereon, and also provide for the payment of the sub-contractors and laborers for work done and money expended in good faith upon

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said roads for which they have, in many cases, received but little, if any, compensation whatever, from the original contractors and bondholders.

Mr. Geary gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 424, A bill to incorporate the village of Moorhead.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

The joint committee on grain inspection introduced—

H. F. No. 425, A bill to regulate the inspection and handling of grain.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Norrish, the rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading, and ordered printed.

Also, H. F. No. 426, A bill to amend chapter 95 of the General Laws of 1879, to regulate the grading and weighing of wheat in the State of Minnesota.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Norrish the rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Porter O. S., introduced—

H. F. No. 427, A bill to change a name.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 428, A bill to amend section 106, of chapter 11, of General Statutes, 1878, relating to payment of taxes before record of any deed.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

The Ramsey county delegation introduced—

H. F. No. 429, A bill to widen Fort street from the city limits of St. Paul to Fort Snelling bridge, and also open and extend Stewart avenue.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Smith, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F. No. 430, A bill to lay out, locate and open a county road through the towns of Rose and New Canada, in Ramsey county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Bohland, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 431, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the Minnesota Western Railway Company.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

Mr. Zieske introduced—

H. F. No. 432, A bill to build a bridge across the Big Cottonwood river, in Brown county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

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Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 433, A bill to legalize the election of the village of Murdock, in Swift county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Stone the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Roberts introduced—

H. F. No. 434, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other animals in the county of Hennepin.

Which was referred to the Hennepin county delegation.

Mr. Kneeland introduced—

H. F. No. 435, A bill in relation to the village of Kasson, in the county of Dodge

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

Mr. Dunn, from the commlttee on temperance, introduced—

H. F. No. 436, A bill proposing an amendment to article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Dunn moved that the rules be suspended, and that the bill be read the second time, ordered printed and made the special order for next Tuesday at 11 o'clock, A. M.

Mr. Bohland moved to amend, to refer the bill to the committee on judiciary.

Which was lost.

The question reccurring upon the original motion, and the yeas and nays being called for and ordered,

There were yeas 43, and nays 42, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Cutts, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Graling, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kniss, Lewis, Linnel, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. and Tether.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Callender, Colquhoun, Dean, Denny, Denby, Gardner, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Roberts, Rosebrock, Snure, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the motion to suspend the rules did not prevail, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message wasreceived from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 9, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 72, A bill to confirm the sale of the line of railway of the Southern Minnesota Railway Company, etc., etc.

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S. F. No. 106, A bill to amend section 96, chapter 6, General Laws of 1876, relating te public examiners.

S. F. No 164, A bill to incorporate the village of Brown's Valley, in Traverse county.

S. F. No. 192, A bill to amend chapter 4, Special Laws of 1876, being an act to incorporate the city of New Ulm.

S. F. No. 202, A bill to repeal an act approved January 28, 1881, to legalize the acts of commissioners' surveying and locating a State road from Fergus Falls to Herman.

And has also passed the following House Files, herewith returned:

H. F. No. 89, A bill for the relief of settlers upon the Fort Ripley reservation.

H. F. No. 125, A bill to legalize the acts of certain commissioners in establishing a Stats road from Fort Ridgely to Swede Grove.

H. F. No. 134, A bill to incorporate the village of White Bear in the in the county of Ramsey, State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 179, A bill to repeal section 2, chapter 309, Special Laws of 1879.

H. F. No. 228, A bill to authorize the city of Winona to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 271, A bill to allow Pipestone county to issue bonds for certain purposes.

H. F. No. 288, A bill to legalize the action of the board of county commissioners of Big Stone county in organizing school districts and towns.

H. F. No. 341, A bill to authorize the corporate authorities of Winnebago City to issue bonds.

H. F. No 376, A bill to amend chapter 308 of the Special Laws of 1879, fixing the salaries of the county officers of Mower county.

H. F. No. 206, A bill to authorize the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company to purchase, own and operate the St. Paul & Sioux City railroad and its proprietary or connecting roads, and to issue stocks and bonds thereon.

H. F. No. 207, A bill legalizing certain transfers made to the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company.

H. F. No. 209, A bill to confer upon the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company the rights, powers and immunities within the State of Minnesota heretofore conferred upon the Chicago, St. Paul & Minneapolis and West Wisconsin Railway Companies.

The Senate has also passed the following House Files herewith returned, with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

H. F. No. 82, A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 9 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to removals by the Governor.

H. F. No. 208, A bill to authorize the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company to acquire, control, maintain and operate railroads in the State of Minnesota.

The Senate has concurred in the resolution for a joint investigating committee of the recent alleged contract for prison labor, and has appointed Senators Gilfillan J. B., Buck D., and McCormick, upon said committee.

The Senate has also adopted the following resolution in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that a joint committee of two Senators and three Representatives be appointed, to whom shall be referred so much of the Governor's message as refers to the National Exposition to be held in the city of New

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York, in 1883, and all bills and resolutions that may be introduced hereafter at this session on that subject.

The Senate has also adopted the following resolution, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

WHEREAS, The State of Minnesota has heretofore granted to the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company lands to aid in the construction of its road, which lands have been exempt from taxation.

AND WHEREAS, by the terms of the charter of said company, it is authorized and has exercised the power to condemn private property for right of way and other purposes of said road, and to cross all public highways and navigable streams with its railroad track.

AND WHEREAS, said company is by the laws of this State, required to transport freight and passengers upon reasonable terms.

AND WHEREAS, said railroad is now completed from Winona to the western boundary line of the State, and said company carries large amounts of the agricultural productions of the State over said road, and the same has become a great public thoroughfare, and the various stations on the line of said road have become market towns, at which agricultural productions are sold, to be transported over said road to eastern markets.

AND WHEREAS, it is within the power, and it is the duty of the Legislature to protect all its citizens from unjust discriminations and extortions, and to pass suitable laws to prevent and to punish unjust discriminations in favor of one person or class of persons, to the injury of others.

AND WHEREAS, it is charged and believed by many citizens of this State along the line of said Winona & St. Peter Railroad that certain persons engaged in buying the agricultural productions of this State have, by some secret agreement with said company or some of its officers, rgents or servants, obtained the right to transport freights over said line of road upon terms and conditions not known to the general public, and not open to other shippers of freight over said line, thereby creating a practical monopoly and preventing competition in prices at such markets, and placing it in the power of such favored parties to depress the prices of such productions at one or more stations on said road where competition exists, and to increase the price at other stations where there is no competition, and thereby diverting the trade of various towns, villages and communities from their legitimate channels and placing the business and property of thousands of people within the control and at the mercy of a single individual or company, who by such means and devices manage to evade and override the laws of this State;

AND WHEREVS, It is represented and believed that such conduct and results are connived at, participated in and carried on with the knowledge, advice and consent of said railroad company;

THEREFORE, To the end that the facts may be developed and justice may be done. Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that a special committee of three from the Senate, and four from the House be appointed to investigate and report as early a day as practicable, whether any such or similar charges are true, and the facts concerning the same, and whether any and what legislation may in its judgment be necessary in the premises.

RESOLVED, That said committee have power to send for, and compel the attendance of witnesses, and the production of papers, and to employ a clerk if they deem it necessary.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

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Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Smith, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 208, A bill to authorize the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway Company to acquire, control, maintain and operate railroads in the State of Minnesota.

On motion of Smith, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 208,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J , Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 82. A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 9, General Statutes of 1878, relating to removals by the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 82

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows·

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Amundson moved that the House concur in the Senate resolution relating to the investigation of charges of discriminatton by the Winona & St. Peter Railway Company.

Mr. McCracken gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 72, A bill to confirm the sale of the line of railway of the Southern Minnesota Railway Company, &c.,

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Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

S. F. No. 106, A bill to amend section 96 of General Laws of 1878, relating to public examiners,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 164, A bill to incorporate the village of Brown's Valley, in Traverse county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 192, A bill to amend chapter 4 of Special Laws of 1876, being an act to incorporate the city of New Ulm,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

S. F. No. 202, A bill to repeal an act approved January 28th, 1881, to legalize the acts of commissioners surveying and locating a State road from Fergus Falls, in Otter Tail county, to Herman, in Grant county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

S. F. No. 164, A bill to incorporate the village of Browns Valley, in Traverse county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 137, 4, 25, 145, 71, 68 and 129,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 417, 436, 425, 426, 364, 326, 332, 325, 343, 148, 331, 374, 389, 397, 174, 217, 349, 294, 353, 351, 324, 348 and 304,
Were read the second time.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Flom reports that he has compared
H. F. Nos. 141, 218, 313 and 402,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Thornton, the House took a recess untill 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker

A quorum present.

The House proceeded to

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 141, A bill to amend the charter of the St. Paul Gaslight Company,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Graling, Halgren, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 218, A bill granting the right to establish and maintain a wagon bridge across Red river at Moorhead,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. J., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 313, A bill proposing an amendment to section 1 of article 9 of the Constitution,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Henry, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 402, A bill to fix the compensation and fees of certain county offices of Hennepin county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porrer O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 421, A bill to detach certain territory from school district 76, in Hennepin county, and attach the same to joint school district 112, Wright and Hennepin counties.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Graling, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 429, A bill to widen Fort street from the city limits of St. Paul to Fort Snelling bridge, and also open Stewart avenue from the city limits to Fort Snelling bridge,

Was read the third iime, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted iu the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was prssed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 430, A bill for laying out, locating and opening a country road through the towns of Rose and New Canada, in Ramsey county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Goary, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 433, A bill to legalize the election of the village of Murdock in Swift county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H F. No. 424, A bill to incorporate the city of Moorhead.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulekak, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiely, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker,

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 165, A bill to amend an act entitled an act to promote immigration,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays 11, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Colquhoun, Comtock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Mott, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Purrington. Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Callender, Churchill, Dunn, Graling, Kennedy, McCracken, Norrish, Porter T. C., and Rice.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached, the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Stone in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 115, A bill to drain a lake in Wright county.

H. F. No. 270, A bill to appropriate money to pay John Patterson.

H. F. No. 373, A bill relating to State roads in Wilkin and Grant counties.

H. F. No. 352, A bill to change the name of Clarksville.

H. F. No. 335, A bill to change the name of school district in Nicollet county.

H. F. No. 357, A bill relating to Independent School District in Granite Falls.

H. F. No. 360, A bill relating to evidence upon trials upon indictments.

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H. F. No. 366, A bill relating to salaries of county officers in Dodge county.

H. F. No. 368, A bill to change a school district in Goodhue and Wabashaw counties.

H. F. No. 414, A bill relating to county officers in Hennepin county.

S. F. No. 5, A bill to punish disorderly conduct on public conveyances.

S. F. No. 38, A bill relating to services of summons by advertisement.

S. F. No. 76, A bill relating to the erection of party walls.

Which they reported back, with the recommendation that they do pass.

H. F. No. 36, A bill relating to casualty insurance companies.

Which they report back with an amendment, with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

H. F. No. 213, A bill relating to interest on town orders.

H. F. No. 383, A bill to incorporate the village of Audubon.

H. F. No. 354, A bill to vacate the military road in Sherburne county.

H. F. No. 365, A bill relating to taxes.

Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

H. F. No. No. 362, A bill to license dogs,

Which they report back, with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on agriculture.

H. F. No. 50, A bill relating to higher education,

Which they report back, with the recommendation that it lie on the table.

Mr. Norrish moved to except from the report of the committee.

H. F. No. 362,

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the report of the committee of the whole, except as to

H. F. No. 362,

Was adopted.

Mr. Daniels moved that the committee on agriculture be requested to report back

H. F. No. 362,

And that it be placed at the head of general orders for to-morrow.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

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TWENTY-NINTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Friday, February 11, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Allen, Gould and Hall.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Hall.

The clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Northness, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 420, A bill to regulate the manner of service of writs of summons in civil actions in district court in Wright county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinately postponed.

The report was adopted and the bill was indefinately postponed.

Also, H. F. No. 323, A bill to amend section 162, chapter 36, General Statutes, relating to the duties of the State Treasurer in receipting for State text books,

Reported the same back without any recommendation.

The report was adopted, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 129, A bill to repeal chapter 185 of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the service of summons in Ramsey county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for the second resding.

Also, H. F. No. 53, A bill to protect the people of Minnesota from empiricism and imposition in the practice of medicine and surgery,

Reported the same back with amendments, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read, and placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 311, A bill to provide a better system of land surveys in this State,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be placed on file for its second reading, and be referred to the committee of the whole.

The report was adopted, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

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S. F. No. 48, A bill to amend chapter 28, of the General Laws of 1876, relating to the formation of corporations for certain purposes,

Reported the same back, without any recommendation.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 416, A bill relating to civil actions in justice courts,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Sabin from the committee on finance, made the following report:

The committee on finance beg leave to report that they have had a conference with the Governor pursuant to the instructions of the House by its resolution of February 9, 1881, in regard to any necessary legislation to enable the State to discharge its duty to the suffering people, on the frontier of this State, and that the Governor is of the opinion that no legislation is necessary, and states that from all information possessed by him, it is evident that there is no unusual condition of suffering, and that a condition of general prosperity now exists, on the frontier as elsewhere.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to which was referred

H. F. No. 394, A bill to amend sections 145 and 147, of chapter 11, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to taxes.

Also, H. F. No. 106, A bill to amend section 96, chapter 6, General Laws 1878, relating to public examiner,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 315, A bill to regulate the mileage of members of the legislature,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same be indefinately postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Rosebrock, from the committee on tree culture and fuel, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 396, A bill to authorize persons who have complied with the laws as to planting and cultivating timber and shade trees upon prairie land in this State to make application for bounty thereon, previous to January 1, 1882,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 13, A bill to promote forest and apple culture in Minnesota,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Daniels the report was amended, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 70, A bill to amend chapter 39, General Statutes of 1878, relating to chattel mortgages,

Reported the same back with amendments, and recommended that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Stone, from the committee on incorporations, to whom was referred

S. F. Nos. 192, 423 and 187, and

H. F. No. 435,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

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On motion of Mr. Stone the rules were suspended, and the bills were read the second time and placed on file for their third reading.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES:

Mr. Flom, from the Goodhue county delegation, to whom was referred
H. F. No. 264, A bill granting ferry privileges,
Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
Mr. Dean, from the committee on agriculture and manufacture, to whom was referred
H. F. No. 330, A bill to restrain cattle from running at large in Clay county,
Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
Mr. Graling, from the committee on agriculture, to whom was referred
H. F. No. 362, A bill for licensing dogs, and for the protection of sheep, lambs and other domestic animals,
Report that they have had the same under consideration, and ask for further time to make report thereon.
The report was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Flom reports that he has compared
H. F. No. 251
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, reports that he has examined
H. F. Nos. 34, 154, 79, 97, 10, 25, 63, 295, 208, 209, 206, 207 and 341,
Finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution,
Which was adopted:
Resolved: That the joint committee appointed to investigate the State Prison contract, be authorized to employ a stenographer, and to sit during the sessions of the House.
On motion of Mr. Hicks, the vote whereby
S. F. No. 103
Was indefinitely postponed, was reconsidered.
And the bill was recommitted to the committee on judiciary.
On motion of Mr. Hicks,
H. F. Nos. 149 and 150
Were taken from the table and placed on file for the third reading.
On motion of Mr. McCracken, the joint resolution received from the

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Senate on yesterday, relating to charges of discrimination by the Winona &St. Peter Railroad company,

Was taken from the table, and Mr. McCracken moved the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Wilson offered a substitute for the resolution, providing that before the committee to be appointed under the resolution, shall make any inquiry into the charges made against the company, such charges shall be made specifically, desiganting the particular act and the times and places at which the acts of discrimination were made, and giving the railroad company against which such charges are made, an opportunity to subpœna witnesses and persons necessary for the defense of such company against such charges.

Which was lost.

Mr. Wilson moved to amend the original resolution, so as to require a copy of the specific charge, made by any person against the Winona & St. Peter Railroad company, and that a reasonable time be given to said company in which to answer and defend.

Which motion was lost.

The question recurring upon the original resolution, it was adopted

Mr. Sanborn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on finance be and hereby is authorized to hold meetings and sessions during the sessions of the House.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Burger introduced—

H. F. No. 437, A bill to amend section 12 of chapter 15 of the General Statutes.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 438, A bill to authorize the village of Howard Lake, in Wright county, to issue bonds for purchasing fire apparatus.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Cutts the rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sampson introduced—

H. F. No. 439, A bill to allow the city of Crookston to indorse certain bonds.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Peterson A. introduced—

H. F. No. 440. A bill to amend chapter 96, General Laws of 1876, relating to clerkship in Secretary of State's office.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Plaisance introduced—

H. F. No. 441, A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 206 of the Special Laws of 1878, and repealing chapter 260 of the Special Laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Rice county delegation.

The committee on printing introduced—

H. F. No. 442, A bill to provide for the publication and distribution of the reports of the high school board for the years 1879 and 1880.

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Which was read the first time, and

On motion the rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Klossner introduced—

H. F. No. 443, A bill to amend chapter 61 of the General Statutes of the year 1879.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Mott introduced—

H. F. No. 444, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 244, of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the Cannon River Manufacturing Association.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Mott, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Searles, Smith, Snure Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Smith introduced—

H. F. No. 445, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue bonds to build a permanent roadway over Phalen's creek.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 446, A bill to incorporate the village of Pillsbury in Swift county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Stone the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 447, A bill to change the name of the town of Pahlmark, in the county of Stevens, to Swan Lake.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Washburn the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Alseson, Baker, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland. Moore, Northness, PetersonA., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Tharal

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son, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Dean, introduced—

H. F. No. 448, A bill to amend section 17, chapter 2, of the amended charter of the town of Taylor Falls, in Chisago county.

Which was read the third time, and

On motion of Mr. Dean, the rules were suspended,

And the bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson P, A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Child introduced—

H. F. No. 449, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Glencoe, in the county of McLeod.

Which was read the first time, and

Upon motion of Mr. Child the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Cornish introduced—

H. F. No. 450, A bill to incorporate the village of Hector.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Cornish, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Lewis introduced—

H. F. No. 451, A bill to declare the Minnesota river a lawful division fence.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 452, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle, horses or other domestic animals in the county of Traverse.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No. 453, A bill to provide for a State mineralogist, and defining his duties and compensation.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on mines.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

H. F. No. 454, A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Anoka in the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at the city of Anoka.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

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Mr. Hayes introduced—

H. F. No. 455, A bill relating to roads, cartways and bridges.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Herberger introduced—

H. F. No. 456, A bill to appropriate money to the county of Stearns for the purpose of aiding in the improvement of the St. Cloud and Breckenridge State road.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Churchill introduced—

H. F. No. 457, A bill making a half bushel measure the only article to be used for grading wheat, and determining its quality, etc.

Which was read the first time, and referrred to the committee on agriculture.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 10, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 15, An act relative to statistics concerning the Sioux Indian massacre.

S. F. No. 206, An act to authorize the county commissioners of the county of Yellow Medicine to issue bonds for building court house and county jail.

S. F. No. 207, An act prescribing the time of holding general terms of the dirtrict court in the 9th judicial district.

S. F. No. 213, An act to amend and consolidate the charter of the city of Minneapolis.

S. F. No. 219, An act fixing the compensation of the treasurer of Dakota county, Minnesota.

S. F. No. 217, An act to amend chapter 8 of the General Laws of 1878, relating to salaries of county officers.

S. F. No. 144, An act relative to statistics concerning the Sioux Indian massacre.

And the Senate has also passed the following House File herewith returned:

H. F. No. 197, An act to change the boundary of Independent School District in Dodge county.

H. F. No. 68, An act to remove the county seat of Grant county.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Colquhoun, on leave, offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That when the House adjourns it will adjourn till Monday evening at 8 o'clock, P. M.

On motion of Mr. Peterson P. A., the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock, this afternoon.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Burger, Rice, Plaisance and Kneeland.

The House proceeded to the

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 144, A bill in relation to statistics concerning the Sioux Indian massacre,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on Indian affairs.

S. F. No. 206, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of the county of Yellow Medicine to issue bonds,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

S. F. No. 219, A bill fixing the compensation of the treasurer of Dakota county.

Was read the first time, and referred to the Dakota county delegation.

S. F. No. 217, Substitute for S. F. No. 165, A bill to amend chapter 8, of General Laws of 1878, relating to salaries of county officers,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 307, A bill prescribing the time of holding general terms of the district court of the Ninth judicial district,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No 15, A bill to encourage higher education,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

S. F. No. 213, A bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the city of Minneapolis,

Was read the first time, and referred to the Hennipin county delegation.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 70, 106 and 48,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 129, 323, 396, 394, 264, 416, 311, 13, 53, 438 and 436,

Were read the second time.

Mr. Dunn moved that the consideration of

H. F. No. 436, A bill relating to amending the constitution so as to permit women to vote on questions relating to the manufacturing and sale of intoxicating liquors,

Be made the special order for next Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., in the committee of the whole.

The Speaker decided that the motion was not in order, stating that it

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would be taking the bill out of its regular order, which would require a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Dunn appealed from the ruling of the Speaker, pending which he moved a call of the House.

Which was ordered, and

The Clerk called the roll.

A list of the absentees was handed the sergeant-at-arms, and he was instructed by the Speaker to report the absent members in their seats.

On motion of Mr. Daniels,

Further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The question being shall the ruling of the Speaker be sustained, and

The yeas and nays being called for and ordered, there were yeas 73, and nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Porter O. S., Post, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Caine, Cutts, Dunn, McCracken and Porter T. C.

So the decision of the Speaker was sustained, and the motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the rules were suspended, and the consideration of

H. F. No. 436, was made the special order for next Wednesday, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in the committee of the whole.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 5, A bill to repress and punish disorderly conduct, on public conveyances,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Norrish, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, VanHoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 38, A bill to amend subsection third of section 64 of chapter 66 of the General Laws of 1878, relating to service of summons by advertisement,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Mott voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 270, A bill to appropriate money to pay John Patterson for arresting a horse thief,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays 2, as follows:

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Autterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson, J. Jr,, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus and Tharalson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 335, A bill to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 1, in Nicollet county, and attach the same to school district No. 27,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows·

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 352, A bill changing the name of the town of Clarksville in Big Stone county to Malta,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Butterfield, Child, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Hill, Huhn,

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Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sanborn, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 368, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 109 in Goodhue county, and attach the same to joint school district No. 50, in Wabasha county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays 1, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Butterfield, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hayas, Hanscom, Hawkins, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Hill voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 414, A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 324 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the county and county officers of Hennepin county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The qustion being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Sanborn, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Flom reports that he has compared,
H. F. Nos. 123, 281, 344, 391, 115, 357, 360 and 36,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

Mr. Daniels moved that
H. F. No. 374, Be placed at the head of general orders.
Which motion prevailed.

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EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from His Excellency the Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, Feb. 10, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. No. 81, An act to declare the county of Stevens to be an organized county, and to declare legal the official acts of county commissioners and other officers of said county.

H. F. No. 205, An act to incorporate the village of Hutchinson, McLead county.

H. F. No. 45, An act to incorporate the village of Fisher.

H. F. No. 59, An act to incorporate the village of Ada, in Polk county, Minnesota.

H. F. 190. An act to change the name of the village of Loreno, in Brown county, to Sleepy Eye Lake.

H. F. No. 225, An act to prescribe the sessions of the board of commissioners of Stearns county.

H. F. No. 147, An act authorizing and requiring each town in Sibley county, to support its own poor.

H. F. No. 112. An act to change the boundaries of school district No. 3, Yellow Medicine county.

H. F. No. 47, An act to incorporate the village of Hancock, Stearns county, State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 164, An act to legalize a deed of conveyance ackowledged before George Bligh Bowen, Esq., commissioner of police, and magistrate of the city of Madras, East India.

H. F. No. 168, An act the authorize the city of St. Paul to issue bonds for the repair or building of certain bridges, and approaches, and the opening of a street.

H. F. No. 193, An act relating to the disbursement of moneys by the treasurer of Goodhue county.

H. F. No. 78, An act authorizing the county of Benton to issue bonds for certain purposes therein mentioned.

H. F. No. 35, An act to amend section 60 of chapter 107 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to indictments.

H. F. No. 296, An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Ramsey county to issue the bonds of said county to redeem and pay certain bonds that shall mature during the present year.

H. F. No. 71, An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in the city of Northfield, Rice county.

H. F. No. 284, An act to change the boundary of school district No. 66 in Dakota county.

H. F. No. 62, An act to authorize the establishment and maintenance of a workhouse in the city of St. Paul.

H. F. No. 359, An act to preserve the waters of White Bear and Goose Lakes, in the counties of Ramsey and Washington.

H. F. No. 263, An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate

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the village of Houston, in the county of Houston and State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 265, An act to amend section 3 of chapter 14, Special Laws of 1876, being an act to incorporate the village of Le Roy, in Mower county.

H. F. No. 104, An act to detach the county of Lincoln from the county of Lyon and to organize the same for judicial purposes, and to provide for a general term of the district court therein.

H. F. No. 188, An act to amend the charter of the village of Spring Valley, in the county of Fillmore.

H. F. No. 90, An act to incorporate the village of Pipestone, in Pipestone county.

H. F. No. 34, An act to provide for the organization of the county of Big Stone.

H. F. No. 167, An act to authorize the city of St. Paul to purchase the franchises and property of the St. Paul Water Company, and creating the board of water commissioners.

H. F. No. 232, An act to incorporate the village of Benton in the county of Carver and State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 23, An act to authorize an increase of the sewerage fund in the city of St. Paul.

H. F. No. 224, An act to incorporate the village of Cologne, in the county of Carver and State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 191, An act relating to public schools in the village of Cannon Falls, Goodhue county.

H. F. No 113, An act to change the boundaries of school district No. 8, of Yellow Medicine county.

H. F. No. 124, An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the city of Anoka in the county of Anoka and State of Minnesota, approved March 2, 1878.

H. F. No. 127, An act to authorize the county commissioners of Martin county to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 9, An act to permit certain persons to cut and maintain a channel from Floyd Lake to the Pelican river.

H. F. No. 40, An act granting ferry privileges to John Shely, across Red River in Polk county at a point opposite Caledonia, Trail county, Dakota territory.

H. F. No. 280, An act to authorize the judge of the Probate Court of Le Sueur county to properly arrange and record the papers in his office, relating to proceedings had in said court.

H. F. No. 177, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Claremont, Dodge county, Minnesota, approved March 11, 1878.

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,

Governor.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached, the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Gould in the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose, and reported that they had had under consideration:

H. F. No. 374, A bill to amend section 1 and section 7 of article 4 of the constitution.

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H. F. No. 213, A bill relating to interest on town orders.
H. F. No. 354, A bill A bill to vacate military road.
H. F. No. 383, A bill to incoporate the village of Audubon.
H. F. No. 348, A bill relating to county commissioners.
H. F. No. 324, A bill relating to school districts.
H. F. No. 351, A bill relating to county treasurers.
H. F. No. 353, A bill relating to records of roads through townships.
H. F. No. 294, A bill relating to religious corporations.
H. F No. 174, A bill to change the place of trial.
H. F. No. 389, A bill to drain a lake in Meeker county.
H. F. No. 417, A bill to appropriate money to reimburse J. Q. Ward.
H. F. No. 390, A bill to levy a tax for State government for State purposes, for 1881 and 1882.
H. F. No. 365, A bill to provide for assessment and collection of taxes.
H. F. No. 409, A bill to amend section 279, title 6, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878.
H. F. No. 254, A bill relating to county surveyors.
H. F. No. 379, A bill relating to courts of justices of the peace.
H. F. No. 395, A bill to prescribe the duty of State Treasurer.
S. F. No. 68, A bill to incorporate the village of Detroit.
S. F. No. 71, A bill relating to civil actions.
S. F. No. 145, A bill to cede to the United States jurisdiction over territory in Minneapolis.
S. F. No. 137, A bill relating to the adoption of an infant.
S. F. No. 129, A bill relating to costs in criminal actions.
Which they report back, with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

H. F. No. 304, A bill to reimburse J. Glispin and Watonwan county.
Which they report back, with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on claims.

H. F. No. 349, A bill providing for suspension and removal of county treasurers for malfeasance, &c.
H. F. No. 378, A bill relating to salaries of county auditors.
H. F. No. 382, A bill relating to duties of county treasurers.
H. F. No. 65, A bill relating to chattel mortgages.
H. F. No. 412, A bill relating to graduates from State Normal Schools.
S. F. No. 25, A bill relating to insurance.
S. F. No. 4, A bill to prevent fraud and corruption at elections,
Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

H. F. No. 387, A bill to appropriate money for expenses of State government for 1881 and 1882,
Which they report back, with the recommendation that it be placed on general orders for next Tuesday.
On motion of Mr. Daniels, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.
Mr. Daniels moved that the vote whereby the resolution offered by Mr. Colquhoun on this morning, providing that when the House adjourn it adjourn until next Monday evening, at 8 o'clock, was adopted, be reconsidered.
Which motion did not prevail.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 11, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 13, An act to amend section 90, of title No. 4, of section 34 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, as amended by chapter 2 of the General Laws of 1879, relating to religious corporations.

S. F. No. 79, An act to promote moral and social science in the public schools of Minnesota.

S. F. No 108, An act to amend section 11, of chapter 75 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the trial of actions for the recovery of real property.

S. F. No. 113, An act to authorize the commissioners of Mille Lacs county, in the State of Minnesota, to grant authority and license to construct dams for the saving of water for the purpose of sluicing and driving logs, timber and lumber.

S. F. No. 130, An act providing for the care of chronic insane.

S. F. No. 133, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of New Prague."

S. F. No. 134, An act to repeal chapter 44, Special Laws of 1879, entitled "An act to amend chapter 11 of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the incorporation of New Prague."

S. F. No. 155, An act explanatory of the references to the General Statutes of 1878, made in acts of the Legislature.

S. F. No. 103, An act to repeal section 23, of chapter 2, of the General Laws of 1877, relating to compensation of school district clerks.

S. F. No. 168, An act to create and organize a special school district in the county of Jackson.

S. F. No. 169, An act to incorporate the village of Jackson in Jackson county.

S. F. No. 177, An act to appropriate moneys to the State University.

S. F. No. 190, An act to appropriate money to enlarge the grounds of the State Normal School at St. Cloud.

S. F. No. 174, An act entitled an act regulating the time for holding the terms of the district court in the county of Freeborn in the 10th judicial district.

S. F. No. 221, An act to amend an act entitled an act to reduce the law incorporating the village of Mantorville in the county of Dodge, and the severe acts amendatory thereof, into one act, and to amend the same.

S. F. No. 226, An act for protection of fish, in the county of Goodhue.

S. F. No. 228, An act to incorporate the village of Waverly, Wright county.

S. F. No. 231, An act to amend the charter of the city of St. Paul, in relation to the fire department of said city.

S. F. No. 233, An act to authorize the town of Taylor Falls, county of Chisago, to construct and maintain a bridge across the St. Croix Falls.

S. No. 236, An act to authorize the city of Austin to issue bonds with which to pay a portion of its indebtedness maturing in 1882.

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S. F. No. 237, An act to amend the charter of the city of Austin, relating to pay of the city recorder.

S. F. No. 238, An act to authorize the city of Austin to issue bonds to aid in the construction of a court house for Mower county.

S. F. No. 112, An act to amend section 242 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to trial by the court.

S. F. No. 170, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 165 of the Special Laws of 1873, as amended by chapter 58 of the Special Laws of 1874, in relation to issuing bonds to the Duluth, St. Cloud & Yankton railroad company.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

THIRTY-FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, Tuesday, February 15, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Boser, Caine, Daniels, Graling, Hill, Juelson, Kohlmier, Mott, Tether and Wilson.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Boser.

The clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Cutts the reading of yestesday's Journal was dispensed with.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from His Excellency the Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, Feb. 14, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,
President of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. No. 92, An act to authorize the president and trustees of the village of Worthington, Nobles county, Minnesota, to issue the bonds of said village for the purpose of funding the floating indebtedness of said village.

H. F. No. 206, An act to authorize the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company to purchase, own and operate the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad, and its proprietory or connecting roads, and to issue stock and bonds thereon.

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H. F. No. 207, An act legalizing certain transfers made to the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company.

H. F. No. 208, An act to authorize the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company to acquire, construct, maintain and operate railroads in the State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 209, An act to confer upon the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company the rights, powers, franchises, privileges and immunities within the State of Minnesota heretofore conferred upon the Chicago, St. Paul & Minneapolis and West Wisconsin Railway Companies, and to declare the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company the successor in the State of Minnesota of the Chicago, St. Paul & Minneapolis and West Wisconsin Railway Companies.

H. F. No. 341, An act to authorize the corporate authorities of the village of Winnebago City, Faribault county, to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 63, An act to amend sections 19 and 20 of chapter 1 of General Statutes of the State of Minnesota, revision of 1866, relating to the canvassing of votes for State officers.

H. F. No. 121, An act to appropriate money to pay the Governor's Guard, Minnesota National Guards, for services performed in the Tracy riot, June 18 and 19, 1879.

H. F. No. 295, An act to amend section 11 of chapter 86 of the Special Laws of 1876, relating to the city of St. Paul, approved March 1, 1876, relating to the judges of the Municipal Court of said city.

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,

Governor.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Norrish presented a petition signed by J. J. Brackett and other citizens of Dakota county, relating to the protection of the wool growing interest of this State.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

Mr. Hicks presented a petition on the same subject, signed by citizens of Hennepin county.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CITIZENS OF ST. PAUL.

The following communication was received from the citizens of St. Paul:

ST PAUL, MINN., February 14, 1881.

Hon. Loren Fletcher,

Speaker of House of Representatives.

SIR:—The citizens of St. Paul, desiring to show courtesy to the honorable members and officers of the Legislature, will give a reception at Market Hall, in this city on the evening of the 22nd inst.

Invitations have been duly given to each member and officer, but lest this entertainment should be deemed formal, the committee desire through you to extend a general and most cordial invitation to the whole body, whose presiding officer you are, and to express the very hearty wish that every one will be present, and accept and enjoy the hospitality of our citizens. We mean that the occasion shall be an

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enjoyable one, giving opportunity for our people and our guests to have a good social time.

Your obedient servants,
R. W. JOHNSON,
F. DRISCOLL,
H. H. SIBLEY,
F. WILLIUS,
J. M. GILMAN.
Committee on Invitation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred
H. F. No. 439, A bill to allow the city of Crookston to endorse certain bonds.

Also, S. F. No. 159, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 52, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the estates of deceased persons.

Also, S. F. No. 64, A bill to amend section 2, chapter 24, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the number of hours constituting a day's labor.

Also, S. F. No. 207, A bill prescribing the time of holding general terms of the district court in the 9th judicial district.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 345, A bill amending section 315, of chapter 66, General Statutes, 1878, relating to levy on unharvested crops.

Also, H. F. No. 419, A bill to permit the several towns within Renville county to issue bonds to aid in the construction of railroads.

Also, H. F. No. 178, a bill to provide for the appointment of commissioners under section 14, chapter 34, General Statutes, and chapters 35 and 80, General Laws of 1879.

Also, H. F. No. 443, A bill to amend chapter 61, General Statutes, 1878, relating to marriages,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bills be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bills were indefinitely postponed.

Also, H. F. No. 302, A bill to enforce the payment of taxes which became deliquent in and prior to the year 1879,

Reported the same back, with an amendment, and recommended that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read the first time and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Sanborn from the committee on finance, to which was referred
H. F. No 440, A bill to amend chapter 96, General Laws 1876, relating to a clerkship in Secretary of State's office.

Also, H. F. No. 153, A bill making an appropriation for the purchase of books for the State Reform School,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same do pass.

Also, H. F. No. 408, A bill making an appropriation for repairs at the Minnesota State Reform School.

Also, H. F. No. 413, A bill to appropriate money for the purpose of reimbursing the employes of the Minnesota Hospital for Insane located at St. Peter.

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Also, H. F. No. 406, A bill to appropriate money for the deficiency in Minnesota State Reform School appropriation for the year 1880.

Also, H. F. No. 356, A bill to provide for the salary of the county treasurer of Mille Lacs county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same do pass.

The bills were placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 411, A bill to establish a clerkship in the Adjutant General's office, and fixing the salary for the same,

Have had the same under consideration, and amended the same by striking out twelve hundred, and inserting in lieu thereof six hundred.

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same do pass as amended.

The report was adopted.

The bill as amended was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 314,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same be indefinately postponed.

On motion of Mr. Cutts the report was amended, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Smith the amendment to the report was amended, and the bill was recommitted to the committee on judiciary.

Also, H. F. No. 355, A bill for the relief of the county of Crow Wing,

Reported that they have amended the same by striking out the words five hundred and eighty-four (584), in the first resolution of said bill, and insert in lieu thereof, the words five hundred and twenty-nine 93-100 dollars in lieu thereof and

S. F. No. 140, A bill extending the time of payment for seed grain furnished sufferers from grasshopper ravages under chapter 94 of the General Laws of 1878,

Reported that said committee has amended the same by striking out "October," in the first resolution of said bill, and inserting "November," in lieu thereof.

Also, H F. No. 346, A bill to provide for establishing a State Capitol building fund, reports that said committee has amended the same by striking out section 3,

Reported the same back, with amendments, and recommend that the bills do pass as amended.

The bills as amended, were read the first time, and placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Searles, from the committee on taxes and tax laws, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 206, A bill concerning the issue of bonds by Yellow Medicine county, for the purpose of constructing court house and county jail, beg leave to report the same, and recommend that the same be referred to the Representative of Yellow Medicine county.

The report was adopted, and the bill was so referred.

Mr. Searles, from the committee on agriculture, reports back

H. F. Nos. 95 and 293,

With a substitute, and recommend that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute was read, and placed on file for its second reading.

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Mr. Van Hoeven, from the committee on insurance, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 192, A bill to declare the policy of this State touching certain fire insurance contracts,

Reported the same back with amendments, and recommended that the same pass as amended.

The bill, as amended, was read the first time, and placed on file for second reading.

Mr. Sabin from the committee on railroads, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 298, A bill to authorize the village of Redwood Falls and any town in Redwood county, to issue bonds to aid in building railroads.

Also, H. F. No. 431, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act to incorporate the Minnesota Western Railroad Company and the acts amendatory thereof, approved March 3d, 1853," approved February 4th, 1870.

Also, H. F. No. 329, A bill confirming the organization and certain purchases of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, and in relation to the character, powers and franchises of said company,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, S. F. No. 72, A bill to confirm the sale of the line of railway of the Southern Minnesota Railway Company, extending from La Crescent on the Mississippi river in the county of Houston, in a westerly direction to the west line of the State, with the branch thereof to Mankato, and to authorize the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company, the purchaser thereof, to own and operate the same.

Reported the same back with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The bill as amended was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 116, A bill to establish the rate of passenger fare on the railroads of the State of Minnesota,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Roberts from the Hennepin county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 434, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle or other domestic animals in the county of Hennepin, State of Minnesota,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Plaisance, from the Rice county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 441, A bill to amend section 2, of chapter 206, of the Special Laws of 1878, and repealing chapter 260, of the Special Laws of 1879,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Searles, from the delegation from Dakota county, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 149, A bill providing for the incorporating of the village of Vermillion, in Dakota county,

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Reported the same back, and recommend that the same do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its third reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Flom reports that he has compared
H. F. Nos. 174, 379, 330, 389, 348 and 374.
Also, S. F. Nos. 76 and 68,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the committee on finance was allowed further time, until the 20th day of February inst., in which to report the bills relating to appropriation out of the internal improvement fund to build bridges.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L.,

H. F. No. 56, A bill to create a new judicial district and to provide for the election of a judge there, to be known as the thirteenth judicial district,

Was taken from the table, and referred to the special committee on judicial districts.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Callender introduced—

H. F. No. 461, A bill changing the boundaries of the township of Belle Plaine, in Scott county.

Which was read the first time and referred to the delegation from Scott county.

Mr. Collins introduced—

H. F. No. 462, A bill to locate a new State Prison.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on State Prison.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 463, A bill granting ferry privileges.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads, bridges and navigable streams.

Mr. Kniss introduced—

H. F. No. 464, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Rock river.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 465, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Excelsior, in the county of Hennepin, being chapter 4 of the Special Laws of 1877,

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks,

H. F. No. 465

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, BaxterJ., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis,

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Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On leave, Mr. Hicks presented a memorial to the Legislature by citizens of Hennepin county, relating to an amendment of the tax laws of this State,

Which was read, and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

Mr. Sabin introduced—

H. F. No. 466, A bill to amend the city charter of the city of Stillwater.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sabin, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Moore introduced—

H. F. No. 467, A bill to incorporate the village of Melrose.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Stearns county delegation.

Mr. Sabin introduced—

H. F. No. 468, A bill to change the name of a certain person.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committe on judiciary.

Mr. Sabin introduced—

H. F. No. 469, A bill to legalize the action of the supervisors of the town of Lakeland.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sabin the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 469,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Gardner, Geary, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Griggs introduced—

H. F. No. 470, A bill to amend parts of the charter of the city of St. Paul, and acts amendatory thereof.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Moore introduced—

H. F. No. 471, A bill to amend chapter 16 of Special Laws of 1876, incorporating the village of Sauk Center.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Stearns county delegation.

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Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 472, A memorial to Congress, asking for pensions for persons confined in confederate prisons.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Collins introduced—

H. F. No. 473, A bill to confer further jurisdiction on justices of the peace for Crow Wing county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Moore introduced—

H. F. No. 474, A bill to amend an act for the support and better regulation of common schools in the town of Sauk Center.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Moore the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the rules were suspended and

H. F. No. 382 was taken from general orders and referred to the committee on public accounts and expenditures.

Mr. Peterson P. A., introduced—

H. F. No. 475, A bill creating a joint school district in Mower and Freeborn counties.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegations from Mower and Freeborn counties.

Mr. Putnam introduced—

H. F. No. 476, A bill to restore John Franklin Sherman to citizenship.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The committee on judiciary introduced—

H. F. No. No. 477, A bill to amend section 23 of chapter 116 General Statutes 1878, relating to challenging jurors.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Also, H. F. No. 478, A bill to amend section 9 title 1 of chapter 80 of the General Statues 1878, relating to mandamus.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Redding introduced—

H. F. No. 479, A bill to authorize the State Land Commissioner to refund the purchase money paid on school land certificate No. 12,192.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Thornton introduced—

H. F. No. 480, A bill to dispose of swamp lands of this State, and to direct the disposition of the proceeds thereof.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

The committee on judiciary introduced—

H. F. No. 481, A bill to amend section 9, of chapter 100, of the General Statutes of 1878.

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Which was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Hanscom introduced—

H. F. No. 482, A bill to provide for appropriations for bridges in Stearns county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 483, A bill to regulate appeals from judgments of justices of the peace, in the city of St. Paul.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Geary introduced—

H. F. No. 484, A bill to authorize the towns of Plainview and Elgin to dispose of certain funds.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Geary, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from His Excellency the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, February 15, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. No. 10, An act to incorporate the village of Wadena, in the county of Wadena.

H. F. No. 79, An act to define the boundaries of Traverse county, and to provide for its organization.

H. F. No. 154, An act establishing the office of District Attorney in, and for, the Twelfth Judicial District, and to define the duties of such District Attorney.

H. F. No. 25, An act to organize a school for idiots and imbeciles.

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H. F. No. 97, An act to incorporate the village of Glyndon.

Very respectfully,
J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 14, 1881.

Mr. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 88, An act to detach certain territory from school district No. 6, and attach the same to Independent School District No. 7, in the county of Wright.

S. F. No. 91, An act to incorporate the village of Glenwood, Pope county, State of Minnesota.

S. F. No. 132, An act to provide for the publication of a Legislative Manual.

S. F. No. 179, An act to prevent debtors from giving preference to creditors, and to secure the equal distribution of the property of debtors among their creditors, and for the release of debts against debtors.

S. F. No. 199, An act organizing school districts in the county of Cass.

S. F. No. 212, An act to enable the trustees of High Forest Seminary to amend their articles of incorporation, so that the board of trustees shall consist of fifteen members instead of seven as heretofore.

S. F. No. 235, An act to regulate catching fish in Freeborn Lake, in Freeborn county.

S. F. No. 243, An act to authorize the board of education of the city of St. Paul to issue bonds.

S. F. No. 249, An act prohibiting the payment out of the State treasury of the salary of the district attorney, in and for the 12th judicial district, before the same has been collected from the respective county treasurers.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 22, An act to authorize the commissioners of the county of Swift to levy a special tax for road and bridge purposes.

H. F. No. 66, An act to amend the charter of the village of Lu Verne, in Rock county, approved February 14th, 1877.

H. F. No. 75, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 1, of the Special Laws of 1877, and to repeal chapter 62 of the Special Laws of 1878, relating to the incorporation of the village of Watertown, Carver county, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 93, An act to amend section 62 of chapter 13, of the General Statutes of 1878.

H. F. No. 114, An act to authorize the organization of certain school districts in Yellow Medicine county, and to legalize the official acts of the trustees of school districts

H. F. No. 119, An act to amend section 10 of chapter 15, Statutes of 1878, relating to relief of poor.

H. F. No. 130, An act to amend section 210, of title 13, of chapter 66, General Statutes 1878, relative to security where judgment is entered.

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H. F. No. 132, An act to incorporate the village of Herman, Grant county, State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 203, An act providing compensation to boards of county commissioners while acting as boards of equalization.

H. F. No. 143, An act to incorporate the village of Appleton, Swift county, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 169, An act to provide for the change of the county line in the counties of Polk and Marshall.

H. F. No. 170, An act to authorize a division of the county of Polk in this State, and the organization of a new county from a portion of the territory embraced in said county of Polk, and for other purposes relating to said division.

H. F. No. 392, An act to amend section 6 of title 3 chapter 7 of Special Laws of 1874, as amended by chapter 54 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Winnebago city.

H. F. No. 171, An act to authorize the county commissioners of Wantonwan county, to levy a tax for certain purposes.

H. F. No. 172, An act authorizing the town of Detroit to issue bonds to fund its debts.

H. F. No. 183, An act to prevent the use of language calculated to cause a breach of the peace.

H. F. No. 195, An act to prohibit cattle and other domestic animals from running at large in the town of Toming, Swift county, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 200, An act in relation to the use of school houses in common school districts.

H. F. No. 211, An act to amend the Statutes in relation to cattle running at large in the towns of Cokato and Stockholm.

H. F. No. 236, An act to amend section 41, of chapter 1, General Statutes of 1878, relating to fees of messengers for carrying election returns.

H. F. No. 242, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Montgomery, in the county of Le Sueur, and State of Minnesota."

H. F. No. 245, An act to fix the salary of the treasurer of Stearns county.

H. F. No. 247, An act to incorporate the village of Osakis, in Douglass county.

H. F. No. 248, An act to prevent cattle from running at large in the town of Bergen, McLeod county.

H. F. No. 250, An act prescribing the salary of the judge of probate of Dakota county.

H. F. No. 276, An act to authorize the village of Delano, Wright county, to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 290, An act to incorporate the village of Montrose.

H. F. No. 297, An act relating to the Government of free schools in the city of Anoka.

H. F. No. 299, An act to detach territory therein described from Independent School District No. 1, in Polk county.

H. F. No. 303, Memorial to Congress.

H. F. No. 307, An act to amend section 230, title 11, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to county surveyors' bond.

H. F. No. 320, An act to authorize Independent School District No. 1, Redwood county, to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 336, An act to incorporate the village of Graceville, in the county of Big Stone.

H. F. No. 367, An act to detach certain territory from school district

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No. 75, in Hennepin county, and attach the same to school district No. 74, said county.

H. F. No. 371, An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to suppress the catching of fish in Lake Koronis in Stearns and Meeker county.

H. F. No. 375, An act incorporating the village of Lansing, in Mower county.

H. F. No. 386, An act to legalize the organization of the Hassan Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

H. F. No. 388, An act to amend section 11, chapter 324, Special Laws of 1879, relating to county officers in Hennepin county.

H. F. No. 401, A memorial to Congress for the payment of bounty to members of the First Minnesota Mounted Rangers.

H. F. 402, An act to fix the compensation and fees of certain county officers of Hennepin county therein named.

H. F. No. 410, An act to incorporate the village of Renville, in Renville county, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 424, An act to incorporate the city of Moorhead.

H. F. No. 429, An act to widen Fort street from the city limits of St. Paul to Fort Snelling bridge, and also open and extend Stewart avenue from the city limits to Fort Snelling bridge.

H. F. No. 430, An act for laying out, locating and opening a county road through the towns of Rose and New Canada, in Ramsey county.

Also that the Senate has passed the following House files, with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

H. F. No. 2, An act to amend section 6 of chapter 84, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the service of summons in forcible entry actions.

H. F. No. 111, An act to declare certain persons therein named heirs at law of the late John Peller, deceased.

H. F. No. 157, An act to amend chapter 100 of the General Statutes of 1878, entitled, "Offences against chastity, morality and decency.

H. F. No. 249, An act to further amend an act entitled "An act to reduce the law relative to public schools in the city of St. Paul into one act, and to amend the same.

H. F. No. 252, An act relating to the salary of the county attorney of Hennepin county, and the county attorney of Ramsey county.

H. F. No. 256, An act to amend section 9 of chapter 100, General Statutes of 1878, relating to offences against chastity, morality and decency.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 2, A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 84, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the service of summons in forcible entry actions,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Callender, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn,

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Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Toue, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Loveland, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

The House resumed the consideration of messages from the Senate.

On motion of Mr, Hicks the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 111, Substitute for H. F. No. 72, a bill to declare certain persons therein named heirs at law of the late John Peller, deceased.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharlson, Thompson, J. Jr, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed as amended, and its title agreed to.

On motion the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 157, A bill to amend chapter 100 of the General Statutes of 1878, entitled offences against morality, chastity and decency.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn,

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Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn. Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 249, A bill to further amend an act to reduce the law relating to public schools in the city of St. Paul, also an act to amend the same,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong. Asleson, Baker, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington. Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. JR., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On Motion of Mr. Hicks, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 256,

Mr. Hicks moved that the bill be amended by striking out the words "offence," in the last line of section 1, and inserting the word "act" in lieu thereof.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson, J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 252, A bill relating to the salary of the county attorney of Hennepin county, and the county attorney of Ramsey.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Armstrong, Baxter J., Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Wiley moved to reconsider the vote whereby the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 252.

The motion prevailed, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the bill was referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 88, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 6, and attach the same to Independent School District No. 7, of the county of Wright,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 132, A bill to provide for the publication of a Legislative Manual,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 179, A substitute for S. F. No. 2, A bill to prevent debtors from giving preference to creditors, and to secure the equal distribution of the property of debtors among their creditors, etc.,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 91, An act to incorporate the village of Glenwood, Pope county,

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on incorporations.

S. F. No. 199, An act organizing school districts in the county of Cass,

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on education.

S. F. No. 235, An act to regulate catching fish in Freeborn Lake, in Freeborn county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

S. F. No. 243, A bill to authorize the Board of Education of the city of St. Paul to issue bonds,

Was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

S. F. No. 212, A bill to enable the trustees of High Forest Seminary, to amend their articles of incorporation, so that the board of trustees shall consist of fifteen members instead of seven as heretofore,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

S. F. No. 249, A bill prohibiting the payment out of the State Treasury of the salary of the district attorney for the twelfth judicial district before the same has been collected from the respective county treasurers,

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Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 149, 140, 72, 64, 207 and 159,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 116, 298, 329, 431, 460, 441, 434, 192, 314, 346, 356, 355 413, 411, 408, 153, 406, 440, 312, 439, 442 and 13,
Were read the second time.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 71, A bill to amend chapter 66, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to civil actions,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mc aster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 129, substitute for S. F. No. 59, A bill relating to costs and disbursements in criminal actions,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Colquhoun, Dean, Dodge, Flom, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T.C., Post, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 137, A bill authorizing the adoption of the infant therein named,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner,

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Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 145, A bill to cede to the United States jurisdiction over such territory in the city of Minneapolis as may be selected by the general government as a site for a post office and other government offices.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 185, A bill to authorize the village of Benson, in Swift county, to issue bonds in aid of building bridges, etc.,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 187, A bill to incorporate the village of Elkhorn,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Alseson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland. McCracken, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance,

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Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 192, A bill to amend chapter 4 of the Special Laws of 1876, being an act to incorporate the village of New Ulm,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none. as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean. Denby, Dunn, Flom Gardner, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

On motion of Mr. Smith,

H. F. No. 36, was recommitted to the committee on insurance.

H. F. No. 115, A bill to drain a lake in Wright county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays 9, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Child Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson, A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles Sheardown Snure, Southard, Steward, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative Were—

Messrs. Bohland, Rookwalter, Denby, Gardner, Northness, Peterson P. A., Redding, Schmidt and Thornton.

So the Bill was passed, and its title aggreed to.

H. F. No. 123, A bill for the appointment of a phonographic reporter for the district court of Hennepin county, and to authorize the county commissioners of said county to provide for the payment of said phonographer,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins. Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson,

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Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Tether, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

Mr. Butterfield voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Cutts moved a call of the House.

Which was ordered.

The Clerk called the roll, and a list of the absentees was handed to the Sergeant-at-Arms.

Messrs Graling, Kohlmier and Mott were excused.

On motion of Mr. Bohland, further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

H. F. No 149, A bill to introduce industrial expositions into the public schools of the State,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 40, and nays 27, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Hawkins, Hicks, Huhn, Kennedy, Kidder, McAndrews, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner and Washburn.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Braley, Butterfield, Collins, Denby, Gardner, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Post, Southard, Van Hoesen and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 150, A bill to introduce moral and social science in the public schools of the State,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays 7, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Stone, Tharlason, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Huhn, Kennedy, Loveland, Norrish, Post, Southard and Tone.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 213, A bill to provide for the registering and payment of interest on town orders,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L.,

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Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Ives Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Gould voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 251, A bill to declare the policy of this State concerning certain life insurance contracts,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays 10, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Lewis, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Bohland, Kennedy, Klossner, Northness, Peterson P. A., Rosebrock, Schmidt, Southard and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 281, A bill to amend sections 181 and 182 of title 3 of chapter 34 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to the care and custody of minors by Orphan Asylums,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Denby, Dodge, Donahue. Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Ives, Kidder, Kossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J. Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Gould voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Colquhoun

H. F. No. 344, Was recommitted to the committee on judiciary for amendment.

H. F. No. 353, A bill to permit each township in the State to keep a record of all roads running into or through such townships,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Braley, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No 351, A bill to amend section 149 of chapter 8 General Statutes 1878, relating to county treasurers,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Zeske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 354, A bill to empower the county commissioners to change or vacate military roads in Sherburne county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Hawkins, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Sheardown and Van Hoesen.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 357, A bill to amend chapter 130 of the Special Laws of 1879, to establish an Independent School District of Granite Falls,

Was read the third times, and put upon his final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted iu the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Dean, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hanscom, Haw-

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kins, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Juelson, Kennedy Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 360, A bill concerning evidence upon the trials upon indictments,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 30 and nays 55, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Baxter L. L., Braley, Caine, Callender, Comstock, Cutts, Gardner, Griggs, Hawkins, Juelson, Kendall, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cloquhoun, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Heury, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Kennedy, Klossner, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Dunn gave notice of a motion to reconsider the vote whereby H. F. No. 360 was lost.

On motion of Mr Hicks, the House took a recess until 7:30 o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

The House met at 7:30 p. m., and was called to order by Mr. Dunn, Speaker *pro tem.*

A quorum present.

Mr. Donahue moved that the House adjourn,

Which was lost.

Mr. Smith moved that the House resolved itself into committee of the whole,

Which was lost, and

The House resumed the

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 365, A bill to amend chapter 1 of the General Laws of 1878 to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

On motion of Mr. Searles, by unanimous consent, the bill was amended as follows: Amended title by adding "being chapter 11 General Statutes of 1878."

Also, by inserting the word "and" after the word "provided" in line 20 of section 19, being on page 4 of printed bill.

Also, by striking out the words "first day of May" in section 20, being line 6 on page 5 of printed bill, and inserting the words "fifteenth day of April."

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

These who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill as amended was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 366, A bill to limit and regulate the salaries of the county treasurer, register of deeds, and clerk of the district court in and for the county of Dodge,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callendar, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Jueison, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

Mr. Gardner voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 373, A bill to locate and establish a State road from the village of Campbell, in the county of Wilkin, to the village of Ashly, in the county of Grant,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt,

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Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 383, A bill to incorporate the village of Audubon, in Becker county.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 390, A bill to provide for the levy of taxes for State purposes for the year 1881 and 1882,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 391, A bill to authorize the register of deeds of Olmstead county, to record a deed,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 45, and nayes 8, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Norrish Northness, Peterson A., Porter T. C., Purrington, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wiley and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Gould, Griggs, Porter, O. S., Post, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Searles and Sheardown.

So the bill was lost

On motion of Mr. Searles, the vote whereby

H. F. No. 391, A bill authorizing the register of deeds of Olmsted county to record a deed,

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Was lost, was reconsidered, and

The bill was again put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callender, Child Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 395, A bill to amend section 24, chapter 6, General Statutes of 1878, prescribing the duties of State treasurer.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohlond, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 417, A bill to appropriate money to reinburse J. Q. Ward, for money expended by him for the State of Minnesota,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterffeld, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 423, A bill relating to the time of the election of directors and officers of corporations when elections have not been regularly held,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denby, Dodge, Donohue, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 435, A bill to reduce the law incorporating the village of Kasson, in the county of Dodge,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 446, A bill to incorporate the village of Pillsbury, in Swift county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 449, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Glencoe, in the county of McLeod, being chapter 6, of the Special Laws of 1873.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buttefield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs,

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Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 450, A bill to incorporate the village of Hector,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Denby, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Armstrong the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL, Wednesday, February 16, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Boser, Dean, Graling, Hall, Kniss and Mott.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Boser and Hall.

On motion, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Dunn presented seven petitions from citizens of Carver, Olmsted and other counties, relating to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, asking that a constitutional amendment be proposed and submitted, etc.

Which were read and referred to the special committee on temperance.

Also, a petition by J. C. Plank and others, relating to the protection of the ballot box.

Which was read and referred to the committee on judiciary.

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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Van Hoesen, from the committee on insurance, to which was referred

H. F. No. 98, A bill relating to insurance against fire and lightning,

Reported the same back, and recommended that it be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Peterson A., from the committee on elections, to whom was referred

A petition from students of Carleton College, praying for an amendment to article 7 of the constitution, so as to provide for the right of suffrage in the place where they are attending school,

Reported the same back, recommending that the petition be indefinitely postponed.

The report was amended, so as to allow the petitioners to withdraw their petition.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to which was referred

H. F. No. 305, A bill to detach the county of Grant from the 4th judicial district, and from the county of Douglas for judicial purposes.

Also, H. F. No. 126, A bill to legalize certain acts of the board of commissioners in the county of Murray, and the election of commissioners had in said county, November 2, 1880.

Also, S. F. No 164, A bill to incorporate the village of Brown's Valley, in Traverse county.

Also, H. F. No. 233, A bill to authorize the county of Polk to issue bonds to build a court house, and to fund the floating indebtedness of said county.

Also, S. F. No. 217, A bill to amend chapter 8, of General Laws 1878, relating to salary of county officers,

Also, H. F. No. 400, A bill to authorize the township of Logan, to issue bonds for county purposes,

Report the same back, and recommend that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 428, A bill to amend section 106, of chapter 11, General Laws of 1878, relating to payment of taxes before record of any deed,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be referred to the committee on judiciary.

The report was adopted, and the bill was so referred.

Mr. Stone from the committee on incorporations, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 91, A bill to incorporate the village of Glenwood, Pope county, Minnesota,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committeee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 234, A bill to authorize the appointment of an agent to prosecute certain land claims against the United States,

Reported the same back with a substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The substitute was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 314, A bill to appropriate money for the erection of a monument in memory of the Dustin family,

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Reported the same back without recommendation.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 480, A bill to dispose of the swamp lands of the State, and to direct the disposition of the proceeds thereof,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Thornton, the report was amended, and the bill was referred to the committee of the whole.

Also, S. F. No. 103, A bill to authorize the creation of dams and booms across Red Lake river, east of range 47, in Polk county,

Reported the same back, without any recommendation.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 476, A bill to restore John Franklin Sherman to citizenship,

Reported the same back without any recommendation.

The bill was placed on file for the second reading,

Also, F. H. No. 473, A bill to confer further jurisdiction on justices of the peace for Crow Wing county

Also, S. F. No. 249, prohibiting the payment out of the State treasury of the salary of the district attorney in and for the 12th judicial district before the same has been collected from the respective county treasurers,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 158, A bill to amend chapter 10, General Statutes of 1866, relating to township organizations and town officers,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Dunn, from the committee on public accounts and expenditures, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 342, A bill relating to the duties of county treasurers and the care of the public funds.

Reported the same back with a substitute, and recommend that the substitute do pass.

The substitute was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the bill was read the second time and ordered printed, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr Plaisance, from the committee on Indian affairs, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 144, A bill relative to statistics concerning the Sioux Indian massacre,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Van Hoesen, from the committee on insurance, to which was referred

H. F. No. 88, Amend lines 13, 15, 17 and 20, by striking out the word "corporation" where it occurs in said lines, and inserting the words "insurance companies" in lieu thereof,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same do pass as amended.

The bill as amended was read, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to whom was referred

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H. F. No. 482, A bill providing for appropriations for bridges in Stearns county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be referred to delegation from Stearns county.

The report was adopted, and the bill was so referred.

Mr. Porter, from the committee on roads and bridges, to which was referred

S. F. No. 62.

Also, S. F. No. 3, A bill to amend chapter 27 of General Laws of 1876, and chapter 5 of General Laws of 1873, and being same as section 3 of chapter 13 of General Laws of 1878, relating to roads and cartways.

Also, H. F. No. 455, A bill relating to roads, cartways and bridges.

Also, S. F. No. 85, A bill to locate a State road from Alexandria to Herman, in Grant county.

Also, H. F. No. 393, A bill to amend section 55, chapter 13, General Statutes of 1878, relating to roads, cartways and bridges.

Also, H. F. No. 463, A bill granting ferry privileges,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass as amended.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Moore, from the Stearns county delegation, to which was referred

H. F. No. 471,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Allen, from the delegation from Mower county, to which was referred

H. F. No. 475, A bill creating a joint school district in Mower and Freeborn counties,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Moore, from the delegation from Stearns county, to which was referred

H. F. No. 467, A bill to incorporate the village of Melrose,

Reported the same back, with substitute, and recommended that the bill pass as amended.

The bill as amended, was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Moore, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Norrish, from the delegation from Dakota county, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 219,

Reported the same back, with a substitute, and recommended the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute

Was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Norrish, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 487, substitute for S. F. No. 219, A bill to allow a clerk to the county treasurer of Dakota county,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A , Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Smith, from the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 483, A bill relating to appeals in justice court,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Smith the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 483,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 87, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Smith, from the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 160,

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that the same do pass.

The bill was placed on file for the second reading.

The Speaker announced the following committee under the concurrent resolution relating to the discriminations by the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company, viz.:

Messrs. Daniels, Smith, Peterson P. A., and Klossner.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on judiciary, offered the following resolution.

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That the committee on judiciary be authorized to print its

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report on H. F. No. 155, to amend section 128 of chapter 11 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to taxes, before submitting the same to the House.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No. 488, A bill to define the boundaries and to establish a municipal gouernment for the city of Duluth.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 489, A bill to provide for the preparation and printing blanks for official bonds of county officers.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public accounts and expenditures.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

H. F. No. 490, A bill to change the boundaries of Faribault school district No. 1, of Rice county.

Which was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Baldwin, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 86, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huelbak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Morre, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J. Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

The committee on State Prison introduced—

H. F. No. 491, A bill to ratify the contract between the State of Minnssota and Seymour, Sabin & Co., and making provisions modifying the same.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Searles introduced—

H. F. No. 492, A bill to repeal an act to provide for the removal of the county seat of Lincoln county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Braley.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 493, A bill to incorporate the village of St. Vincent in Kittson county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

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Also, H. F. No. 494, A bill to complete the organization of Kittson county, and to establish a term of court therein.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Dean, Gardner, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebek, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Also, H. F. No. 495. A bill to restore Samuel Guswald to citizenship.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F. No. 496, A bill to detach certain territory from the town of Rose, and to attach the same to the town of Reserve.

Which was read ahe first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr Amundson introduced—

H. F. No. 497, A bill to amend section 107, chapter 8 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to selection of jurors.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on udiciary.

Mr. Klossner introduced—

H. F. No. 498, A bill to amend sections 14 and 47 of chapter 10 of the General Laws of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Armstrong introduced—

H. F. No. 499, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Buffalo river, in Martin county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 500, A bill to amend section 14 of chapter 73 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to roads and cartways.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kidder introduced—

H. F. No. 501, A bill to authorize the counties, towns and villages, to keep in repair the roads and bridges, and to be liable for damages for neglect.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Peterson A. introduced—

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H. F. No. 502, A bill to provide for surveying, locating and establishing a State road, between Ramsey and Washington counties.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Van Hoesen introduced—

H. F. No. 503, A bill to amend section 292 of title 6, chapter 34, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to insurance.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 504, A bill to establish commissioners districts in the county of Hennepin, and to regulate the election and compensation of the county commissioners therein.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended and the bill

Was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 505, A bill to incorporate the village of Rockford, in the counties of Hennepin and Wright.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Cutts, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 506, A bill to establish the county of Canby and provide for the location of the county seat of said county, and to establish the boundary lines thereof, and to organize the same.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Braley, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Huhn introduced—

H. F No. 507, A bill to amend section 372, of title 6, of chapter 34, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to insurance.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Thompson J., introduced—

H. F. No. 508, A bill to return non-resident road taxes in the town of Cannon City, in the county of Rice.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Thompson J., the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 81, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hunscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Thorntod, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske ann Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Moore introduced—

H. F. No. 509, A bill to authorize the Greendale Cemetery Association and the owners of lots therein to convey said cemetery and lots therein.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Stearns county.

M. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 510, A bill to amend an act to legalize the highway known as the St. Paul and Hastings river road.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Also, H. F. No. 511, A bill to amend section 50 of chapter 36 of the General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Also, H. F. No. 512, A bill to amend sections 11, 12, 14 and 15 of chapter 84 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to forcible entry and unlawful detainer.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 513, A bill to amend chapter 157 of the Special Laws of 1878, as the same are amended by chapter 62 of Special Laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 16, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 261, An act to authorize the city of Mankato to issue bonds to fund its indebtedness.

S. F. No. 262, An act amendatory of the several acts incorporating the borough of Belle Plaine in the county of Scott.

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S. F. No. 266, An act to authorize the board of trustees of school district No. 21, in Otter Tail county to issue bonds.

S. F. No. 197, An act to authorize the county commissioners of Houston county to cancel and destroy certain county orders therein named.

S. F. No. 147, An act relating to the publication of the reports of the geological and natural History survey of the State.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 159, An act relating to savings banks.

H. F. No. 352, An act to change the name of the town of Clarkville, in Big Stone county, to Malta.

H. F. No. 433, An act to legalize the election of the village of Murdock, Swift county, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 447, A bill to change the name of the town of Sahlmark, in the county of Stevens, to Swan Lake.

Also, that the Senate has adopted the following resolution, in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested:

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that the sum of one hundred and thirty-nine dollars and thirty cents is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of the committee appointed to investigate the cause of the destruction by fire of the asylum at St. Peter and the loss of human life thereby, payable to H. B. Wilson, chairman of said committee.

Also, that Senators Aaker, Officer and Adams have been appointed on the part of the Senate, members of the committee on location of a second State prison.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House File with an amendment, in which the concurrance of the House is respectfully requested:

H. F. No. 87, A bill authorizing the formation of millers and manufacturers mutual insurance companies.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 87, A bill to authorize the formation of millers' and manufacturs' mutual insurance companies,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill passed, and its title agreed to.

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On motion, the House concurred in the concurrent resolution appropriating the sum of one hundred and thirty-nine dollars and thirty cents to pay the expenses of the committee to investigate the cause of the disaster by fire of the Asylum at St. Peter.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Griggs, Hayes, Halgreu, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the resolution was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Northness, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Hicks in the chair.

After sometime spent therein, the committe rose and reported that they had had under consideration.

H. F. No. 436, A bill to amend article seven of the constitution.

Which they reported back, with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr Denny moved that the report of the committee of the whole, be adopted.

Mr. Dunn moved to amend the report so as to require the committee on judiciary to report the bill back on to-morrow morning.

Mr. Gould moved to amend the amendment so as to make it next Monday morning.

Mr. Smith moved as a substitute for the other amendments that the bill be recommended to pass, and that the bill be acted upon at this time.

Mr. Sanborn moved the previous question, which was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being "shall the main question be now put?"

The question being taken on the adoption of the substitute offered by Mr. Smith, and the yeas and nays being called for and ordered, there were yeas 85, and nays 4, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee. Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson, J. Jr, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Collins, Comstock, Dead and Hoyt.

So the substitute was adopted.

Mr. Geary moved the previous question,

Which was not seconded,

Mr. Hicks moved that the House do now adjourn, and the yeas and nays were called for and ordered.

The question being taken on the motion to adjourn, there were yeas 12, and nays 81, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Daniels, Gould, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Kohlmier, Norrish, Plaisance, Schmidt, Sheardown, Stone and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean. Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Huhn, Huiebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the motion to adjourn was lost.

Mr. Hicks moved that the rules be suspended, and that amendments be allowed to the bill.

Mr. Sanborn moved an amendment, that the friends of the bill be allowed fifteen minutes to amend the bill and debate the same, and the opponents of the bill the same time to amend and debate, and that at the end of that time the previous question be ordered.

Which Mr. Hicks accepted.

Mr. Sanborn moved that each member shall be limited to thirty minutes in the discussion of the bill, and that at the end of the thirty minutes the previous question may be called.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Geary renewed his motion of the previous question,

Which was ordered.

And the yeas and nays were called for and ordered,

The question being taken upon the motion of Mr. Hicks, as amended, there were yeas 63, and nays 33, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Callender, Child, Churchill, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Gould, Halgren, Herberger, Hoyt, Huhn, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Loveland, McAndrews, McMaster, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Snure, Stewart, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the motion was lost.

Mr. Daniels moved that the House do now adjourn, and the yeas and nays were called for and ordered.

The question being taken on the motion to adjourn, there were yeas 16, and nays 75, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Baxter J., Braley, Daniels, Dodge, Gould, Hayes, Huhn, Kennedy, Loveland, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Sheardown, Snure, Tone and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Case, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

So the motion to adjourn was lost.

Mr. Geary moved that

H. F. No. 436, A bill to amend article 7 of the Constitution,

Be put upon its final passage at this time, and

Moved the previous question on the passage of the bill, and

The yeas and nays were called for, and ordered,

The question being taken on the seconding of the previous question, there were yeas 60, and nays 35, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine,

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Cutts, Daniels, Dunn, Flom, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Ives, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sheardown, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen and Washburn.

So the previous question was seconded.

Also, H. F. No. 436, A bill prposing an amendment to article 7 of the constitution,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 51, and nays 52, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether and Washburn.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Callender, Child; Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Herberger, Huhn, Kendall, Kennedy, Klosner, Kohlmier, McAndrews, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Rosebrock, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stone, Thornton, Toue, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 16, 1881.

Mr. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 20, An act to appropriate money to pay Charles Butler and the widow of J. H. Jones for filling and grading the State Normal School grounds in the city of Winona.

S. F. No. 182, An act to appropriate money for the building of an east wing to the Second Hospital for the Insane.

S. F. No. 183, An act to provide money for rebuilding the north wing of the first hospital for the insane, and for other purposes therein named.

S. F. No. 184, An act to appropriate money for furnishing, fitting and repairing the second hospital for the insane.

S. F. No. 218, An act to incorporate the village of Springfield, county of Brown, State of Minnesota.

S. F. No. 256, An act to divide the town of Two Rivers, in the county of Morrison, into two towns.

S. F. No. 272, An act in relation to the public schools of Brainard, Minnesota.

S. F. No. 273, An act to incorporate the village of Waseca.

S. F. No. 274, An act to authorize and empower the city council of

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Minneapolis to lay out and extend a certain street through Maple Hill cemetery, in said city.

S. F. No. 275, An act to authorize the city council of the city of Minneapolis to appropriate money to aid in the construction of certain highways in the county of Hennepin.

S. F. No. 276, An act to authorize justices of the peace of the towns adjoining the city of Minneapolis, in Hennepin county, to keep an office within the limits of said city.

S. F. No. 277, An act to authorize the town of Canton, in Fillmore county, to hold the next annual town meeting in the village of Canton in said town.

Also, That the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 101, An act to enable the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company to purchase the property and franchises of certain other railroad companies.

H. F. No. 123, An act for the appointment of a phonographic reporter for the district court of Hennepin county, and to authorize the county commissioners of said county to provide for the payment of said phonographer.

H. F. No. 391, An act authorizing the register of deeds of Olmstead county to record a deed.

H. F. No. 448, An act to amend section 17, chapter 2, of the amended charter of the town of Taylor's Falls, Chisago county, Minnesota, approved March 6th, 1871.

H. F. No. 469, An act to legalize the actions of the supervisors of the town of Lakeland.

Also, that the Senate has concurred in the amendment by the House to the following House File, herewith returned:

H. F. No. 256, An act to amend section 9 chapter 100, General Statutes of 1878, relating to offenses against chastity, morality and decency.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the House adjourned.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

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THIRTY-THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL, Thursday, February 17, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Denby, Hall, Huhn, Mott, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., and Van Hoesen.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday.

On motion, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal of yesterday stood approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Stone presented petition from W. R. Marshall, U. S. Hallister and J. W. McClung, the committee of the State Forestry Association, asking for an appropriation of $5,000 to carry on the work of said association.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Burger presented petition of Franklin H. Waite, and other citizens of Blue Earth county, asking for an amendment to section 10, of chapter 18, of General Statutes of 1866, relating to cattle running at large.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Van Hoesen from the committee on insurance, to which was referred

H. F. No. 36, A bill entitled, an act to authorize and regulate within the State the business of insurance,

Reported the same back with amendments, and recommended that the same do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Allen, from the committee to which was referred

H. F. No. 302, A bill to authorize the county of Wilkin to issue bonds,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Comstock the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 302,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows .

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender. Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Stone, from the committee on incorporations, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 488, A bill to define the boundaries and establish a municipal government for the city of Duluth,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 495, A bill to restore Samuel Griswold to citizenship,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 498, A bill to amend sections 14 and 47 of chapter 10, General Statutes of 1878, relating to township organizations,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report of the committee was adopted.

Also, S. F. No. 8, A bill to legalize the acts of Alled D. Ferris, guardian of Emma A. Sherwin *et al.*, in making sale of certain real estate belonging to said minors,

Reported the same back with an amendment, and recommended that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Norrish, from the committee on finance, to which was referred

H. F. No. 456, A bill to appropriate money to the county of Stearns to aid in improving the St. Cloud and Breckenridge State road.

Also, H. F. No. 231, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Watonwan river in the county of Watonwan,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bills be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bills were indefinitely postponed.

Also, H. F. 403.

Amend by inserting the words "seven hundred" in the place of the words "twenty-five hundred,"

Reported the same back as amended, and recommended that it do pass.

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the report of the committee was amended by inserting the sum of fifteen hundred dollars in lieu of seven hundred.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to which was referred

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H. F. No. 454, A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Anoka in the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at the city of Anoka,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Norrish, from the committee on finance, to which was referred

H. F. No. 291,

Amend by inserting the words "six hundred" in place of the words twenty-five hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 499,

Amend by inserting the words "three hundred" in the place of the words "four hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 328,

Amend by inserting the words "four hundred" in the place of the words "twelve hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 464,

Amend by inserting the words "four hundred" in the place of the words "seven hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 189,

Amend by inserting the words "six hundred" in the place of the words "one thousand."

Also, H. F. No. 61,

Amend by inserting the words "two hundred" in the place of the words "three hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 223,

Amended by inserting the words "three hundred" in the place of the words "eight hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 372,

Amend by inserting the words "three hundred and fifty" in the place of the words "five hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 185,

Amend by inserting the words "three hundred and fifty" in the place of the words "five hundred," and by inserting the words "two hundred," in the place of the words "three hundred," and by inserting "one hundred and fifty" in the place of the words "two hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 317,

Amend by inserting the words, "one hundred" in the place of the words "two hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 399,

Amend by inserting the words "one hundred" in the place of the words "two hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 370,

Amend by inserting the figures $200 in the place of the figures $300.

Also, H. F. No. 268,

Amend by inserting the words six hundred in the place of the words "one thousand."

Also, H. F. No. 432,

Amend by inserting the words two hundred and fifty in the place of the words "five hundred."

Also, H. F. No. 327,

Amend by inserting the words five hundred in the place of the words "one thousand."

Also, H. F. No. 369,

Amend by inserting the words "three hundred" in the place of the words "six hundred," and figures "600."

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Also, H. F. No. 229,

Amend by inserting the words "two hundred" in the place of the words "four hundred."

Report the bills back, with amendments, and recommend that the bills do pass as amended.

The bills as amended were read, and

On motion of Mr. Norrish the rules were suspended and the bills were read the second time and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Dean, from the committe e on agriculture and manufactures, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 388, A bill allowing the creation of a lien upon a foal before its birth,

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that it be indefinitely postponed.

Which report was adopted.

Also, H. F. No. 452, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle, horses and other domestic animals in the county of Traverse.

Also, H. F. No. 235, A bill relating to catching fish in Freeborn Lake, in Freeborn county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for the second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 451, A bill to declare the Minnesota River a lawful division fence,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinately postponed.

The report was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to which was referred

H. F. No. 385, A bill in relation to an independent school district in Brown's Valley,

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that the same do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Collins from the Stearns county delegation, to which was referred

H. F. No. 482, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge in Stevens county,

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that the same do pass.

On motion of Mr. Collins, the rules were suspended, and

The bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stew-

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art, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson, J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Also, H. F. No. 509, A bill to authorize the Greenvale cemetary association to convey lots,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Rice, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 304, A bill to reimburse Watonwan county for expenses incurred in the capture of the Younger brothers,

Reported the same back with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Braley, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 492, A bill to repeal an act approved February 2, 1881, for the removal of the county seat of Lincoln county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Washburn, the bill was recommitted to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Bohland, from the delegation from Ramsey county, to which was referred

H. F. No. 496, A bill to detach certain territory from the town of Rose and attach the same to the town of Reserve, in Ramsey county, in this State,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Bohland, the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Daniels presented a telegram from Daniel Wells, as follows:

Hon. J. V. Daniels, St. Paul:

I own sixty-six (66) Minnesota State Railroad Bonds, and will accept Chamberlain's proposition for same.

DAVID WELLS.

Which was read and referred to Mr. Daniels

Mr. Bohland, from the delegation from Ramsey and Wasington counties, to which was referred

H. F. No. 502, A bill to provide for surveying, locating and establishing a State road between Ramsey and Washington counties,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Bohland, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Smith, from the Ramsey county delegation, reported back

H. F. No. 252, A bill relating to the compensetion of county attorneys of Hennepin and Ramsey counties,

Reported the same back with amendments, and recommended the bill do pass as amended.

On motion of Mr. Smith the rules were suspended, and the bill as amended

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender,

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Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss. Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley. Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Smith, from the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 470, A bill amending the charter of the city of St. Paul,

Reported the same back, with the recammendation that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Flom reports that he has compared
H. F. Nos. 294, 254 and 409,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, reports that he has examined

H. F. Nos. 35, 121, 68, 179, 228, 271, 125, 197, 288, 82, 97, 402 and 299,

And finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Cornish introduced—

H. F. No. 514, A joint resolution to Congress, asking for relief of certain settlers on railroad lands.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F. No. 515, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the German Reading Society of St. Paul.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Bohland, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 515,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom,

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Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharlason, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Hoyt introduced—

H. F. No. 516, A bill to provide for the location of a second State Prison.

Which was read the first time, and referred to joint the committee on State Prison.

Mr. Gould introduced—

H. F. No. 517, A bill to prevent cattle and other domestic animals from running at large in Winona.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Gould the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Donahue introduced—

H F. No. 518, A bill to amend sections 2 and 3 of chapter 208 of Special Laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Mr. Zieske introduced—

H. F. No. 519, A bill to divide the town of Home in Brown county into two town organizations.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Zieske, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79, and nays none, as follows:

These who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thorn-Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Collins introduced—

H. F. No. 520, A bill concerning orders.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kidder introduced—

H. F. No. 521, A bill to amend sub-division 5, of section 310, of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

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Mr. Stedjee introduced—

H. F. No. 522, A bill to change the name of Nels Hanson to Nels H. Tafsted.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kidder introduced—

H. F. No. 523, A bill to provide a transcript of the government plates and field notes of the several counties, for the use of the surveyors thereof.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 524, A bill to amend section 4, of Laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Buckman, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J. Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Purrington introduced—

H. F. No. 525, A bill to amend section 14 of chapter 39 of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1878, relating to chattel mortgages.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Amundson introduced—

H. F. No. 526, A bill to amend section 9 of chapter 91 of the General Laws of 1877, relating to draining wet lands, &c.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Amundson, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Gardner, Thompson J., Gould, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

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So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 527, A bill to enforce the laws governing the assessing property for taxation.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

Mr. Ives introduced—

H. F. No. 528, A bill to authorize certain cities, boroughs and villages to issue bonds

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 529, A bill to secure the collection of taxes.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 17, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted.

S. F. No. 201, An act to appropriate money for the support of the several State institutions therein named, for the years 1881 and 1882, and to prescribe the manner of distributing the same.

The Senate has also passed the following resolution in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

WHEREAS, "Life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness," are among the God given and inalienable rights of all men, and any government or system of laws which denies or abridges the one or the other of the these rights, is oppressive in its character; and

WHEREAS, The Irish nation is seeking by peaceful and law-abiding means this common inheritence of men;

Therefore, be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House of Representatives concurring therein: that we extend to the Irish people our earnest sympathy in their peaceful efforts to place the ownership of the land in those who cultivate it.

Resolved, That we deprecate the avowed intention of the British govment to impose coercive measures upon the suffering Irish people, instead of according to them that justice and equity to which they are entitled by all human and divine laws.

The Senate has also requested the return of

S. F. No 147, An act relating to the publication of the geological and natural history of survey of the State,

That it may be further considered by the Senate.

I have also to announce that Senators Peterson, Wedge and Castle have been appointed members, on the part of the Senate, of the special joint committee providing for an investigation of the Winona & St. Peter Railway Company.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

Mr. Gould moved that the House concur in the joint resolution of the Senate sympathizing with the Irish people in their peaceful efforts to place the ownership of the land in those who cultivate it.

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Mr. Stone moved to amend the resolution by striking out the words "and an insult to the Almighty."

Which was adopted

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution, as amended, there were yeas 66, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S. Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Tharalsen voted in the negative.

So the resolution, as amended, was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the request of the Senate was complied with. and

S. F. No. 147, A bill relating to the publication of the Geological and Natural History of Survey of the State,

Was returned to the Senate for further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Collins offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted :

That the committee on judiciary be directed to enquire as to whether the Sabbath day should be counted as part of the sixty days provided by our Constitution for a Legislative session, and report its views to this House.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 177, A bill to appropriate money to the State University,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Moore, the bill was referred to the committe on finance.

S. F. No. 169, A bill to incorporate the village of Jackson, in Jackson county.

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Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on incorporations.

S. F. No. 168, A bill to create and organize a special school district in the county of Jackson.

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

S. F. No. 201, A bill to appropriate money for the support of the several State institutions therein named for the years 1881 and 1882. and to prescribe the manner of disbursing the same.

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. L. No. 226, A bill for the protection of fish in the county of Goodhue,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

S. F. No. 276, A bill to authorize justices of the peace of the towns adjoining the city of Minneapolis in Hennepin county to keep an office within the limits of the city,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the following resolution was taken up and concurred in:

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that a joint committee of two Senators and three Representatives be appointed, to whom shall be referred so much of the Governor's message as refers to the National Exposition to be held in the city of New York, in 1883, and all bills and resolutions that may be introduced hereafter at this session on the subject.

S. F. No. 277, A bill to authorize the town of Canton, in Fillmore county, to hold the next annual town meeting at the village of Canton, in said town,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hayes, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 85, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohlond, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rrosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 275, A bill to authorize the city council of the city of Minneapolis, to appropriate money to aid in the construction of certain highways in the county of Hennepin,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Hicks.

S. F. No. 274, A bill to authorize and empower the city of Minneapolis, to lay out and extend certain streets through Maple Hill Cemetery in said city.

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr Hicks.

S. F. No. 272, A bill in relation to the public schools of Brainerd,

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Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 84, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donohue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 190, A bill to appropriate money to enlarge the grounds of the State Normal schools at St. Cloud,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 174, A bill to regulate the time for holding the first term of the District Court in the county of Freeborn, in the 10th judicial district,

Was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Freeborn county.

S. F. No. 221, A bill to amend an act to reduce the law incorporating the village of Mantorville in the county of Dodge, &c.

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Kneeland, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 77, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huleback, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 182, A bill to appropriate money for the building of an east wing to the second hospital for the insane,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 79, A bill to promote moral and social science in the public schools in Minnesota,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

S. F. No. 108, A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 75 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to trials of actions for the recovery of real property,

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Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 170, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 165, of the Special Laws of 1873, as amended by chapter 58, of the Special Laws of 1874,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 112, A bill to amend section 242, of chapter 66, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to trial by the court,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 237, A bill to amend the charter of the city of Austin, relating to the pay of the city recorder,

Was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Mower county.

S. F. No. 236, A bill to authorize the city of Austin to issue new bonds with which to pay a portion of its indebtedness maturing A. D., 1882,

Was read the first time and referred to the delegation from Mower county.

S. F. No. 228, A bill to incorporate the village of Waverly, Wright county,

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on incorporations.

S. F. No. 233, A bill to authorize the town of Taylors Falls, county of Chisago, to construct and maintain a bridge across the St. Croix river,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Dean, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 81, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterffeld, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 238, A bill to authorize the city of Austin to issue bonds to aid in the construction of a court house for Mower county.

Was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Mower county.

S. F. No. 155, A bill to explain the references to the General Statutes of 1878, made in acts of the legislature,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F No. 261, A bill to authorize the city of Mankato to issue bonds to fund its indebtedness,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 256, A bill to divide the town of Two Rivers in the county of Morrison, into two towns,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Buckman.

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S. F. No, 273, A bill to incorporate the city of Waseca,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Dodge, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Suure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

On leave, Mr. Dunn, from the committee on public accounts and expenditures, to which was referred

H. F. No. 489, A bill to provide for the preparation and printing of the blanks for official bonds of county officers, and for recording such bonds, and filing the same in the office of the Secretary of State,

Reported the same back, and recommended that it do pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sanborn, on leave, offered the following resolution.

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That House File No. 387 and all other House and Senate Files appropriating money, then pending in the House, be made the special order on Tuesday next, immediately after the reading of the journal, and that they remain the special order thereafter until disposed of.

S. F. No. 134, A bill to repeal chapter 44, Special Laws of 1879, entitled an act to amend chapter 11 of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the incorporation of New Prague.

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 133, A bill to amend an act entitled, an act to incorporate the village of New Prague,

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 130, A bill providing for the care of the chronic insane,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on Hospital for the Insane.

S. F. No. 13, A bill to amend section 90 of title No. 4 of section 34 of the General Statutes as amended by chapter 2 of the General Laws of 1879, relating to religious corporations,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 113, A bill to authorize the commissioners of Mille Lacs county to grant authority and license to construct dams for the saving of water for the purpose of sluicing and driving logs and lumber,

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Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S F. No 266, A bill to authorize the board of trustees of school district No. 21 in Otter Tail county to issue bonds,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

S. F. No. 197, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Houston county to cancel and destroy certain county orders,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 262, A bill to amend the several acts incorporating the borough of Belle Plain, in the county of Scott,

Was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Scott county.

S. F. No. 163, A bill to repeal section 23, of chapter 2, of the General Laws of 1877,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

S. F. No. 208, A bill to incorporate the village of Springfield in the county of Brown,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Zieske the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 82, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 147, A bill relating to the publication of the reports of the geological and natural history survey of the State,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on university.

S. F. No. 183, A bill to appropriate money to rebuild the north wing of the First Hospital for the Insane, and for other purposes,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 231, A bill to amend the charter of the city of St. Paul, in relation to the fire department of said city,

Was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

S. F. No. 184, A bill to appropriate money for furnishing, fitting and repairing the Second Hospital for the Insane,

Was read the first time, and referred tothe committee on finance.

S. F. No. 20, A bill to appropriate money to pay Charles Butler and the widow of J. H. Jones for filling aud grading the State Normal school grounds in the city of Winona,

Was read the ffrst time, and referred to the committee on finance.

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SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 126, 164, 217, 85—, 3, 85, 144, 91, 249, 103, 8, 235 and 62,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 448, 385, 509, 452, 495, 475, 233, 305, 400. 88, 314, 473, 476, 471, 463, 455, 393, 160 and 485,

Were read the second time.

Mr. Smith moved to reconsider the vote whereby

H. F. No. 419, was indefinitely postponed.

The motion prevailed, and the bill was recommitted to Mr. Braley.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F No. 68, A bill to incorporate the village of Detroit, in the county of Becker,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

And the question being taken, on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Denby, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 76, A bill relating to the erection of party walls in certain cases.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thomp- J., Wagner, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 330, A bill to restrain the running at large of cattle in Clay county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69. and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hvlebak, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A , Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J., Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 348, A bill to amend section 100 of chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to county commissioners,

Was read the third times, and put upon his final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted iu the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Schmidt, Searles, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Dunn moved that

H. F. No. 374. A bill to amend sections 1 and 7, article 4, of the Constitution of this State

Be recommitted to the committee of the whole, and that it be placed at the head of general orders.

Which motion did not prevail.

H. F. No. 374, A bill to amend sections 1 and 7, of article 4, of the Constitution of this State,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

And the question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 42, and nays 56, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bailey, Burger, Comstock, Daniels, Denny. Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Gould, Hall, Halgren, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Kendall, McAndrews, McMaster, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Rice, Roberts, Sabin,

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Schmidt, Searles. Sheardown, Smith, Stewart. Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Washburn Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 379, A bill to amend section 13, chapter 65, relating to courts of justices of the peace,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kniss, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, McAndrews, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J. Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the Bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 389, A bill to drain a certain lake in Meeker county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baker, Boser, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T C., Post, Putnam, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thomson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Bookwalter voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 474, A bill to amend an act for the better support and better regulation of the common schools of the town of Sauk Centre,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Braley,

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Butterfield, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 254, A bill to amend section 232, title 11, chapter 8 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to county surveyors,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 49, and nays 9, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dodge, Donahue, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone and Wagner.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Bohland, Braley, Gardner, Kendall, Klossner, Kohlmier, Purrington, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 294, A bill to amend title 51 of chapter 34 of the General Laws of 1878, relating to religious corporations,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 53, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dodge, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Ives, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Schmidt, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 409, A bill to amend section 297 of title 6 of chapter 34 of the General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland,

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Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 505, A bill to incorporate the village of Rockford in the counties of Wright and Hennepin,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O.S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 513, A bill to amend chapter 157 of the Special Laws of 1878, as the same are amended by chapter 62 of the Special Laws of 1879,

Was read the third times, and put upon its final passage

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry G. H., Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thornton, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Gould moved that the vote whereby

H. F. No. 149

Was lost, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed, and the vote was reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the vote whereby

H. F. No. 360

Was lost, was reconsidered,

On motion of Mr. Bohland,

H. F. No. 496

Was placed on file for its third reading.

On motion of Mr. Kendall,

H. F. No. 488

Was placed on file for its third reading.

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On motion of Mr. Hicks the general orders was made the special order for to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock, A. M.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following committees under the joint resolution relating to that part of the Governor's message which refers to the National Exposition, to be held in the city of New York, in 1883, Messrs. Sabin, Sheardown and Tharalson.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 17, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 204, An act to authorize the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad Company, to acquire, construct, maintain and operate railways in this State.

S. F. No. 210, An act relating to the salary of the judge of probate of Scott county.

S. F. No. 222, An act to appropriate money to meet a deficiency on account of Second Hospital for the Insane.

S. F. No. 234, An act to amend section 157, chapter 65 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to proceedings before justices of the peace.

S. F. No. 244, An act for licensing of dogs, and for the protection of sheep, lambs or domestic animals.

S. F. No. 281, An act to detach certain territory from one school district and attach the same to another district in Olmstead county.

S. F. No. 282, An act to change the name of Christopher Lorstenson to Christophor T. Barsnass.

S. F. No. 285, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Blue Earth City, Faribault county, Minnesota, being chapter 14 Special Laws of Minnesota for 1879."

S. F. No. 288, An act to legalize the action of the county commissioners of the county of Marshall.

S. F. No. 289, An act to legalize certain roads in Carver county.

S. F. No. 259, An act relating to the public schools of the city of Albert Lea.

Also, That the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 142, An act to amend and codify the several acts incorporating the village of Farmington, Dakota county, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 181, An act to amend section 151, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878.

H. F. No. 221, An act relating to the payment of salaries of county attorneys, judges of probate and county superintendents of public schools.

H. F. No. 241, An act for the relief of settlers on lands claimed by the State as swamp lands, and for the adjustment of land grants inuring to the State under the several acts of Congress.

H. F. No. 239, An act to amend section 172, chapter 8, General Statutes, 1878, relating to salaries of county treasurers.

H. F. No. 258, An act to amend sections 101, 102 and 119, title 6, chapter 66, General Statutes, 1878, relating to civil actions.

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H. F. No. 261, An act to amend section 99 of title 6, chapter 66, of General Statutes of 1878, in relation to civil actions.

H. F. No. 274, An act to legalize certain conveyances heretofore made and proceedings had thereunder, relating to partnerships.

H. F. No. 377, An act to fix the salary of the clerk of probate in Hennepin county.

H. F. No. 384, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 210 of Special Laws of 1878, as amemded by chapter 259, Special Laws of 1879, relating to the running at large of cattle in Wilkin county.

H. F. No. 421, An act to detach certain territory from school district No. 76, in Hennepin county, and attach the same to joint school district No. 112, Wright and Hennepin counties.

H. F. No. 465, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Excelsior, in the county of Hennepin and State of Minnesota, being chapter 4 of the Special Laws of 1877.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Gardner the House adjourned.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Friday, February 18, 1881.

The House met at 10:30 a. m., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Mr. Kniss and Mott was found to be absent

The clerk proceeded to read the Journal of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks from the committee on judiciary to which was referred

S. F. No. 134, A bill to repeal chapter 44, Special Laws of 1879, entitled, "An act to amend chapter 11, Special Laws of 1877, relating to the incorporation of New Prague.

Also, H. F. No. 514, A joint resolution to Congress, asking for the relief of certain setttlers on railroad lands.

Also, H. F. No 495, A bill to amend section 107, chapter 8, General Statutes, 1878, relating to selection of jurors.

Also, H. F. No. 479, A bill to authorize the State land commissioner to refund the purchase money paid on school land certificate No. 121,092, which said certificate has been adjudged to be void, and to appropriate the money therefor.

Also, H. F. No. 428, A bill to amend section 106, of chapter 11, General Statutes, relating to payment of taxes before record of any deed.

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Also, H. F. No. 500, A bill to amend section 14, chapter 13, General Statutes, 1878, relating to roads, cartways and bridges.

Also, S. F. No. 197, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Houstin county to cancel and destroy certain county orders therein named,

Reported the same back and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 521, A bill to amend subdivision 5, section 310, chapter 66, General Statutes of 1878, by adding another exemption relative to fire arms,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also, H. F. No. 344, A bill to amend section 2, chapter 47, General Laws of 1875, being section 23, chapter 123, General Statutes of 1878, legalizing deeds and mortgages without seals of grantors,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass as amended in the committee of the whole.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read and placed on file for its second reading.

Also, S. F. No. 276, A bill to authorize justices of the peace of the towns adjoining the city of Minneapolis, in Hennepin county to keep an office within the limits of said city,

Reported the same back with an amendment, and recommended that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read the first time and placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 491, A bill to ratify the contract between the State of Minnesota and Seymour, Sabin & Co., and making provisions modifying the same,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill have its second reading and be printed, together with the contract, and be referred to the committee of the whole.

The report was adopted, and the bill was read the second time, ordered printed and placed on general orders.

Also, S. F. No. 170, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 165, Special Laws of 1873, as amended by chapter 58, Special Laws of 1874, in relation to issuing bonds to the Duluth, St. Cloud & Yankton Railway Company,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for the second reading.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties to which was referred

H. F. No. 492, A bill to repeal an act to provide for the removal of the county seat of Lincoln county, passed at the present session,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Stone, from the committee on incorporations, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 228, A bill to incorporate the village of Waverly in Wright county.

Also, S. F. No. 133, A bill to amend the charter of the village of New Prague.

Also, S. F. No. 169, A bill to incorporate the village of Jackson,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

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On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the delegation from Hennepin county, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 274, A bill to authorize and empower the city council of Minneapolis to lay out and extend certain streets through Maple Hill Cemetery in said city.

Also, S. F. No. 275, A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to appropriate money to aid in the construction of certain highways in the county of Hennepin,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Denby, from the delegation from Freeborn county, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 174, A bill regulating the time for holding terms of district court in the county of Freeborn,

Reported the same back, with an amendment recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended,

Was read, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Hoyt, from the delegation from Goodhue county, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 404, A bill to authorize the city of Red Wing to issue bonds, etc.

H. F. No. 405, A bill to provide a work house in the city of Red Wing,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

On motion of Mr. Hoyt, the rules were suspended, and the bills

Were read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Allen, from the delegation from Mower county, to which was referred

S. F. Nos. 236, 237 and 238,

Reported the same back and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the time for the committee on public accounts and expenditures to report be extended until the 25th inst.

Mr. Van Hoesen moved that the vote whereby

H. F. No. 436 was lost be reconsidered, and the yeas and nays being called for and ordered.

There were yeas 37, and nays 56, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Butterfield, Caine, Cutts, Daniels, Dunn, Flom, Graling, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Juelson, Kidder, Kneeland, Lewis, McCracken, Moore, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Sheardown, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, and Washburn.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser,

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Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Post, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Snure, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. Stone the vote whereby

H. F. No. 374,

Was lost, was reconsidered, and the bill was placed on general orders.

On motion of Mr. Bohland the vote whereby

H. F. No. 254,

Was lost was reconsidered,

And the bill was placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Hicks moved that the vote whereby

H. F. No. 252

Was passed be reconsidered.

The motion prevailed, and the bill was recommitted to the delegations from Ramsey and Hennepin counties.

On motion of Mr. Daniels, the vote whereby

H. F. No. 374

Was lost was reconsidered, and the bill was referred to the committee of the whole.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached, the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Denny in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 387, A bill to defray the expenses of the State Government.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that it be made the special order for February 22nd, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

H. F. No. 53, A bill relating to the practice of medicine and surgery,

Which they report back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

H. F. No. 65, A bill relating to chattel mortgages,

Which they report back with the recommendation that the bill be referred to Messrs. Searles and Denby.

H. F. No. 129, A bill relating to service of summons in Ramsey county,

Which they report back, with an amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass as amended.

H. F. No. 148, A bill relating to commitments to the State Reform School,

Which they report back, with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Geary, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

On Motion of Mr. Rice, the House again went into committee of the whole.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F, No. 217, A bill to incorporate camp and grove meetings.

H. F. No. 264, A bill granting ferry privileges.

H. F. No. 331, A bill to amend section 71, chapter 64, General Statutes of 1878,

H. F. No. 332, A bill relating to grand juries.

H. F. No. 343, A bill relating to counties and county officers.

H. F. No. 349, A bill relating to removals by the Governor.

H. F. No. 378, A bill relating to salaries of county officers.

H. F. No. 374, A bill relating to taxes.

H. F. No. 396, A bill relating to bounty for cultivation of trees.

H. F. No. 397, A bill relating to corporations.

H. F. No. 477, A bill relating to challenging jurors.

H. F. No. 346, A bill relating to State Capitol building fund.

H. F. No. 442, A bill relating to reports of high school board.

H. F. No. 416, A bill relating to civil actions in justice courts.

H. F. No. 438, A bill relating to fire apparatus for village of Howard Lake.

H. F. No. 298, A bill to authorize Redwood Falls to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 355, A bill to relieve county of Crow Wing.

H. F. No. 356, A bill relating to treasurer of Mille Lacs county.

H. F. No. 434, A bill relating to domestic animals in Hennepin county.

H. F. No. 323, A bill in regard to State treasurer receipting for textbooks.

H. F. No. 439, A bill relating to certain bonds of Crookston.

H. F. No. 441, A bill relating to cattle running at large in Rice county.

S. F. No. 48, A bill relating to the formation of corporations.

S. F. No. 149, A bill relating to the village of Vermillion.

S. F. No. 207, A bill relating to terms of court in 9th judicial district.

H. F. No. 472, A memorial to Congress.

S. F. No. 25, A bill relating to insurance.

S. F. No. 72, A bill conferring sale of Southern Minnesota Railroad.

S. No. 149, A bill relating to the village of Vermillion.

S. F. No. 3, A bill relating to roads and cartways.

S. F. No. 8, A bill to legalize the acts of Allen D. Ferris.

S. F. No. 85, A bill to locate the State road from Alexandria to Herman.

S. F. No. 62, A bill relating to St. Louis county issueing bonds.

S. F. No. 91, A bill to incorporate Glenwood, Pope county.

S. F. No. 103, A bill relating to dam across Red Lake river.

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S. F. No. 126, A bill legalizing acts of commissioners of Murray county.

S. F. No. 164, A bill to incorporate village of Brown's Valley.

S. F. No. 217, A bill relating to salary of county officers.

S. F. No. 235, A bill relating to fish in Freeborn lake.

S. F. No. 249, A bill relating to payment of salary of attorney, 12th judicial district.

H. F. No. 463, A bill relating to ferry privileges.

H. F. No. 452, A bill relating to cattle in Traverse county.

H. F. No. 408, A bill relating to Green Vale cemetery.

H. F. No. 476, A bill relating to citizenship of John F. Sherman.

H. F. No. 400, A bill relating to town of Logon, to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 471, A bill relating to Sauk Centre.

H. F. No. 305, A bill relating to county of Grant.

H. F. No. 233, A bill relating to Polk county.

H. F. No. 385, A bill relating to Brown's Valley.

H. F. No. 475, A bill relating to school district in Mower county.

Which they report back with the recommendation that they do pass.

H. F. No. 153, A bill appropriating money for reform school.

H. F. No. 406, A bill to provide a deficiency for State Reform School.

H. F. No. 411, A bill relating to clerk in Adjutant General's office.

H. F. No. 408, A bill relating to repairs of State Reform School.

H. F. No. 440, A bill relating to clerkship in office of Secretary of State.

S. F. No. 106, A bill relating to Public Examiner.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that they be made the special order for February 22d, at 10:30 o'clock, A. M.

S. F. No. 70, A bill relating to chattel mortgages.

S. F. No. 4, A bill to prevent frauds at elections.

H. F. No 478, A bill relating to writ of mandamus.

H. F. No. 481, A bill relating to offences against chastity, morality and decency.

H. F. No. 116, A bill to regulate fares on railroads.

Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

H. F. No. 405, A bill for the inspection of grain.

H. F. No. 426, A bill relating to grading of wheat.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that they be referred to the committee on agriculture.

H. F. No. 13, A bill relating to forest and apple tree culture.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on judiciary.

H. F. No. 339, A bill relating to threshing machines.

S. F. No. 144, A bill relating to statistics.

Which they report back with the recommendation that they be indefinitely postponed.

H. F. No. 325, A bill relating to routes for railroad lines.

H. F. No. 311, A bill in relation to system of land surveys.

H. F. No. 412, A bill relating to graduates from Normal Schools.

H. F. No. 64, A bill relating to the number of hours in a day's work.

S. F. No. 140, A bill extending time for payment for seed grain.

S. F. No. 159, A bill relating to estates of deceased persons.

H. F. No. 160, Substitute for H. F. No. 95 and 223.

Which they reported back, with amendments with the recommendation that they do pass as amended.

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H. F. No. 364, A bill relating to purchase of Plainview railroad by the Winona & St Peter Railway Company.

H. F. No. 326, A bill relating to purchase or lease of one railroad by another railroad company.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that they be placed on general orders for next Tuesday below

H. F. No. 364.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Comstock,

H. F. No. 329,

Was taken from general orders, and placed on file for its third reading.

On motion of Mr, Denby, the House adjourned.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Saturday, February 19, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Cutts, Hanscom, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Kniss, Lewis, McCracken, Mott, Norrish, Porter O. S.- Post, Redding, Rice, Schmidt, Snure, Stewart and Thornton.

Leave of absence was granted to

Messrs Hawkins, Lewis, Norrish, McCracken, Armstrong, Redding, Hall, Post, McAndrews, Klossner and Zieske.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Porter T. C., presented a petition from citizens of Wright county on the subject of protection to wool growers,

Which was read and referred to the committee on agriculture.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Wilson offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That any two members of the special committee appointed by this House to enquire and report as to the taxation of lands held by railroad companies, may sit, examine witnesses, or do any other act required of this committee and with the full power given to a majority of the committee or to all the members of the committee.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the vote whereby

S. F. No. 144 was indefinitely postponed, was reconsidered, and the bill was placed on general orders.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred S. F. No. 109, A bill to amend sections 38, 40 and 41 relating to short hand reporters,

Reported the same back with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adoptead and the bill as amended was read, and placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 512, A bill to amend General Statutes of 1878, relating to focible entry.

Also, S. F. No. 132, A bill to provide for the publication of a legislamai ual,

Reported the same back with amendments, and recommended that the bills do pass as amended.

The bills as amended were read and placed on file for their third reading.

S. F. No. 113, A bill relating to dams in Mille Lac county.

Also, S F. No. 115, A bill explanatory of the references to the General Statutes, 1878, made in acts of the Legislature.

Also, S. F. No. 13, A bill relating to religious corporations.

Also, H. F. No. 525, A bill relating to chattel mortgages.

Also, H. F. No. 330, A bill to amend the charter of Worthington.

Also, H. F. No. 520, A bill concerning orders.

Also, S. F. No. 112, A bill to amend section 242 of chapter 66.

Also, S. F. No 179, A bill to prevent debtors from giving preference to creditors.

Also, S. F. No. 108, A bill relating to trial of actions for the recovery of real property,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to which was referred Mr. Amundson's resolution of February 4, relating to plea of guilty in district court,

Reported the same back without recommendation.

On motion of Mr. Graling, the report, with the resolution, was laid upon the table.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to which was referred S. F. No. 190, A bill to appropriate money to enlarge the grounds of the State Normal School at St. Cloud.

Also, S. F. No. 20, A bill to appropriate money to pay Charles Butler and the widow of J. H. Jones for filling and grading the State Normal School grounds in the city of Winona,

Reported the same back, and recommended that they be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bills were indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the vote whereby the above report was adopted was reconsidered, and the bills were recommitted to the committee on finance.

Also, S. F. No. 201, A bill to appropriate money for the support of the several State institutions therein named, for the years 1881 and 1882, and to prescribe the manner of disbursing the same.

Also, S. F. No. 182, A bill to appropriate money for the building of an east wing to the Second Hospital for the Insane.

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Also, S. F. No. 183, A bill to appropriate money for rebuilding the north wing of the first Hospital for the Insane.

Also, S. F. No. 184, a bill to appropriate money for furnishing, fitting and repairing the second Hospital for the Insane,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 340, A bill to appropriate money to grade, fence and complete the improvements of the grounds of the State Normal School at Winona,

Reported the same back, and recommended that it be indefinitely postponed.

The report was amended, and the bill

Was recommitted to the committee on finance.

The committee on finance to which was referred

H. F. No. 42, A bill to increase the standing appropriations for Normal schools, and to provide for the payment of the salaries of substitute teachers therefor, have had the same under consideration, and report as follows, viz.:

1. The common schools of the State employ annually, in round numbers, five thousand teachers.

2. There are three Normal schools, located at, Winona, Mankato and St. Cloud.

3. These schools are a part of the common school system of the State, (established by law,) their function being the training of teachers for the common schools.

4. On entering the schools each pupil is bound by written contract to teach in the common schools of the State, not less than two years after graduation; and the best information shows that less than five per cent. of these graduates have failed to redeem their pledge, and of these a number have voluntarily paid tuition; a gratifying evidence of a high sense of honor.

5 The enrollment in these schools the last year was in the Normal department..... 453
In the Model department..... 273

Total..... 726

6 We are informed that this attendance is larger this year.

7. The number of teachers now employed in the three schools is twenty-eight (28.)

8. The present permanent appropriation for the three schools is, for Winona school $12,000; for Mankato school, $9 000; and for St. Cloud school, $9.000; total, $30,000; thus, showing a larger amount of work for the money than is obtained in any other department of State education.

9. As with all other schools, it is true of the Normal schools, that the larger percentage of attendance is from the localities near the schools, but in the case of these schools, that is true which is not true of others; their value to all, or any part of the people, depends not on where the pupils come from, but where the graduates go to, and the facts show that they go to all the people of the State as far as the number will permit.

10. The work of Normal schools differs from that of other schools, in this, that they are to train pupils in the best methods of teaching, and when the graded schools of the State can furnish enough pupils of the requisite scholarship, to be so trained, to fill the Normal buildings,

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they will go far towards furnishing sufficient skilled teachers for the State.

11. To meet, so far as possible, the deficiency in trained teachers, the State Superintendent of Public Instruction has undertaken to hold Teachers Institutes of two weeks duration, more or less, in as many localities as possible, to give to the teachers in the common schools an apportunity to gain a knowledge of the best methods of instruction. To do this he must employ the best instructors. To get these he must apply to institutions which have them employed. Such instructors are never idle, and are not easily to be had, but may always be found in the Normal Schools. The State Superintendent knows this, and applies to the Normal Board for their services. The board have responded as far as possible, though with great inconvenience to the schools. The success has been complete. The State Superintendent desires the board to so strengthen their teaching force as to be able to give him services equal to that of one teacher from each school for institute work. The institutes not only carry normal training to those who have not had it, and otherwise could not have it, but bring the representative teachers in the Normal Schools into contact with the people, attract favorable attention to the Normal Schools, and bring to them the best natural talent among those desiring to prepare for teaching. Still further, these schools and the institutes connected with them are, as a matter of fact, doing more to harmonize, and Americanize the youth among us of foreign birth or parentage, than all other institutions among us. The board desire to respond to the request of the State Superintendent, their views being in perfect harmony with his.

12. The report of the Normal Board shows that the present appropriation of $30,000 is not only not sufficient for this, but that the increased expenses of the schools, by the increased work done, is such that, to meet their necessary current expenses, aside from aiding in the institute work, there must be an increase in the permanent appropriation.

13. The board claim that they have economized the funds at their disposal to the best of their ability. Their claim appears to be true.

They ask for an increase of $8,000, to apply as follows:

To Winona school	$2.000
To Mankato school	3,000
To St. Cloud school	3,000

To be used as follows: (1) To employ additional teachers to aid institute work as stated above. (2) To add to the teaching force in the schools, which will be absolutely necessary during the coming year. (3) To keep up the necessary current repairs on buildings, furnances, furniture, apparatus, &c. (4) To add to the apparatus and furniture from time to time as may be desirable and necessary (5) To provide libraries at the schools at Mankato and St. Cloud, and to make annual additions to all of the libraries.

14. The following members of the committee, having heard members of the Normal Board, and having considered the whole matter, do recommend that $8,000 be appropriated annually to the three Normal Schools, as provided by the bill, and recommend that the same do pass.

JOHN B SANBORN,
Chairman.
F. B. VAN HOESEN,
J. V. DANIELS,
J. THOMPSON, JR.,
R. J. KNISS.

The report was adopted.

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Mr. Stone from the committee on incorporations to whom was referred

H. F. No. 342, A bill to incorporate the village of Red Lake, Polk county, Minnesota,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Stone, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Dean from the committee on agriculture, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 457, A bill to make the half bushel measure, the only article to be used for testing grain,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also, S. F. No. 226, A bill for protection of fish in Goodhue county.

Reported the same back, recommending that the same do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Daniels, from the joint committee on judicial districts, to which was referred

H. F. No. 321, A bill to change the time of holding court in Redwood county.

Also, H. F. No. 309, A bill to enlarge the 8th judicial district, and provide for an additional judge,

Reported the same back with no action thereon, and asks that the committee be discharged from further duties, as the chairman has been utterly unable to convene said committee.

The report was adopted, and the committee was discharged from further duties.

Mr. Putnam, from the committee on public lands, to which was referred

H. F. No. 220, A bill relating to swamp lands,

Reported the same back, and recommended that it be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Van Hoesen, from the committee on insurance, to whom was referred

H. F No. 503, A bill to amend section 292 of chapter 34, General Statutes 1878, relating to insurance,

Reported the same back with a substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The substitute was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 507, A bill to amend section 372, of chapter 34, of Statutes 1878, relating to insurance,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to which was referred

S. F. No. 212, A bill to enable the High School Seminary in Olmsted county to increase their board of trustees.

Also, S. F. No. 199, A bill organizing school districts in the county of Cass,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

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REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the delegation from Hennepin and Ramsey counties, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 252, A bill relating to the salary of the county attorney of Hennepin county, and the county attorney of Ramsey county,

Reported the same back, with an amendment, recommending that the bill, as amended, be read a second time and placed on file for third reading.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended, was read the first and second times, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Kendall, from the committee on mines and minerals, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 453, A bill providing for a State mineralogist, and defining his duties and compensation,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Buckman of Morrison county, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 256,

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that the same do pass.

On motion of Mr. Buckman, the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 256, A bill to divide the town of Two Rivers to the county of Morrison, into two towns,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

And the question being taken, on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared
H. F. Nos. 467, 304, 36, 496, 499 and 506,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. Gould,
H. F. No. 149,
Was taken from the table, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Daniels offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, that the joint committee, to whom was referred charges of discrimination against the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company, be and hereby are authorized to enquire into and examine any charges of like character against any

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other railroads in this State, and that said committee have leave and authority to sit in vacation and report to the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the resolution was laid on the table.

Mr. Bohland, at the request of Mr. Klossner, offered the following resolution:

Which was lost.

Resolved, That House File, No. 498, recommended to be indefinitely postponed by the committee on judiciary, which was adopted, be reconsidered, and the same be recommitted to the committee on towns and and counties.

Mr. Kneeland offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That the committee on finance be directed to enquire and report concerning the disposition and present condition of the fund authorized to be paid over to the treasurer of the anti-Drive Well association, of Minnesota, by chapter 128, General Laws, 1879, and the present status of the litigation in which said money was appropriated to carry on.

On motion of Mr. Dunn,

H. F. No. 360, taken from the table,

Was placed on file for its third reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

The committee on judiciary introduced—

H. F. No. 531, A bill to increase the number of the associate justices of the supreme court.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, ordered printed, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Also, H. F. No. 532, A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 27 of General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time, ordered printed and referred to the committee of the whole.

Also, H. F. No. 533, A bill to punish rowdyism on railway cars.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time, ordered printed and referred to the committee of the whole.

Also, H. F. No. 534, A bill to provide for the surrender of a principal by his sureties on bail.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr Hicks the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, ordered printed and referred to the committee of the whole.

Also, H. F. No. 535, A bill to provide for reporting, stereotyping, printing and selling of the decisions of the supreme court.

Also, H. F. No. 536, A bill to authorize clerks of courts of record, to issue subpœnas, etc.

Which were read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the bills were read the second time, and ordered printed and placed on general orders.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

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H. F. No. 537, A Bill to appropriate money to pay John Schroeder.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on claims.

Also, H. F. No. 538, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Clay county, to issue bonds to fund its county debt.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 538, A bill to incorporate the village of Lake Park in Becker county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on file tor the third reading.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No. 540, A bill to prevent the destruction of fish during the spawning season.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Kendall, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Wagner introduced—

H. F. No. 541, A bill to change the name of Edward Christian.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Linnell introduced—

H. F. No. 542, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in township 119 and range 31, of Meeker county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Linnell, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Denby introduced—

H. F. No. 543, A bill to amend section 5, of chapter 74, of Special Laws of 1875, in relation to poor laws in Freeborn county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Denby, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Collins introduced—

H. F. No. 544, A bill relating to the manner of leveying executions and writs of attachment.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Tone introduced—

H. F. No. 545, A bill to change the boundaries of the counties of Brown, Cottonwood and Redwood, and to establish the county of Lamberton, and provide for its organization.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Loveland introduced—

H. F. No. 546, A bill to encourage timber culture, and to provide a compensation therefor.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on tree culture.

Mr. Hulebak introduced—

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H. F. No. 547, A bill relating to town insurance companies.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on insurance.

Mr. Caine introduced—

H. F. No. 548, A bill relating to the maintenance of a bridge across Rum river, in Isanti county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Caine the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Peterson introduced—

H. F. No. 549, A bill to authorize the county of Anoka and some towns in Hennepin county to issue bonds, &c.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Putnam the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 550, A bill to amend section 176, chapter 36, General Statutes, in regard to text books in public schools.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 551, A bill to constitute the county of Mille Lacs one commissioners district.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Buckman the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading

Also, H. F. No. 552, A bill authorizing each town in Benton and Morrison counties to support poor.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Buckman, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 553, A bill to reduce the law incorporating the village of Morris, county of Stevens.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Washburn, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Peterson A, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Also, H. F. No. 554, A bill to locate and establish a State road from

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the village of Herman in Grant county, to the village of Lowell in Big Stone county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Washburn, the rules were suspended, and

The bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F. No. 555, A bill to create a special school district No. 25, in the county of Ramsey.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No. 556, A bill relating to General terms of the district court in the several counties of the 11th judicial district.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Kendall. the rules were suspended, and

The bill was read the second time, and placed on file for the third reading.

Mr. Sabin introduced—

H. F. No. 557, A bill to authorize any town or incorporated village in the county of Washington to aid in the construction of the Stillwater & Hastings Railway,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Washington delegation.

Mr. Rosebrock introduced—

H. F. No. 558, A bill to amend article 5 of an act incorporating the city of Owatonna,

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Rosebrock, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Kneeland introduced—

H. F. No. 559, A bill granting swamp lands to aid in the construction of the line of railroad of the St. Paul & Dubuque Railroad Company,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public lands.

Also, H. F. No. 560, A bill to amend chapter 11, of General Statutes of 1878, relating to taxation.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on taxes and tax laws.

Mr. Wilson introduced—

H. F. No. 561, A bill to change the name of a certain town in Lyon county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from His Excellency the Governor.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, February 18, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. 68, An act to remove the county seat of Grant county from township 1-9 north, range 42 west, to the platted village of Herman in said county.

H. F. 179, An act to repeal section 2 of chapter 309 of the Special Laws of 1879, entitled an act to regulate the salary, fees and compensation of county officers in the county of Winona

H. F. 228, An act to authorize the city of Winona to issue bonds.

H. F. 288, An act to legalize the actions of the board of county commissioners of Big Stone county in organizing school districts and towns.

H. F. 299, An act to detach certain territory therein described, from Independent School District, No. 1, in Polk county.

H. F. 82, An act to amend section 3, of chapter 9, General Statutes of 1878. relating to removals by the Governor.

H. F. 271, An act to allow Pipestone county to issue bonds for certain purposes therein stated.

H F. 125, An act to legalize the acts of certain commissioners in establishing a certain State road from Fort Ridgley, Nicollet county, to Swede Grove, Meeker county.

H. F. 197, An act to change the boundaries of Independent School District No. 28, in Dodge county.

H. F. 402, An act to fix the compensation and fees of certain county officers of Hennepin county.

H. F. 375, An act to incorporate the village of Lansing, in the county Mower.

H. F. 169, An act to provide for a change in the county lines of the counties of Polk and Marshall, in the State of Minnesota.

H. F. 170, An act to authorize the division of the county of Polk, in this State, and the organization of a new county from a portion of the territory embraced therein, and for other purposes.

H. F. 111, An act to declare certain persons therein named heirs at law of the late John Peller, deceased.

H. F. 388, An act amending section 11, chapter 324, of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the county and county officers of Hennepin county.

H F. 132, An act to incorporate the village of Herman, Grant county, State of Minnesota.

H. F. 157, An act to amend chapter 100, of the General Statutes of 1878, entitled offenses against chastity, morality and decency.

H. F. 250, An act to prescribe the salary of the judge of probate of Dakota county.

H. F. 290, An act to incorporate the village of Montrose, in the county of Wright.

H. F. 376, An act to amend chapter 308, Special Laws of 1879, fixing the salaries of county officers in Mower county.

H. F. 245, An act to fix the salary of the treasurer of Stearns county.

H. F. 401, A memorial to Congress for the payment of bounty to

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members of the First Minnesota Cavalry, commonly known as the First Minnesota Mounted Rangers.

H. F. 200, An act in relation to the use of school houses in common school districts.

H. F. 371, An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to express the catching of fish in Lake Koronis, in Stearns and Meeker counties.

H. F. 114, An act to legalize the organization of certain school districts in Yellow Medicine county, and to legalize the official acts of the trustees of said school district.

H. F: 249, An act to further amend an act entitled, "An act to reduce the law relative to public schools in the city of St. Paul into one act and to amend the same."

H. F. 134, An act to incorporate the village of White Bear, in the county of Ramsey, State of Minnesota.

H. F. 276, An act to authorize the village of Delano in the county Wright, to issue bonds for purchase of fire engines and other apparatus.

H. F. 172, An act authorizing the town of Detroit, in the county of Becker, and State of Minnesota, to issue bonds to the amount of $8,500 for the purpose of funding its floating debts, and refunding its bonded debt.

H. F. 303, Memorial to Congress.

H. F. 195, An act to prohibit cattle and other domestic animals from running at large in township 121, range 39 in the county of Swift and State of Minnesota.

H. F. 367, An act to detach certain territory from school district 75 in Hennepin county, and attach the same to school district No. 74 in said county

H. F. 392, An act to amend section 6 of title 3 of chapter 7 of Special Laws of 1874, as amended by chapter 54 of Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Winnebago City.

H. F. No. 211, An act to amend the statutes in relation to cattle running at large in the towns of Cokato and Stockholm in Wright county.

H. F. 386, An act to legalize the organization of the Hassan German Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

H. F. 171, An act to authorize the county commissioners of Watonwan county to levy a tax for certain purposes.

H. F. 183, An act to prevent the use of language calculated to cause a breach of the peace.

H F. 119, An act to amend section 10 of chapter 15, Statutes of 1878, relating to relief of poor.

H. F. 22, An act to authorize the commissioners of the county of Swift to levy a special tax for road and bridge purposes.

H F. 159, An act relating to savings banks.

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,

Governor.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, Feb. 19, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. 247, An act to incorporate the village of Osakis, in Douglas county.

H F. 320, An act to authorize Independent School District No 1, in Redwood county, to issue bonds.

H. F. 203, An act providing compensation to boards of county commissioners while acting as boards of equalization.

H. F. 236, An act to amend section 41, chapter 1, of General Statutes of 1878, relating to fees of messengers for carrying election returns.

H. F. 130, An act to amend section 210 of title 13 of chapter 66 of General Statutes of 1878, relative to security where judgment is entered by default.

H. F. 211, An act to amend the Statutes in relation to cattle running at large in the towns of Cokato and Stockholm, in Wright county.

H. F. 93, An act to amend section 62 of chapter 13 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to roads, cartways and bridges.

H. F. 336, An act to incorporate the village of Graceville, in the county of Big Stone, State of Minnesota.

H. F 2, An act to amend section 6 of chapter 84 of General Statutes, 1878, relating to the service of summons in forcible entry actions.

H. F. 75, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 1 of the Special Laws of 1877, and to repeal chapter 62 of the Special Laws of 1878, relating to the incorporation of the village of Watertown, Carver county, Minnesota.

H. F. 66, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Lu Verne, in Rock county," approved February 14, 1877.

H. F. 307, An act to amend section 230, title 11, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to boards of county officers.

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 18, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has adopted the following resolutions:

Resolved, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that 1000 copies of the report of the special investigating committee of the Asylum for the Insane, at St. Peter, without the testimony, be printed, under the supervision of said committee.

Also, resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concur-

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ring, that the testimony accompanying the report of said committee be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

I herewith transmit the report of the committee, and the accompanying testimony.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 18, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate bills herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 56, A bill providing for the donation of certain lands to the board of county commissioners of the county of Kandiyohi, for the purpose of aiding in the erection and maintenance of a high school at Willmar, Minnesota.

S. F. No. 232, An act appropriating money for the completion of a wall, and other improvements of the Minnesota State Prison.

S. F. No. 242, An act to amend section 5 of title 2 of chapter 35 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to the Minnesota Institute for the Deaf and Dumb and Blind.

S. F. No. 297, An act to repeal an act entitled an act granting ferry privileges to Daniel F. Brawley across the Red river at St. Vincent, in the county of Pembina, in this State, and subject the control of said ferry privileges to the State.

S. F. No. 294, An act to authorize the village of Fergus Falls, Otter Tail county, to issue bonds.

S. F. No. 293. An act to incorporate the city of Fergus Falls.

S F No 251, An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to money and usury," approved March 5th, 1879.

S. F. No. 260, An act to provide for a plat commission for Ramsey county.

Also that the Senate has passed the following House files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No. 38, An act granting swamp lands to aid in the construction of the main line of said road of the Little Falls and Dakota railroad county.

H. F. No. 96, An act to amend section 1, chapter 83 of the laws of 1875, relating to town insurance companies.

H. F. No. 180, An act to amend section 22 of title 3, chapter 35, General Statutes of 1878, relating to fees for examining and conveying insane persons to its Hospital for insane.

H. F. No. 222, An act to cancel certain delinquent taxes in the county of Red Wood, and to transfer certain other taxes from said county to the county of Yellow Medicine, and to provide for the collection of the same.

H. F. No 244, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Lake City."

H. F. No. 330, An act to restrain the running at large of cattle in Clay county.

H. F. No. 335, An act to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 1, in Nicollet county, and attach the same to School District No. 27.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files, with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested:

H. F. No. 52, An act to detach Pipestone county from Rock county for judicial purposes.

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H. F. No. 269, An act to amend chapter 20 of the General Laws of of 1868, relating to the organization of persons as a chamber of commerce or board of trade.

H. F. No. 279, An act to amend section 9, title 1, and section 112, title 2, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878, entitled corporations.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 279, A bill to amend section 29, title 1, and section 112, title 2, chapter 34, General Statutes, 1878.

And the bill was further amended by the House as follows:

By inserting the words "regular," and "meeting," in the 14th line of section 2, the following words, to-wit: "or special," and strike out section 1, in said bill, and said section 1,

And the question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended by the Senate, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 52, A bill to detach Pipe Stone county from Rock county, for judicial pur- poses.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson, A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker

So the bill as amended was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Smith the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the peaker.

A quorum present.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Allen introduced—

H. F. No. 562, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 10 of the pecial Laws of 1878, and creating two new sections, being an act incorporating the village of Taopi.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Allen the rules were suspended and the bill was ead the second time and placed on general orders.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No. 563, A bill to confer additional powers upon the St. Louis iver Dalles Improvement Company in respect to the improvement of he navigation of the St. Louis river and the tributaries thereof, for gs and lumber.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiiary.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 285, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Blue Earth City,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn the rules were suspended and the bill was placed on file for the third reading.

S. F. No. 222, A bill to appropriate money to meet a deficiency on account of Second Hospital for the Insane,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 204, A bill to authorize the Chicago, Milwaukee & St Paul Railroad Company to acquire, contract and maintain and operate railways in the State of Minnesota,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on railroads.

S. F. No. 234, A bill to amend section 157, chapter 65, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to proceeding before justices of the peace,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 210, A bill relating to the salary of the judge of probate of Scott county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Scott county.

S. F. No. 244, A bill for licensing of dogs, and for the protection o sheep, lambs, or other domestic animals,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

S F. No. 281, A bill to detach certain territory from one school district and attach the same to another district in Olmsted county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on education.

S. F. No. 282, A bill to change the name of Christopher Sorenson to Christopher Baarnaas,

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Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 259, A bill relating to the public schools of the city of Albert Lea,

Was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 288, A bill legalizing the action of the county commissioners of the county of Marshall,

Was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 289, A bill to legalize certain roads in Carver county.

Was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 56, A bill providing for the donation of certain lands to the board of county commissioners of the county of Kandiyohi,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public lands.

S. F. No. 260, A bill to provide for a plat commission for Ramsey county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation

S. F. No. 232, A bill appropriating money for the completion of the walls and other improvements of the Minnesota State Prison,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 242, A bill to amend section 5 of title 2 of chapter 35 of General Statutes 1878, relating to the Minnesota Institute for the deaf and dumb and blind,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on deaf and dumb and blind.

S. F. No. 297, A bill to repeal an act entitled, "An act granting ferry privileges to Daniel F. Brawley across the Red River,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 294, A bill to authorize the village of Fergus Falls Otter-tail county to issue bonds,

Was read the first time and referred to the committee on towns and connties.

S. F. No. 251, A bill to amend an act entitled, "An act relating to interest on money and usury, approved March 5, 1879,"

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 134, 236, 237, 238, 277, 274, 170, 276, 197, 212, 108, 42, 113, 112, 13, 155, 226, 179, 201, 182, 183, 184, 199, 109 and 132,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 428, 500, 514, 479, 497, 344, 525, 309, 321, 333, 512, 453, 520, 507, 457 and 530,

Were read the second time.

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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, reports that he has examined

H. F. Nos. 242, 297, 239, 429, 256, 101, 393, 143, 448, 430, 410, 123, 469, 433, 261, 447, 352, 159, 87, 221, 377, 465, 258 and 248,

And finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Burger, on leave offered the following resolution,

Which was lost:

Resolved, That the Adjutant General of the State be authorized and directed to fire a salute of thirty-eight guns at 10 o'clock A. M. on the 22d instant, in commemoration of the birth of the father of our country.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 3, A bill to amend chapter 27 of General Statutes of 1876 and chapter 5 of General Laws of 1873, and being the same as section 3 of chapter 13, General Laws 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks,

H. F. No. 87

Was recalled from the Governor.

S. F. No. 25, A bill to amend section 350 of chapter 34 of the revised statutes of 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterffeld, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J, Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 48, A bill to amend chapter 28 of the General Laws of 1876, relating to the formation of corporations for certain purposes,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 62, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to levy a tax and expend the same on roads, streets, avenues and bridges in said county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thomdson J., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 91, A bill to incorporate the village of Glenwood, Pope county, State of Minnesota,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dnnn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 85, A bill to locate a State road from Alexandria to Herman, in Grant county,

Was read the third times, and put upon its final passage

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson, J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 126, A bill to legalize certain acts of the board of county commissioners of the county of Murray, and the election of commissioner had in said county, November 2, 1880,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels. Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 164, A bill to incorporate the village of Brown's Valley in Traverse county,

Was read the third times, and put upon his final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 149, A bill to set apart for incorporation certain territory in the county of Dakota as a village under the name of Vermillion,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Boh-

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land, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom. Gardner, Gould, Graling, Haves. Halgren, Herberger. Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linneli, Loveland Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 207, A bill prescribing the time of holding general terms of the district court in the 9nth judicial district,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dunn,

S. F. No, 4,

Was taken from list of third reading, and recommitted to committee of the whole.

S. F. No. 103, A bill to authorize the erection of dams and booms across Red Lake river east of range 47 in Polk county.

Mr. Hicks offered the following amendment:

Amend by striking out the words east of range 47 in line two of printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following words: On section 33 in township 150 in range 46.

Which was adopted, and the bill as amended

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 235, A bill to regulate catching fish in Freeborn lake in Freeborn county,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgreu, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Rendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 217, substitute for S. F. No. 165, A bill to amend chapter 8 of the General Laws of 1878, relating to salary of county officers,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 249, A bill prohibiting the payment out of the State treasury of the salary of the district attorney, in and for the 12th judicial district, before the same has been collected from the respective county treasurers,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Alleen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 217, A bill to incorporate Camp and Grove Meeting Associations, Sunday School assemblies or any society for religious instruction, &c.,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 305, A bill to detach the county of Grant from the 7th judicial district, and from the county of Douglas, for judicial purposes,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

These who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hoyes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 233, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Polk county to issue bonds to build a court house, and to fund the floating indebtedness of said county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 329, A bill confirming the organization and certain purchases of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, and in relation to the character, powers and franchises of said company,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Thompson J. Jr., Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from His Excellency, the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, February 19, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR: In compliance with a resolution of the House of Representatives passed this day, I have the honor to herewith return House File No. 87.

Very respectfully,
J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Hicks,

H. F. No. 87, A bill authorizing the formation of millers and manufacturers insurance compaanies, was amended by striking out the word "and" in line 2, of printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or," and the bill, as amended,

Was read the third times, and put upon its final passage.

And the question being taken, on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter, L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 473, A bill io confer further jurisdiction on justices of the peace for Crow Wing county,

Was read the third times and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 486, A bill relating to the duties of county treasurers and the care of the public funds.

Mr. Collins moved to amend by adding in section one after the words "if deemed necessary," in line 21, page 2 of printed copy, the words, "and such certificate shall be attached to the fund of such depository."

Also that the word "July" where it appears the second time in section two be stricken out and "August" inserted in place thereof

Which amendments were adopted, and the bill as amended

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Busger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson Jr., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, and Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. Baxter L. L. and Daniels voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 397, A bill to amend section 104, of chapter 34, of the General Statutes, 1878, relating to corporations,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J. Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 488, A bill to define the boundaries and establish a municipal government for the village of Duluth.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Herberger, Ives Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the House adjourned.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Monday, February 21, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Braley, Burger, Cutts, Donahue, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Klossner, Kniss, Lewis, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Southard, Thornton, Tether, Wagner, Wilson and Zieske.

The following members were granted leave of absence:

Messrs. McAndrews and McCracken.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of Saturday, February 19.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the further reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections having been made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 431, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act to incorporate the Minnesota Western Railroad Company, and the acts amendatory thereof, approved March 3, 1853," approved February 4, 1870,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Dodge, Flom,

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Gardner, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Jnelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C. Post, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Sheardown. Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Tone, Washburn and Wiley.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Baxter L. L., presented a petition from persons in Carver county, in regard to the draining of a lake.

Which was referred to the delegation from Carver county.

Mr. Kendall presented a petition from citizens of St. Louis and Carleton counties.

Which was referred to the committee on judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the special committee on steam boilers, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 48, A bill for an act relating to the inspection of steam boilers,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Was read the second time and placed on general orders.

Mr. Sabin, from the Washington county delegation, to which was referred

H. F. No. 557,

Reported the same back, and recommended that same do pass.

Mr. Searles and Denby, from the special committee, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 65, A bill relating to chattel-mortgages.

Reported the same back, with a substitute, recommending that the substitute do pass.

H. F. No. 564, Substitute for H. F. No. 65, A bill to amend section 2, chapter 75, General Laws of 1879, relating to chattel mortgages,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for the second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared

H. F. Nos. 399, 317, 192, 312, 189, 324, 502, 328 and 332, and

S. F. No. 174,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Geary, From the standing committee on hospital for the insane, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 130, A bill providing for the care of chronic insane, report the bill back without recommendation, and ask that the same be referred to the committee of the whole,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

Mr. Allen, from the commitee on towns and counties, to which was refeered

S. F. No. 266, A bill authorizing the board of trustees of school district No. 2, in Otter Tail county, to issue bonds;

Reported the same back, and recommended that the same do pass.

Also, H. F. No. 310, A bill to require overseers of highways to expend moneys and labor coming into their hands in working and repairing highways, etc.,

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Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report of the committee was adopted.

Also, H. F, No. 523, An act to provide a transcript of the Government plats and field notes of the several counties of the State for use of surveyors,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

Also, H F. No. 561, An act to change the name of certain towns in Lyon county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

Also, S. F. No. 88, An act to detach certain territory from school district No. 6, and attach the same to Iudependent District No. 9 in Wright county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill do pass.

Mr. Callender, from the Scott county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 461, A bill changing the boundaries of the township of Belle Plaine, in Scott county, State of Minnesota, detaching the same from the borough of Belle Plaine, and changing the name of the township of Belle Plaine to that of Raven Stream.

Reported the same back with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to which was referred

S. F. No. 190, A bill to appropriate money to enlarge the grounds of the State Normal School at St. Cloud.

Also, S. F. No. 20, A bill to appropriate money to pay Charles Zutler and the widow of J. A. Jones for filling and grading the State Normal School grounds in the city of Winona,

Reported the same back adhering to previous report, and recommended that they be indefinitely postponed.

Also, S. F. No. 222, A bill to appropriate money to make a deficiency on account of Second Hospital for the Insane,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Collins—

Resolved, That the chief clerk is hereby authorized to draw his certificate for $100 for each of the six reporters of daily newspapers who have been in regular attendance during this session, representing the St. Paul Pioneer-Press, Globe, Dispatch, Graphic and Volks Zeitung, and the Minneapolis Journal and Tribune.

Mr. Bohland gave notice of debate.

REPORT.

The committee on finance to which was referred S. F. No. 177, a bill to appropriate money to the State University, would respectfully report, that they have had under consideration the provisions of said bill and in order to place the subject matter thereof more fully and fairly before the House, beg leave to refer briefly to the history, object and present condition of this important educational institution of the State.

By subdivision 2 of section 5 of the act of Congress authorizing our State government commonly known as the enabling act, providing for admission into the Union as a State, it was provided "that seventy-two sections of land shall be set apart and reserved for the use and support

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of a State University to be selected by the Governor," &c., "and to be appropriated and applied for the purpose aforesaid but for no other purpose."

This condition, among others of the enabling act, was by section 3 of article 2 of our State constitution "accepted, ratified and confirmed," and the State thereby became irrevocably committed to the acceptance of the trust aforesaid, and by section 4 of article 8 of the same constitution, the location of the said university as then established was confirmed and all the rights, immunities, franchises and endowments theretofore granted or conferred were thereby perpetuated unto the said University, as well as lands thereafter granted by Congress, or other donations for university purposes.

By the acceptance of the agricultural college grant and vesting the same in the university, the State also became committed to the maintenance of an institution, whose object should also be to teach such branches of learning as are related to agriculture and the mechanical arts, including military tactics, as well as other classical and scientific studies, for the benefit of the industrial classes, in all the pursuits and professions of life.—Laws of 1863, chap. 1: 1872, chap. 10.

This is the trust then that the State has accepted and the obligation which she has undertaken to discharge through the agency of her university. The proceeds of these lands however, constitute a perpetual fund and only the incomes thereof, can be used, and that for the payment of her current expenses only, and furnish no building fund whatever. The latter must be supplied by the State, if supplied at all. It is now claimed by the regents, that the provision thus far made for certain departments of instruction have been and still are entirely inadequate, owing to the limited means which the State has hitherto been able to place at the disposal of the regents, and that the erection of the additional buildings contemplated by the pending bill is a matter the inception which cannot be longer delayed with safety to the best interests of the State and of the university. It is claimed by them, and we think rightfully that the universities of our sister states, especially in the new northwest, are making rapid advances, and that the university of Minnesota cannot remain stationary.

The regents have, at considerable pains, perfected a plan of improvement, which they believe to be absolutely necessary, and which will require some six years to carry out, and which they desire to enter upon at an early day, but before entering upon the same the regents desire to be assured that their plans are approved by the State, and that the funds will be provided as the same are needed. They believe that in order to carry out the plan, or any plan, economically and harmoniously, they must be able to provide for steady, consecutive and orderly development from year to year, for the term covered by the funding bill, rather than to rely upon the appropriation of uncertain sums at uncertain intervals.

In this view your committee concur, and therefore report back the bill, with the recommendation that the same do pass.

JOHN B. SANBORN, Chairman,
J. V. DANIELS,
J. THOMPSON, JR.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to which was referred H. F. No. 340, A bill to appropriate money to grade, fence and complete the improvements of the grounds of the State Normal School at Winona,

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Reported the same back, adhering to previous report, and recommended that it be indefinitely postponed;

And also recommended that

S. F. No. 42 be amended by striking out the amount of $8,000 wherever it may occur, and inserting $9,000, and by striking out the amount 2,000 wherever it may occur, and insert the amount $3,000, and by adding the following proviso to the end of section 1 in said bill, viz.: Provided, that the sum of $1,000 hereby appropriated to the State Normal School at Winona shall be immediately available, and that out of the same the State Normal Board shall without delay pay the claim of 950 to Charles Butler and the widow of J. H. Jones, or their legal representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the above bills

Were read the second time, and placed on general orders.

And on motion of Mr. Sanborn, they were made the special order for Tuesday, February 22.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to which was referred S. F. 261, A bill to authorize the city of Mankato to issue bonds.

Also, S. F. No. 168, A bill to organize a special school district in Jackson county.

Also, S. F. No. 163, A bill to repeal section 23 of chapter 2, General Laws of 1877, relating to compensation of school district clerks.

Also, H. F. No. 550, A bill to amend section 176, chapter 36, General Statutes in regard to text-books in public schools.

Also, S. F. No. 281, A bill to detach a certain school district in Olmsted county,

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

Mr. Allen, from the committee on towns and counties, to which was referred

H. F. No. 322, A bill authorizing each town in the county of Goodhue to support its own poor,

Reported the same back, with an amendment, and recommended that the bill as amended do pass.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Sampson introduced—

H. F. No. 565, A bill to create a school district in Polk county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sampson the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Baldwin introduced—

H. F. No. 566, A bill to repeal chapter 306 of Special Laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Baldwin the rules were suspended, and

F. F. No. 566,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks,

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Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. B., Tone, Van Hoesen Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 567, A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 49 of the General Statutes of 1878, authorizing probate judges to act in adjoining counties.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 568, A bill to locate and establish a State road from the village of Montevideo, Chippewa county, to Wilmar, in Kandiyohi county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Stone the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 568,

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 569, A bill to incorporate the village of Bird Island.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Stone the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 569,

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Van Hoesen introduced—

H. F. No. 570, A bill to incorporate the village of Alexandria, Douglas county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Van Hoesen, the rules were suspended, and

The bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Denny introduced—

H. F. No. 571, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 4 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Young America in Carver county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Denny, the rules were suspended, and

The bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Kendall introduced—

H. F. No. 572, A bill to provide for an extra session of the Legislature.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Allen introduced—

H. F. No. 573, A bill authorizing school district No. 63, in Mower county, to issue bonds to refund outstanding bonds.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Allen the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Comstock, from the committee on apportionment, introduced—

H. F. No. 574, A bill to prescribe the bounds of Senatorial and Representative districts, and to apportion anew the Senator and Representatives among the several districts.

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Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock the rules were suspended and the bill ead the second time, and ordered printed and placed second on general rders.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 575, A bill to amend an act entitled an act to authorize ie corporate authorities of the village of Winnebago City, to issue onds, approved February 11, 1881.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn the rules were suspended and the bill was ead the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from his Excellency the iovernor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, February 19, 1881.

Hon. Loren Fletcher,

Speaker of House of Representatives.

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have leposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H F. 429, An act to widen Fort street from the city limits of St. Paul to Fort Snelling bridge, and also to open and extent Stewart avenue from the city limits to Fort Snelling.

H. F. 337, An act to fix the salary of the clerk of probate court of Hennepin county.

H. F 469, An act to legalize the action of the supervisors of the town of Lakeland.

H. F. 242, An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the village of Montgomery in the county of Le Sueur, and State of Minnesota," being chapter 6 of the Special Laws of 1878.

H. F. 391, An act to authorize the register of deeds of the county of Olmsted to record a certain deed without the county auditor's certificate stating that the taxes are paid.

H. F. 465, An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the village of Excelsior in the connty of Hennepin snd State of Minnesota," being chapter 4 of the Special Laws of 1877.

H F. 248, An act to prevent the running at large of cattle or other domestic animals in the town of Bergen, county of McLeod, State of Minnesota.

H. F 123, An act for the appointment of a phonographic reporter for the district court of Hennepin county, and to authorize the county commissioners of said county to provide for the payment of such phonographer.

H. F. 410, An act to incorporate the village of Renville, in the county of Renville and State of Minnesota.

H. F. 430, An act to provide for surveying, locating, opening and establishing a county road in the towns of Rose and New Canada in Ramsey county.

H. F. 447, An act to change the name of the town of Sahlmark in the county of Stevens, to Swan Lake.

H. F. 352, An act to change the name of the town of Clarksville in the county of Big Stone, to Malta.

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H. F. 433, An act to legalize the election of the village of Murdock, Swift county, Minnesota.

H. F. 143, An act to incorporate the village of Appleton, in the county of Swift and State of Minnesota.

H. F. 448, An act to amend section 17, chapter 2 of the amended charter of the town of Taylor's Falls, Chisago county, approved March 6, 1871.

H. F. 239, An act to amend section 172, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1887, relating to salary of county treasurers.

H. F. 221, An act relating to the payment of the salaries of county attorneys, judges of probate, and county superintendents of public schools.

H. F. 258, An act to amend sections 101, 102 and 119 of title 6, of chapter 66, General Statutes of 1878, relating to civil actions.

H. F. 261, An act to amend section 99, title 6 of chapter 66, General Statutes of 1878, in relation to actions.

H. F. 101, An act to enable the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company to purchase or lease the property and franchises of the Minnesota Valley Railway Company, the Rochester & Northern Minnesota Railway Company, the Chatfield Railroad Company, the Chicago & Dakota Railway Company, and the Dakota Central Railway Company; and to operate the lines of said roads, and to amend an act approved March 6, 1871, entitled "An act to enable the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company to purchase the property and franchises of the Winona, Mankato & New Ulm Railway Company."

H. F. 89, An act for the relief of settlers upon the Fort Ripley Reservation.

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 309, A bill to repeal an act to incorporate the village of Preston, Fillmore county, approved February 18th, 1881,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Graling, the rules were suspended and the bill

Was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Knneland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 305, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other beasts in the town of Rosemount, Dakota county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Dakota county.

S. F. No. 308, A bill to amend an act entitled an "An act to incorporate the village of Preston, approved March 4th, 1871."

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Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Graling the rules were suspended, and the bill had its second and third readings at this time, and

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 33, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill. Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels. Dean, Denny, Denby, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson. Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 303, A bill to incorporate and create a school district out of certain territory in Freeborn county and Faribault county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the Faribault county delegation.

S. F. No. 39, A bill to amend section 2, of chapter 57, of the General Laws of 1879, relating to the terms of the district court in Murray county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 279, A bill to appropriate money to build bridges in Cottonwood county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 224, An act to authorize the Stewart's River Improvement Company to improve Stewart's river in Lake county, and to collect tolls therefor.

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Kendall, the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 224

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the Bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 220, A bill to locate and establish a State road from Verndale to Kindred in Wadena county, and appropriate money for the same,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

S. F. No. 116, A bill to appropriate money for a bridge across Snake river in Marshall county,

Was read the first time.

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On motion of Mr. Stone,

S. F. No. 116

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading

S. F. No. 118, An act to appropriate money to build a bridge across Bois de Sioux river in Meeker county,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the bill

Was read the second time, and was placed on file for its thire reading.

S. F. No. 52. An act entitled "An act to loeate a State road on the county line between the counties of Scott, Le Sueur and Rice, the same being chapter 25, Special Laws, 1879."

On motion,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

S. F. No. 83, An act to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Minnesota river.

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the bill

Was read read the second time, and placed on file for third reading.

S. F. No. 84, An act to appropriate money to build a bridge across Red river,

Was read the second time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock,

S F. No. 84,

Was read the second time, and placed on file for third reading.

S. F. No. 283, A bill for the protection of the cemetery of the town of Woodville,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 172, A bill to appropriate money to build bridges across the Chippewa river, Swift county,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Stone, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 150, A bill to appropriate money for the construction of a bridge across lake Winona at Alexandria,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 69, A bill to appropriate money to assist in building bridges in Kittson county,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the rules were suspended and the bill had its second reading at this time and was placed on file for its third reading.

S. F. No. 167, A bill to appropriate money to rebuild a bridge over the narrows of Chisago Lake,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 281, 266, 88, 130, 168, 163 and 261,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 461, 557, 523, 561, 550 and 304,

Were read the second time.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House took a recess until 2:30 P. M.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

A quorum present.

Mr. Daniels moved that

H. F. No. 550, An act relating to text books in public schools was recommitted to committee on education.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Gould introduced—

H. F. No. 576, A bill relating to fees of register of deeds.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Ives introduced—

H. F. No. 577, A bill granting swamp lands to aid in construction of Minnetonka & Southwestern Railway.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public lands.

Mr. Cornish introduced—

H. F. No. 579, A bill prescribing time of holding terms of district court in county of Renville.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Baxter L. L. introduced—

H. F. No. 578, A bill to regulate fire insurance companies in this State.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., the rules were suspended, and the bill had its second reading, and was placed on file for committee of the whole.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 259, A bill relating to school district in Albert Lea, Freeborn county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue,

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Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Putnam, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 274, An act to authorize and empower the city council of Minneapolis to lay out and extend certain streets through Maple Hill Cemetery in said city,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Donohue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 275, A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to appropriate money to aid in the construction of certain highways in the county of Hennepin,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P., A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 293, A bill to incorporate the city of Fergus Falls.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish,

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Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 570, A bill relating to the incorporation of Alexandria,

Was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Van Hoesen, the bill

Was read the second and third times and put upon its fiual passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 276. A bill to authorize justices of the peace of the towns adjoining the city of Minneapolis, Hennepin county, to keep an office in said city,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 285, A bill relating the incorporation in Blue Earth City,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the adoption of the bill there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish,

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Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 288, A bill to legalize the actions of the county commissioners of the county of Marshall,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 289.

On motion of Mr. Denny it was referred to the delegation from Carver county.

S. F. No. 297, A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act granting ferry privilege to Daniel F. Brawley across the Red river of the North at St. Vincent, in the county of Pembina, in this State, and subject the control of said ferry privilege to the State.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Huleback, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 475, A bill relating to erecting a school district in Freeborn county,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Herberber, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster. Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 471, A bill to amend section 16 of Special Laws of 1876, incorporating the village of Sauk Centre,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 476, A bill to restore citizenship of John F. Sherman of Anoka,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Lovland Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 452, A bill relating to cattle running at large in the county of Traverse,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 463, A bill granting ferry privileges,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 385, A bill relating to public schools in Brown's Valley,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge. Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall. Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A , Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner and Wiley.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 495, A bill to restore Samuel Griswold to citizenship,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54 and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Caine. Collins, Comstock, Daniels, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Hayes Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives,

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Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Putnam Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Wagner, Washburn and Wiley.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 509, A bill to authorize the Greenvale Cemetery Association to convey lots,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 404, A bill to authorize the city of Red Wing to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 298, A bill to authorize the village of Redwood Falls, and any town in Redwood county to issue bonds to aid in building railroads,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Love,

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land, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 434, A bill to prevent cattle and other domestic animals from running at large in the county of Hennepin,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 405, A bill to provide for establishing a work house in the city of Redwing, and provide for the employment of beggars, vagrants and common drunkards,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 356, A bill to provide for the salary of the county treasurer of Mille Lacs county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C.,

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Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 323, A bill to amend section 162, chapter 36, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the duties of State Treasurer in receipting for State text-book funds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

And the question being taken, on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter, L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kneeland, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, and Wiley.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 3, A bill to authorize the village of Howard Lake in Wright county to issue bonds to purchase fire apparatus,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 400, A bill to authorize the township of Logan to issue bonds for county purposes,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J. Boser, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Searles Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Wiley.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 396, A bill to authorize persons who have complied with the law concerning tree planting to apply for bounty before January 1st, 1882,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen and Wagner.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 394, A bill to amend, sections 145 and 147 of chapter 11 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to taxes,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays 13, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hayes, Halgreu, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Boser, Geary, Graling, Henry, Hill, Kendall, Norrish, Roberts, Stedjee, Thornton, Tone and Tether.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 343, A bill to amend section 124, title 3, chapter 8 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to county and county officers,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 264, A bill granting ferry privileges,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 411, A bill relating to civil actions in justice court,

Was read the third time, and put upon his final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 442, A bill to provide for the publication and distribution of high school reports for 1879 and 1880,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Gardner, Juelson, Kendall, Kohlmer, Northness Stedjee.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 477, A bill to amend section 23, chapter 116, General Statutes of 1878, relating to challenging of jurors,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Amundson, Andrus Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterffeld, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 441, A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 206 of Special Laws of 1878, and respecting chapter 260 of Special Laws of 1879,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 472, A memorial to Congress asking for pensions for persons confined in confederate prisons,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Van Hoesen, and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Buckman voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 554, A bill to locate and establish a State road from Herman, Grant county, to Lowell, Big Stone county,

Which was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C.,, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 249, A bill to authorize the county of Anoka and some towns in Hennepin county to issue bonds to build an iron bridge across the Mississippi river,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 551, A bill to constitute the county of Mille Lacs, one commissioner's district,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J. Baxter L. L. Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom. Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives. Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmer, Linnell, Loveland Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 552, A bill requiring all towns in the counties of Benton and Morrison to support their own poor,

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Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 548, A bill relating to the maintenance of a bridge across Rum river, Isanti county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken, upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 539, A bill to incorporate the village of Lake Park, in Becker county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. No. 540, A bill to prevent the destruction of fish during the spawning season,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas), and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, ohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, aniels, Deau, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, raling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, endall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, eterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, abin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, haralson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley nd Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 542, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and ther domestic animals in town 119, range 31 of Meeker county.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 0, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Burger, Butterfield, 'aine, Churchill, Collins, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, innell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 538, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Clay county to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

And the question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to

H. F. No. 543, A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 74 of Special Laws of 1875, in relation to poor laws of Freeborn county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman,

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Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O S. Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. —, A bill relating to the general terms of district court in the counties of 11th judicial district,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nayes none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hulin, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McMaster, Northness, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 558, A bill to amend the act incorporating the city of Owatonna, and the acts amending the same,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 360, A bill concerning evidence in criminal actions and indictments,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 49, and nays 30, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Halgren, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kohlmier, Linnell, Moore, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

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Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Bookwalter, Churchill, Colquhoun, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Henry, Hicks, Huhn, Kennedy, Kneeland, Loveland, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Roberts, Rosebrock, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton and Tone.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 517, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in the county of Winona,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 575, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the corporate authorities of the village of Winnebago City to issue bonds, approved February 11th, 1881," and

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 77, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S,, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 467, A bill to incorporate the village of Melrose,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 84, and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Purrington, Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown,

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Smith, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr. Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Boser, Dodge, Northness and Wagner.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 342, A bill to incorporate the village of Red Lake Falls in Polk county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 149, A bill to introduce industrial expositions into the public schools of the State,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 29, and nays 38, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bohland, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Dunn, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Kennedy, Kneeland, Moore, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Tether and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter, J., Boser, Buckman, Butterfield, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Halgren, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McMaster, Northness, Post, Roberts, Schmidt, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Tone, Wagner, Washburn and Wiley.

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Donahue introduced the following resolution, by unanimous consent:

Whereas, the American people consider George Washington as good a man as Saint Patrick; therefore,

Resolved, That we pay him the same respect and observe to-morrow as a national holiday, with fasting and prayer; and that when this House adjourn it be until Wednesday morning, at 9 o'clock.

Mr. Collins gave notice of debate.

On motion of Mr. Donahue, the rules were suspended and the resolution was considered at this time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, was referred to the committee on federal relations.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the rules were suspended, and Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 219, A bill to reimburse Pine county for the expenses of the trial of Herbert Hutchinson,

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Reported the same back, recommending that seven hundred and fifty dollars be allowed for second trial, if one is had, and have amended the bill accordingly, and recommended that the bill pass as amended.

Aopted.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 233, A bill to appropriate money for completing the wall and other improvements of the Minnesota State Prison,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to whom was referred the tree planting memorial,

Reported the same back, recommending that the same be printed, and referred to the committee of the whole.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the vote whereby

H. F. No. 360

Was lost was reconsidered, and

Upon motion of Mr. Dunn the bill was placed on file for its third reading.

On motion, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Tuesday, February 22, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock, A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent: Messrs. Asleson, Child, Hall, Klossner, Kniss, Peterson A., Rice and Zieske.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Child and Hall.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal of yesterday stood approved.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the delegation from Hennepin county, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 213, A bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the city of Minneapolis,

Reported the same back with amendments, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The bill as amended, was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 213, A bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the city of Minneapolis,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 87, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Schmidt introduced—

H. F. No. 580, A bill to authorize the trustees of school district No. 61, in the county of Washington, to condemn lands for a school house site.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Schmidt the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, reports that he has examined

H F. Nos. 375, 170, 169, 111, 249, 114, 200, 245, 371, 290, 401, 376, 132, 388, 183, 119, 2, 93, 75, 336, 22, 236, 130, 171, 276, 303, 203, 386, 66, 320, 247, 195, 307, 367, 211, 392, 250, 157, 172, 134, 96, 181, 222, 241, 274, 330, 335, 384 and 421,

And finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

The hour of 10:30 o'clock A. M., having arrived,

The Speaker announced the special order of business to be the consideration of

SPECIAL ORDERS.

And the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole,

Mr. Graling in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration

S. F. No. 222, A bill in relation to the second hospital for the insane.

S. F. No. 184, A bill furnishing the second hospital for the insane.

S. F. No. 201, A bill for the support of the several State institutions.

S. F. No. 183, A bill to appropriate money to rebuild the north wing of the first hospital for the insane.

Which they report back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

H. F. No. 406, A bill relating to the State Reform school.

H. F. No. 153, A bill relating to the State Reform school.

H. F. No. 408, A bill relating to the State Reform school.

Which they reported back with the recommendation that the bills be indefinitely postponed.

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H. F. No. 387, A bill to appropriate money for the expenses of the State Government.

Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to which was referred S. F. No. 15, An act for the encouragement of higher education,

Reported the same back with amendment, and recommended that the same be referred to the committee of the whole with the other appropriation bills.

The report was adopted, and the bill, as amended, was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole, to be considered with the bills made the special order for to-day.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Donahue offered the following resolution, which was adopted by the House, the Senate concurring:

Resolved, That an addition of five (5) members be made to the joint committee on location of new State-prison—three from the House and two from the Senate—the members of the House to be appointed by the Speaker, and the members of the Senate to be appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor, and that the House committee be appointed one from each Congressional district.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

The House again went into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Graling in the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration.

H. F. No. 387, A bill to appropriate money to defray the expenses of the State government.

H. F. No 413, A bill to appropriate money to pay employees of the Hospital for the Insane for loss of effects in saving the lives of patients.

Which they report back with amendments, with the recommendation that the bills do pass as amended.

S. F. No. 177, A bill to appropriate money for the State University.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that it do pass.

H. F. No. 411, A bill relating to a clerkship in the office of the adjutant general.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that it be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Baxter L. L. moved to except from the report of the committee of the whole

H. F. No. 387.

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On motion, the report of the committee of the whole, except as to H. F. No. 387
Was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared
H. F. Nos. 372, 223, 185, 61, 470, 327, 369, 346, 355, 432, 378 and 268.
Also, S. F. Nos. 72, 159, 493, 464, 291, 403, 412, 370. 331, 311, 349, 53, 129, 460 and 64,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications were received from His Excellency the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, February 22, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I herewith return H. F. No. 256, an act to amend section 9 of chapter 100 of the General Statutes of 1878.

This amendment changes the punishment for the crime of keeping a house of ill-fame.

The act, while permitting an increased fine, actually prohibits the prosecution of all offenders under the State laws.

The provisions of section 1 of this amendment provides that no person convicted of the offence of keeping a house of ill-fame, under the ordinances of any municipal corporation shall be punished for the same offence under the act. The practical operation of this provision, will be to license and foster houses of prostitution so long as municipalities practically license the keeping of such houses by receiving monthly a certain fixed sum or fine for the violation of the original law.

For these and other reasons I withhold my approval of this amendment.

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, Feb. 21, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. No. 297, An act relating to the government of free schools in the city of Anoka.

H. F. No. 96, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 83 of the laws of 1878, relating to town insurance companies.

H. F. No. 330, An act to restrain the running at large of cattle in Clay county.

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H. F. No. 384, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 210 of the Special Laws of 1878, as amended by chapter 259 of the Special Laws of 1878, relating to the running at large of domestic animals in Wilkin county.

H. F. No. 181, An act to amend section 157, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to compensation of boards of Auditors.

H. F. No. 431, An act to detach certain territory from school district 76 in Hennepin county, and attach the same to school district "joint" 112, Hennepin and Wright counties.

H. F. No. 335, An act to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 1 in Nicollet county and attach the same to school district No. 27.

H. F. No. 274, An act to legalize certain conveyances heretofore made, and proceedings had thereunder, relating to partnership.

H. F. No. 222, An act to cancel certain delinquent taxes in the county of Redwood, and to transfer certain other taxes from said county to the county of Yellow Medicine, and to provide for the collection of the same.

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., the House adjourned.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Wednesday, February 23, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Allen, Bohland, Juelson, Kniss, Norrish and Rice.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

Mr. Dunn rose to a question of privilege, and presented a report of the joint special committee appointed to investigate the matter of the contract with the State, for the labor of the convicts of the State Prison as follows:

To the Honorable Speaker of the House of Reesentatives of Minnesota:

The special joint committee appointed by the House of Representatives and Senate to investigate certain charges in connection with the letting of a contract to Seymour, Sabin & Co., for the labor of the con-

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victs in the State Prison commenced in the committee room of the committee on judiciary of the House of Representatives on Friday evening she 18th inst., and proceeded to inquire as by the resolution constituting tuch committee it was charged to do.

In the course of such inquiry, one Jasper B. Tarbox, was summoned before the committee to testify concerning the matter under inquiry, and was sworn and examined by the committee as a witness touching such matter. In the course of such examination the committee propounded to the said Tarbox the following question, which in the opinion of the committee was material to the subject under inquiry, and proper to be answered by the said Tarbox, to wit:

"What is the name of the person who made you the proposition to receive a certain amount of money and withdraw or modify your bid and stand aside and allow the contract to go to Seymour, Sabin & Co.?" But the said Tarbox wholly refused to answer such question, and did not answer the same.

The materiality of the said question will more fully appear from a portion of the minutes of the evidence of the said Tarbox, which is hereunto annexed and marked exhibit "A."

The committee, therefore, recommends that the said Tarbox be arrested and brought before the bar of the House to answer for the contempt of the authority and privileges of this House by their committee, as hereinbefore stated.

EXHIBIT "A."

ABSTRACT OF TESTIMOMY.

J. B. TARBOX,

Sworn and examined, testified:

Q. By MR. DUNN: Was there any money ever offered to you to withdraw your bill, or modify your bid, or to get out of the way?

A. A party, a friend of both parties, called on us and stated that he felt satisfied they were too strong for us and we could not get it, and thought it would be better for us to take it; he said this in a laughing way; he said this in a laughing way; he said that it would be better for us to take $5,000, or $10,000.

Q. Who was that party?

A. I would not give his name. There is not any thing to it, we probably inferred too much, we subsequantly ascertained that it was not an offer of money.

Q. You may state, Mr. Tarbox, who that party was that made that suggestion to you?

A. W. J—I really don't want to give his name; I hope gou won't insist upon it.

Q. Well, the committee desire it, it is public matter. I won't press the name just now, with the consent of the committee, I will pursue a little different line, and inquire by and by. Was it either member of the firm of Seymour, Sabin & company, if you know either of that firm.

A. No sir, I know that he is not a member of that firm, and I think if you knew the circumstances you would not insist upon the name being given.

Q. Tell us as much as you can the exact conversation that occurred.

A. Well that was it as stated to me: In a joking way he said to me he was satisfied that they was too strong for us, and we couldn't get the contract anyhow, and we had better take $5,000 or $10,000 and step out of the way, and he has since stated to me that he had no authority

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for making that statement from any one connected with Seymour, Sabin & Co., and that it would embarrass him very much to have it go any further, and he would have to say that he done it on his own responsibility without any authority from Seymour, Sabin & Co., or anybody connected with them; that it was a desire on his part to try to see the thing ended, to see it settled, and that what he said and relied upon them to carry out, that they never offered; no member of Seymour, Sabin & Co. authorized him to make any offer.

Q. You supposed at the time that it did come from them, didn't you?

A. Yes sir, under the circumstances I did.

Q. I think we will have to insist on the name being given.

A. I do not like to give you his name. I think under the explanation I have given I say that under oath that the party had no connection whatever with Seymour & Co.

Q. Will we have no means of compelling you to answer; that is forcibly, you don't refuse to answer?

A. I don't want to. I don't want to give the name.

Q. Well, can you give me any good reaaon for not wanting to give the name?

A, Yes, this gentleman does not want his name to be connected with this affair in any way; he is a man in delicate health, and this sort of thing worries him, annoys him.

Q. This was a confidential conversation, was it?

A. Yes.

Q. Was that before or after you knew that your bid was not accepted?

A. It was before; I think,I am not sure about that. The bids were before the committee.

Q. We will have to insist upon this being answered. Of course, you can refuse.

A. I don't like to give the man's name.

Q. We want the man's name, and want it now, because we want to hurry along with this business. You will either have to answer it or we will have to put it on the minutes that you refuse to answer and report to the House. What is the name of the person who made you the proposition to receive a certain amount of money and withdraw, or modify your bid, or stand aside and allow the contract to go to Seymour, Sabin & Co? What was about the proposition that was made; was it to step aside? That was what you understood?

A. Yes.

Senator Gilfillan here re-examined witness at some length as to the circumstances under which the alleged proposition was made, &c.

MR. DUNN. We must insist upon that name being given.

A. I do not like to give it.

Q. If you say you won't give it, that ends this chapter to night. Who was the third person at this interview that you have referred to? Let us have the name? Do you refuse to give us the name?

A. Well, I don't want to give you the name.

Q. We will take it as a refusal if you do not answer?

A. I suppose if I am compelled to give it I will have to give it, but I said to that party that I would not. I suppose it would cut things shorter to say that I refuse; probably I am taking up your time.

Q. You wish to be understood that you refuse to answer the question, do you?

A. Yes.

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As accompanying said report, Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Jasper B. Tarbox, a witness subpœnæed before the joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives, appointed to investigate certain charges in connection with the letting of a contract to Seymour, Sabin & Co., for the labor of convicts in the State Prison, after having appeared before such committee, and being duly sworn, refused to answer the following question put to him, by the said committee, to-wit:

"What is the name of the person who made you the proposition to receive a certain amount of money and withdraw or modify your bid, and stand aside and allow the contract to go to Seymour, Sabin & Co?"

Which question, in the opinion of this House, was pertinent to the subject matter of the said investigation, and the answer to which will be important to the interests of the State. Now, therefore,

Resolved, by the House of Representatives, of the State, of Minsota, that the Sergeant-at-Arms, of this House, is hereby instructed to bring the said Jasper B. Tarbox before the bar of this House, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., on the 23d day of February, A. D. 1881. to abide such action as this House may see fit to take in the premises.

Mr. Searles moved to amend the resolution so that further proceedings under the resolution be made the special order for 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Which amendment was lost.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the original resolution, and the yeas and nays being called for and ordered, there were yeas 70, and nays 19, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner and Washburn.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Caine, Child, Dean, Denby, Griggs, Ives, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Sanborn, Tharalson, Van Hoesen, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Sabin, from the committee on railroads, to which was referred

S. F. No. 204, A bill to authorize the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad Company to acquire, construct maintain and operate raslroads in the State of Minnesota,

Reported the same back, and recommended that it do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Armstrong, from the committee on deaf, dumb and blind, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 242, A bill to amend section 5 of title 2 of chapter 35 of

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General Statutes of 1878, relating to the Minnesota Institute for the Deaf and Dumb and Blind,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Daniels, from the special committee to whom was referred

S F. No. 15, A bill to promote higher education,

Reported the bill back with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The bill as amended was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared

H. F. No. 229,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. Daniels

H. F. No. 274, was taken from its place on general order, and placed on general order for to day.

On motion of Mr. Stone

H. F. No. 174, was taken from its place on general orders, and placed on file for its third reading.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

On motion of Mr. Dunn the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 229, A bill to provide for the adjustment of the State of Minnesota State Railroad bonds.

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Wilson, the bill was referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 230, A bill to provide for the application of the moneys of the internal improvement land fund of the State of Minnesota to the payment of the principal and interest of the Minnesota State Railroad Adjustment Bonds,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

GENERAL ORDERS

On motion of Mr. Sanborn,

The House resolved itself into the committee of the whole,

For the consideration of the appropriation bills made the special order for to-day.

Mr. Dunn in the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose temporarily, and

On motion of Mr. Sanborn,

Mr. Dunn was appointed temporary Speaker for the purpose of considering

S. F. No. 232, A bill to appropriate money for the completion of the wall and other improvements of the Minnesota State Prison.

And the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole, and

The House again went into committee of the whole.

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Mr. Dunn in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration,

H. F. No. 440, A bill relating to clerkship in the office of the Secretary of State.

S. F. No. 190, A bill relating to the enlargement of the grounds of the Normal School at St. Cloud.

S. F. No. 106, A bill relating to the office of public examiner.

S. F. No. 42, A bill to increase the standing appropriations for Normal schools.

S. F. No. 232, A bill to appropriate money for the State prison walls and other improvement.

Which they reported back, with the recommendation that they do pass.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the report of the committee of the whole, was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L.,

H. F. No. 387, A bill to appropriate money to defray the expenses of the State Government.

Excepted from the report of the committee of the whole on yesterday,

Was taken from the table, and

Mr. Baxter L. L., moved to amend the report of the committee, so as to strike out in subdivision 35 of said bill, the word fifteen in the fifth line thereof, and insert in lieu thereof, the word "twenty."

The question being taken upon the adoption of the amendment, and and the yeas and nays were called for and ordered.

There were yeas 64, and nays 24, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Sabin, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stone, Thornton, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Boser, Buckman, Burger, Cutts, Graling, Hayes, Kohlmier, McCracken, Norrish, Peterson P., A., Putnam, Roberts, Schmidt, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen and Wilson.

So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Stone moved to amend the report of the committee of the whole so as to include in the bill an appropriation of $5,000 for the State Forestry Association.

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment, and the yeas and nays being called for and ordered, there were yeas 37, and nays 53, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Child, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donohue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hawkins, Hill, Ives, Kohlmier, Moore, McMaster, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

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Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Boser, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Flom, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews; McCracken, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Roberts, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Searles, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wilson and Zieske.

So the amendment was lost.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the report of the committee of the whole as to

H. F. No. 387, As amended was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 19, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S F. No. 82, An act to amend an act entitled an act to locate a State road on the county line between the counties of Scott, LeSueur and Rice, the same being chapter 251, Special Laws of 1879.

S. F. No. 69, An act to appropriate money to assist in building two bridges across the north and the south forks of Two Rivers, in Kittson county.

S. F. No. 83, An act to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Minnesota river.

S. F. No. 84, An act to appropriate money to build a bridge across Red river.

S. F. No. 116, An act to appropriate money for a bridge across Snake river, in Marshall county.

S. F. No. 118, An act to appropriate money for a bridge across Bois des Sioux river, in Wilkin county.

S. F. No. 150, An act to appropriate money for the construction of a bridge across Lake Winona, at the village of Alexandria.

S. F. No. 167, An act to appropriate money to rebuild a bridge over the narrows of Chisago lake.

S. F. No. 172, An act to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Chippewa river, in Swift county.

S. F. No. 220, An act to locate and establish a State road from Verndale to Kindred, in Wadena county, and to appropriate money for the same.

S. F. No. 224, An act to authorize the Stewart River Improvement Company to improve the Stewart river, in Lake county, and to collect tolls therefor.

S. F. No. 278, An act to amend section 2 of chapter 57 of the General Laws of the year 1859, relating to the terms of the district court in Murray county.

S. F. No. 279, An act to appropriate money to build bridges in Cottonwood county.

S. F. No. 283, An act for the protection of the cemetery of the town of Woodville.

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S. F. No. 303, An act to incorporate and create a school district out of certain territory in Freeborn and Faribault counties.

S. F. No. 305, An act to prevent the running at large of cattle and other beasts in the town of Rosemount, Dakota county.

S. F. No 309, An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Preston, Fillmore county," approved February 18, 1880.

S. F. No. 308, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Preston," approved March 4, 1871.

The Senate has also passed the following House Files, herewith returned:

H. F. No. 165, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to prevent immirration."

H. F. No. 354, An act to empower the county commissioners to change or vacate a military road in Sherburne county.

H F. No. 383, An act to incorporate the village of Audubon, in Becker county.

H. F. No. 390, An act to provide for the levy of taxes for State purposes, for the years 1881 and 1882.

H. F. No. 435, An act to reduce the law incorporating the village of Kasson, in the county of Dodge, and State of Minnesota, and the several acts amendatory thereof into one act, and to amend the same and to attach certain territory for school purposes.

H. F. No. 450, An act to incorporate the village of Hector, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 484, An act to authorize the towns of Plainview and Elgin to dispose of certain funds.

H. F. No. 490, An act to change the boundaries of Faribault School District No. 1, Rice county.

Also, that the Senate has passd the following House Files, with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

H. F. No. 15, An act to punish tramps.

H, F. No. 42, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 20 of the General Statutes of 1878, entitled "An act for the preservation of game."

H. F. No. 106, An act to amend section 198 of title 10 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to garnishment

The Senate has concurred in the House amendment to the resolutions of sympathy for the Irish people.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 21, 1881.

Mr. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 180, An act to authorize the incorporation of the village of Park Point, and to grant it certain powers.

S. F. No. 225, An act to amend sections 10, 11 and 18 of chapter 33 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to banks and banking, and to add to said chapter sections 47, 48 and 49.

S. F. No. 246, An act to extend the jurisdiction of justices of the peace of Crow Wing county over the counties of Cass, Aitkin and Itasca.

S. F. No. 258, An act to prohibit stock from running at large in the township of Franklin, in Wright county.

S. F. No. 286, An act relating to the running at large of cattle in the town of Kirkhoven, Swift county.

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S. F. No. 290, An act to authorize the erection, maintenance and protection of telephone poles and wires upon and over the streets, avenues and alleys of the city, village and town of Duluth.

S. F. No. 311, An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Marshall.

S. F. No. 147, An act relating to the publication of the reports of the geological and natural history survey of the State.

The Senate has also passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 99, An act to amend section 3 of chapter 211 of the Special Laws of 1878.

H. F. No. 118. An act to amend section 17, chapter 36, General Statutes of 1878, relating to education.

H. F. No. 140, An act relating to salary of district judges.

H. F. No. 136, An act to amend title 1 of chapter 34 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations.

H. F No. 163, An act to amend sections 9, 18, 40, 41 and 51, General Statutes of 1878, relating to sale of lands by executors, administrators and guardians.

H. F. No. 395, An act to amend section 34, chapter 6, General Statutes of 1878, prescribing the duties of State Treasurer.

H. F. No. 281, An act to amend sections 181 and 182, of title 3, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the care and custody of minors, by Orphan Asylums.

H. F. No. 508, An act to retain non-resident road taxes in the town of Cannon City, in the county of Rice.

H. F. No. 414, An act to amend section 6, of chapter 324, of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the county and county officers of Hennepin county.

H. F. No. 353, An act permitting each township in the State to keep a record of all roads running into and through such township.

H. F. No. 417, An act to appropriate money to reimburse J. Q. Ward for money expended by him in behalf of the State.

H. F. No. 504, An act to establish commissioner districts in the county of Hennepin, and to regulate the election and compensation of the county commissioners therein.

Also that the Senate has passed the following House Files with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested,

H. F. No. 70, An ect to amend certain sections of chapter 36 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to education.

H. F. No. 102, An act to amend section 26, of chapter 62 of the General Statutes of 1878.

Also, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments of the House to the following Files:

H. F. No. 87, An act authorizing the formation of Miller's and Manufacturer's Mutual Insurance Companies.

H. F. No. 279, An act to amend section 29, title 1, and section 112 title 2, chapter 34, General Statutes, 1878, entitled corporations.

Which are herewith returned.

Also, S. F. No. 103, An act to authorize the erection of dams and booms across Red Lake river, east of range 47, in Polk county.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

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SENATE CHAMBER, February 22, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 127, An act to confirm and make valid the purchase of certain lands by the board of county commissioners of Murray county.

S. F. No. 316, An act to amend the charter of the St. Paul Gas Light Company.

S. F. No. 117, An act to amend an act relating to public schools of St Paul.

S. F. No. 189, An act to authorize the Secretary of State to purchase the portraits of ex-Governors.

S. F. No. 227, An act to amend chapter 36, General laws, 1873, relating to the State Horticulture Society.

S. F. No. 254, An act requiring the constructing of fish-ways.

S. F. No. 287, An act to amend an act relating to the incorporation of the village of Waterville, Le Seuer county.

S. F. No. 295, An act to appropriate money to supply a deficiency for the year 1880, under act for the encouraging of higher education, approved March 9, 1878.

S. F. No. 296, An act making indexes of books A and B of deed records in Sibley county, evidence of the contents and validity for the conveyance and records thereof in said books, which were burned A. D. 1863.

S. F. No. 302, An act to amend chapter 6, Special Laws of 1879, and chapter 123 of Special Laws of 1878, being the charter of the city of Shakopee and acts amending the same.

S. F. No. 196, An act to omend section 62 of chapter 5, General Laws of 1873, relating to costs of appeal in road cases.

The Senate has also passed the following House Files, herewith returned:

H. F. No. 213, An act to provide for the registering and payment of interest on town orders.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 23, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 229, An act providing for the adjustment of the Minnesota State Railroad Bonds.

S. F. No. 230, An act to provide for the application of the moneys of the internal improvement land fund of the State of Minnesota to the payment of the Minnesota State Adjustment Bonds.

The Senate has also passed

H. F. No. 20, herewith returned, An act relating to foreign corporations, with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Hicks,

H. F. No. 106, A bill to amend section 198 of title 10 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 7878, relating to garnishment, amended by the Senate,

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Was referred to Mr. Hicks.

On motion of Mr. Armstrong, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 42, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 20 of the General Statutes of 1878,

The question being taken upon the passage of thebill as amended, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 20, A bill relating to foreign corporations.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Huhn, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Searles, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 15, A bill to punish tramps,

Reported the same back, recommending that the House concur in the Senate amendment thereto.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 56, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill. Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hicks, Hill, Kneeland, Moore, Northness, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. Graling and Kendall voted in the negative.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Braley, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock P. M.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M.. and was called to order by the Speaker,

A quorum present.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 269, A bill to amend chapter 20, of the General Laws of 1868, relating to the organization of persons as a chamber of commerce or board of trade.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 102, A bill to amend section 26 of chapter 62, of the General Statutes of 1878.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas, 75, and nays, none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharlson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

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Mr. Hicks, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 106, A bill to amend section 198, of title 10 of chapter 66, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to garnishment.

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that the House concur in the Senate amendment to the bill.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 77, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak. Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Mott, Norrish, Northuess, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard. Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton. Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Daniels moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 70, A bill to amend certain sections of chapter 36, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to education.

Mr. Hicks moved to amend, that the House do not concur in the Senate amendment, and that a committee of conference be appointed on the part of the House, consisting of Messrs. Daniels, Wilson and Mott, to confer with a similar committee on the part of the Senate, on the subject of said amendment.

Mr. Daniels accepted the said amendment, and the motion, as amended, was adopted.

And the Speaker appointed such committee.

In obedience to the mandate of the House requiring Jasper B. Tarbox to appear at the bar thereof, and to then and there show cause why he should not make answer to the question proposed to him by the legislative committee appointed to investigate the matter of the State Prison contract, at which time Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That in purging himself of the contempt for which Jasper B. Tarbox is now in custody, the said Tarbox shall be required to state to the House of Representatives forthwith, whether he is now willing to appear before the committee of the Legislature, to whom he has heretofore declined to make answer to the question for the refusal to answer which he has been ordered into custody, and if he answers he is ready to appear before said committee and make answer, then the witness shall have the privilege to so appear and answer so soon as said committee can be convened; and in the event that said witness shall answer that he is not ready to appear and answer said question, so refused to be answered, then that said witness be subject to such further action as the House of Representatives may make in the premises.

The said Jasper B. Tarbox having answered that he would appear before said committee and answer such question, he was discharged from the custody of the House, pending the meeting of such committee.

The Speaker announced the special order for this hour to be the

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THIRD READING OF SENATE APPROPRIATION BILLS.

S. F. No. 175, A bill to appropriate moneys to the State University,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays 23, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S, Porter T. C., Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Asleson, Boser, Braley, Callender, Child, Denby, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hulebak, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, Northness, Peterson P. A., Post, Redding, Southard, Stedjee, Tone, Tether and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 232, A bill to appropriate money for the completion of the wall and other improvements of the Minnesota State Prison,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J. Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterffeld, Caine, Callender. Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall. Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T.C., Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J.. Tether, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Graling, Kohlmier and Redding.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 190, A bill to appropriate money to enlarge the grounds of the State Normal School at St. Cloud,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays 18, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

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Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Baker, Butterfield, Callender, Colquhoun, Flom, Graling, Hulebak, Kohlmier, Loveland, Northness, Peterson P. A., Purrington, Snure, Southard, Tether, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 106, A bill to amend section 967, chapter 6, General Laws of 1878, relating to public examiner,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Kendall, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 201. A bill to appropriate money for the support of the several State institutions therein named for the years 1881 and 1882, and to prescribe the manner of disbursiug the same.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denny Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rosebreck, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 42, A bill to increase the standing appropriations for Normal Schools, and to provide for the payment of the salaries of institute teachers therefrom,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays 26, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

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Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Baker, Boser, Colquhoun, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hoyt, Huleback, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Purrington, Redding, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton, Tone, Tether and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 184, A bill to appropriate money for furnishing, fitting and repairing the Second Hospital for the Insane,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A , Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Northness voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to

S. F. No. 182, A bill to appropriate money for the building of a cartway to the Second Hospital for the Insane,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70 and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L, L., Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 183, A bill to appropriate money for rebuilding the north wing of the First Hospital for the Insane, and for other purposes therein named,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gould,

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Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 222, A bill to appropriate money to meet a deficiency on account of the Second Hospital for the Insane,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Mott, McMaster, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.,

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 69, A bill to appropriate money to assist in building bridges in Kittson county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J , Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Graling, Hawkins and Huhn.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 84, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Red river,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall,

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Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. Gardner and Hawkins voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 83, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Minnesota river,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 116, A bill to appropriate money for a bridge across Snake river, in Marshall county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 118, A bill to appropriate money for a bridge across Bois de Sioux river in Wilkin county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy,

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Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Washburn, Wiley ank Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 172, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Chippewa river in Swift county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baldwin, Baxter J., Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Geary, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 150, A bill to appropriate money for the construction of a bridge across Lake Winona, at the village of Alexandria,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Flom, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson, P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searlee, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 440, A bill to amend chapter 96, General Laws of 1876, relating to clerkship in Secretary of State's office.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken, upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder,

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Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 328, A bill to appropriate funds for the building of a bridge across Sauk River, in the town of Wakefield, Stearns county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hawkins, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 317, A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Lincoln in the building of a bridge across the Yellow Medicine river,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Hayes, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Nornish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson, J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 399, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Mustinka river, in Grant county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hanscom, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thomp-

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son J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Bookwalter voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 370, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the south branch of Crow river, in Meeker county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren. Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A.. Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Koberts, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 189, A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Chippewa in building a bridge across the Chippewa river,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Cutts, Daniels, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Sothard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 413, A bill to appropriate money for the purpose of reimbursing the employees of the Hospital for the Insane,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnel, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharal-

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son, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 499, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Buffalo river, in Martin county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger. Butterfield, Caine, Churchill. Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Geary, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Huhn, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post. Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 464, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Rock river,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxtea J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine. Child, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Flom, Geary. Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peteraon P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Sabiu, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles. Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone. Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 403, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Red river, in Polk county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child. Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Flom, Gould, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hoyt, Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Lewis, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn. Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 61, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Pomme de Terre river, in Grant county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hanscom, Henry, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kneeland, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 327, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the St. Louis river, in the county of Carlton,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Greary, Gould, Hall, Hanscom, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 223, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the east branch of Blue Earth river, in Faribault county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were years 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A,, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock. Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searls, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn. Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 432, A bill to build a bridge across the Big Cottonwood river, in Brown county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker,

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Baldwin, Bozer, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C.,, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Churchill, Colquhoun, Henry, Lewis, McAndrews and Sheardown,

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 372, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Watonwon river,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Mott, McMaster, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Wiley.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 268, A bill to appropriate money to aid Isanti county in building bridges,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas, 66, and nays, none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Loveland, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J,, Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 229, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Long Prairie river, in Douglas county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin,

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Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster. Norrish, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton. Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 369, A bill to reimburse Mary Cody, on account of tax suits with Winona & St. Peter railroad,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 355, A bill for the relief of the county of Crow Wing.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Thornton voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Gould moved that the vote whereby

S. F. No. 20

Was indefinitely postponed, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

Also, that the vote whereby

H. F. No. 340

Was indefinitely postponed, be reconsidered.

Which motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. Gould,

S. F. No. 20, A bill to appropriate money to pay Charles Butler and

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the widow of J. H. Jones, for filling and grading the State Normal School grounds in the city of Winona,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays 13, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Braley, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Butterffeld, Callender, Gardner, Graling, Hanscom, Loveland, Northness, Southard, Stedjee and Tether.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Cutts

H. F. No. 174,

Was referred to Mr. Denby for amendment.

Mr. Donahue, on leave, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the State of Minnesota present the buildings known as the three Normal schools to the towns wherein they are located, provided they will never ask the State for any more appropriation to maintain the same.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the resolution was laid upon the table, and the House resumed the

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 8. A bill to legalize the the acts of AllenD. Ferris, guardian of Emma Sherwin, et al.,

Was by unanimous consent amended as follows:

By adding to the end of the bill the following proviso,

Provided, that this act shall not be construed to cause any irregularity in the guardian sale herein mentioned other than the failure of the guardian to fulfill the bond in the sale within the regular time required by law.

The bill, as amended, was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Kennedy Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Moore, McMaster, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr. Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, and Zieske.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

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Mr. Gardner moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion was lost.

S. F. No. 72, A bill to confirm the sale of the line of railway of the Southern Minnesota Railway Company, extending from La Crescent on the Mississippi river, in the county of Houston, in a westerly direction to the west line of the State, &c.,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60 and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Rosebrock, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 140, A bill extending the time of payment for seed grain furnished sufferers from grasshopper ravages,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays one, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong Asleson, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Flom Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard Stewart Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

Mr. Klossner voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 174, A bill to regulate the time for holding the terms of district court in the county of Freeborn,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 159, Substitute for S. F. No. 141, A bill to amend section 1

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of chapter 52, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the estates of deceased persons,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Dean, Denby, Geary, Graling, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rosebrock, Simpson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Steijee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared

H. F. Nos. 413 and 439,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the House took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

The House met at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hicks offered the following joint resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

That we, the Senators and Members of the House of Representatives of the session of 1881, desire to convey to the citizens of the city of St. Paul our hearty thanks for the very courteous and hospitable manner in which we were entertained at the reception given at the Market Hall on the anniversary of Washington's birthday, 22d inst.

That we shall carry to our homes not only pleasant memories of that happy occasion, but also the firm conviction that the citizens of St. Paul, in the erection of the beautiful edifice in which the reception was given, have exhibited that enterprise, liberality and public spirit which prophesies a bright future for their beautiful city.

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That a copy of these resolutions be suitably engrossed and transmitted to the officers and board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce of St. Paul.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred S. F. No. 278, A bill to amend section 2, chapter 57, of the General Laws, 1879, relating to terms of the district court in Murray county.

Also, S. F. No. 567, A bill to amend section 5, chapter 49, General Statutes, 1878, authorizing probate judges to act in adjoining counties.

Also, S. F. No. 251, A bill to amend an act entitled "An act relating to interest on money and usury, approved March 5, 1879."

Also, H. F. No. 544, A bill relating to the manner of levy and return of execution writs of attachment and other processes in counties and parts of counties without township organizations.

Also, H. F. No. 579, A bill to provide for the time of holding the general terms of the district court in the county of Renville,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the bills

Were read the second time, and placed on general orders.

Also, H. F. No. 334, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Worthington.

Also, H. F. No. 316, A bill to determine and prevent the spreading of glanders, or other contagious or infectious diseases among domestic animals.

Also, H. F. No. 139, A bill to amend section 6, chapter 11, General Laws of 1879, in relation to assessing real estate.

Also, H. F. No. 13, A bill to promote forest and apple tree culture in Minnesota.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bills were indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to whom was referred S. F. No. 279, A bill to appropriate money to build bridges in Cottonwood county.

Also, S. F. No. 167, A bill to appropriate money to rebuild a bridge over the narrows of Chisago Lake,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the bills were read the second time, and placed on general orders.

Mr. Collins, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred S. F. No. 234, A bill to amend section 157, chapter 65 of the General Statutes, 1878, relating to proceedings before justices of the peace,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

On motion of Mr. Collins, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on general orders.

Mr. Van Hoesen, from the committee on insurance, to which was referred

H. F. No. 547, A bill for an act relating to town insurance companies,

Reported the same back recommending that the bill do pass.

On motion, the bill was read the second time, and placed on general orders.

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Mr. Searles, from the committee on taxes and tax laws, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 529, A bill for an act to secure the collection of taxes on forfeited property.

Also, H. F. No. 560, A bill to amend chapter 11 of General Statutes, 1878, relating to taxation,

Reported the same back, recommending that the same do pass.

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bills were read the second time, and placed on gener. l orders.

Mr. Rosebrock, from the committee on tree culture and fuel, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 546, A bill to encourage timber culture, and to provide a compensation therefor,

Reported the same back, with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The bill as amended, was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on general orders.

Mr. Porter, from the committee on roads and bridges, to which was referred

H. F. No. 518, A bill to amend section 2, of chapter 208, of Special Laws of 1879.

Mr. Porter, from the committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 52, An act entitled an act to locate a State road on the county line between the counties of Scott, LeSueur and Rice, the same being chapter 251, Special Laws, 1879.

Also, S. F. No. 220, An act to locate and establish a State road from Verndale to Kindred, in Wadena county, and appropriating money for the same,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bills do pass.

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bills

Were read the second time, and placed on general orders.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denny, from the special committee, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 198, A bill to provide for the inspection of steam boilers,

Reports back a substitute, and recommends that the substitute do pass,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The substitute was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on general orders.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 242 and 204

Were read the second time.

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SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 507, 544, 579, 527, 480, 564, 219 and 582,
Were read the second time.
Mr. Baxter L. L., offered the following resolution,
Which was adopted:
Resolved, That all bills, hereafter introduced, shall take their regular course, without reference to any standing committees, unless otherwise ordered by the House.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached,
The House resolved itself into the committee of the whole,
Mr. Collins in the Chair.
After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and
Reported that they had under consideration
H. F. No. 457, A bill in relation to half-bushel measures;
H. F. No. 321, A bill in relation to district court in Redwood county;
H. F. No. 48, A bill relating to steam boilers,
Which they reported back, with the recommendation that they be indefinitely postponed.
H. F. No. 374, Constitutional amendment;
H. F. No. 333, A bill relating to the village of Worthington;
Which they report back, with amendments, with the recommendation that the bills do pass, as amended.
H. F. No. 88, A bill in relation to mutual insurance companies;
H. F. No. 562, A bill in relation to the village of Taopi.
H. F. No. 573, A bill relating to school district in Mower county.
H. F. No. 304, A bill relating to Watonwan county.
H. F. No. 461, A bill relating to Belle Plaine.
S. F. No. 197, A bill relating to destroying Houston county orders.
S. F. No. 113, A bill relating to dam, Mille Lacs county.
S. F. No. 199, A bill relating to school district, Cass county.
S. F. No. 212, A bill relating to High Forest Seminary.
S. F. No. 170, A bill relating to Duluth, St. Cloud & Yankton Railroad Company.
S. F. No. 238, A bill relating to court house, Mower county.
S. F. No. 134, A bill relating to New Prague.
S. F. No. 126, A bill relating to fish in Goodhue county.
S. F. No. 236, A bill relating to the city of Austin.
S. F. No. 237, A bill relating to the city of Austin.
S. F. No. 88, A bill relating to Independent School District No. 7, in Wright county.

S. F. No. 168, A bill relating to special school district in Jackson county;
S. F. No. 261, A bill relating to Mankato issuing bonds;
S. F. No. 266, A bill relating to school district No. 2, Otter Tail county;
S. F. No. 281, A bill relating to school district in Olmstead county;
S. F. No. 133, A bill to incorate New Prague;
S. F. No. 139, A bill to incorporate Jackson;
S. F. No. 228, A bill to incorporate the village of Waverly;
Which they report back, with the recommendation that the same do pass.

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On motion of Mr. Daniels, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

Mr. Geary, on leave introduced—

H. F. No. 583, A bill to provide for the disposition of the proceeds of the internal improvement lands for settlement of Minnesota Railroad Bonds.

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Denny, the house adjourned

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Thursday, February 24, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Kniss and Rice.

On motion of Mr. Callender, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Allen presented a petition from citizens of Mower county, praying that the Legislature do abstain from all legislation donating to corporations the swamp lands belonging to the State and others.

Which was read and referred to the special committee on railroad bonds.

Mr. Graling presented a petition from the citizens of Fillmore county on the same subject.

Which was read and referred to the same committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

S. F. No 230, A bill to provide for the application of the moneys of the internal improvement land fund of the State of Minnesota to the payment of the principal and interest of the Minnesota State Railroad Adjustment Bonds,

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Reported the same back, with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Mr. Wilson moved to recommit the bill to the committee on judiciary.

Which was lost, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also,

S. F. No. 229, A bill for an act providing for the adjustment of the Minnesota State railroad bonds,

Reported the same back, with amendments, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill, as amended, was read and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sanborn offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bills relating to the adjustment of the Minnesota State railroad bonds, as amended by the judiciary committee, be printed, and that any member of the House may propose amemdments to the bills at any time prior to the day when the same may be considered in committee of the whole, which shall also be printed, and referred to the committee of the whole.

The resolution was adopted, and the bills and amendments thereto were ordered printed.

Mr. Allen, from committee on towns and counties, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 294, A bill to authorize the village of Fergus Falls, Ottertail county, to issue bonds,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its third reading.

Also,

H. F. No. 528, A bill authorizing certain cities, boroughs and villages to issue bonds for purpose of building public buildings, &c.,

Report the same back, with amendment, and recommend that the bill, as amended, do pass.

The report was adopted, and the bill, as amended, was read and placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 501, A bill authorizing the counties, towns and villages to keep in repair the roads and bridges, and be liable for damage for neglect,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also, H. F. No. 422, A bill authorizing the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to build a county jail, and to levy a special tax for that purpose,

Reported the same back with substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute was read the first time.

On motion of Mr Kendall, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 545, An act to change the boundaries of the counties of Brown, Cottonwood and Redwood and establishing a new county,

Reported the same back, and recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Braley from the committee, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 419, A bill to permit the several towns within Renville county to issue bonds to aid in constructing any railroad in said county,

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Reported the same back with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill, as amended, was read, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on education, to whom was referred

H. F. No 550, An act to amend section 176, chapter 36, General Statutes, in regard to text-books in public schools,

Report the same back, and recommend that it be referred to the committee on judiciary.

The report was adopted, and the bill was so referred.

Mr. Dean, from the committee on agriculture, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 35, A bill to amend section 11, relating to weights and measures,

Reported the same back and recommended that the same be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also, S. F. No. 9, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 39 of the General Laws of 1879, providing for a State bounty for the destruction of wolves,

Reported the same back without recommendation.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, S F. No. 99, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of the several counties of this State to pay a bounty for destruction of wolves,

Reported the same back with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Dean, from the committee on agriculture, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 294, A bill for licensing of dogs and for the protection of sheep, lambs, or domestic animals,

Report the same back with recommendation that it lie on the table.

The report was accepted and the bill was laid upon the table.

Also, H. F. No. 255. A bill to protect the grain fields of this State by destroying weeds in the highways.

Reported the same back, recommending that the same be indefinitely postponed.

The report was accepted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Putnam, from the committee on public lands, to which was referred

S. F. No. 56, A bill providing for the donation of certain lands to the board of county commissioners of the county of Kandiyohi, for the purpose of aiding in the erection and maintainance of a high school at Wilmar.

Also, H. F. No. 559, A bill granting swamp lands to aid in the construction of the line of railroad of the St. Paul & Dubuque Railroad Company.

Also, H. F. No. 577, A bill to grant swamp lands to aid in the construction of the Minneapolis & Hutchinson and Southwestern Railroad.

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Zieske, from the special committe, to which was referred

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S. F. No. 139. An act to authorize the board of county commissioners, of Brown county, to issue the bonds of said county for the construction of bridges across the Cottonwood river, in said county.

Reported the same back and recommended that it pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared

H. F. No. 322 and 387,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, reports that he has examined

H. F. No. 435, 424, 508, 281, 163, 136, 142, 450, 390, 354, 383, 180, 244, 165, 490, 52, 87, 484, 414, 395 and 504.

Finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted them to the Governor for his approval.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Gardner offered the following resolution:

Whereas, section 2, article 9 of the State constitution forbids the Legislature to levy tax or make other provision for the payment of interest or principal of the bonds denominated Minnesota State Railroad Bonds, without submitting the same to a vote of the people. Therefore, be it

Resolved, that any enactment or measure passed or adopted by this Legislature, providing for the settlement of said bonds by funding the same, issuing any new bonds in exchange therefor, or incurring any new obligation on the part of the State, before taking effect shall be submitted to a vote of the people of the State.

Mr. Baxter L. L. gave notice of debate, and the resolction went over under the rules.

On motion of Mr. Comstock,

H. F. No. 574, A bill to prescribe the boundary of senatorial and representatives districts, &c.,

Was made the special order for this evening at 8 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Collins,

H. F. No. 312,

Was placed at the head of general orders for to-day.

On motion of Mr. Collins, the resolution relating to compensation of reporter offered by Mr. Collins on last Monday,

Was taken from the table and adopted.

On motion of Mr. Dean

H. F. No. 259,

Was taken from the table, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Daniels moved that the joint resolution relating to the committee appointed to investigate the charges of discrimination by the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company, and asking that said committee be authorized to sit in vacation, be taken up and considered.

Which motion prevailed, and

On motion of Mr. Collins the resolution was referred to the committee on judiciary.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Donahue introduced—

H. F. No. 583, A bill to legalize and establish the boundaries of school districts in Sibley county.

Which was read the first time, and

The rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sampson introduced—

H. F. No. 586, A bill to detach certain property therein described from Independent School District No. 1, of Polk county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sampson, the rules were suspended, and the bill Was placed on file for its third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 587, A bill to appropriate money to reimburse Polk county for money paid in prosecution of Alexander Gillen for murder.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr Sampson, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Searles introduced—

H. F. No. 588, A joint resolution requiring our Senators and Representatives in Congress to support the proposed change in the United States patent laws.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Searles, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the joint resolution, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Peterson A, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the joint resolution was passed and its title agreed to.

Mr. Hicks introduced

H. F. No. 589, A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to issue bonds for certain purposes therein specified.

Which was read the first time, and, the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Dunn,

S. F. No. 15, A bill to encourage higher education,

Was taken from general order, and read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butter-

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field, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Graling, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone. Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn,

H. F. No. 387. A bill to appropriate money for the general expenses of the State government for the years 1881 and 1882

Was taken up and by unanimous consent the bill was amended by transferring sections 38 and 39 to items 47 and 48 of section 1 of said bill, and the bill as amended was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Aleson, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Haberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, VanHoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Baxter L. L., the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following additional members of the joint committee on location of new State prison:

Messrs. Donahue, Amundson and Gould.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

H. F. No. 590, A bill to permanently locate and establish the county seat of Chippewa county at Montevedio, in said county.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

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The judiciary committee introduced—

H. F. No. 591, A bill to provide for reporting publishing and selling of the Minnesota reports.

Which was read the first time and the rules being suspended, the bill Was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 592, A bill to amend chapter 90, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to liens.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 593, A bill to change the boundaries of Yellow Medicine county, and detaching certain territory from the counties of Chippewa and Renville.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 594, A bill fixing the times for holding general terms of the district court, in the 12th judicial district.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Mott introduced—

H. F. No. 595, A bill to annex certain territory to Dundas Independent School District No. 4 of Rice county.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 596, A bill to add certain territory to Faribault School District in Rice county.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Hawkins introduced—

H. F. No. 597, A bill to amend an act to amend section 23 of chapter 18 of the General Statutes.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on towns and counties.

Mr. Washburn introduced—

H. F. No. 598, A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Rabbit river.

Which was read the first time,

And the rules being suspended, the bill

Was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Collins introduced—

H. F. No. 599, A bill to amend an act to authorize the city of St. Cloud to issue bonds in aid of the improvement of the Mississipi river water power.

Which was read the first time,

And the rules being suspended, the bill

Was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 600, A bill to authorize certain towns in Stearns and Sherburne counties to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time,

And the rules being suspended, the bill

Was placed on file for its second reading.

Also H. F. No. 601, A bill relating to actions brought to determin-

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adverse claims to real estate under section 2 of chapter 75, General State utes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Burger introduced—

H. F. No. 602, A bill to establish a municipal court in the city of Mankato.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Linnell introduced—

H. F. No. 603, A bill relating to the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in Meeker and Kandiyohi counties.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Ives introduced—

H. F. No. 604, A bill to prevent cattle and other domestic animals, from running at large.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was placed on file for its second reading.

The committee on finance introduced—

H. F. No. 605, A bill to fix the salary of the attorney general.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill

Was read the second time and placed on file for its third reading.

Also, H. F. No. 606, A bill to fix the salary of the chief clerk in the State auditors office.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

The committee on finance introduced—

H. F. No. 606, A bill to fix the salary of the chief clerk in the State auditors office.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Daniels introduced—

H. F. No. 607, A bill to amend chapter 41 of the Special Laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Bookwalter introduced—

H. F. No. 608, A bill to establish the fees of the sheriff of the county of Blue Earth, for board of prisoners.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Cutts introduced—

H. F. No. 609, A bill to incorporate the village of Delano, in the county of Wright.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr Moore introduced—

H. F. No. 610, A bill to enable the town of Sauk Center, in the county of Stearns, the county of Todd, and the incorporated villages therein to issue bonds,

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading,

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Mr. Donahue introduced—

H. F, No. 611 A bill to lower the waters of Washington Lake, in Sibley county, and make an appropriation for the same..

Which was read the first time and referred to Committee on Finance.

Also, H. F. No. 612, A bill to create a special school district in Sibley county,

Which was read the first time and, the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Redding introduced—

H. F. No, 613. A bill to restrain cattle from running at large in Houston county.

Which was read the first time and referred to the delegation from Houston county.

Mr, Donahue introduced—

H. F. No. 614. A bill to create a special school district in Sibley county,

Which was read the first time and, the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Griggs introduced—

H. F. No. 615. A bill to appropriate money in aid of the widening and improvement of Fort street in the city of St. Paul.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Callender introduced—

H. F. No. 616, A bill to amend the law incorporating the village of Jordan in the county of Scott.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Plaisance introduced—

H. F. No 617, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 22, and amend the same to school district No. 15, in Rice county.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F. No. 618, A bill to provide milege for the members of the board of county commissioners of Ramsey county.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Plaisance introduced—

H. F. No. 619, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 58, and annex the same to school district No. 58, in Rice county.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Gardner introduced

H. F. No. 620, A bill to appropriate money to pay the LeSueur County Agricultural Society its share of the appropriation for agricultural societies.

Which was read the first time, and, the rules being susspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Zieske introduced

H. F. No. 621, A bill to prohibit person from selling, giving away, hiring or loaning fire-arms to minors,

Which was read the first time, and, the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Washburn introduced

H. F. No. 622, A bill to change a name,

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Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hill introduced

H. F. No. 623, A bill to amend chapter 19 of the Special Laws of 1878,

Which was read the first time, and, the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Braley introduced

H. F. No. 624, A bill to authorize the town of Lake Marshall to establish, maintain and regulate a cemetery,

Which was read the first time, and, the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Hill introduced—

H. F. No. 625, A bill to amend sec. 17 chap. 84, of the Special Laws of 1875,

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Buckman introduced—

H. F. No. 626, A bill to legalize the tax levied in the town of Two Rivers, in Morrison county,

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Amundson introduced—

H. F. No. 627, A bill to authorize executors, administrators or guardians to mortgage real estate,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Also—

H. F. No. 628, A bill to amend chap. 18, Special Laws of 1878,

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Smith introduced—

H. F. No. 629, A bill to repeal chap. 62, of Special Laws of 1873 relating to Chisago Lake.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 630, A bill to legalize the organization of certain towns in Lac qui Parle county,

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 631, A bill to legalize certain taxes in Lac qui Parle county.

Which was read the fisst time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also H. F. No. 632, A bill to legalize the organization of certain school districts in Lac qui Parle county.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F. No. 633, A bill to transfer the powers and duties of the commissioners designated and appointed under chapter 125 of the Special Laws of 1876, an act to construct a bridge at Fort Snelling.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

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Mr. Plaisance introduced—

H. F. No. 634, A bill to repeal chapter 281 of the Special Laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 635, A bill to amend an act to provide for elections and regisration of electors, etc.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Bohland introduced—

H. F. No. 636, A bill to enlarge the powers of the board of education of the city of St. Paul.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegation.

Mr. Gould introduced—

H. F. No. 637, A bill to amend section 68 of chapter 58 of General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Hoyt introduced—

H. F. No. 638, A bill to authorize the city of Red Wing and towns and villages in Goodhue county to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 639, A bill to regulate and establish the compensation of the county surveyor of Goodhue county.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 640, A bill granting swamp lands to aid in constructing the Red Wing & Iowa Railroad.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public lands.

Also, H. F. No. 641, A bill to abolish the State Normal schools, and to provide for a scientific department in the State University.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on public buildings.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 23, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 321, An act to cede to the United States, jurisdiction over such territory in the city of Minneapolis, Minnesota, as may be selected by the general government, as a site for a postoffice and other government offices in said city.

S. F. No. 324, An act to amend chapter 338, Special Laws of 1879, relating to the board of tax levy, for the county of Hennepin.

S. F. No. 325, An act to amend section 59, chapter 64, of General Statutes, relating to terms of court in the 4th judicial district.

S. F. No. 327. An act to amend section 12 of chapter 1, of an act entitled an act to reduce the law incorporating the town of Mantor-

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ville, in the county of Dodge, and the several acts amendatory thereof, into one act, and to amend the same, approved March 5, 1868.

S. F. No. 328. An act to authorize the county commissioners of Lyon county to issue bonds to erect county buildings.

S. F. No. 328½. An act to authorize the temporary holding of the term of district court in the county of Lincoln, 9th judicial district,

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House files herewith returned.

H. F. No. 115. An act to authorize the draining of a lake in Wright county.

H. F. No. 257. An act relating to the organization and to promote the efficiency of the uniformed militia of the State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 270. An act making an appropriation to John Patterson for the arrest of a horse-thief.

H. F. No, 302. A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Wilkin county to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 342. An act to incorporate the village of Red Lake Falls, in Polk county.

H. F. No. 404. An act to authorize the city of Red Wing to issue bonds for water supplies.

H. F. No. 405. An act for establishing a work house in the city of Red Wing and provide for the employment of beggars, vagrants, and common drunkards.

H. F. No. 449, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Village of Glencoe, in the county of McLeod, State of Minnesota," being chapter 6 of the Special Laws of 1873, and the acts amendatory thereto.

H. F. No. 452, An act to prevent the running at large of cattle, horses, or other domestic animals in the county of Traverse.

H. F. No. 482, An act providing for appropriations for bridges in Stearns county.

H. F. No. 487, An act allowing a clerk to the county treasurer of Dakota county.

H. F. No. 495, An act to restore Samuel Grisswold to citizenship.

H. F. No. 515, An act amendatory to an act entitled "An act to amend an act to incorporate the German Reading Society of St. Paul," approved February 28, 1870.

H. F. No. 519, An act to divide the town of Home, in Brown county, into two organizations.

H. F. No. 524, An act to amend section 4 of chapter 6 of the Special Laws of 1879, entitled "An act to incorporte the Village of Little Falls, in the county of Morrison.

H. F. No. 538, An act authorizing the county commissioners of Clay county to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness.

H. F. No. 539, An act to incorporate the village of Lake Park, in Becker county.

H. F. No. 543, An act to amend section 5 of chapter 74 of Special Laws of 1875, relating to support of poor in Freeborn county.

H. F. No. 554, An act to locate and establish a State road from the village of Herman, in Grant county, to the village of Lowell, in Big Stone county.

H. F. No. 556, An act relating to the general terms of district court in the several counties of the 11th judicial district.

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Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files, with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested:

H. F. No. 33, An act proposing additional sections to be termed sections 33 and 34 of article 4 of the constitution of the State of Minnesota, prohibiting special legislation.

H. F. No, 252, An act relating to the salary of the county attorney of Hennepin county.

H. F. No. 348, An act to amend section 100 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to county commissioners.

H. F. No. 233, An act to authorize the county commissioners of Polk county to issue bonds to build a court house and to fund the floating indebtedness of said county.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 24, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has concurred in the House amendments to

S. F. No. 213, An act to amend and consolidate the charter of the city of Minneapolis.

And have made further amendments to the bill in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

The bill and amendments are herewith transmitted.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 23, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has adopted the following resolution in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that the committee to whom was referred the investigating of charges against the Winona & St. Peter Railroad, of unlawful discrimination and otherwise, be and the same is hereby authorized to sit in vacation, and to investigate any charges of like character that may be preferred against any other railroad company, and report their proceedings to the Governor. Each member of said committee is authorized to administer oaths.

Also, that the Senate has concurred in the House resolution for an increase of the committee on locating the second State prison, and Senators Clement and Peterson have been appointed on such committee on the part of the Senate.

The Senate has ordered a conference committee to meet the committee of the House, on the disagreements upon

H. F. No. 70.

Senators Campbell, Wilson and Buck D. are appointed such committee on the part of the Senate.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr, Hicks, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

S. F. No. 213, A bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the city of Minneapolis.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L. Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Flom, Griggs, Hall, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kniss, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 233, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Polk county to issue bonds to build a court house and to fund the floating debt of said county.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Comstock, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hall, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmit, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended, was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 348, A bill to amend section 100 of chapter 8 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to county commissioners.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T C., Parrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 33, as follows: "For changing the boundaries of common school districts,"

And non-concurred in the Senate amendment to said

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H. F. No. 33, as follows: "But the Legislature may repeal any existing special law relating to the foregoing section."

Mr. Hicks then moved the appointment of a committee of conference to confer with a similar committee on the part of the Senate on the subject of the said amendment.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 325. A bill to amend section 59, chapter 64, general statutes 1878.

Was read the first time and referred to the delegation from the 4th judicial district.

S. F. No. 318. A bill to authorize the temporary holding of the term of the district court in the county of Lincoln.

Which was read the first time and referred to Mr. Braley.

S. F. No. 324. A bill to amend chapter 338 special laws of 1879, relating to the board of tax levy for the city of Minneapolis.

Was read the first time and referred to the delegation from Hennepin county.

S. F. No. 321, A bill to cede to the United States jurisdiction over certain territory in the city of Minneapolis,

Was read read the first time, and referred to the committee on federal relations.

S. F. No. 328, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Lyon county to issue bonds,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Braley.

S. F. No. 327, A bill to amend sec. 12 of chap. 1 of an act to reduce the law to incorporate the town of Mantorville,

Was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Dodge county.

S. F. No. 225, A bill to amend sec. 10, 11 and 18 of chapter 33, of the Gen. Stats. of 1878, relating to banks, &c.

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on banks.

S. F. No. 286, A bill relating to the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in the town of Kirkhoven,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Stone.

S. F. No, 290, A bill to authorize the erection and maintenance and protection of telephone poles and wires upon and over the streets, avenues and alleys of the city, village and town of Duluth,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Kendall.

S. F. No. 258, A bill to prohibit stock from running at large in the township of Franklin, Wright county,

Was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Wright county.

S F. No. 246, A bill to extend the jurisdiction of justice of the peace of Crow Wing county over the counties of Cass, Aitkin and Itaska,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 311, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Marshall,

Was read the first time, and

On motion the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Dean, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 287, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Waterville,

Was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Le Sueur county.

S. F. No. 227, A bill to amend chapter 36 of General Laws of 1873, relating to the State Horticultural Society,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finances.

S. F. No. 317, A bill to amend an act relating to the public schools of St. Paul,

Was read the first time, and referred to the Ramsey county delegagation.

S F. No. 127, A bill to confirm and make valid the purchase of certain lands by the board of county commissioners of the county of Murray,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Armstrong.

S. F. No. 180, A bill to authorize the village of Park Point, and to grant it certain powers,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Kendall.

S. F. No. 147, A bill relating to the publication of the geological survey of the State,

Was read the first time, and referred to committee on finance.

S. F. No. 196, A bill to amend sec. 62, chap. 5, Gen. Laws. 1873, relating t2 cases of appeal in road cases,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

S. F. No. 295, A bill to appropriate money to supply deficiency for 1880, relating to higher education,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 254, A bill relating to construction of highways,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committee on agriculture.

S. F. No. 316, A bill to amend charter St. Paul Gaslight Company,

Was read the grst time, and referred to the delegation from Ramsey county,

S. F. No. 189, A bill to authorize the State to purchase the portraits of ex-Governors,

Was reard the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

S. F. No. 296, A bill making indexes of books "A" and "B" of deeds records in Sibley county,

Was read the first time, and referrred to the committe on judiciary.

S. F. No. 302, A bill to amend chapter 6, Special Laws 1875, and chapter 123, Special Laws 1878, relating to the charter of the city of Shakopee,

Was read the first time, and referred to the delegation from Scott county.

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SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 230, 229, 139, 56, 99 and 294,
Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 357, 585, 419, 550, 528, 577, 559, 589, 610, 639, 638, 612, 634, 614, 628, 629, 632, 630, 631, 626, 625, 624, 623, 640, 621, 622, 617, 618, 600, 616, 591, 594, 595, 596, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 607, 608, 609, 620, 615,, 590, 605, 619 and 606,
Were read the second time.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Denby, from the committee on claims, to whom was referred
H. F. No. 537, A bill to appropriate money to John Schroeder,
Reported the same back without any recommendation.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Bohland from the committee of the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred
S. F. No. 243, A bill to authorize the board of education of the city of St. Paul to issue bonds,
Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
Mr. Callender, from the Scott county delegation, to whom was referred
S. F. No. 262, A bill amending the several acts incorporating the borough of Belle Plaine, in the county of Scott,
Reports the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
Mr Denby, special committee, to whom was referred
S. F. No. 303, A bill to incorporate and create a school district out of certain territory in Faribault and Freeborn counties,
Report same back, recommending that it be indefinitely postponed.
Tha report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.
Mr. Thornton from the delegation of Scott county, to whom was referred
S. F. No. 210, A bill relating to the salary of the judge of probate of Scott county,
Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.
The bill was placed on file for its second reading.
Mr. Redding from the special committee to whom was referred
H. F. No. 613, A bill to restrain cattle, horses, sheep, swin and other domestic animals from running at large in certain portions of Houston county,
Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.
The bill as amended was read, and
On motion of Mr. Redding, the rules were suspended, and the bill was placed on file for its third reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMFERENCE.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on conference, to whom was referred
H. F. No. 70,

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Reported that after conference with the Senate committee, recommend the House to concur in the amendments.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the report was adopted, and the house concurred in the amendment of the Senate.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Hicks moved that all bills that have not been read the second time, be now read the second time.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the vote whereby

S. F. No. 174 was passed was reconsidered, and the bill was referred to Mr. Dunn.

Mr. Dunn moved to reconsider the vote whereby

H. F. No. 641, was referred to the committee on public buildings.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Dunn moved to reconsider the vote whereby

H. F. No. 592 was referred to Mr. Denby.

The motion prevailed, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 113, A bill to authorize the commissioners of Mille Lacs county to grant authority to construct dams for the saving of water for driving logs,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 88, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 6, and attach the same to Independent School District No. 7, in the county of Wright,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger. Butterfield, Caine, Churchill. Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak. Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Zieske..

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 64, A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 24 of General Statutes, relating to the number of hours constituting a day's work,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland Lewis, Linnell, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Kohlmier, Sampson, Stedjee, Thornton and Thompson J.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. , A bill to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of New Prague,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Butterfield, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Hanscom, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 134, A bill to repeal chapter 44 of Special Laws of 1879, entitled, "An act to amend chapter 11 of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the incorporation of the village of New Prague,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Kendall, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peteraon P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Rutnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 168. A bill to organize a special school district in the county of Jackson

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage. The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Burger, Butterfield, Bohland, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loyland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Wilson, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 169, A bill to incorporate the village of Jackson, in Jackson county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAudrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 170, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 165 of the Special Laws of 1873, as amended by chapter 58 of the Special Laws of 1874, in relation to the issuing of bonds to the Duluth, St Cloud & Yankton Railway Company,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Nor-

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rish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 197, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Houston county to cancel and destroy certain county orders therein named

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts. Daniels, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier. Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S.. PorterT C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 199, A bill organizing school districts in the county of Cass,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were ye. s 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren. Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A , Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 228, A bill to imcorporate the village of Waverly, Wright county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were years 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter, T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith,

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Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 212, A bill to enable the trustees of High Forest Seminary to amend their articles of incorporation, so that the board shall consist of 15 members instead of 7, as heretofore,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J,, Tone, Tether, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 226, A bill to protect fish in the county of Goodhue,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean. Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland McCracken, Moore, McMaster Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown. Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee Thornton, Thompson J. Jr, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 286, A bill to authorize the city of Austin to issue new bonds to pay a portion of its indebtedness,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79, and nays none as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L, Boser, Bookwalter. Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown,

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Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 237, A bill to amend the charter of the city of Austin, relating to the pay of the city recorder,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnel, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 238. A bill to authorize the city of Austin to issue bonds to aid in the construction of a court house in Mower county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J Jr., Thompson J. Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 261, A bill to authorize the city of Mankato to issue bonds to fund its indebtedness,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

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So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 266, A bill to authorized the board of trustees of school district No. 21, in Otter Tail county, to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Haves, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 281, A bill to detach certain territory from one school district and attach the same to another district, in Olmsted county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No 289, A bill to legalize certain roads in Carver county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 36, A bill relating to casualty insurance companies,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lin-nell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Por-ter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J, Jr., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Mess. Andrus, Hall, Peterson A., Rosebrock and Stedjee.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 174, A bill to change the place of trial,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 80, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the House took a recess until 8 o'clok this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

The House met at 8 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

Mr. Bohland offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That as a token of respect to the memory of the late distinguished senator and statesman, Matt. H. Carpenter, of our neighboring State, the flag over the Capitol be displayed at half-mast from this time until after the obsequies.

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The Speaker announced the special order for the House to be the consideration of

H. F. No. 574, A bill to prescribe the boundaries of Senatorial and Representative districts, and to apportion anew, the Senators and Representatives among the several districts.

The bill was read at length, and considered by districts, as in the committee of the whole, and amended as follows: by striking out the words "forty-six," and inserting "forty-seven" in line 12, section 1, on page 2.

Also amended, by striking out the words "one hundred and six, and inserting in lieu thereof, "one hundred and four," in line 18, section 1, of page 2.

Also amended on page 17, 15th district, by inserting the words "St. Charles" in the 21st line, after the words St. Charles.

Also, amended by striking out all after the word Representative in line 16, page 24, of the 16th district.

Also, amended by constituting the 17th district, consisting of the counties of Nicollet and Renville, into two Senatorial districts.

Also, amended by striking out all after the word Nicollet in line 26, of page 23.

And further amended by inserting after the word Renville, in line 26, in page 23, the 1st Representative district shall be composed of the towns of Osecola, Boon Lake, Brookfield, Preston Lake, Hector, Wellville, Mantasburg, Palmyra, Brandon, Wellington, Camp, Cairo, Birch Cooley and Beaver Falls.

Also, the following: The 2d Representave district shall be composed of the towns of Sacred Heart, Flora, Wang, Hawk Creek, Erickson, Emmet, Winfield, Troy, Henryville, Norfolk, Bird Island and Kingman.

Also, amended in 23d district, on page 18, line 16, by striking out all ofter the word Representative.

Also, further amended, by inserting after the words "Representative," on page 47, in line 18, the following words: "Forty-seventh district."

The forty-seventh district shall be composed of the county of Renville, and be entitled to elect one Senator and one Representative.

And the report of the committee, as amended, was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Comstock, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 574, A bill to prescribe the boundaries of senatorial and representative districts, and to apportion anew the Senators and Representatives among the several districts.

Was read the third times and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays 6, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt,

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Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Callender, Graling, Kennedy, McCracken, Norrish and Thornton.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion the House adjourned.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

FORTIETH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Friday, February 25, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Baxter L. L., Hill, Kniss, Rice and Rosebrock.

On motion of Mr. Collins, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

On motion of Mr. Geary, the House proceeded to the third reading of House Bills.

Mr. Bohland asked leave to offer the following resolution, which was granted:

Resolved, The rules of this House be changed, that the third reading of House Bills precede the third reading of Senate Bills, in order to facilitate the business of this session.

Mr. Hicks gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 160, A bill to provide for the laying out and establishing certain roads in Ramsey county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Aslesen, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Jueison, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C,, Post, Purrington, Redding, Sabin,

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Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 502, A bill to provide for surveying, locating and establishing a State road between Ramsey and Washington counties,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 80, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 324, A bill to amend section 15, chapter 36, General Statutes 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 81, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Alseson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 493, A bill to incorporate the village of St. Vincent in Kittson county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 78, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes,

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Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 569, A bill to incorporate the village of Bird Island,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 81, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker. Barter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield. Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins. Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny. Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell. Loveland. Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington. Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 568, A bill to lay out and establish a State road from the village of Montevideo, Chippewa county, to Wilmar, in Kandiyohi county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 78, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L. Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry. Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McCraken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness. Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J,, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 565, A bill to create a school district out of certain territory in Polk county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger. Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill. Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom. Hawkins, Henry, Herberger Hicks, Hill, Hulebak. Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 332, A bill to amend section 18 of chapter 107 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to grand juries,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Moore, Mott, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 304, A bill to reimburse Watonwon county for expenses incurred after the capture of the Younger Brothers,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H F. No. 573, A bill to authorize school district No. 63, Mower county, to issue bonds to refund its outstanding bonds, and build a new school house,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Dean, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thompson J., Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 439, A bill to authorize the City of Crookston to endorse certain bonds,

Was read a third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Grigg, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lovland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharlson, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 496, A bill to detach certain territory from the town of Rose and attach the same to the town of Reserve, in Ramsey county, n this State,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messes. Amundson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 461, A bill to change the boundaries of the village of Belle Plaine,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger Hicks, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmit, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J. Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 571, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 4, of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Young America, in Carver county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baker, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rrosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 562, A bill to amend section 1, chapter 10, Special Laws of 1878, and creating two new sections being an act incorporating the village of Taopi,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L, Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 460, A bill to license dogs and for the protection of sheep, lambs and other domestic animals.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57 and nays 11, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Baker, Baxter J., Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Mott, Peterson A, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Colquhoun, Kennedy, Klossner, Liunell, Northness, Snure, Stedjee, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 129 A bill to repeal chapter 185, of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the service of summons in Ramsey county,

Was read read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Huhn, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stone Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 53, A bill to prevent empiricism and imposition in the practice of medicine.

By unanimous consent this bill was amended by inserting except in the counties of Lake, Cook and Itasca,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays 22, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Huhn Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Child, Churchill, Dean, Dodge, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Henry, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier,

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McAndrews, Sheardown, Stedjee, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 349, A bill to provide for the suspension or removal of county treasurers for malfeasance and non-feasance in office, and to provide for the appointment of county treasurers *ad interim*,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Dunn, to whom

H. F, No. 174 was referred, asked leave to report, which was granted, and

H. F. No. 174, A bill was amended by unanimous consent, and the bill as amended

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 85, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 311, A bill to provide a better system of land surveys in this State,

Was read a third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 44, and nays 41, as follows:

Those voting in affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Burger, Callender, Churchill, Cornish, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Huhn, Kendall Knee-

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land, Lewis, Mott, Porter T. C., Post, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. J.r, Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Daniels, Denny, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hanscom, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Purrington, Schmidt, Snure, Stedjee. Thornton, Tether, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 331, A bill to amend section 71 of chapter 64, General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Dodge, Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Sabin, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. 291, A bill to authorize the building of a bridge across the Saint Croix river, and to appropriate money to aid in the construction thereof.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchil, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northess, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 476, A bill to amend parts of the charter of the city of St. Paul, and acts amendatory thereto,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Braley,

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Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmer, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C. Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson, J. Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared
H. F. Nos. 466, 88 and 374,
And finds the same correctly engrossed.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communications were received from His Excellency the Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, February 23, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. 484, An act to authorize the towns of Elgin and Plainview, in the county of Wabasha to dispose of certain funds.

H. F. 490, An act to change the boundaries of Faribault School District No. 1, in Rice county.

H. F. 450, An act to incorporate the village of Hector, in the county of Renville.

H. F. 87, An act authorizing the formation of millers and manufacturers, mutual insurance companies.

H. F. 165, An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to promote immigration, approved March 7, 1879.

H. F. 383, An act to incorporate the village of Audubon, in the county of Becker and State of Minnesota.

H. F. 244, An act to amend an act, entitled an act to incorporate the City of Lake City, being chapter 15 of the Special Laws of 1872, approved February 20, 1872.

H. F. 390, An act to provide for the levy of taxes for State purposes, for the years 1881 and 1882.

H. F. 52, An act to detach the county of Pipe Stone from the county of Rock and to organize the same for judicial purposes, and to provide for general terms of the district court therein.

H. F. 354, An act to empower the county commissioners to change or vacate military road in Sherburne county.

H. F. 180, An act to amend section 22, of title 3, chapter 35, general statutes of 1878, relating to fees for examining and conveying insane persons to the hospital.

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H. F. 163, An act to amend sections 9, 18, 40, and 51 of chapter 57, relating to sales of lands by executors, administrators and guardians.

Very respectfully,
J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, February 24, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR.—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. 142. An act to amend and codify the several acts incorporating the village of Farmington, Dakota county, Minnesota.

H. F. 508, An act to retain non-resident road taxes in town of Cannon City, in the county of Rice.

H. F. 414, An act to amend section 6 of chapter 324 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the county and county officers of Hennepin county.

H. F. 505, An act to establish commissioner districts in the county of Hennepin, and to regulate the election and compensation of county commissioners therein.

H. F. 395, An act to amend section 34 of chapter 6, of the General Statutes of 1878, prescribing the duties of the State Treasurer.

H. F. 455, An act to reduce the law incorporating the village of Kasson in the county of Dodge, and State of Minnesota, and the several acts amendatory thereof into one act and to amend the same, and to attach certain territory for school purposes, and for the establishment and regulation of the public schools therein.

H. F. 136, An act to amend title 1, chapter 34 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations.

H. F. 281, An act to amend sections 181 and 182 of title 3 of chapter 34 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the care and custody of minors by Orphan Asylums.

H. F. 424, An act to incorporate the city of Moorhead, Clay county, Minnesota.

Very respectfully,
J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Bohland, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

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AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M.. and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

The House resumed the

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 185, A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Redwood in constructing bridges across the Cottonwood and Redwood river in said county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Mr. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland. Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 378, A bill to amend section 142, chapter 8, General Statutes, 1878, relating to salaries of county auditors,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland. Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny; Dunn, Gardner Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger. Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedje, Stewart, Stone, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 580, A bill to authorize the trustees of school district No. 61, in the county of Washington, to condemn lands for a school house site.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Aaker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Smith,

H. F. No. 306 was placed at the foot of list of bills for third reading.

H. F. No. 506, A bill to establish the county of Canby and provide for the location of the county seat,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 584, A bill to authorize the county commissioner, of St. Louis county, to purchase a site for and erect a jail for said county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 74, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchil Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Gardner, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell Loveland, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thomp-

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son J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 333, A bill to amend the charter of the village of Washington,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmate were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Lovland, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharlson, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H F. No. 587, A bill to appropriate money to reimburse Polk county for money paid in prosecution of Alexander Gillen for murder,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porker T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Reddin , Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith. Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 254, A bill to amend section 232, title 11 of chapter 8 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to county surveyors,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amunnson. Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins. Colquhoun Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins. Herberger, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, South-

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ard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. No. 322. A bill authorizing and requiring each town in the county of Goodhue, to support its own poor.

Was on motion of Mr. Hoyt, by unanimous consent, by striking out the word "two," and the figures "1882," in the last line of section 8 of said bill and inserting in liew thereof the word "three" and the figures "1883,"

Was read the third time, an put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amudson, Andrus; Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter, L. L., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Ptrrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thomson J., Tone, Tether, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 586, A bill to detach certain territory therein described from Independent School District No, 1, of Polk county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Bazter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Linnell, Loveland, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 605, A bill to fix the salary of the Attorney General,

Was read the third time, and put upon it final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P.

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A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 606, A bill to fix the salary of the chief clerk of the State Auditor's office,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kenall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 613, A bill to restrain cattle from running at large in Houston county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Gardner, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 412, A bill to provide for the examination of candidates for graduation from the State Normal School, &c.,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 33, and nays 45, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Buckman, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhohn, Comstock, Cutts, Gould, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Kicks, Hill, Huhn, Kendall, Lewis, Moore, Porter T. C., Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Tharalson, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Cornish, Daniels,

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Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnel, Lovland, McAndrews, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Redding, Roberts, Schmidt, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 374, A bill to amend sections 1 and 7 of article 4 of the constitution of this State,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays 14, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Colquhoun, Graling, McCracken, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Tether, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 88, A bill to amend section 318, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878, relating to mutual insurance companies of other States,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the prssage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Northness, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 466, A bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the city of Stillwater,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 82, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock,

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Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wileo, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 360, A bill concerning evidence upon the trials upon indictments,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays 27, as follows:

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Gardner, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hill, Ives, Juelson Kendall, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Wagner, Wiley, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Churchill Colquhoun, Dodge, Flom, Gould, Graling, Halgren, Henry, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Klossner, Mott, Plaisance, Rosebrock, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 325, A bill to authorize railroad companies to alter their routes or the location of their lines of their roads,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Collins, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Gould, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Kendall, Kohlmier, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Colquhoun and Tharalson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Wilson introduced—

H. F. No. 642, A bill to enable the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company, to acquire, construct, maintain and opperate railroads in this State.

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Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Wilson, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Hawkins introduced—

H. F. No. 643, A bill in relation to the salaries of treasurer and auditor of Blue Earth county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hawkins, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, ond referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Baxter J., introduced—

H. F. No. 644, A bill compelling Hennepin and Wright counties to keep in repair the bridges now across the Crow river between said counties.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Baxter, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Burger introduced—

H. F. No. No. 645, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Mankato.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Burger, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Colquhoun, from the Committee on federal relations,, reports back

S. F. No. 321, Being a bill to cede back to the United States jurisdiction over such territory in the city of Minneapolis, Minnesota, as may be selected by the General Government as a site for a postoffice, and other government offices in said city,

With the recommendation that it do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports tnat he has compared

H. F. No. 325,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole: Mr. Baxter L. L., in the chair. After some time spent therein the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration:

H. F. No. 312, A bill to enforce payment of taxes.

H. F. No. 480, A bill relating to swamp lands.

H. F. No. 5 5, A bill relating to chattel mortgages.

H. F. No. 500, bill relating to cartways and bridges.

Which they report back, with amendments with the recommendation that they do pass as amended.

H. F. No. 116, A bill relating to passenger fare on railroads.

H. F. No. 564, A bill relating to chattel mortgages.

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H. F. No. 478, A bill relating to mandamus.
H. F. No 481, A bill relating to chastity, morality and decency.
H. F. No. 453, A bill relating to State Mineralogist.
H. F. No. 192, A bill relating to insurance.
H. F. No. 314, A bill relating to the Dustin family,
Which they report back, with the recommendation that they be indefinitely postponed.
H. F. No. 455, A bill relating to roads, cartways and bridges.
Upon which they report progress, and ask leave to sit again.
H. F. No. 497, A bill relating to the selection of jurors.
H. F. No. 514, A joint resolution for the relief on settlers on railroad lands.
H. F. No. 219, A bill to reimburse Pine county.
H. F. No. 546, A bill relating to timber culture.
H. F. No. 544, A bill relating to writs of attachment.
H. F. No. 547, A bill relating to town insurance companies.
H. F. No. 560, A bill relating to to taxation.
H. F. No. 567, A bill relating to probate judges
H. F. No. 518, A bill to amend chapter 208, Special Laws, 1879.
H. F. No. 529, A bill in relation to taxas on forfeited lands.
H. F. No. 579, A bill relating to district court in Renville county.
H. F. No. 582, A bill relating to assessment of property for taxation.
H. F. No. 381, A bill relating to amendment and collection of taxes.
H. F. No. 393, A bill relating to roads, cartways and bridges.
H. F. No. 485, A bill relating to claims against the United States.
H. F. No. 489, A bill relating to blanks for official bonds.
H. F. No. 491, A bill relating to State Prison contract.
H. F. No. 309, A bill relating to the judge of the 8th judicial district.
H. F. No. 520, A bill concerning orders.
H. F. No. 530, A bill relating to insurance.
H. F. No. 507, A bill relating to insurance.
H. F. No. 428, A bill relating to payment of taxes before recording deed.
H. F. No. 344, A bill relating to legalizing deeds and mortgages.
H. F. No. 525, A bill relating to chattel mortgages.
H. F. No 512, A bill relating to forcible entry and detainer.
H. F. No. 479, A bill relating to school land certificate No. 12,192.
Which they report back, with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

S. F. No. 229, A bill relating to the Minnesota State Railroad Bonds.
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Which they report back, with the recommendation that the bills be made the special order of the House in the committee of the whole on Monday, the 28th inst., immediately after the reading of the Journal, and not earlier than 10 o'clock A. M., and that the House remain in such special order on said two bills until debate is finished, and as soon as the debate thereon is finished, and the committee rises, the said bills be immediately thereafter put upon their third reading and final passage.

Mr. Kendall moved to except from the report of the committee of the whole,
H. F. No. 453.
Mr. Graling moved to except from the report,
S. F. Nos. 229 and 230.

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On motion of Mr. Dunn the report of the committee of the whole, except as to

H. F. No. 453, and

S. F. Nos. 229 and 230,

Was adopted.

Mr. Hicks moved that the report of the committee of the whole as to

S. F. Nos. 229 and 230,

Be adopted.

Mr. Graling rose to a point of order, stating that it would require a suspension of the rules to make the bills a special order, and that it could only be done by action of the House.

The Speaker stated that the point was not well taken, and

The motion of Mr. Hicks prevailed,

And the report of the committee of the whole as to

S. F. Nos. 229 and 230.

Was adopted.

Mr. Sanborn from the committee on finance, on leave, introduced—

H. F. No. 646, A bill to amend section 44, of title 4 of chapter 6, of the General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 83, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Dunn, from the committee on public accounts and expenditures, made following report:

The committee on public accounts and expenditures, respectfully report,

That in accordance with Rule 62 of the House, they have discharged the duties thereby imposed upon them, and find—

That the expenditures of all the State officers entrusted with the disbursement of the public moneys, have been justified by law.

That all claims satisfied and discharged by such officers are supported by sufficient vouchers, and that the same are just, both as to character and amounts, and that the same have been discharged out of funds appropriated therefor, and in conformity with law.

That all moneys reported to be on hand at the close of the fiscal year, were so on hand, and to the credit of the funds as reported.

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That the various funds required by law to be invested, are invested as reported by the State Treasurer, and that the same are proper and secure investments, and that same are securely kept.

ANDREW C. DUNN,
E. J. CUTTS,
GEORGE HUHN,
J. W. CALLENDER,
C. AMUNDSON,
H. H. B. MCMASTER,
WM. HALL,
Committee on Public Accounts and Expenditures.

The report was unanimously adopted.

On motion of Mr. Kendall,

H. F. No. 453,

Was placed on general order, and again referred to the committee of the whole.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, the House adjourned.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

FORTY-FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL, Saturday February 26, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock, A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent: Messrs. Buckman and Kniss.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Hicks presented a communication from a committee appointed by the State Grange of Patrons of Husbandry, and the Farmer's Board of Trade, relative to the Agricultural College department of the State University.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on State University.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Hicks, from the judiciary committee,

To whom was referred,

H. F. No. 635, A bill to amend an act entitled an act to provide for elections and registrations of electors in cities of over 12,000 inhabitants, according to the census of 1875,

Reported the same back recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 583, A bill to provide for the disposition of the proceeds of the internal improvement lands in compromise and settlement of certain claims against the State of Minnesota, known as Minnesota State railroad bonds.

Also, H. F. No. 576, A bill to amend section 26, chapter 70, General Statutes, 1878, relating to fees of Register of Deeds,

Reported the same back recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

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The report was adopted, and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Also, H. F. No. 155, A bill to amend section 128, chapter 11, General Statutes, relating to taxes,

Reported the same back recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Baxter L. L., from the committee on judiciary, to which was referred

H. F. No. 155, A bill to amend section 128, of chapter 11 of the General Statutes of Minnesota,

Makes the following minority report:

The question here is whether the provisions in the several railroad charters providing that payment of a per centum therein named of the gross earnings of the roads in lieu of all taxes, is a valid contract everlastingly binding upon future legislatures, so that said per centum can never be increased.

It is conceded, that if the legislatures which made these provisions had lawful authority to bind their successors in the premises for all time to come, then such provisions are in the nature of contracts of never ending force, the obligations of which cannot be impaired, but it is emphatically denied that the legislatures which enacted them had authority to give such provisions the character and force of contracts binding subsequent legislatures; or that they are contracts any more than every law for raising the necessary revenue for the support of the State. Like all other valid modes of taxation they are good until another legislature changes them, and no longer. All laws fixing the rate of taxation are in a sense agreements with the taxpayers not to require more of him until the necessities of the State require a change of the law, but the right to make a change of the rate is an understood reservation of power.

No legislature has authority to bargain away or limit any of the essential and component parts of the sovereignty of the State; and such is the right of taxation.

No legislature has authority to abdicate or limit for all time to come any function of the government which is, or may become absolutely necessary to preserve the very existence of the State; and the right of taxation according to the circumstances and necessities of the State as they shall from time to time arise, and be different is, such a function.

No lawyer would claim that one legislature could for any consideration whatever enter into an agreement, bargaining away or limiting the right of future legislatures to compel every citizen to bear arms when necessary in defense of the State. And the laws exempting from military service firemen in consideration of unpaid public services as such, as also laws exempting from further military service those who have already rendered a term of such service and received wounds therein, are not regarded as contracts binding upon all future legislatures regardless of the necessities which may in future arise. And upon what principle or reason can a distinction be maintained between such cases and the abdication or limitation of the right of future legislatures to raise the necessary funds by equal taxation for the maintenance of the government according to such necessity as may in the future arise?

The right of the State to exist is inalienable.

No legislature has a right to bargain it away or impair it, and this includes every attribute of sovereingty, and every function of government necessary to preserve the existence and secure the prosperity of the State. The right of equal taxation, at a greater or less rate as the ne-

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cessities of the State may from time to time demand, is such inalienable attribute of sovereignty, the prohibitions against impairing this right takes precedence of the prohibition against impairing the obligation of contracts, or rather I should say it prohibits the making of any contract in conflict with it.

This doctrine that the attributes and functions of government which are necessary to its preservation, cannot lawfully be bargained away, surrendered, or limited, so as to bind future Legislatures, is most forcibly maintained and illustrated in the great case of Mott et al. vs. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company et al., 30 Penn. State Rep 9. This is a decision in point, and has never been reversed. The reasoning of the court by its Chief Justice Lewis, on page 27, etc., is an unanswerable argument in favor of this doctrine, and I commend it to the consideration of the committee. He says, among other things "But has the Constitution conferred upon the Legislature the authority to extinguish, forever, by bargain and sale, the power to raise revenue for the support of the government? All free governments are established by the people for their benefit, and the powers delegated are to be exercised for their common good, and not under any circumstances to be sold or destroyed, so long as the nations establishing them have the physical power to maintain their independence. Individuals cannot subsist without food. Deprive them of the means whereby they live, and you destroy them as certainly as if you did it by shedding their blood. The necessities of governments are as great as those of individuals. No government can exist without money to defray its expenses, and support its officers and agents. The revenue is the food indispensable to its existence. Derive it of this, and you strip it of all power to perform its duties, bring it into contempt by its uselessnees and helplessness, and ultimately destroy it as effectually as if it were overturned by domestic violence, or subjugated by the conquest of a foreign foe."

"Government is but an aggregation of individual rights and powers. It has no more right to commit political suicide than an individual has to destroy the life given by his Creator. Contracting away the taxing power in perpetuity tends, as we have seen, inevitably to the destruction of the government. If twelve or twenty millions of taxable property may be released to-day, one hundred millions may be released to-morrow, and the principle being established, the process might go on until all power to raise revenue was gone. If this did not destroy the government, it would result in something infinitely more dangerous to the liberties of the people. It would make it the servile dependent of the wealthy corporations or individuals to whom it contracted away its support Although the taxing power is but an incidental one, to be exercised only as the necessary means of performing governmental duties, it is nevertheless, a branch of the legislative power which always, in its nature, implies not only the power of making laws, but of altering and repealing them, as the exegencies of the State and circumstances of the times may require.—Rutherforth's Institute of Natural Law, B. 3, ch. 303. If one portion of the legislative power may be sold, another may be disposed of in the same way. If the power to raise revenue may be sold to day, the power to punish crime may be sold to-morrow, and the power to pass laws for the redress of civil rights, may be sold the next day. If the legislative power may be sold, the executive and judicial powers may be put in the market with equal propriety. The result to which the principle must inevitably lead, proves that the sale of any portion of governmental power is utterly inconsistent with the nature of our free

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institutions, and totally at variance with the object and general provisions of the Constitution of the State. It may be urged that we must confide in the fidelity of the legislature, and that there is every ground for hope that they would not carry such measures to an unreasonable length. This is no answer to the argument. It is a question of constitutional authority, and not a case of confidence at all. Limitations of power, established by written constitutions, have their origin in a distrust of the infirmity of man. That distrust is fully justified by the history of the rise and fall of nations."

In the same opinion the learned judge reviews all the decisions usually cited in opposition to his doctrine, and clearly shows that they are not applicable to such a case as the one under consideration.

In Brewster vs. Hough, 10 N. H. Rep., 138, it was held that "the power of taxation is essentially a power of sovereignty or eminent domain," and that "the Legislature had no power to make a contract by which it shall be surrendered, without express authority for that purpose in the Constitution, and that there is a material difference between the right of a Legislature to grant lands, or corporate powers, or money, and a right to grant away the essential attributes of sovereignty These do not seem to furnish the subject matter of a contract."

The question has been distinctly decided against the existence of any such power (the right to contract away the taxing power) five different times by the unanimous judgment of all the judges of the Supreme Court of Ohio, viz: Debolt vs Ohio Life Insurance & Trust Co., Ohio State Rep , 563; Toledo Bank vs. City of Toledo, id., 623; Mechanics' & Traders' Bank vs. Debolt, id., 591; the Milan and Richland Plank Road Company vs. Hustid, 3. Ohio State Rep , 578; the Norwalk Plank Road Co. vs. Hustid 3, Ohio State Rep. 586, and such is the clear preponderance of authority. The same doctrine, as applied to provisions in acts of incorporation, made upon valuable consideration to the State, limiting the right of future legislatures to legislate in regard to public health and morals, is maintained by the Supreme Court of the United States in the recent case of Stone vs. Mississippi, 101, U. S. Rep. 814 And the clear preponderance of judicial authority is in favor of the doctrine I am contending for. I do not contend for, or claim that provisions of law duly enacted by a legislature having constitutional authority to give such provisions the character of perpetual contracts, can be abolished or changed by future legislatures. But, I claim and contend that our legislatures have never had any more right to say how much future legislatures may tax the people and property of the State than they had to say how long the State might live. Indeed, the former might amount to the latter.

The right given by the Constitution to the legislature to tax the people and property of the State, was not given to the first, or second, or one hundredth Legislature alone, but to each and every legislature which should meet under authority of that Constitution, to each and all equally and alike, without restraint or possibility of restraint of any one upon the others.

It is important to keep in mind the distinction between holding that a valid contract cannot be impaired, and holding that a provision in a charter is a valid contract. It is exclusively for the State courts to decide what is a valid contract by its Legislature. The United States courts never assume jurisdiction of that question. They only take jurisdiction when it is conceded, or the State court has decided that the alleged contract is valid and authorized under the State Constitution.

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Even those who claim that it is competent for the Legislature to make such contracts, all admit that such provisions are not to be construed as contracts in perpetuity if the words used may possibly be construed any other way. If there is any doubt of the intention of the Legislature the construction must be in favor of the people. This is especially true where the case is one between the people and corporations, whose powers are always most strictly construed against themselves and for the benefit of the people. In construing acts of the Legislature the intent must prevail, and as no Legislature can foresee all the future necessities of the State—the calamities which may come upon it, so no Legislature can be presumed to have intended to deprive their successors of any resource which unforeseen events may make necessary. Such provisions can be and should be construed as estimates of what will be required, things remaining as they are, rather than as contracts binding in all events, under all changes of circumstances, in the future.

If the Legislature has the power to make such exemptions irrepealable their intention to do so ought not to be inferred unless expressed by plain words to that effect in the act.

But again, as to the authority of our Legislature to bind all succeeding Legislatures in such matters, this authority is assumed on the strength of the clause in section 10 article 1 of the Constitution of the United States, which says, "no State shall pass any law impairing the obligation of contracts." But to make that clause applicable to this case it must be assumed that the Legislature had lawful authority under the State Constitution to contract away the constitutional jurisdiction of its successors, and that is a begging of the whole question in dispute.

In addition to what has been said it should be noted and kept in mind, that the above clause does not apply to any but State Legislatures. Such prohibition is not inherent in governments, and exists only where it is made a special provision of a written constitution It does not apply to the Parliament of Great Britain or the Congress of the United States, nor to any government except the States of this Union; and as to this State it is agreed by all that it does not cover any agreement further than there is lawful authority in the State to make it.

We have seen that Congress is not prohibited by the constitution from repealing or changing charters of its own creation, though undoubtedly such authority would not be exercised except for urgent reasons connected with the welfare of the Nation. But it cannot be claimed, and is not claimed by any lawyer, that one Congress can by corporation, charters or otherwise, bind all further Congresses in any matter so that they cannot legislate as future circumstances may in their judgment be necessary to the welfare of the country.

Now the original charters of these railroad companies were granted by a territorial legislature which derived all its powers from an act of Congress known as the "Organic Act." The sixth section says: "The legislative power of the Territory shall extend to all rightful subjects of legislation consistent with the constitution of the United States." Now as Congress itself could not bind its legislative successors by irrepealable or unchangeable charters or laws, how could it delegate the power to do it to others? How could it authorize a territorial government of its own creation to do it? If it is not a "rightful subject of legislation consistent with the constitution of the United States" for the National Legissature to bind by contract all its successors forever, how can it be a rightful subject of legislation for a Territorial Legislature, which had no power at all except what was delegated to it by act of Congress? Can the stream rise higher than its source?

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But admitting for sake of argument, that these provisions in the Territorial charters are binding on all subsequent Legislatures of the Territory and State,—in fact and in law, an abdication of the legislative power over the subject; it remains true that the original companies, the contracting parties of the second part, broke the contract and forfeited all their rights under them. And said corporation-parties have long since gone out of existence. It is now judicially settled beyond doubt or questioning, that these new companies are not the same corporate entities as the original companies. If they were, it would follow that they would have the obligations as well as the rights of the old companies, and would have to pay their debts—a conclusion not desired by the new companies.

These provisions are invoked, not for the benefit of the parties with whom the contracts were made, if they were contracts, but for the benefit of other corporations which were not even in existence until long after the adoption of the State constitution, and they are claimed as contracts by virtue of State legislation under and subject to the authority and limitations of that instrument!

Now, the constitution of the State commands (section 1, article 9), that "all taxes to be raised in this State shall be as nearly equal as may be, and all property on which taxes are to be levied shall have a cash valuation, and be equalized and uniform throughout the State." The contracts by the Territorial Legislature, if they were contracts, having been broken by the parties of the second part, and said parties having lost even their existence, these provisions could not by any rule of law inure to new parties without new legislation, and such new legislation could not in any particular be valid if in conflict with the above quoted provision of the State constitution. That is the higher law.

I repeat, there can be no pretense of a contract with the present companies (which are parties not even *in esse* when the State constitution was adopted), except as founded on acts of the State Legislature under and subordinate to the above provision of that instrument. Now, as before said, it has been settled by the decision of the courts—State and Federal— that the present companies are not the corporations created by the Territorial acts, and my point is, that the State Legislature, in granting the franchises of the old companies to the new ones, was acting under and in subjection to the restraints of the constitution of the State. And while it could adopt temporarily the old rate and rule of taxation of these companies, if it believed that such rate and rule was at the time "equal taxation" within the meaning of the constitution, it could not abdicate, or take from the future Legislatures either the right or the duty to make such changes from time to time as they should deem necessary to preserve such constitutional equality of taxation If these charters have now any of the nature of contracts, they are contracts to be construed with the constitution as part of them, and qualifying and restraining their provisions.

And here I refer to the fact that, although the original charters gave in plain terms to the companies the right to fix the rate of tolls and charges on their roads, our Supreme Court hold that the new companies are bound by the provisions of the constitution to the effect that the same shall be reasonable, and that the Legislature has a right to pass laws prescribing the same.

But if any doubt could exist in this matter, it has been removed by the amendment of section 32, of article 4, of the constitution—adopted 1871, (Laws of 1871, page 41), as amended, it reads as follows:

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"Section 32. Any law providing for the repeal or amendment of any law or laws heretofore or hereinafter enacted, which provides that any railroad company now existing in this State, or operating its road therein, or which may be hereafter organized, shall, in lieu of all other taxes and assessments upon their real estate, roads, rolling stock and other personal property, at and during the time and periods therein specified, pay into the treasury of the State a certain percentage therein mentioned, of the gross earnings, of such raiload companies now existing or hereafter organized, shall, before the same take effect or be in force, be submitted to a vote of the people of the State, and be adopted and ratified by a majority of the electors of the State voting at the election at which the same shall be submitted to them."

Now, it is a fact that the move for this amendment originated with and was passed by the railroad companies, and it is a further fact that they have accepted its provisions and are acting under it, therefore they are bound by it, and by any changes which the Legislature may make, that is adopted and ratified by the people. This amendment was proposed and adopted when the whole matter stood as I have hereinbefore set forth. It was proposed and adopted with reference to the then state of the law and the facts. Of course it was adopted to effect some change in the law, and by all rules of construction it must be construed to effect some change, and whatever that change is the railroad companies are bound by, because they accepted it. Now, the only change sought to be made by this amendment is this, namely: that any law for the repeal or amendment of the laws as they then stood, or might hereafter be made, should have the direct approval of the people as well as the Legislature.

Now, as before stated, all laws are to be construed in favor of the people, and underlying all the decisions upon this question, we find it uniformly maintained that if it be possible to put two constructions on law, that one must be adopted which is most favorable to the interests and power of the people. What was the interest of the people in adopting this amendment, and what must we presume their motive to have been? Was it to surrender power to the railroad corporations? Was it in the interest and for the benefit of the railroad companies that the people did it? Can that be a common sense view of what the people meant by it? No, it was for their own benefit the people adopted it. It was not to encourage the construction of railroads for all the principal lines —those in which the great mass of the voters were interested were already constructed, and the people were fearful and jealous of the powers and influence already possessed by the companies. It was to secure new guarantees for the interests of the people, and more control over these growing corporations. That was the only way the people could be benefited by it. If the amendment did not secure beyond dispute and cavil, to the legislature and people, full control over the rate to be paid by the railroad companies, then it avails nothing to the people who adopted it. Can it be held that they intended nothing for themselves by adopting it?

As to the railroad companies, whatever doubt might have been suggested before in regard to the right of the Legislature to repeal or amend such laws, said companies by their acceptance of said constitutional amendment have made it beyond doubt that the Legislature can now do it subject only to adoption and ratification by the people. The language of the amendment is "any law providing for the repeal or amendment," etc. It does not say that such repeal or amendment shall be consented

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to by the companies. By accepting it as it is worded, they are bound by it as it is worded.

In conclusion, I refer to the fact that in all the States, as well as in our own, the later decisions are to the effect that these railroad corporations are created for the purpose of providing the State with public highways, and being for that purpose endowed with the exercise of the sovereign power of eminent domain, they are *quasi* public corporations; that they are public agents, and therefore under public control and regulation.

Thus it has been held that, although the original charters gave to the companies the right to fix and regulate the tolls, fares and charges upon their roads, yet the provision in the Constitution that such tolls and charges shall be reasonable, applied to these as well as to companies organized under the General Law, and the Legislature could prescribe what are reasonable tolls and charges.

The increase of taxation proposed by the bill is not unjust to the railroad companies, and it is believed that justice to the people of this State equire that it should become a law.

On motion of Mr. Baxter, L. L., the majority and minority reports with the bill, was laid on the table.

Mr. Hicks, from the judiciary committee, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 627, A bill to authorize executors, administrators or guardians to mortgage real estate.

Also, H. F. No. 611, A bill for an act to lower the waters of Washington lake in Sibly county, and make an appropriation for the same,

Report the same back, and recommend that the bills be indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Donahue, the bill was placed on general orders and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Daniels, from the committee on finance, to which was referred

S. F. No. 147 A bill relating to the publication of the reports of geological surveys, in this state,

Reported the same back, with amendments, and recommended that it do pass as amended.

The bill, as amended was read and placed on file for its second read ing.

Mr. Hicks, from the judiciary committee, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 550, A bill to amend section 176, chapter 36, General Statutes, in regard to use of text book in public schools.

Reported same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Dunn, from the judiciary committee, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 196, A bill to amend section 62, chapter 5, general laws, 1873, relating to costs and appeal in road cases.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also S. F. No. 296, A bill making the indexes of books A. and B., of deeds records in Sibley county, evidence of the contents and validity of the conveyance and record thereof in said books which were burned A. D. 1863,

Reported the same back, with an amendment, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

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The bill, as amended, was read, and the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Boser, from the committee on public buildings, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 641, A bill to abolish the State Normal schools, and to provide for a scientific normal department with the State University,

Report the same back, with the recommendation that the same be printed and placed on general orders for consideration in committee of the whole.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Denby, from the committee on claims, to whom was referred

H. F. 647, A bill to appropriate money to A. H. Perkins, for services as witness,

Report same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Dean, from the committee on agriculture, to whom was referred

H. F. Nos. 425 and 426, A bill to regulate the inspection and handling of grain,

Report the same back without recommendation.

On motion of Mr. Norrish, the bill was recommitted to the special committee on inspection of grain.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 295, A bill to appropriate money to supply a deficiency for the year 1880, under an act entitled an "An act for the encouragement of higher education, approved March 9, 1878.

Also, S. F. No. 227, A bill to amend chapter 36, General Laws of 1873, relating to the State Horticultural Society.

Also, S. F. No. 189, A bill to authorize the Secretary of State to purchase the portraits of ex-Governors.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Kneeland, from the committee on banks, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 225, A bill to amend section ten, eleven and eighteen, (10, 11 and 18), of chapter 33, of the General Statutes, of 1878, relating to banks and banking, and to add to said chapter sections 47, 48 and 49,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hoyt, from the committee on location of Second State Prison, made the following report.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Reprentatives of the State of Minnesota:

In conformity with a resolution adopted by the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives, appointing a joint committee to investigate and report as to the expediency and necessity of locating a Second State Prison, we as such committee have the honor to submit to you our report, as follows:

We have visited the prison at Stillwater, and while we believe there is sufficient room to afford accommodation in such prison to all inmates for one or perhaps for more years, we nevertheless fully endorse the recommendation of his Excellency, the Governor, in his last annual message, as to the propriety of the State adopting measures for the location of a second prison in a new locality.

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That in our opinion it is not for the interest of the State to further enlarge the prison at Stillwater, for the reasons among many others stated by the inspectors in their annual report for 1880, in which they say:

"If the State chooses to locate its institutions in such exposed positions as its State prison now is, surrounded on three sides by tremendous hills, with steep ravines intervening, which during heavy rains gather immense torrents of water that has to be confined and controlled to prevent destruction to the State's property, the people must not complain at the heavy expenditures to protect the same. Located on level land all this extra expense would be avoided."

Your committee therefore recommend that steps be taken by the Legislature, looking to a selection of a site for such prison.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

F. W. HOYT,
Chairman.

Mr. Hoyt moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Smith moved to amend the report so that it be accepted and placed on file.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Collins then moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Dunn rose to a point of order, stating that the motion to amend took precedence.

The Speaker sustained the point of order, and the question recurring upon the motion as ameaded,

It was adopted, and the report, as amended, was placed on file.

Mr. Sanborn, from the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 615, A bill making an appropriation in aid of the widening and improvement of Fort street, in the city of St. Paul,

Have amended the bill by adding a new section, and the title to the same by striking out the words, "making an appropriation," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "authorizing the city of St. Paul,"

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass as amended.

The bill, as amended, was read, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Smith, from the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 445,

Reported the same back, with a substitute, and moved that the substue do pass.

The report was adopted and the substitute was read and placed in the position of the original bill.

Also, S. F. No. 317.

The Ramsey county delegation report back bill in relation to the board of education of St. Paul, with an amendment, and recommend the bill do pass as amended.

The bill, as amended, was read and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Thornton, from the delegation from Scott county, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 302, A bill to amend chapter 6, of Special laws of 1875, and chapter 123 of special Laws of 1878, being the charter of the city of Shakopee, and an act amending the same,

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Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Kneeland, fom the delegation from Dodge county, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 327, A bill to amend section 12, of chapter 1, of an act entitled an act to reduce the law incorporating tne town of Mantorville, in the county of Dodge, and the several acts amendatory thereof, into one act, and amend the same, approved March, 5th, 1868.

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Stone, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 286, A bill relating to cattle running at large in the town of Kirkhaven, Swift county.

Reported the same back, and recommended that it do pass.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the report was amended so as recommend that the bill do pass, and the bill

Was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Armstrong, from the special committee to whom was referred

S. F. No. 127, A bill to confirm and make valid the purchase of certain lands by the board of county commissioners of the county of Murray

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr Sanborn, from the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 316, A bill to amend the charter of the St. Paul Gaslight Company.

Reported the same back, recommending that the same do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 31, A bill in relation to the erection of public buildings for the use of the city of St. Paul and the county of Ramsey, upon block twenty (20) of St. Paul proper, known as the court house square in the said city of St. Paul,

Reported back a substitute for the same, recommending that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute was read the first time and placed on file for its second reading, taking the place of the original bill.

Mr. Bohland, from the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 636. A bill to enlarge the powers of the board of education of the city of St. Paul,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Thompson J. Jr., from the Hennepin county delegation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 327,

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Gardner, from the delegation of Le Sueur county, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 287,

Reported the same back, with a recommendation that it do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

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Mr. Halgren, from the delegation from Carver county, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 63, A bill to authorize the lowering of the water in Eagle lake, in Carver county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Braley, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 318, A bill to authorize the temporary holding of the term of the district court in the county of Lincoln, of the 9th judicial district.

Also, S. F. No. 328, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Lyon county to issue bonds to erect county building,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Wiley, from the Ramsey county delegation, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 260, A bill for an act to provide for a plat commission for the county of Ramsey,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Cutts, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 258, A bill to prohibit stock from running at large in the township of Franklin, Wright county,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Kendall, to whom was referred

S. F. No. 180, A bill to authorize the incorporation of the village of Park Point, and to grant it certain powers;

Also, S. F. No. 290, A bill for an act to authorize the erection, maintenance and protection of telephone poles and wires upon and over the streets, avenues and alleys of the city, village and town of Duluth,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Mr. Dunn, from the special committee, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 500, A bill relating roads, cartways and bridges,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill indefinitely postponed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared

H. F. No. 525, 480, 485, 364, 174, 309, 455, 489 and 512,

And finds the same correctly engrossed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, reports that he has examined

H. F. No. 543, 539, 538, 519, 515, 495, 482, 404, 279, 270, 213, 140, 118, 115, 106, 102, 115, 452, 417, 353, 99, 42, 20, 449, 405, 257, 524, 302, 487 and 554,

Finds the same correctly enrolled, and that he has transmitted the same to the Governor for his approval.

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REPORT OF SPECIAL JOINT COMMITTEE OF INVESTIGATION ON STATE PRISON CONTRACT.

Mr. Dunn, from the joint special committee, appointed to investigate the action of the inspectors of the State Prison, in the matter of letting the contracts for convict labor, etc., made the following report:

To the Senate and House of Representatives:—

Your committee charged by the concurrent resolution of the Senate and House, adopted February 7 and 8, 1881, with the investigation of the action of the inspectors and warden of the State prison in the matter of the letting of the contract for the convict labor to Messrs. Seymour, Sabin & Co., and also to inquire as to whether the said contract was for the best interest of the State, and also whether any undue or improper influence was brought to bear upon the said warden and inspectors in letting said contract, and also to inquire and report as to the action of the committee on State prison of the Senate and House of Representatives in the same matter, would respectfully report:

That in the discharge of their duties they duly met and organized by choosing Mr. Dunn, of the House of Representatives, as chairman, and J. A. Armstrong, of the House of Representatives, as secretary, and appointed S. D. Hillman stenographer.

That they have from time to time proceeded in the examination of witnesses produced and sworn before them as to matter pertinent to such inquiry.

That from the evidence adduced before them they find the following as conclusions of fact:

First—That the charge that money was offered to Messrs. Forepaugh & Tarbox in any sum whatever as an inducement to withdraw their bid and stand aside and refrain from competing for said convict labor, has no foundation in fact, that no money or other consideration was ever offered to said Forepaugh & Tarbox by Seymour, Sabin & Co., or any other person, as an inducement to them to refrain from competing for said labor.

Second—That in letting the contract for said labor, the warden and inspectors advertised duly for proposals for said labor in seven (7) different States of the Union; that in response thereto they received three (3) bids, as follows:

First—From J H. Elward, forty (40) cents per day per man for labor, and nothing for rent of shops or machinery.

Second—From Forepaugh & Tarbox, forty-two and three-fourths (42¾) cents per day per man for labor, and $1,900 a year rent for machinery.

Third—From Cyrus J. Thomson forty-seven and one-half (47½) cents per day per man for labor, and $2,000 per year for rental of machinery.

That in considering said bids the bid of Cyrus J. Thompson, being the highest bid, was accepted by the warden and inspectors, and he duly notified of its acceptance, and notified to appear at the office of the Attorney General on the 26th day of January, 1881, and enter into a written contract for the due performance of his bid.

That on the said day the said Thompson and warden and inspectors met at the attorney general's office, at which meeting the said Thompson refused to sign and enter into any such contract as in the opinion of the attorney general and said Prison board was necessary for the safety of the State and for its interests.

That thereupon the said board of inspectors duly rejected all the bids

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that had been imposed, and that at the request of members of said board, Seymour, Sabin & Co. proposed to continue in employing said labor, and to pay for the same 45 cents per day, and a rental of $1,500 for machinery, and with a proviso that the State should annually appropriate $6,000 for the new shops. That the board were all in favor of closing a contract with said firm at that price, but objected to the provision of appropriation for shops on the ground that they were not authorized to so provide. That while the same was being considered Messrs Forepaugh & Tarbox made a proposition to take said labor and pay therefor 47½ cents per day for labor, and $2,010 for rental, that the two propositions were then before the board for action, that being in doubt as to which of the two propositions was in fact be best bid in all respects for the State, the said board requested the advise of the committees on State prison from the Senate and House of Representatives. That accordingly the said committees met the said board at Stillwater, and after a full consideration of the matter, and being fully advised of all the facts concerning the actions of the board and of the bids received, and of the actions of bidders themselves, by unanimous vote recommended the contract with Seymour, Sabin & Co,, as the same has been made, and which is the same contract printed by vote of the House.

Your committee further report that in their opinion the action of the said inspectors and warden in letting said contract to Seymour, Sabin & Co. was, and is, justified, and for the best interests of the State. That although in the mere matters of present money receipts for said labor and rental, the proposition of Forepaugh & Tarbox may appear to be the most advantageous, yet that branch of business proposed to be carried on by the new firm (manufacture of boots and shoes), was clearly shown to be a business which would provoke much hostility by others engaged in that industry, and would seriously compete with the same to their great detriment, while the business of Seymour, Sabin & Co. (the manufacture of threshing machines), is an industry which competes with no like industry in the State to any material extent. And further, that the valuable machinery in the prison, the property of the State, would be greatly damaged and injured by being removed, as it would be by changing the industry carried on thereat, and that in many other respects the proposition of Seymour, Sabin & Co. is the best for the State, all things considered.

Your committee further report that there is no ground for impeaching the official integrity of the warden or inspectors of the State prison by reason of any action of theirs growing out of said contract, and that as to the action of the State prison committee of the Senate and House of Representatives in the premises in advising the making of said contract, while we believe their action was in the best faith and for the best interest of the State, we neither condemn nor endorse the same, it being simply advisory and without force in law.

Your committee beg leave to be discharged from further consideration in the premises.

ANDREW C. DUNN,
A. A. FLOM,
J. A. ARMSTRONG,
M. E. DONOHUE,
Of the House of Representatives.
J. B. GILFILLAN,
ROB'T L. MCCORMICK,
Of the Senate.

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On motion of Mr. Smith, the report was adopted and the committee discharged.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Mott offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, with the advice and assistance of the Attorney General, is hereby directed to codify the school laws of the State, arranging all amendments of the last four years in their proper places, and adding such blank forms and opinions of Attorneys General as may be deemed necessary.

Resolved, That he is also directed to secure at the expense of the State, from the party authorized to print this class of work, the printing of an edition of 15,000 copies in pamphlet form, manilla covers, for the use of school officers and others concerned in the execution of the school laws.

Mr. Smith offered the following resolution:

Resolved, The chief clerk is hereby directed to draw his order on the Treasurer of the State in favor of the two assistant clerks of this House at the rate of $7.50 per day during the session, deducting the amount they have already received.

The question being taken upon the adoption of the resolution, there were yeas 70, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Porter T. C., Purrington, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. McCracken and Tharalson voted in the negative.

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Collins offered the following resolution:

Whereas, A joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives, appointed to investigate and report as to the necessity of locating a second State prison, have made their report recommending that such prison be located; and,

Whereas, There is not sufficient time to take further steps towards such location during the present session; therefore be it

Resolved, As the sense of this House, the Senate concurring, that said committee be allowed further time and authorized to sit after the adjournment of the present session of this Legislature, for the purpose of investigating as to a suitable site for such prison. That on the first Tuesday of August, A. D. 1881, they meet at the Capitol in St. Paul, at 2 o'clock P. M., and then and there receive propositions as to donations of land for a site, and for other purposes, and on or before December 1, A. D. 1881, make and file with the Secretary of State a full report of their doings, with all such propositions by them received, and their recommendation as to a location, which report shall be by the Secretary of State transmitted to the next special or general session of the Legislature for its action. That said committee shall not be entitled to any compensation for their said services, except their actual expenses.

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The question being taken upon the adoption of the resolution, and the yeas and nays being called and ordered, there were yeas 36, and nays 48, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Donahue, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hill Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore McMaster, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Calleuder, Child, Churchill, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Henry, Hicks, Kidder, Lewis, McCracken, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Redding, Roberts, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the resolution was lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 25, 1881.

Mr. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 49, An act entitled an act granting swamp lands to aid the Minneapolis & St. Cloud Railroad Company in building branches to connect with the Lake Superior and Mississippi Railroad, or any other railroad in Southern Minnesota.

Approved February 11, 1865.

S. F. No. 253, An act to fix and appropriate for the payment of the salary of the State librarian.

S. F. No. 265, An act to authorize the county commissioners of Marshall county to issue bonds.

S. F. No. 298, An act to authorize the clerk of the district court of Blue Earth county, to transcribe a portion of the records in his office, and to provide for the validity of said transcript.

S. F. No. 323, An act to amend chapter 56, of the Special Laws, of 1869, page 249, entitled an act to amend an act entitled "An act granting swamp lands to aid the Minneapolis & St. Cloud Railroad Company in building branches to connect with the Lake Superior & Mississippi Railroad, and the Winona & St. Peter Railroad, or any other railroad in Southern Minnesota"

S. F. No 336, An act to amend chapter 104, of the General Laws of the year 1874, appropriating money for the payment of the salaries of the officers of the State government.

S. F. No., 340, An act providing for the manner of electing county commissioners of Houston county, and to limit the time of holding sessions of the said board of county commissioners.

S. F. No. 341, an act relative to the relief of the poor in Houston county.

S. F. No. 342, An act to amend Section 7, of an act entitled "An act to regulate the salary, compensation and fees of county officers of Houston county."

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S. F. No. 97, An act to regulate the carrying of passengers on all railroads in this State.

S. F. No. 320, An act authorizing and empowering the county commissioners of Dakota county to adjust the claim of Timothy Ryan.

S. F. No. 343, An act to authorize and require the city of Minneapolis to assume and provide for the payment of certain bonded indebtedness of School District No. 119, in Hennepin county.

S. F. No. 344, An act to amend an act to authorize School District No. 1, in Scott county to issue bonds to erect a school building, approved February 17th, 1881.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 308, An act to amend section 175, title 6, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, and to repeal chapter 3, General Laws of 1879, relating to registers of deeds.

H. F. No. 357, An act to amend chapter 130, Special Laws of 1879, to establish independent school district of Granite Falls.

H. F. No, 389, An act to drain a certain lake in Meeker county.

H. F. No. 474, An act entitled "An act for the support and better regulation of the common schools of the town of Sauk Center, as amended by chapter 58 of the Special Laws of 1873."

H. F. No. 483, An act to regulate appeals from judgments of justices of the peace in the city of St. Paul.

H. F. No. 513, An act to amend chapter 157 of the Special Laws of 1878, as the same are amended by chapter 62 of the Special Laws of 1879.

H. F. No. 558, An act to amend the act incorporating the city of Owatonna, and the acts amending the same.

H. F. No. 26, An act to regulate the traffic of oleomargarine.

H. F. No. 196, An act to authorize the town of Chaska to issue bonds for the construction of a bridge across the Minnesota river at the village of Chaska.

H. F. No. 210, An act to amend section 1, of chapter 330, Special Laws of 1879, relating to compensation of county officers in Meeker county.

H. F. No. 218, An act to granting the right to establish and maintain a wagon bridge across Red River, at Moorhead.

H. F. No. 301, An act to reduce the law incorporating the village of Blooming Prairie in the county of Steele.

H. F. No, 243, An act to locate and establish a State road from the village of Herman, in Grant county, to the village of Holmes City, in Douglas county.

H. F. No. 246, An act to establish a deputy clerkship in the clerk of supreme court's office, and fixing the salary thereof.

H. F. No. 444, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 144, of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the Cannon River Manufacturing Association.

H. F. No. 117, An act to amend chapter 16 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to intoxicating liquors

H. F. No. 294, An act to amend title 4, of chapter 34, of the General Statutes, 1878, relating to religious corporations

H. F. No. 356, An act to provide for the salary of the county treasurer of Mille Lacs county.

H. F. No. 397, An act to amend section 104, of chapter 34, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations.

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H. F. No. 438, An act to authorize the village of Howard Lake, in Wright county, to issue bonds for the purchase of fire apparatus.

H. F. No. 431, An act to amend an act to incorporate the Minnesota Western Railroad Company, and the acts amendatory thereof, approved February 4, 1870.

H. F. No. 471, An act to amend chapter 16, of Special Laws of 1876, incorporating the village of Sauk Center.

H. F. No. 473, An act to confer further jurisdiction of justices of the peace for Crow Wing county.

H. F. No. 467. An act to incorporate the village of Melrose.

H. F. No. 509, An act to authorize the Greenvale Cemetery Associato convey lots.

H. F. No 551, An act to constitute county of Mille Lacs one commissioner district.

H. F. No. 552, An act authorizing and requiring each town in Benton and Morrison counties to support their own poor.

H. F. No. 575 An act to amend an act to authorize the corporate authorities of the village of Winnebago City to issue bonds, approved February 11th, 1881.

H. F. No. 466, An act to amend and consolidate the charter of the city of Stillwater,

H. F. No. 494, An act to complete the organization of county of Kittson for judicial purposes, and to establish a term and place of holding the district court therein.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files, with amendments, in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

H. F. No. 76, An act to amend chapter 101, General Statutes, 1878, relating to offences against the public health.

H. F. No. 313, A bill providing for an amendment to section 1, of article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 365, An act to amend chapter 1 of the General Laws of 1878, to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes, being chapter 11, General Statutes of 1878.

Also that the Senate has concurred in the amendment of the House to the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 269, A bill to amend chapter 20 of the General Laws of 1868, relating to the organization of persons as chambers of commerce, &c.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration, the House complied with the request of the Senate, and

S. F. No. 322, was returned thereto.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication was received from His Excellenc the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, February 25, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. 241, An act for the relief of settlers upon lands claimed by the

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State as swamp lands, and for the adjustment of land grants inuring to the State under the several acts of Congress.

H. F. 140, An act to amend section 2 of title 2 of chapter 7 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the salary of judges of the district court.

H. F. 482, An act providing for appropriations for bridges in Stearns county.

H. F 543, An act to amend section 5 of chapter 74, of Special Laws of 1875, relating to support of poor in Freeborn county.

H. F. 515, An act amendatory to an act entitled "An act to amend an act to incorporate the German Reading Society of St. Paul," approved February 28, 1870.

H. F. 102, An act to amend section 26, of chapter 62, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the security for the purpose of alimony and other allowances in action for divorce.

H. F. 115. An act to authorize the draining of a certain lake in Wright county.

H. F. 106, An act to amend section 198, of title 10, of chapter 66, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to garnishment.

H. F. 404, An act to authorize the city of Red Wing to issue its bonds to the amount of $5,000 for water supplies.

H. F. 538, An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of Clay county to issue bonds to fund the floating indebtedness of said county, and to erect county buildings.

H. F. 118, An act to amend section 17, chapter 36 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to education.

H. F. 519, An act to divide the town of Home, Brown county, into two town organizations.

H. F. 213, An act to provide for registering and payment of interest on town orders.

H. F. 495, An act to restore Samuel Griswold to citizenship.

H. F. 539, An act to incorporate the village of Lake Park, in the county of Becker, under the provisions of chapter 10 of the General Statutes of 1878.

Very respectfully,
J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Northness, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock, P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

The House proceeded to the

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Comstock introduced—

H. F. No. 648, A bill to detach certain territory therein described from Independent School District No. 1, in Clay county.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Comstock the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time, and placed on file for third reading.

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Also, H. F. No. 649, A bill to divide the State into five Congressional districts,

Which was read the first time, and

The rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading, and ordered printed

Mr. Sanborn introduced

H. F. No. 650, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to purchase certain lots for public purposes,

Which was read the first time, and

The rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Searles introduced

H. F. No. 651, A bill to divide the State into five Congressional districts,

Which was read the first time, and

The rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading, and ordered printed.

The Rice county delegation introduced.

H. F. No. 652, A bill to amend chapter 306 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the salaries of the Rice county officers.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Thompson, J. Jr. introduced

H. F. No. 653, A bill to restrict the issuing of licences for the sale of intoxicating liquors in Hennepin county.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sanborn introduced

H. F. No. 654, A bill appropriating money to pay a certain claim of B. A. Froiseth against the State.

Which was read the first time, and on motion of Mr. Norrish, the bill was referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Sampson introduced—

H. F. No. 655, A bill to change the name of Hans Hanson to Hans Hanson Burg.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks the bill was referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Griggs introduced—

H. F. No. 656, A bill relating to the duties of certain officers of Ramsey county, and of the city of St. Paul.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Tharalson introduced—

H. F. No. 657, A bill to change a name of a certain person therein named.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Armstrong introduced—

H. F. No. 658, A bill to authorize the village of Fairmont to issue its bonds,

Which was read the first time, and, the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 659, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Martin county to issue bonds,

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Which was read the first time, and, the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Denby introduced—

H. F. No. 660, A bill to provide a sinking fund for the payment of the bonded indebtedness of the city of Albert Lea,

Which was read the first time, and, the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Washburn introduced--

H. F. No. 661, A bill to locate and establish a State road.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Wiley introduced—

H. F. No. 662, A bill to change the name Gustave P. Hultquest to Gustave P. Quest.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Halgren introduced—

H. F. No. 663, A bill to authorize the village of Watertown, Carver county, to issue bonds.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Hanscom introduced—

H. F. No. 663, A bill to authorize the towns in Stevens county to pay a premium for wire fence.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

The committee on agriculture introduced—

H. F. No 665, A bill to encourage the cultivation and manufacture of amber sugar cane.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Hayes introduced—

H. F. No. 666, A bill to amend the general school laws of 1877.

Which was read the second time, and the rules being suspended, the bill

Was placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Thompson, J. Jr., introduced

H. F. No. 667, A bill to amend section 75 of chapter 32, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to liens on logs and lumber,

Which was read the first time, and

The rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Dodge introduced

H. F. No. 668, A bill to regulate the catching of fish in Lake Elysian, in Waseca county,

Which was read the first time, and

The rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Redding introduced

H. F. No. 669, A bill to authorize Peter Erickson to convey certain real estate,

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hall introduced—

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H. F. No. 670, A bill to secure the payment of services of stallions or asses.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Redding introduced—

H. F. No. 671, A bill limiting the insurance risks on real property.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Braley introduced—

H. F. No. 672, A bill to provide for the disposition of certain moneys in the possession of the county treasurer of Yellow Medicine county.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill Was placed on file, for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 673, A bill for the relief of Amasa Tower.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Huhn introduced—

H. F No. 674, A bill to authorize the board of regents of the State University to make sale of the experimental farm of said university.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Sanborn offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended; that all Senate and House bills now on file for a second reading be read at this time, and those of a local or special nature be placed on file for a third reading, and those of a general nature be referred to the committee of the whole, and that the House then proceed to the third reading and passage of House bills, and proceed with that order till all House bills are passed, or a special order is reached.

Mr. Collins moved to amend so that

H. F. No. 312,

Be placed at the head of third reading.

Which was accepted by Mr. Sanborn.

Mr. Collins offered the following resolution as a substitute:

Resolved, That the rules be hereby suspended, and that the third reading of House files be commenced, with H. F. No. 312 at the head,

Which was adopted, and

The House proceeded to the

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 312, A bill to enforce the payment of taxes which became delinquent in and prior to 1879,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Loveland, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thorn,

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on, Thompson J Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 514, A joint resolution to Congress, asking for the relief of ertain settlers on railroad lands,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were eas 67 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxer, L. L, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Deny, Denby Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Heny, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, annell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson, P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, outhard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., hompson, J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, ieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F No. 497, A bill to amend section 107, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to selection of jurors,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 4, and nays none, as follows .

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S , Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 485, A bill to authorize the appointment of an agent to prosecute certain land claims against the United States,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 38, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts. Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S , Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 491, A bill to ratify the contract between the State of

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Minnesota and Seymour, Sabin & Co., and making provisions modifying the same.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays 11, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Loveland, Northness, Peterson P. A., Sanborn, Southard, Stedjee and Tharalson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 497, A bill to authorize the State Land Commissioner to refund the purchase money paid on school land certificate No. 12,192, which said certificate has been adjudged to be void, and to appropriate the money therefor,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Linnell, Loveland, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 364, A bill to enable the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company to purchase or lease the property and franchises of the Plainview Railway Company,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messes. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 326, A bill to authorize any railroad company to lease purchae, or any way became owner of or to contract any other railroad corporation or to consolidate therewith,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baldwin, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny; Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Northness, Peterson P. A, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 428, A bill to amend section 106 of chapter 11 of General Statutes of 1876, relating to payment of taxes before record of any deeds,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J. Jr, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No 507, A bill to amend section 372, of title 6, of chapter 34, of General Statues of 1878, relating to insurance,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage. The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 53, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Henry, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T.C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Smith, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J.,Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 530, A bill to amend chapter 54 of the General Laws of 1879, relating to insurance,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 393, A bill to amend section 55, chapter 13, General Statutes of 1878, relating to roads, cartways and bridges,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Baker, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hulebak, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 520, A bill concerning orders drawn against or for any special or other fund or assessment,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 52, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Smith Southard, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Sanborn moved a call of the House.

Which was ordered,

And the clerk called the roll.

A list of the absentees was given to the sergeant at-arms, and he was instructed to report the absentees in their seats.

Mr. Tether moved that leave of absence be granted to Mr. Hoyt.

Which motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Rosebrock, Mott, Kohlmier, McMaster, Kniss and Boser, and

Temporary leave of absence was granted to Messrs. Hicks and Collins, they being on duty as a committee of conference.

On motion of Mr. Smith, further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

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On motion of Mr. Smith, the rules were so far suspended as to enable any member not voting with the prevailing side on the passage of
H. F. No. 507,
To move a reconsideration of the vote by which the bill was lost, and
On motion of Mr. Thompson J. Jr., the vote whereby the bill was lost was reconsidered, and
H. F. No. 507, A bill to amend section 372 of title 66, chapter 34 of the General Statutes of 1878,
Was again put upon its final passage.
The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were—
Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J., Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.
So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the vote whereby
H. F. No. 520,
Was lost,

Was reconsidered, and the bill was placed at the foot of the callendar.
H. F. No. 381, A bill to amend section 67 of chapter 117, of the General Statutes, 1878 providing for the assessment and collection of taxes,
Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.
The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were—
Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J.. Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland. Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.
So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 582, A bill for the better enforcement of the laws governing the assessing of property for taxation,
Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.
The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were—
Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Her-

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berger, Hulebak, Ives, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 579, A bill to provide for holding the general terms of the district court in the county of Renville,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Child, Churchill, Cutts, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Stedjee, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 529, A bill to secure the collection of taxes on forfeited lands,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended there were yeas 51, and nays 15, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Audrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Stedjee, Thompson J., Wagner Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Dunn, Gardner Geary, Griggs, Ives, Kennedy, Linnell Moore, Norrish, Smith, Southard, Thornton, Van Hoesen and Washburn.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 518, A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 208, Special Laws of 1879,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

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So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 567, A bill to amend section 5 of the General Laws of 1878 authorizing probate judge to act in adjoining counties.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 428, A bill to amend chapter 11, Statutes of 1878, relating to taxation,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 26 and nays 11, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Burger, Caine, Dodge, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Henry, Hulebak, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Butterfield, Cornish, Dunn, Ives, Kendall, Klossner, Rice and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn,

H. F. No. 520, A bill concerning orders, was recommitted to committee on judiciary

H. F. No. 547, A bill relating to town insurance companies,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O.S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 544, A bill relating to the manner of levying executions and writs of attachments,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnel, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 26, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 345, An act to amend "An act incorporating the city of Crookston.

S. F. No. 346, An act to authorize the city of Crookston to issue bonds to fund certain indebtedness of said city.

S. F. No. 347, An act to further amend an act to incorporate the city of Crookston, in Polk county, being chapter 12, Special Laws of 1879.

S. F. No. 348, An act to legalize taxes levied by the city council of the city of Crookston.

S. F. No. 349, A memorial to Congress.

S. F. No. 351, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 240, Special Laws of 1878, relating to catching of fish in Kandiyohi county.

S. F. No. 319, An act to appropriate money for erecting a building for the school for idiots and imbeciles.

S. F. No. 355, An act to authorize the village of Lu Verne, in Rock county, to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness.

S. F. No. 211, An act proposing an amendment to section 1, article 7 of the Constitution, relative to elective franchises.

S. F. No. 162, An act relating to actions for the recovery of real property, lands or tenements.

S. F. No. 239, An act to authorize a new trial of George Lautenschlaeger, Frank Rapp and Sophia Rapp.

S. F. No. 123, An act to amend section 10, chapter 70, General Statutes of 1878, relating to witness fees in criminal cases.

S. F. No. 92, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 4, of the General Laws, of 1879, relating to cartways.

S. F. No. 304, A bill to legalize the records of certain certificates executed under and by virtue of section 11, of chapter 81, General Statutes, 1878.

S. F. No. 312, A bill to amend section 36, of chapter 66, of the General Statutes, 1878, relating to civil actions.

S. F. No. 326, A bill to amend section 42, chapter 34, of General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations.

S. F. No. 353, A bill to change the name of certain persons therein named.

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S. F. No. 354, A bill relating to the liabilities of fire insurance companies.

The Senate asks the return of Senate File No. 97, for further consideration.

The Senate has not concurred in the House amendment to

S. F No. 64, An act to amend section 2, of chapter 24, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the number of hours constituting a days' labor, and asks a committee of conference to meet a similar committee of the Senate on the disagreement, and that Senators Castle and Morrison are such committee, on the part of the Senate.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Smith, the request of the Senate was complied with, and

S. F. No 97 was returned to the Senate for further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the House took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

The House met at 8 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on conference, on the disagreement of the Senate and House on

H. F. No. 33,

Made the following report:

Your committee of conference, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 33, A bill proposing additional sections, to be termed sections 33 and 34 of article 4 of the constitution of the State of Minnesota prohibiting special legislation,

Report that they have held a free conference upon said bill, and recommend that the Senate recede from the amendment which reads:

"12th. For changing the boundaries of common school districts."

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the report was adopted.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 57, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Asleson voted in the negative.

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So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 489, A bill to provide for the preparation and printing of blanks for official bonds of county officers,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 455, A bill relating to roads, cartways and bridges,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 525, A bill to amend section 4, chapter 39, of the General Statutes of 1878,

Was read a third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 480, A bill to disbose of the swamp lands of the State, and to direct the disposition of the proceeds thereof,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 41, and nays 21, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Graling, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner,

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Loveland, McAndrews, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Bookwalter, Burger, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Donahue, Hall, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Sabin, Schmidt, Smith, Thompson J. Jr., Tone and Wiley.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 51., A bill to amend sections 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 of chapter 84 of the General Laws of 1878, relating to forcible entry and unlawful detainer,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Sampson voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the vote whereby

H. F. No. 529, A bill to secure the collection of taxes on forfeited lands, was reconsidered, and

On motion of Mr. Dunn,

H. F. No. 529,

Was referred to the committee on judiciary.

H. F. No. 648, A bill to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 1, in Clay county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Callender Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnel, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Norrish offered the following resolution:

Resolved, By the House of Representatives that no new bills be received after Monday next, February 28th.

Mr. Kendall gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

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Mr. Amundson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, By the House, the Senate concurring, that the joint committee to whom was referred the charges of discrimination against the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company be and hereby is authorized to investigate such charges after the adjournment of the Legislature, and that the report of such committee shall be filed with the Governor or the next Legislature.

Mr. Gould gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

On motion of Mr. Armstrong, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 659, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Martin county to issue bonds for the erection of a court house,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northuess, Plaisance Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin,, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure. Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Also—

On motion of Mr. Armstrong, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 658, A bill to authorize the village of Fairmont, to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson. Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Collins moved that the vote whereby

H. F. No. 311 was lost, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was placed on file for its third reading.

Mr. Kendall moved that the House proceed to the first reading of Senate bills.

Which motion did not prevail.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared
H. F. No. 212 and finds the same correctly engrossed.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached, the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Amundson in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration

S. F. No. 52, A bill relating to State road between Scott, LeSuer and Rice counties.

S. F. No. 220, A bill relating to State road from Verndale to Kindred.

S. F. No. 278, A bill relating to district court, Murray county.

S. F. No. 243, A bill relating to board of education of St. Paul to issue bonds.

S. F. No. 56, Donating land to high school, Wilmar.

S F. No. 139, A bill relating to bonds of Brown county for bridge purposes.

S. F. No. 210, A bill relating to salary of probate judge, Scott county.

S. F. No. 294, A bill relating to Fergus Falls.

S. F. No. 262, A bill relating to Belle Plaine.

H. F. No. 614, A bill relating to special school district in Sibley county.

H. F. No. 600, A bill relating to Stearns and Sherburne counties issuing bonds.

H. F. No. 616, A bill relating to village of Jordan.

H. F. No. 617, A bill relating to school districts in Rice county.

H. F. No. 619, A bill relating to school districts in Rice county.

H. F. No. 623, A bill relating to the village of Pine Island.

H. F. No. 624, A bill relating to Cemetery, Lake Marshall.

H. F. No. 625, A bill relating to fishways in Zumbro river.

H. F. No. 628, A bill relating to incorporation of St. Peter.

H. F. No. 629, A bill relating to Chisago Lake.

H. F. No. 630, A bill relating to towns in Lac qui Parle county.

H. F. No. 631, A bill relating to taxes in Lac qui Parle county.

H. F. No. 632, A bill relating to school districts in Lac qui Parle county.

H. F. No. 638, A bill relating to the issue of bonds, Red Wing.

H. F. No. 634, A bill relating to fish, Rice county.

H. F. No. 639, A bill relating to surveyor, Goodhue county.

H. F. No. 419, A bill relating to Renville county, issue bonds.

H. F. No. 589, A bill relating to Minneapolis, issue bonds.

H. F. No. 590, A bill relating to county seat, Chippewa county.

H. F. No. 591, A bill relating to Minnesota reports.

H. F. No. 595, A bill relating to Independent School District No. 4, Rice county.

H. F. No. 643, A bill relating to Blue Earth county.

H. F. No. 645, A bill relating to Mankato.

H. F No. 557, A bill relating to Washington county, to aid in construction of a railroad.

H. F. No. 561, A bill to change the name of certain towns in Lyon county.

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H. F. No. 585, A bill relating to school district, Sibley county.
H. F. No. 596, A bill relating to Faribault school district.
H. F No. 599, A bill authorizing St. Cloud to issue bonds.
H. F. No. 602, A bill relating to municipal court, Mankato.

H. F. No. 603, A bill relating to cattle running at large in Meeker and Kandiyohi counties.
H. F. No. 604, A bill relating to cattle running at large in McLeod county.
H. F. No. 607, A bill relating to board of education, Rochester.
H. F. No. 610, A bill authorizing villages in Stearns county to issue bonds.
H. F. No. 609, A bill to incorporate Delano.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

H. F. No. 535, A bill relating to decisions of the supreme court.

Which they reported back, with the recommendation that it be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Hicks moved to except
H. F. No. 535 from the report of the committee of the whole.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the report of the committee of the whole except as to
H. F. No. 535,
Was adopted.

Mr. Hicks then moved that
H. F. No. 535 be laid upon the table.

And the yeas and nays being called for and ordered, and

The question being taken upon the motion to lie on the table. there were yeas 19, and nays 39, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baldwin, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dunn, Hall, Henry, Hicks, Kneeland, Moore, Porter T. C., Searles, Steejee. Thompson J. Jr., Tone and Van Hoesen.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter L. L., Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hill. Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Linnell. Loveland, McAndrews, Norrish, Plaisance, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Smith, Southard, Thornton, Tether. Wiley and Zieske.

So the motion was lost.

Mr. Hicks moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which motion was lost

Mr. Smith moved that the report of the committee of the whole as to H. F No. 535, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House adjourned.

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives

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FORTY SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL, Monday, February 28, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Buckman and Kniss.

On motion of Mr. Smith the reading of Saturday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Smith offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Whereas, The contractor for the printing for the Legislature, is unable to print in the time required, the Journal and other printing required by the two Houses,

Therefore be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

That the Secretary of State be, and hereby is, authorized to contract at once for the printing of such bills and other matter as the present printer is unable to print, for the use of the two Houses.

On motion of Mr Smith, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 445, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to construct a permanent roadway over Phalen creek,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 79, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Rice, Sabin Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared

H. F. No. 344,

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And find the same correctly engrossed.

The hour of 10:30 o'clock A. M. having arrived,

The Speaker announced the special order of business to be the consideration of

S. F. Nos. 229 and 230,

Bills relating to the Minnesota State Railroad Bonds.

Mr. Sanborn moved that the clerk proceed to read

S. F. No. 229, A bill to provide for the adjustment of the Minnesota State Railroad Bonds.

Mr. Wilson moved to amend so that the bill be read and considered at this time.

Mr. Smith accepted the amendment, and the motion as amended was adopted, and

The clerk read the bill.

Mr. Wilson offered the following amendment to the bill:

Insert after the words, "Auditor of State," in the sixth line of section 4, the following: "within sixty days after the next general election." Also, after the word "the," in the sixteenth line of said section, the following: "next general election;" and further, by adding at the end of section 12, the following:

"The same has been submitted to a vote of the State and adopted by a majority of the electors of the State voting thereon."

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, February 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has concurred in the resolution, authorizing the Secretary of State to contract at once for the printing of such bills as the public printer is not able to print for the use of the two Houses.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

The House resumed the consideration of

H. F. No. 229, A bill providing for the adjustment of the Minnesota Railroad Bonds.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages was received from the senate:

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SENATE CHAMBER, January 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted;

S. F. No. 306, An act to appropriate money to reimburse V. P. Kennedy for moneys actually paid out in the contested election case of V. P. Kennedy vs. William Campbell.

S. F, No. 356. An act to prevent the running at large of cattle in the towns of Baytown and Stillwater, Washington county.

S. F. No 358, An act to enable the counties of Dodge, Goodhue, Olmsted, Wabasha, Steele, Fillmore and Mower, and each of the towns and incorporated cities in said counties, to issue their bonds for the purposes therein named.

S. F. No. 360, An act to amend the charter of the Central Minnesota Railroad Company.

S. F. No. 315, An act to amend sections 166 and 167, title 3, chapter 34,. General Statutes, 1878, as amended by chapter 30, General Laws of 1879. relating to corporations.

S. F. No. 255, An act to regulate the business of operating telegraph lines, and imposing penalties for misconduct of owners and agents of such lines.

S. F. No. 366, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Redwood Falls," the same being chapter 15 of Special Laws of the State of Minnesota of the year 1876, approved January 25, 1881.

S. F. No. 138, An act to amend General Statutes, relating to roads and cartways.

S. F. No. 263, An act to authorize the construction of a railway across the Bay of Duluth, and granting lands under the water in aid thereof.

S. F. No. 191, An act to provide for the discharge of patients from the Minnesota Hospital for Insane.

S. F. No. 367, An act to regulate the salary of the county attorney of Ramsey county

Also that the Senate has passed the following House bills herewith returned:

H. F. No. 400, An act to authorize the town of Logan to issue its bonds for county purposes.

H. F. No. 569, An act to incorporate the village of Birds Island.

H. F. No. 579, An act to provide for the time for holding the general terms of the district court in the county of Renville

H. F. No. 150, A bill to introduce moral and social science in the public schools of the State.

H. F. No. 574, A bill to prescribe the bounds of Senatorial and Representative districts, and to apportion anew the Senatorial and Representatives among the several districts.

H. F. No. 470, A bill amending parts of the charter of the city of St. Paul, and acts amendatory thereof.

H. F. No. 472, A memorial to Congress asking for pensions for persons confined in confederate prisons.

The Senate has not concurred in the House amendment to

S. F. No. 15, An act for the encouragement of higher education.

And asks a committee of conference of the House to meet a similar committee on the part of the Senate on the disagreement.

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Senators Wilson and White are such committee on the part of the Senate.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration, the Senate having non-concurred in the House amendment to

S. F. No. 15, A bill to encourage higher education,

On motion of Mr Hicks, the Speaker appointed as a committee of conference to meet the committee appointed by the Senate on the disagreement, Messrs, Daniels, Mott and Sheardown.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

The House met at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS.

Tho following communications were received from his Excellency, the Governer:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, February 28, 1881.

Hon. L. Fletcher,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

Sir:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

H. F. 564, An act to locate and establish a State road from the village of Herman, in Grant county, to the village of Lowell, in Big Stone county.

H. F. 405, An act to provide for establishing a workhouse in the city of Red Wing, and provide for the employment of vagabonds, beggars, tramps and criminals, while undergoing sentence of imprisonment.

H. F. 487, an act for allowing a clerk to the county treasurer of Dakota county.

H. F. 246, An act to establish a deputy clerkship in the clerk of supreme courts office, and fixing the salary thereof.

Very respectfullly,

J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
ST. PAUL, February 28, 1881.

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Hon. Loren Fletcher,

Speaker of House of the Representatives:

SIR:—I reluctantly return House File No. 15, "An act to punish tramps," to the House, in which it originated.

The bill does not make sufficient discrimination between the unfortunate person who is seeking for work, and the vicious vagabond who seeks to live upon the voluntary bounty of honest men. Some of its provisions contravene well understood principles of constitutional law.

The punishment is unequal. Section 5 is objectionable, in that it punishes one class of persons in a different manner than persons not of that class for committing the same offense, and for this reason is unconstitutional. Section 3 is open to similar objections, for the reason that pardoning power is vested elsewhere than in the executive, as provided by the constitution.

For these reasons I withhold my approval of this act. I regret that I feel obliged to do this, as I am thoroughly in favor of an act for the protection of the public against this class of persons.

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the vote whereby
H. F. No. 15, A bill to punish tramps.
Was passed, was reconsidered, and
On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the bill with the Governor's Message, relating thereto.
Was referred to the committee on judiciary for recommendation as to whether the bill shall pass notwithstanding the Governor's veto.
The House resumed the consideration of
H. F. No. 229. A bill to provide for the adjustment of the Minnesota State Railroads Bonds
The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment offered by Mr. Wilson, and the yeas and nays being called for and ordered,
There were yeas 39, and nays 60, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Asleson, Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Dean, Flom, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J. Baxter L. L., Braley, Callender, Child, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs, Halgren, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the amendment was lost.

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On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

FORTY-THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL, Tuesday, March 1, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent: Messrs. Graling and Kniss.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

On motion of Mr. Smith

H. F. No. 20, A bill relating to foreign corporations,

Was recalled from the Governor for further consideration.

Mr. Hicks moved that the House resolve itself into the committee of the whole on

H. F. No. 229 and 230, and moved the previous question.

The question being, shall the main question be now put.

The question being taken upon the motion that the House resolve itself into the committee of the whole,

The motion prevailed, and the House went into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Baxter L. L. in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 229, A bill to provide for the adjustment of the Minnesota State railroad bonds.

Which they report back with amendments, with the recommendation that the bill do pass as amended.

H. F. No. 230, A bill to provide for the adjustment of the Minnesota State Railroad Bonds.

Which they report back, with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

Mr. Dunn moved a call of the House, which was ordered, and the clerk called the roll.

On motion of Mr. Hicks further proceedings under the roll were dispensed with.

S. F. No. 229, A bill to provide for the adjustment of the Minnesota State Railroad Bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays 39, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J.,

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Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Callender, Child, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Halgren, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Asleson, Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Dean, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Mott, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 330, A bill to provide far the adjustment of the Minnesota State railroad bonds,

Was read the third time; and put upon its final passage,

Pending which, Mr. Sabin moved a call of the House,

Which was ordered, and the Clerk called the roll.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L., further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The question being taken upon the passage of

H. F. No. 330,

There were yeas 76, and nays 25, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Asleson, Buckman, Burger, Churchill, Colquhoun, Dean, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hulebak, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Peterson P. A., Redding, Rosebrock, Sheardown, Snure Southard, Stedjee, Van Hoesen, and Wilson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

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A quorum present.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from His Excellenc the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, March 1, 1881.

HON. LOREN FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—In pursuance with a resolution of the House of Representatives, I herewith return to the House H. F. No. 20, an act relating to foreign corporations.

Very respectfully,
J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the action of the House had upon
H. F. No. 20, A bill relating to foreign corporations,
Was reconsidered, and
Mr. Smith moved that the bill be amended as follows:

"Provided, that no such corporation shall acquire or hold, at any one time, more than one hundred thousand acres of land in this State, and that all lands acquired by it shall be sold within twenty-one years of their acquisition, except such lands as may be acquired by it under mortgage foreclosure or forfeiture of contracts for the sale thereof, which shall be disposed of by it within fifteen years after such acquisition or forfeiture; and, Provided further, said corporation shall appoint an agent, or attorney, residing within this State, upon whom all process may be served, which appointment shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State."

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 612, A bill to create a special school district in Sibley county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Buckman, Burger, Caine, Child, Churchill, Cornish, Cutts,

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Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Griggs, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Huhn, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Plaisance, Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Colquhoun, Northness Porter T. C., and Thompson J.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 591, A bill to provide for reporting, publishing and selling of Minnesota reports,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows .

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 675, A joint resolution directing the State Treasurer to destroy certain Minnesota Railroad bonds owned by the State,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as fol-

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Anndus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Buckman, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J., Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 311, A bill to provide a better system of land surveys in this State,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 34, and nays 40, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baxter J., Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Kidder, Kneeland, Lewis, Moore, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

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Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Buckman, Butterfield, Callender, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Gardner, Griggs, Hanscom, Hill, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Loveland, McAndrews, McMaster, Norrish, PetersonP. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C, Post, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Schmidt, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 561, A bill to change the name of certain towns in Lyon county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Mott, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson, J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 585, A bill to legalize and establish the boundaries of school district in Sibley county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 596, A bill to add certain territory to Faribault school district, Rice county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Buckman, Caine, Callender, Daniels, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabir, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 599, A bill to amend an act to authorize the city of St. Cloud, to issue bonds in aid of the improvement of the Mississippi river water power,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 610, A bill to enable the town of Sauk Center, in the county of Stearns, the county of Todd, and the towns and incorporated villages therein to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Baker, Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Dean, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Klossner, Loveland, Mott, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 603, A bill to regulate the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals, in the counties of Meeker and Kandiyohi

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messes. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denny, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Loveland, Moore, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 604, A bill to prevent cattle and other domestic animals from running at large in the town of Sumpter, McLeod county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denny, Gardner, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kidder, Kneeland, Loveland, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 625, A bill to amend section 17, chapter 84, of Special Laws of 1875, entitled an act to provide fishways in the Zumbro river.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 44, and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Daniels, Dodge, Griggs, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Sabin, Sanborn, Snure, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Loveland, Porter O. S., Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard.

So the bill was lost.

On motion of Mr. Hill, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 625, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 84 of the Special Laws of 1875.

Was again put upon its final passage,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Mott, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Stone, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Rosebrock, Schmidt, Searles and Wagner.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 557, A bill to authorize any town or incorporated village in the county of Washington to aid in the construction of the Stillwater & Hastings Railway,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Child, Churchill, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 607, A bill to amend chapter 21 of the Special Laws of 1867, being an act to reduce the act incorporating the city of Rochester,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child. Churchill, Cornish, Daniels, Geary, Griggs, Hanscom. Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 630, A bill to legalize the organization of certain towns in Lac qui Parle county, and to legalize the official acts of the board of supervisors,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baldwin, Baker, Bookwalter, Buckman, Baxter, Caine. Churchill, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom. Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 629, A bill to repeal chapter 62 of the Special Laws of 1873, relating to Chisago lakes,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles,

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Sheardown, Snure, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 628, A bill to amend chapter 1 of Special laws of 1873, entitled an act to incorporate the city of St. Peter,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Loveland, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 619, A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 58, and annex the same to school district 59, in Rice county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kohlmier, Loveland, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 624, A bill to authorize the town of Lake Marshall to abolish, maintain and regulate a cemetery to said town,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baxter J., Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Dean, Donahue, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 600, A bill to authorize the towns of Stearns and Sherburne counties to issue bonds,

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Cutts, Dean, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Moore, Mott, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 614, A bill to create a special school district in Sibley county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 623, A bill to amend chapter 19 of the Special Laws of 1878, entitled an act to incorporate the village of Pine Island,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Moore, Mott, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 617, A bill to detach territory from School District No. 22 and annex the same to School District No. 15 in Rice county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Andrus, Baker, Baxter L. L., Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Love-

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land, Moore, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske. and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 616, A bill to reduce the law incorporating the village of Jordan, in the county of Scott,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter, L. L., Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Mott, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Taralsan, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thomson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 637, A bill to regulate and establish the compensation of county surveyor of Goodhue county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Gardner, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Moore, Mott, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 634, A bill to repeal chapter 281 of the Special Laws, of 1879, to prohibit the catching of fish, in certain lakes, in Rice county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 638, A bill to authorize the city of Red Wing and towns and villages in Goodhue county, to issue bonds to aid in the construction of the Red Wing & Iowa Railroad,

Was read a third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No 589, A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis, to issue bonds for certain purposes therein specified,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 643, A bill in relation to the salaries of treasurer and auditor of Blue Earth county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 595, A bill to annex certain territory to Dundas independent school district, in Rice county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Child, Churchill, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Juelson, Kennedy, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 590, A bill to permanently locate the county seat of Chippewa county at Montevedio.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Moore Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. N. 645, A bill to amend an act incorporating the city of Mankato,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 631, A bill to legalilize certain taxes for Lac Qui Parle,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson Baker; Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock,

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Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its titled agreed to.

H. F. No. 632, A bill to legalize the organization of certain school districts in Lac qui Parle county, amd to legalize the official acts of the trustees of said districts,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 609, A bill to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Delano, in Wright county.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Butterfield, Caine, Child. Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Ives, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S, Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Stone Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 52, A bill to amend an act to locate a State road on the county line between the counties of Scott, Le Sueur and Rice.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish- Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Garnder, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice- Sabin, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J.. Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title was agreed to.

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S. F. No. 139, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Brown county to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 210, A bill relating to the salary of the judges of probate, of Scott county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Van Hoesen, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 220, A bill to locate and establish a State road from Verndale to Kindred, in Wadena county, and appropriate money for the same,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 243, A bill to authorize the board of education of the city of St. Paul to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Huhn, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker,

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 262, A bill to amend the several acts incorporating the borough of Belle Plaine, in the county of Scott,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S. Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thomson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 278, A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 57, of the General Laws of 1879, relating to the terms of the district court in Murray county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Braley, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Huhn, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 294, A bill to authorize the village of Fergus Falls, in Otter Tail county to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J. Bookwalter, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Haw-

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lins, Henry, Hicks, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, Mott, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. Nos. 39, 41, 49, 54, 57, 74, 80, 84, 85, 105, 138, 186, 214, 230, 266, 267, 283, 300, 363, 398, 418, 427, 268, 194, 522, 541, 622, 655, 657 and

S. F. No. 282, A bill to change the names of certain persons therein named,

Reported the same back with a substitute, recommending that the substitute do pass.

The report was adopted, and the substitute being

H. F. No. 676,

Was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 676, A bill to change the name of certain persons therein named,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 346, A bill to provide for establishing a State capito building fund,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 35, and nays 41, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Boser, Callender, Colquhoun, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Griggs, Hawkins, Huhn, Juelson, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Mott, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C, Redding, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Searles, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Gardner, Geary,

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Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Kneeland, Loveland, McAndrews, cMaster, Moore, M Peterson A., Porter O. S., Post, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Tone, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Amundson offered the following resolution:

Which was lost.

Resolved, That the hour for the meeting of this House shall be 9 o'clock A. M., from this day until the close of the session.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman reports that he has compared H. F. Nos. 219 and 546 and finds the same correctly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House took a recess until 7:45 o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

The House met at 7:45 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

Mr Baxter L. L., offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be, and hereby is, authorized to employ such additional help as is necessary to expedite the engrossment of bills.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

The Senate having requested the return to the Senate of

S. F. No. 306, A bill to reimburse V. P. Kennedy for money actually paid out in the contested election case of V. P. Kennedy against Wm. M. Campbell,

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the request of the Senate was complied with, and the bill returned to the Senate as requested.

GENERAL ORDERS

Having been reached, the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole,

Mr. Rice in the Chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 534, A bill to provide for the surrender of a principal by his surety.

H. F. No. 536, A bill to authorize clerks of courts of record to issue subpœnas, &c.

H. F. No. 537, A bill to increase the number of justices of the supreme court.

H. F. No. 523, A bill to provide a transcript of the government plats.

H. F. No. 533, A bill to punish rowdyism on railway cars.

H. F. No. 532, A bill to amend section 27, cchapter 27 of General Statutes.

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H. F. No. 453, A bill providing for a State mineralogist, and defining his duties.

Which they report back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

H. F. No. 581, A bill, substitute for

H. F. No. 198, To provide for inspectors of steam boilers.

Which they report back with amendments, with the recommendation that the bill do pass as amended.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the report of the committee of the whole was adopted.

On motion, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Wednesday, March 2, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs: Bookwalter, Denby, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Huhn, Kidder, Kniss, Linnell, Northness, Porter O. S., Schmidt and Stewart.

On motion of Mr. Denny, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 2, 1881.

Mr. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has adopted the following resolution, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

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Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That the Senate and House do now adjourn forthwith, to meet at Market Hall, in the city of St. Paul, at 11 o'clock A. M., this day.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr, Hicks, the House concurred in the Senate resolution to the adjournment of the Senate and the House.

And the house adjourned until 11 o'clock A. M. of this day.

SAINT PAUL, Wednesday, March 2, 1881.

The House met at 11 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

The roll being called the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Bookwalter, Callender, Denby, Flom, Gardner, Graling, Huhn, Kendall, Kniss, Kneeland, Linnell, Porter O. S., Post, Schmidt and Stewart.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 677, A bill to authorize the Governor to provide suitable offices for the executive, legislative and judicial officers of the State of Minnesota,

Which was read the first time, and,

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 677,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House resolved itself into the committee of the whole.

Mr. Denny in the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and reported that they had had under consideration

H. F. No. 550, A bill to amend the General Statutes in regard to the use of text books in public schools.

H. F. No. 577, A bill relating to swamp lands.

H. F. No. 642 A bill relating to the Northwestern Railway Company.

Which they report back with amendments, with the recommendation that the bills do pass as amended.

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H. F. No. 608, A bill relating to sheriff boarding prisoners in Blue Earth county.

H. F. No. 578, A bill in relation to life insurance companies.

H. F. No. 620, A bill to appropriate money to Le Sueur county agricultural society

H. F. No. 621, A bill relating to fire arms to minors.

H. F. No. 626, A bill in relation to taxes in town of Two Rivers.

H. F. No. 601, A bill relating to actions brought to determine adverse claims to real estate under section 2 of chapter 75, General Statutes of 1878.

H. F. No. 537, A bill in relation to the salary of J. Schroeder.

H. F. No. 528, A bill relating to villages and towns issuing bonds.

H. F. No. 594, A bill relating to judicial districts.

S. F. No. 167, A bill relating to a bridge across Chisago Lake.

S. F. No. 242, A bill relating to the institute for deaf, dumb and blind.

S. F. No. 321, A bill relating to Minneapolis post office site.

Which they report back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

H. F. No. 559, A bill relating to swamp lands.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be referred to Mr. Kneeland.

H. F. No. 598, A bill relating to a bridge across Rabbit river.

Which they report back with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on finance.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 2, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has concurred in the House amendments to the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 229, An act providing for the adjustment of the Minnesota State railroad bonds.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sabin, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 466, A bill to amend and consolidate the city of Stillwater,

The question being taken on the paesage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J. Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, McCracken, Moore, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kendall,

S. F. Nos. 180 and 290,

Were placed on file for their third reading.

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On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House took a recess until 3 o'clock, this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 3 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

Mr. Wilson offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that any money which may be received by the State for or on account of insurance on the State Library be, and the same is hereby, placed at the disposal of the judges of the Supreme Court, to be used in the purchase of law books for the State Law Library.

Mr Dunn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be, and he is hereby, authorized to issue a certificate in favor of F. H. Dayton, Sergeant-at-Arms, for the sum of twenty-five (25) dollars, for services rendered by him in serving subpœnas in the matter of the investigation of the State Prison contract, and the railroads investigation.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the House non-concurred in the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that 1,000 copies of the report of the special investigating committee of the Asylum for the Insane, at St. Peter, be printed under the supervision of said committee

Also, the House non-concurred in the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that the testimony accompanying the report of said committee be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That members and officers whose manuals, with their names printed on, were destroyed by fire, may report the same to Secretary of State, who is hereby directed to furnish them new ones printed in a like manner as those destroyed.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the House proceeded to the

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 578, A bill to regulate life insurance companies doing business in this State,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 18, and nays 59, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Baxter J., Buckman. Caine, Collins, Cutts, Donahue, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Moore Porter T. C., Redding, Rice. Roberts, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hawkins, Henry, Huhn, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 594, A bill to fix the times for the holding of general terms of the district court in the 12th judicial district,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall. Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 537, A bill to appropriate money to pay salary of John Schroeder,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays 7, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Collins, Comstock, Denny, Dunn, Gardner, Geary Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson, A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrinton, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J , Tether, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Butterfield, Cutts, McCracken, Stedjee and Wagner.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 601. A bill relating to actions brought to determine whose claim to rent under section 2 of chapter 75, General Statutes,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter, O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 626, A bill to legalize the tax levied on the town of Two Rivers, Morrison county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Ives Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanbarn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 608, A bill to establish the fees of the sheriff of the county of Blue Earth for board of prisoners,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 61, and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Boser, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denby, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Burger, Dunn, Loveland, Sheardown and Thornton.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 621, A bill to prohibit persons from selling, giving or loaning fire arms to minors,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Braley, Buckman, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, Norrish, Northness Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Burger, Dean and Stone.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 620, A bill to appropriate money to pay the Le Sueur agricultural society its share of the appropriation for 1879,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Denby, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. Cutts and Henry voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 523, A bill to provide a transcript of the government plats and field-notes of the several counties of the State for the use of the surveyors thereof,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, McAndrews, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 219, A bill to reimburse Rice county for the expense of the trial of Herbert Hutchinson.

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Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baldwin, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. McCracken and Stedjee voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 546, A bill to encourage timber culture, and provide a compensation therefor,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, PorterO. S., Post, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, VanHoesen, Wagner, Washburn Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Kneeland, McCracken and Porter T. C.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 531, A bill to increase the number of the associate justices of the Supreme Court,

Was read the third time, pending which

Mr. Sanborn moved a call of the House,

Which was ordered, and the clerk called the roll.

On motion of Mr. Mott, further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 78, and nays 13, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

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Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Colquhoun, Flom, Hulebak, Juelson, Klossner, Norrish, Peterson A., Tone and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 453, A bill providing a State Mineragolist, and defining his duties and compensation,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 26, and nays 40, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Bohland, Buckman, Child, Collins, Comstock, Dean, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs, Hanscom, Ives, Kendall, Moore, Post, Purrington, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Washburn, Wiley, and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Baxter J., Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Flom, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Klossner, Loveland, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Tone, Tether, Wagner and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 344, A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 47 of the General Laws of 1875,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 57, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter, J., Bohland, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Sanborn, Sheardown, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. Mott and Thomson J. voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Dunn on leave offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, that H. F. No. 349, A bill providing for the suspension and removal of county treasurers for malfeasance or nonfeasance in office, and for the appointment of county treasurer *ad interem*, having passed the House, and in possession of the Senate, was burned in the capitol fire, that the chief clerk be authorized to endorse on the printed bill for proper record entry of the passage of the bill, and transmit the same to the Senate in place of the one so lost, and request the same action by the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Hicks,

The same action was taken upon

H. F. No. 326, A bill to authorize any railroad company to lease

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purchase or in any way become owner of or control any other railroad company or to consolidate therewith.

H. F. No. 533, A bill to punish rowdyism on railways cars,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Buckman, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Mott, Norrish, Northnees, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 532, A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 27 of the General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messes. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Gardner, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post. Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 546, A bill to encourage timber culture and to provide a compensation therefor,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 2, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate File herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 377, An act to enforce the payment of taxes which became delinquent in and prior to 1879.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Collins the rules were suspended, and

S. F. No. 377, A bill to enforce the payment of taxes which became delinquent in and prior to the year 1879,

Was read the first and second times, and by unanimous consent the bill was amended, and

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 71, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Gardner, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 536, A bill to authorize acts of courts of record to issue subpœnas to appear and testify before the register and recovery of the United States land offices in this State,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Baker, Baldwin, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 550, A bill to amend section 176, chapter 36, General Statutes, in regard to the use of text books in the public schools,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays 25, as follows:

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Braley, Butterfield, Cornish, Daniels, Dunn, Griggs, Hayes, Hill, Klossner, McCracken, Mott, Peterson A., Putnam, Rosebrock, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Stone, Wiley and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

The following messages was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following House File, with an amendment in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested:

H. F. No. 329. An act conferring the organization and certain purchases of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, and in relation to the charter, powers, franchises and property of said company.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F No. 329, A bill confirming the organization and certain purchases of the St. Paul & Manitoba Railroad Company,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr Wilson the vote whereby
H. F. No. 346, Was lost,
Was reconsidered,
And the bill was again put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Braley, Collins, Comstock, Sabin, Stewart, Stone and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 577, A bill to grant swamp lands to aid in constructing of the Minneapolis & Southwestern Railroad,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 36, and nays 44, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baxter J., Braley, Burger, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Donahue, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kneeland. Lewis, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Purrington, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Stone, Tharalson, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Huhn, Hulebak, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rosebrock, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 528, A bill to authorize certain cities, boroughs and towns to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins,, Herberger, Hicks, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson, J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 534, A bill to provide for the surrender of a principal by his surety,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Lewis, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 581, A bill to provide for the inspection of steam boilers:

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Butterfield Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P, A., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Thornton, Thompson, J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Hicks moved that the vote whereby
H. F. No. 537,
Was passed, be reconsidered,
Which motion prevailed,
And the bill was referred to Mr. Comstock.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Rice, from the committee on claims, to which was referred the claim of the

Pioneer Press Company,

Report the same back by resolution:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the House be directed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer for the sum of $191.25, in payment of the bill of Pioneer Press Company, for lithographing and engraving.

The report was adopted, and the claim ordered paid.

Mr. Norrish, from the committee on finance, to whom was referred H. F. No. 654,

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that it do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Kneeland, from the special committee, to whom was referred H. F. No. 559, A bill granting swamp lands to aid in the construction of the line of railroad of the St. Paul & Dubuque Railroad Co.,

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the amendment

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of Mr. Dunn to said bill be stricken therefrom, and the bill pass when so amended.

The bill, as amended, was read and placed on file for the second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman, from the committee on engrossment beg leave to report that they have examined

H. F. Nos. 577, 581 and 534, and find them correctly engrossed.

On motion, the House took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

The House met at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Allen introduced—

H. F. No. 678, A bill creating a new school district in the towns of Red Rock and Dexter, in Mower county.

On motion of Mr. Allen, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Mott offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the House of Representatives the Senate concurring that the State Superintendent of Public Instruction with the advise and assistance of the attorney general is hereby directed to codify the school laws of the State arranging all amendments of the last four years in their proper places, and adding such blank forms and opinions of attorney general as may be deemed necessary.

Resolved, that he is also directed to secure at the expenses of the State from the party authorized to print this class of work the printing of an eddition of 12,000 copies in pamphlet form manilla covers for the use of school officers and others concerned in the execution of the school laws.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution, and the yeas and nays being called for and ordered.

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Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Burger, Collins, Cutts, Denny, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hawkins, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Tone, Tether, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Caine, Donahue, Kendall and Kennedy.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 1, 1881.

S. F. No. 240, An act to repeal chapter 189, Special Laws of 1872, relating to compensation of judges of district and common pleas courts of Ramsey county.

S. F. No. 368, An act to amend section 26 of chapter 371, Generaf Statutes of 1878, relating to transfer of State salt lands to Regents ol State University.

S. F. No. 369, An act to extend the jurisdiction of the city of Albert Lea, and extend its western boundries.

S. F. No. 280, An act to amend section 35, chapter 70 of the General Statutes, 1878, relating to fees.

S. F. No. 307, An act to provide for the representation of the State at the International Exposition of 1883, at New York City.

S. F. No. 332, An act to appropriate money for the payment of clerk hire in the Adjutant General's office for the years 1879 and 1880.

S. F. No. 338, An act relating to the fees of clerk of district courts, and registers of deeds in certain counties.

S. F. No. 372, An act to authorize the county commissioners of St. Louis county to increase the allowance to the auditor of said county.

S. F. No. 214, An act proposing an amendment to section 2 of article 8 of the constitution, relating to the sale of swamp lands and of the disposition of moneys derived therefrom.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No 445, A bill authorizing the city of St. Paul to construct a permanent roadway over Phalen's creek.

H. F. No. 658. A bill to authorize the village of Fairmount to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 659, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Martin county to issue bonds for the erection of court house and jail.

H. F. No. 613, A bill to restrain cattle from running at large in Houstin county.

The Senate has adopted the report of the conference committee upon H. F. No. 33,

And receded from its amendment, which reads:

"12th, for changing the boundaries of common school districts."

And has passed the bill without that amendment.

The Senate has also adopted the report of the conference committee upon the disagreement upon

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S. F. No. 15, A bill for the encouragement of higher education: amending the House amendment, and has therein concurred in the House amendment, and passed the bill as amended.

The Senate respectfully asks the return of

H. F. No. 466,

To the Senate for further consideration.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, March 2, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Fles herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 378, An act to appropriate money to reimburse the employes of the Insane Asylum at St. Peter for losses at the recent fire.

S. F. No. 322, Joint resolution directing the Attorney General to proceed against the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 553, An act entitled an act to reduce the law incorporating the village of Morris, county of Stevens, and the act amendatory thereof into one act, and to amend the same.

H. F. No. 557, An act to authorize any town or incorporate village in the county of Washington, to aid in the construction of the Stillwater & Hastings railroad.

H. F. No. 351, An act to amend section 149, of chapter 8, General Statutes 1878, relating to county treasurers.

H. F. No. 100, An act relating to the jurisdiction of the municipal courts of the cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis, in action of forcible entry and unlawful detainer of lands and tenants.

H. F. No. 368, An act to detach certain territory frem school district No. 109, in Goodhue county, and attach the same to joint school district No. 50, in Wabasha county.

H F. No. 323, An act to amend section 162, chapter 36, General Statutes 1878, relating to the duties of the State Treasurer in receipting for State text book funds.

H. F. No. 548, An act relating to the maintenance of a bridge across Rum river, Isanti county.

H. F. No. 485, An act to authorize the appointment of an agent to presecute certain land claims against the United St. tes.

H. F. No. 517, An act to prevent cattle and other domestic animals from running at large in the county of Winona.

H. F. No. 486, An act relating to the duties of county treasurers and the care of the public funds.

H. F. No. 589, An act to authorize the city of Minneapolis to issue bonds for certain purposes therein specified.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 2, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No 372½, An act to amend section 2 of chapter 91 of the General Laws of the year 1874, relating to terms of the district court in the county of Rock.

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S. F. No. 252, An act to amend an act to allow the common council of St. Paul to lay out a levee and street, approved March 8, 1879.

S. F. No. 373, An act to incorporate the village of Olivia, in the county of Renville, in the State of Minnesota.

S. F. No. 374, An act to authorize the commissioners of Blue Earth county to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 16, and attach the same to School District No. 90, said county.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files, herewith returned.

H. F. No. 573, An act authorizing school district No. 63, Mower county, to issue bonds to refund outstanding bonds, and to build a new school house.

H. F. No. 580, An act to authorize the trustees of school district No. 61, in the county of Washington, to condemn lands for a school house site.

H. F. No. 496, An act to detach certain territory from the town of Rose and attach the same to the town of Reserve, in Ramsey county, in this State.

H. F. No. 502, An act to provide for surveying, locating and establishing a State road between Ramsey and Washington counties.

H. F. No. 586, An act to detach certain territory therein described from Independent School District No. 1, of Polk county.

H. F. No. 565, An act to create a school district out of certain territory in Polk county.

H. F. No. 605, An act to fix the salary of the Attorney General.

H. F. No. 587, An act to appropriate money to reimburse Polk county for money paid in the prosecution of Alexander Gillen for murder.

H. F. No. 606, An act to fix the salary of the chief clerk in the State Auditor's office.

H. F. No. 477, An act to amend section 23, chapter 116, General Statutes, 1878, relating to challenging jurors.

H. F. No. 476. An act to restore John Franklin Sherman to citizenship.

H. F. No 475, A bill creating a joint school district in Mower and Freeborn counties.

H. F. No 385, An act in relation to public schools in Brown's valley.

H. F. No. 441, An act to amend section 2, of chapter 206, of the Special Laws, of 1878, and repeling chapter 260, of the Special Laws of 1879.

H. F. No. 298, An act to authorize the village of Redwood Falls, and any town in Redwood county to issue bonds to aid in the building of railroads.

H. F. No. 540, An act to prevent the destruction of fish during the spawning season.

H. F. No. 434., An act to prevent the running at large of cattle or other domestic animals in the county of Hennepin, State of Minnesota.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Also, that the Senate has concurred in the amendments by the House, to the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 140, An act extending the time of payment for seed grain furnished sufferers from grasshopper ravages under chapter 94 of the General Laws of 1878.

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S. F. No. 159, An act to amend section 1, chapter 52, General Statutes 1878, relating to the estates of deceased persons.

S. F. No. 201, An act to appropriate money for the support of the several State institutions therein named for the years 1881 and 1882, and to prescribe the manner of distributing the same.

S. F. No. 174, An act entitled an act regulating the time for holding the terms of district court in the county of Freeborn, in the 10th judicial district.

S. F. No. 72, An act to confirm the sale of the line of railway of the Southern Minnesota Railway Company, extending from La Crescent on the Mississippi river in the county of Houston, in a westerly direction to the west line of the State with the branch thereof to Mankato, and to authorize the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company the purchaser thereof, to own and operate the same.

S. F. No. 8, An act to legalize the acts of Allen D. Ferris, guardian of Emma A. Sherwin, Minnie M. Sherwin and Charles F. Sherwin, minor heirs-at-law of Charles A. Sherwin, deceased, and Harvey W. Brookins, guardian of John J. Sherwin, Etta May Sherwin and Edward H. Sherwin, minor heirs-at-law of John E. Sherwin, deceased, in making sale of certain real estate belonging to said minors.

SENATE CHAMBER, February 24, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 107, An act to provide for the assessment and taxation of telegraph lines.

S. F. No. 124, An act for the relief of sick and disabled firemen.

S. F. No. 125, An act to amend section 13 and 23 of title 3 of chapter 1 of the General Laws of 1872.

S. F. No. 135, An act making the expense of locating and establishing county roads in Le Sueur county a county charge.

S. F. No. 161, An act to confer additional powers upon the St. Louis River Dalles Improvement Company in respect to the improvement of the St. Louis river and the tributaries thereof, for logs and lumber.

S. F. No. 188, An act to amend chapter 75, General Laws of 1877, and chapter 2, General Laws 1878.

S. F. No. 264, An act to amend section 31 of chapter 40, General Statutes of 1878, relating to seals.

S. F. No. 299, An act relating to revoking liquor licenses upon conviction of any person selling liquor in violation of law.

S. F. No. 300, An act to appropriate money in aid of the Mississippi river commission.

S. F. No. 322, A joint resolution directing the Attorney General to proceed against St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company on account of its failure to build the railroad from St. Anthony via, Minneapolis to Shakopee city, as required by its charter and land grant.

S. F. No. 333, An act to amend chapter 24 of Special Laws of 1878, and acts amendatory thereof, relating to the incorporation of Rush city.

S. F. No. 335, An act for the preservation of fish in the town of Afton, Washington county.

S. F. No. 337, An act to locate a State road from Meeker's Mill to Ashley in Grant county.

The Senate has non-concurred in the House amendment to the Senate amendment to

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H. F. No. 269, An act to amend chapter 20 of the General Laws of 1868, relating to the organization of persons as chambers of commerce, &c.

And asks a committee of conference to meet a committee of the Senate on the disagreement, which committee consists of Senators Crooks, Langdon and Tiffany.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate has directed me to ask of the House the return of

S. F. No. 322, Joint resolution directing the attorney general to proceed against the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company, &c., for further consideration.

Also, that the Senate has ordered a committee of conference on the disagreement upon House File No. 33, and

Senators Wilson and Campbell are such committee on the part of the Senate.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 313, A bill proposing an amendment to section 1, of article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 54, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Tharalson, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Gould, Kennedy and McCracken.

So the bill as amended, was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 365, A bill to amend chapter 1 of the General Laws of 1878.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Comstock, Cutts, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended was passed and its title agreed to.

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On motion, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 15, A bill to encourage higher education.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 76, A bill to amend chapter 101 of General Statutes of 1878,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 100, A bill relating to the jurisdiction of the municipal courts of the cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis, in actions of forcible entry and detention of lands and tenements,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 63, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dodge, Donanue, Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoeson, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. McCracken voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 642, A bill to enable the Chicago & Northwestern Railway company, to acquire and construct, maintain and operate railroads,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Haves, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Loveland, Mott, Norrish Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn,
S. F. Nos. 99 and 9, and
H. F. No. 272,
Were referred to Messrs. Dunn and Allen, to report from among them a bill to be considered by the House.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 319, A bill to appropriate money for erecting a building for the schools for idiots and imbeciles,

Was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 366, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Redwood Falls,

Was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file its second reading.

S. F. No. 161, A bill relating to the St. Louis River Dalles Improvement Company,

Was read the first time.

Mr. Kendall moved that

S. F. No. 161 Be read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Sabin moved to amend to refer the bill to the committee on judiciary.

Which was lost.

The question recurring on the original motion,

It was adopted.

And the bill was referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Dunn from the special committee to whom was referred
H. F. No. 272, and
S. F. Nos. 9, and 99, with an amendment to said
H. F. No. 9, the recommendation that
S. F. No. 99, and
H. F. No. 272, be indefinitely postponed, and that
S. F. No. 9, do pass as amended.
The report was adopted, and

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S. F. No. 9, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 39 of the General Laws, of 1879, providing for a State bounty for the destruction of woves,

Was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, HComstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Portor T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebroek, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 345, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Crookston,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Sampson.

S. F. No. 346, A bill to authorize the city of Crookston to issue bonds.

S. F. No. 378, A bill to appropriate money to reimburse the employes of the Insane Asylum at St. Peter for the loss at the recent fire,

Was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bills were placed on file for their second reading.

S. F. No. 347, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Crookston,

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Sampson.

S. F. N. 348, A bill to legalize taxes levied by the city of Crookston.

Was read the first time, and referred to Mr. Sampson.

S. F. No. 338, A bill relating to the fees of clerks of district courts and registers of deeds in certain counties,

Was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 322, A joint resolution directing the Attorney General to proceed against the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company,

Was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 188, A bill to amend chapter 75, General Laws of 1877, of chapter 2, General Laws,

Was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 349, A memorial to Congress,

Was read the first time, and the rules being suspended, the bill was placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 214, A bill to amend section 2 of article 8 of the constitution relating to the sale of swamp lands, and the disposition of moneys derived therefrom,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays 6, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Collins, Hill, Ives, Kendall, Moore and Smith.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 322, A joint resolution directing the Attorney General to proceed against the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company,

Was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the bill was referred to the committee on judiciary, with instruction to report by 10 o'clock, to-morrow morning.

S. F. No. 298, A bill to authorize the clerk of district court of Blue Earth county to transcribe a portion of the records of his office,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 336, A bill to amend chapter 104, of the General Laws of 1874,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 265, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Marshall county to issue bonds,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 49, A bill to amend an act granting swamp lands to aid the Minneapolis & St. Cloud Railroad company building branches to connect with the Lake Superior & Mississippi railroad,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 253, A bill to appropriate money for the payment of the salary of the State Prison,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 161, A bill to confer additional powers upon the St. Louis River Dalles Improvement Company,

Was read the first time, and the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second time and referred to the committee of the whole.

S. F No. 320, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Dakota county to adjust the claim of Timothy Ryan,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 307, A bill to provide a representative of the State at the International exposition of 1883 at New York City,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 344, A bill to amend an act to authorize school district No. 1 in Scott county, to issue bonds,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 343, A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to assume and provide for the payment of certain bonded indebtedness of school district No 119, in Hennepin county,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

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S. F. No. 380, A bill to authorize the State Librarian to collect insurance on books, and to purchase books therewith for the State Library,

Was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 204, A bill to authorize the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company to acquire, construct, maintain and operate railroads in the State.

Was read the first time, and

On motion the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter, J., Boser, Buckman, Caine, Churchill, Collins Colquhoun, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Holgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 378, A bill to appropriate money to reimburse the employees of the Insane Asylum at St Peter for their losses at the recent fire,

Was read the first time, and

On motion the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 77, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kindall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish,

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Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post Pnrrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson, J., Tether Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 2, 1881.

Mr. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate File, herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 380, An act to authorize the State Librarian to collect in sundry books for the State Library.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House bills herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 619, An act to detach certain territory from School District No 58, and annex the same to School District No. 59, in Rice county.

H. F. No. 639, An act for regulating and establishing the compensation of county surveyor of Goodhue county.

H. F. No. 614, An act to create a special school district in Sibley county.

H. F. No. 638, An act to authorize the city of Red Wing, and towns and villages in Goodhue county, to issue bonds to aid in the construction of the Red Wing & Iowa Railroad.

H. F. No. 612, An act to create a special school district in Sibley county.

H. F. No. 596, An act to add certain territory to Faribault School District, in Rice county.

H. F. No. 595, An act to annex certain territory to Dundas Independent School District No. 4, in Rice county.

H. F. No. 664, An act to repeal chapter 281 of the Special Laws of 1879, an act to prohibit the catching of fish in certain lakes and waters in Rice county.

H. F. No. 724, An act to authorize the town of Lake, Marshall to establish, maintain and regulate a cemetery in said town.

H. F. No. 630, An act to legalize the organization of certain towns in Lac qui Parle county, and to legalize the official acts of the boards of supervisors and all other officers of said towns.

H. F. No. 561, An act to change the name of certain towns in Lyon county.

H. F. No. 585, An act to legalize and establish theboundaries of school district in Sibley county.

H. F. No. 645, An act to amend an act incorporating the city of Mankato.

H. F. No. 616, An act to reduce the law incorporating the village of Jordan, in the county of Scott and State of Minnesota, and the several acts amendatory thereof into one act and to amend the same.

H. F. No 604, An act to prevent cattle and other domestic animals from running at large in the town of Sumpter, McLeod county.

H. F. No. 676, An act to change the names of certain persons therein named.

H. F. No. 562, An act to amend section 1, of chapter 10, Special Laws, 1878, and creating two new sections, being an act incorporating the village of Torpe.

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H. F. No. 129, An act to repeal chapter 185, of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the service of summons in Ramsey county.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

S. F. No. 179, A bill to prevent debtors from giving preference to creditors, and to secure the equal distribution of the property of debtors among their creditors, and for the release of debts against debtors,

Which was read the first time and referred to the committee on judiciary, with instructions to report at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 2, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 160, An act to provide for the laying out and establishing certain road in Ramsey county.

H. F. No. 609, An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Delano, in Wright county."

H. F. No. 617, An act to detach certain territory from school district No. 22, and annex the same to school district No. 15, Rice county.

H. F. No. 599, An act to amend an act entitled an act to authorize the city of St. Cloud, to issue bonds in aid of the improvement of the Mississippi river water power.

H. F. No. 333, An act to amend the charter of the village of Worthington.

H. F. 625. An act to amend section 1, of chapter 84, of the Special Laws of 1875, entitled an act to provide for fishways on the Zumbro river, between its mouth and the Oronoco village and the city of Rochester.

H. F. No. 631, an act to legalize certain taxes in Lac Quie Parle county.

H. F. No. 632, An act to legalize the organization of certain school districts in Lac Qui Parle county, and to legalize official acts of the trustees of said districts.

H. F. No. 590, An act to permanently locate and establish the county seat of Chippewa county, at Montevidio, in said county.

H. F. No. 623, An act to amend chapter 19, of the Special Laws of 1878, entitled an act to incorporate the village of Pine Island, county of Goodhue, State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 264, An act granting ferry privileges to Garrison D. Post and others.

H. F. No. 322, An act to authorize and require each town in the county of Goodhue to support its own poor.

H. F. No. 648, An act to detach certain territory therein described from Independent School District No. 1, in Clay county.

H. F. No. 493, An act to incorporate the village of St. Vincent, in Kittson county.

H. F. No. 571, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 4 of the Special Laws of the year A. D. 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Young America.

H. F. No. 584, An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to purchase a site for and erect a jail for said county, and to provide for the payment thereof.

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H. F. No. 675, A joint resolution directing the State Treasurer to destroy certain Minnesota railroad bonds.

Also that the Senate has passed the following House File with an amendment, in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested:

H. F. No. 305, An act to detach the county of Grant from the seventh judicial district and from the county of Douglas for judicial purposes.

Also, that the Senate has concurred in the amendment by the House to the following Senate File:

S. F. No. 377, An act to enforce the payment of taxes which became delinquent in and prior to the year 1879.

Also, that the Senate has concurred in the House amendment to the following House File herewith returned:

H. F. No. 20, An act relating to foreign corporations.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 263, A bill to authorize the construction of a railway across the Bay of Duluth, and granting lands under the water in aid thereof,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 191, A bill to provide for the discharge of patients from the Minnesota hospitals for insane,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 369, A bill to extend the police jurisdiction of the city of Albert Lea, and to extend its western boundary,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 352, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 73 of General Laws of 1878,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 211, A bill proposing an amendment to sections one, article seven of the constitution, relating to elective francise,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Amundson, the committee on judiciary were requested to report back the joint resolution introduced in the Senate by Senator Peterson, with other bills to be reported by them, at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

S. F. No. 162, A bill relating to actions for the recovery of real property, lands and tenements,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, that it is the sense of the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that no joint committee shall be empowered to sit after the close of the present session of the Legislature.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

Mr. Collins moved to amend the resolution as follows:

Insert after the words "joint committee" when it first appears the

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following words, "except the committee heretofore appointed to investigate the charges against the St. Cloud Normal School."

Mr. Amundson moved to amend so as to except the committee appointed to investigate the charges of the visiting committee against the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company.

Which wrs lost.

The question recurring upon the amendment of Mr. Collins.

It was adopted.

And the resolution as amended,

Was adopted.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 239, A bill to authorize a new trial of George Lautenschlager Frank Rapp and Sophia Rapp,

Was read the first time, and referred to the committe on judiciary.

S. F. No. 372, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to increase the allowance to the auditor of said county for clerk hire,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 332, A bill to appropriate money for the payment of clerk hire in the Adjutant General's office,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 332, A bill to amend chapter 24 of Special Laws of 1878,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 358, A bill to enable the counties of Dodge, Goodhue, Olmsted, Wabasha, Steele, Fillmore and Mower and each of the towns and incorporated villages and cities in said counties, to issue bonds.

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading

S. F. No. 337, A bill to locate a State road from Meeker's Mill to Ashley, in Grant county,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 312, A bill to amend section 36 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 335, A bill to authorize the village of Lu Verne, in Rock county, to issue bonds,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 369, A bill to extend police jurisdiction of the city of Albert Lea, and to extend its western boundary,

Was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Loveland, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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S. F. No. 92, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 4 of the General Laws of 1879,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 123, A bill to amend section 10, chapter 70, General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 304, A bill to legalize the recording of certain certificates executed under and by virtue of section 11 of chapter 81 of General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Collins offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted,

Resolved, the Senate concurring, That the sum of $200, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the current legislative appropriation to cover the expenses of the joint committee to investigate the charges against the St. Cloud Normal School.

Mr. Thornton offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the chief clerk of the House be directed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer in favor of John C. Deveraux and J. Q. A. Ward, reporters of this House, each for the sum of one hundred dollars ($100.)

Mr. Dunn gave notice of debate, and the resolution went over under the rules.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Wilson introduced—

H. F. No. 679, A bill to appropriate money to repair the State Capitol.

Which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Stone introduced—

H. F. No. 680, A bill to amend section 87, of chapter 66, of the General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

On motion of Mr. McCracken, the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

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FORTY-FIFTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Thursday, March 3, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Bookwalter, Cutts and Graling.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION.

The following communication was received from His Excellency, the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, March 2, 1881.

Hon. L. Fletcher,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

SIR:—The destruction by fire of our State Capitol last night is a calamity demanding at once wise and prompt action. We have much reason to be thankful that this great disaster resulted in no loss of life, and that all our citizens escaped without harm. The loss is one of property only. Appreciating the short time which the Legislature would be in session, I have employed A. M. Radcliff, Esq., a competent architect to prepare a careful estimate of the cost of replacing buildings upon the original site, having in view the sewerage, water supply and vaults, which are all in good order and can be utilized in the erection of new buildings, together with the brick walls which are mostly in good condition and can also be utilized in replacing new buildings.

Mr. Radcliff has submitted his estimates, which I have the honor to transmit herewith. Should the Legislature determine that it would be for the best interests of the State to rebuild on the old site, I would suggest that an appropriation be made sufficient to cover these estimates. I have thought under the circumstances that it would be wise to expend the amount estimated for rebuilding the Capitol, rather than to convene an extra session of the Legislature, which would cost the State as much or more money than the whole expense of rebuilding as proposed. I have also to inform the Legislature that the mayor and city authorities of St. Paul have generously tendered the use of the Market House buildings free of charge, until such time as the contemplated new Capitol buildings shall be ready for occupancy. After the recent destruction of the Hospital for the Insane at St. Peter, and the unusual heavy demands upon our State treasury, it is unnecessary for me to say that the State is at this time in no condition to expend such sums of

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money for Capitol buildings, as this commonwealth will refuse to meet *the growing* demands of the future.

Very respectfully,
J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

OFFICE OF A. M. RADCLIFF,
ARCHITECT, INGERSOLL'S BLOCK,
ST. PAUL, MINN., March 2, 1881.

To His Excellency John S. Pillsbury,
Governor of the State of Minnesota:

SIR: After a careful examination of the stone and brick walls of the capitol building, I have the honor to submit the following estimate for the reconstruction of the building in a good and substantial manner, ready for occupancy:

Clearing away rubbish,	$ 1,500 00
Repairing stone and brick walls,	3,900 00
Brick partition in basement, first and second story,	3,500 00
Cut stone, $2,400 iron or tin work $2,200,	4,600 00
14,000 yards of plastering,	3,400 00
300 windows and doors at $20 00, $6,000 00, 4 flights of stairs, $1,200 00,	7,200 00
170,000 feet of dimension lumber at $15 00,	2,550 00
150,000 feet of flooring for basement, first and second story, at $30 00.	4,500 00
Carpenter work, hardware and finishing lumber,	21,500 00
Painting and glass,	3,500 00
Plumbing and gas pipes &c. $1,600; steam heating $3,000,	4,600 00
	$60,650 00

Yours respectfully,
A. M. RADCLIFF,
Architect.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred S. F. No. 179, A bill to prevent debtors from giving preference to creditors and to secure the equal distribution of the property of debtors, and for the release of debts against debtors,

Reported the same back with amendment, and recommended that the bill do pass as amended.

The report was adopted, and the bill as amended was read the first time, and

On motion, the rules were suspended and the bill as amended was read the second and third times and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baxter J., Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Denny, Denby, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson, A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles,

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Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Dodge, Gardner, Hill and Northness.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Also, H. F. No. 322, A joint resolution directing the Attorney General to proceed against the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company,

And recommended that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Norrish, the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

Mr. Hicks, from the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 668, A bill to regulate the catching of fish in Lake Elysian, in Waseca county.

Also, S. F. No. 283, A bill for the protection of the cemetery of the town of Woodville,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bills do pass.

The bills were placed on file for their second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 572, A bill to provide for a session of the Legislature,

Reported the same back without any recommendation.

On motion, the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also, H. F. No. 669, A bill to authorize Peter Erickson to convey certain real estate,

Reported the same back without any recommendation.

On motion of Mr. Redding the report was amended, and the bill

Was recommended to pass, and it was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 670, A bill to secure payment for services of stallions and asses,

Reported the same back without any recommendation.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Also, H. F. No. 520, A bill concerning orders drawn on or against any special or other fund,

Reported the same back, recommending that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also, H. F. No. 529, A bill to secure the collection of taxes on forfeited lands,

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

The bill was placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Norrish, from the committee on finance, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 598,

Reported the same back, with the recommendation that it be indefinitely postponed.

The report was adopted, and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sanborn, from the committee on finance, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 679, A bill to appropriate money to repair the State Capitol,

Reported that they have had the same under consideration in con-

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nection with the message of His Excellency, the Governor, upon the subject of the bill, and conclude and report that the plan suggested in the message and bill affords the most speedy and economical relief to the State in this emergency.

The committee have accepted a substitute, and recommended that the substitute do pass.

Mr. Dunn, from the same committee, submitted the following minority report:

The undersigned member of the finance committee reports on H. F. No. 679, A bill to appropriate money to rebuild the Capitol.

That it is not the part of wisdom to rebuild the old Capitol building in the manner proposed That experience has shown in the recent fire that nothing short of a fire proof structure should take the place of the old Capitol. The loss of so much valuable property as was lost by the fire, as well as the extremely narrow escape of the Legislators from a horible death by fire, should admonish us to make no temporary provision for the wants of the State, such as this bill contemplates.

We humbly recommend that the matter of building a Capitol be referred to a joint committee of both Houses, to take into consideration the matter, and to report to the next session of the Legislature what of right ought to be done. The present provisions made for the quartering of the State officials is believed to be ample, until proper permanent quarters can be obtained, and further, that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. DUNN.

The question being taken on the adoption of the minority report, and the yeas and nays being called for and ordered, there were yeas 43, and nays 50, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kendall, Klossner, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Purrington, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Snure, Stedjee, Tether, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Burger, Callender, Collins, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C, Post, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Wilson.

So the report was lost.

And the report of the committee on finance
Was adopted, and
H. F. No. 681, Substitute for H. F. No. 679,
Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Rice, from the committee on claims, to which was referred bill of C. C. Miles,

Reported the same back by resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the chief clerk of the House be directed to draw his warrant for the sum of $57.80 in payment of the bill of C. C. Miles.

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The report was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSMENT.

Mr. Buckman, from the committee on engrossment, reports that he has compared

H. F. No. 249, And find the same correctly engrossed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, the vote whereby

H. F. No. 578, A bill to regulate life insurance companies doing business in this State, was lost,

Was reconsidered, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Comstock, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 537, A bill to appropriate money to pay salary of John Schroeder,

Reported the same back recommending that the bill do pass.

On motion of Mr. Comstock the rules were suspended, and

H. F. No. 537,

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage. The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 38, and nays 41, as follows:

Those who voted in the afirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Buckman, Collins, Comstock, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Halgren, Ives, Kendall, Klossner, Linnell, Moore, Mott, McMaster,, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tharalson Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels Dean, Dodge, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Rosebrock, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner and Wilson.

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Collins moved that the Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed to place a lock upon the door between the hall of the House and the Senate Chamber, and that he station an officer at the door, so as to prevent persons from passing in and out of the hall to the confusion of the House, and that Senators also be excluded from the House.

The motion was adopted.

Mr. Allen offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be, and he is hereby instructed to furnish each member of this House with a bound copy of the Journal of the present session, House and Senate, by mailing the same to their individual addresses.

Mr. Sheardown offered the following resolution:

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the Governor be, and he is hereby authorized to cause all public property belonging to the State to be insured against loss by fire in such companies, and for such an amount as in his judgment may seem proper.

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On motion the bill was laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Wilson, the motion as to the exclusion of Senators from the hall of the House, was rescinded, and the Senate notified of the same.

On motion of Mr. McCracken, the Senate was requested to return to the House,

H. F. No. 577.

Mr. Collins offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, that the thanks of this body are hereby given to the Mayor and city authorities of the city of St. Paul, for their generous tender of the New Market house, for the use of the State Officers and Legislature, and for the prompt manner in which it was put in condition for occupancy.

Mr. McMaster offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the members be not held responsible for the copy of the Statutes of 1878, for which he receipted to the Secretary of State, the same having been destroyed in the late fire.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has passed Senate File herewith submitted:

S. F. No. 362, An act to establish a board of railroad supervisors, and prescribing their duty.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 326, An act to authorize any railroad company to lease purchase or in any way become owner of or to control any other railroad company or to consolidate therewith.

H. F. No. 374, An act to amend section 1 and 7 of article 4 of the constitution of this State.

H. F. No. 547, An act relating to town insurance companies.

H. F. No. 304, A bill to reimburse Watonwan county for expenses incurred after the capture of the Younger Brothers.

H. F. No. 643, An act in relation to the salaries of treasurers and auditors of Blue Earth county.

H. F. No. 591, An act to provide reporting, publishing and selling of Minnesota reports.

H. F. No. 88, An act to amend section 318, chapter 34, General Statutes, 1878, relating to mutual insurance companies of other States.

H. F. No. 489, An act to provide for the preparation and printing blanks for official bonds of county officers, and for recording such bond and filing the same in the office of Secretary of State.

H. F. No. 646, An act to amend section 44, title 4, chapter 6 of the General Statutes of 1878,

H. F. No. 254, An act to amend section 232, title 11, chapter 8 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to county surveyors.

H. F. No. 278, An act to amend title 1, chapter 80, General Statutes, 1878, relating to mandamus.

H. F. No. 355, An act for the relief of the county of Crow Wing.

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H. F. No. 507, An act to amend section 372, title 6, chapter 34, relating to fire and marine companies.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 305, A bill to detach the county of Grant from the 7th judicial district and from the county of Douglass, for judicial purposes,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Plaisance, Porter T, C., Purrington, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr-, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wilson, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 326, A bill to authorize any railroad company to lease, purchase, or in any way become owner of or to control any other railroads, or to consolidate therewith.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Klossner. Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson, J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill as amended was passed, and its title agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

Mr. Sanborn introduced—

H. F. No. 682, A bill to authorize the St. Paul Gas Light Company to furnish steam for heating and motive power, and the electric light for the purpose of illumination in the city of St. Paul.

Which was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Searles introduced—

H. F. No. 683, A bill to amend section 130 of chapter 11, of the General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Searles the rules were suspended, and the bill was read the second and third times, and referred to the committee of the whole.

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Mr. Hicks introduced—

H. F. No. 684, A bill to amend section 113 of chapter 11 of the General Statutes of 1878.

Which was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Dunn introduced—

H. F. No. 685, A bill to amend section 146 of chapter 10 of the Special Laws of 1879.

Which was read the first time, and the rules being suspended the bill was read the second time, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Hayes introduced—

H. F. No. 686, A bill to amend the charter of the city of Rushford.

Which was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

Mr. Searles introduced—

H. F. No. 687, A bill to divide the State into three congressional districts, and to provide for the election of representatives at large, &c.

Which was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 135, A bill making the expenses of locating and establishing county roads in Le Sueur county a county charge,

Was read the first time and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 335, A bill to prevent the catching of fish in Washington county.

Was read the first time and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 356, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle in the towns of Baytown and Stillwater, in Washington county,

Was read the first time and placed on file for the second reading.

S. F. No. 354, A bill relating to the liabilities of fire insurance companies,

Was read the first time and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 340, A bill to provide for the manner of electing the county commissioner of Houston county county, and to limit the time of holding sessions of the said board,

Was read the first time and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 252, A bill to amend an act to allow the common council of St. Paul to lay out a levee and street, approved March 8, 1879,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 374, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Blue Earth county to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 16, and attach the same to School District No. 90, in said county,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

H. F. No. 351, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 240, Special Laws of 1878, relating to catching of fish in Kandiyohi county,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 368, A bill to amend the charter of the Minnesota Central Railroad Company,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 315, substitute for H. F. No. 204 and S. F. No. 247, An act to amend sections 166 and 167, title 3, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878, as amended by chapter 30, General Laws of 1879, relating to corporations,

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Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 367, An act to regulate the salary of the county attorney of Ramsey county,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 240, A bill to repeal chapter 189, Special Laws of 1872, relating to compensation of judges of district and common pleas court of Ramsey county,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 362, A bill to establish a board of railroad supervisors and prescribing their duty,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 373, A bill to incorporate the village of Olivia, in the county of Renville,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 353, A bill to change the names of certain persons therein named,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 326, A bill to amend section 42, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 372, A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 91, of the General Laws of 1874,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 342, A bill to amend section 7 of an act to regulate the salary, compensation and fees of the county officers of Houston county,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

S. F. No. 368, A bill to amend section 26 of chapter 371, General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the first time, and placed on file for its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Collins, the House took a recess until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication was received from His Excellency the Governor:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
ST. PAUL, March 2, 1881.

HON. L. FLETCHER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

Sir:—I have approved and signed the following House Files, and have deposited the same in the office of the Secretary of State:

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H. F. 270, An act making an appropriation to John Pattersoh for the arrest of a horse thief.

H. F. 279, An act to amend section 29, title 1, and section 112 of title 2 of chapter 34, General Statutes, 1878, entitled corporations.

H. F. 449, An act to amend an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the village of Glencoe, in the county of McLeod and State of Minnesota, being chapter 6 of the Special Laws of 1873, and the act amendatory thereto."

H. F. 257, An act relating to the organization, and to promote the efficiency of the uniformed militia of the State of Minnesota.

H. F. 556, An act relating to the General Terms of the district court, in the several counties of the 11th Judicial District.

H. F. 342, An act to incorporate the village of Red Lake Falls in Polk county.

H. F. 233, An act to authorize the county commissioners of Polk county to issue bonds to build a court house, and to fund the floating indebtedness of said county.

H. F. 348, An act to amend section 100 of chapter 8 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to county commissioners.

H. F. 352, An act relating to the salary of the county attorney of Hennepin county.

H. F. 210, An act to amend section 1 of chapter 330 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the compensation of county officers.

H. F. 196, An act to authorize the town of Chaska to issue bonds for the construction of a wagon bridge across the Minnesota river at the village of Chaska.

H. F. 356, An act to provide for the salary of the county treasurer of Mille Lacs county.

H. F. 357, An act to amend chapter 130, Special Laws of 1879, entitled an act to establish the Independent School District of Granite Falls.

H. F. 399, An act to authorize the draining of a certain lake in Meeker county.

H. F. 558, An act to amend article 50 of an act entitled an act to amend an act incorporating the city of Owatonna, approved March 2, 1875, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

H. F. 509, An act entitled an act to authorize the Greenvale Cemetery Association, and the owners of lots in said cemetery, to convey said cemetery and lots therein.

H. F. 483, An act to regulate appeals from judgments of justices of the peace in the city of St. Paul.

H. F. 243, An act to locate and establish a State road from the village of Herman, in Grant county, to the village of Holmes City, in Douglas county.

H. F. 573, An act to amend chapter 157, of the Special Laws of 1878, being an act relating to the government office schools in the city of Minneapolis, and acts amendatory thereof.

H. F. 471, An act to amend an act to incorporate the village of Sauk Centre.

H. F. 308, An act to amend section 175, title 6, chapter 8, General Statutes 1878, and to repeal chapter 3, General Laws, 1879, relating to register of deeds.

H. F. 26, An act to regulate the traffic in oleomargarine.

H. F. 397, An act to amend section 404, of chapter 34, of the General Statutes, 1878, relating to corporations.

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H. F. 117, An act to amend chapter 16, of the General Statutes, 1878, relating to intoxicating liquors.

H. F. 473, An act to give justices of the peace in Crow Wing county jurisdiction over the counties of Cass, Itasca and Aitken.

H. F. 474, An act to amend an act entitled an act for the support and better regulation of common schools of the town of Sauk Centre, as amended by chapter 58, of the Special Laws of 1873, as amended by chapter 115, of the Special Laws of 1874.

H. F. 444, An act to amend section 1, of chapter 244, of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the Cannon River Manufacturing Association.

H. F. 431, An act to amend an act entitled "an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Minnesota Western Railroad Company, approved March 3, 1853, and the acts amendatory thereof," approved February 4, 1870.

H. F. 499, An act to appropriate money to build a bridge across Buffalo river in Martin county.

H. F. 268, An act to appropriate money to aid the county of Isanti in building two bridges across Rum river.

H. F. 399, An act to appropriate money to build a bridge across Mustinka river, in Grant county.

Very respectfully,

J. S. PILLSBURY,
Governor.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 125, A bill to amend sections 13 and 28, of title 3, of chapter 1, of the General Laws of 1872,

Was read the first time and placed on file for second reading.

S. F. No. 280, An act to amend section 35, chapter 70, of the General Statutes of 1878, relative to fees,

Was read the first time and placed on file for second reading

S. F. No. 299, An act relating to revoking liquor licenses upon conviction of any person selling liquors in violation of law,

Was read the first time and placed on file for second reading.

S. F. No. 124, A bill for the relief of sick and disabled firemen.

Was read the first time and placed on file for second reading.

S. F. No. 264, A bill to amend section 31 of chapter 40, General Statutes of 1878, relating to seals,

Was read the first time and placed on file for second reading.

S. F. No. 300, A bill for to appropriate money in aid of the Mississippi River Commission,

Was read the first time and placed on file for second reading.

Mr. Hicks moved that the rules be so far suspended as to enable all bills that have not been read the second time, be read a second time, and placed on file for their third reading.

All bills to be subject to debate and amendment on the third reading, the same as in committee of the whole.

Which was adopted, and

The House proceeded to the

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. Nos. 358, 338, 319, 317, 343, 283, 322, 325, 295, 227, 189, 327, 250, 323, 316, 296, 328, 318, 260, 287, 324, 286, 147, 127, 349, 188, 333, 332, 239, 337, 272, 351, 373, 353, 326, 342, 372, 360, 300, 372, 264, 299, 125, 280, 123, 304, 312, 355, 92, 253, 298, 336, 49, 365, 374, 362, 263,

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352, 191, 344, 211, 162, 307, 138, 252, 315, 367, 240, 368, 354, 340, 335, 135 and 320,

Were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. Nos. 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 679, 681, 669, 356, 670, 660, 652, 654, 592, 649, 651, 520, 668, 672, 656, 653, 650, 661, 663, 664, 674, 666, 667, 625, 636, 647, 31, 611, 615, 641, 671 and 665,

Were read the second time.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 3, 1881.

MR. PRESIDENT:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 382, A bill to authorize the several towns and villages and municipal corporations within the counties of Chisago, Isanti, Mille Lacs, Sherburne, Benton and Stearns, to aid in the construction of a certain railroad.

S. F. No. 10, An act relating to the printing department of the institute for the deaf and dumb and the blind.

S. F. No. 381, An act to authorize the board of trustees of school district No. 2 of Otter Tail county, to issue bonds to fund its bonded indebtedness.

S. F. No. 350, An act restraining the uses to which appropiations for contingent expenses and legislative expenses can be applied.

S. F. No. 375, An act to amend section 109 of chapter 34 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to formation of corporations.

S. F. No. 384, An act to appropriate money to rebuild the State capitol, and refurnish the same.

S. F. No. 385, An act to provide for the assessment and taxation of telegraph lines within the State of Minnesota.

S. F. No. 376, An act to amend section 44 of chapter 120 of the General Statutes.

S. F. No. 379, An act relating to religious corporations.

Also that the Senate has passed the following House bills herewith returned:

H. F. No. 610, An act to enable the town of Sauk Centre, in the county of Stearns, the county of Todd, and the towns and incorporated villages therein named to issue bonds.

S. F. No. 869, An act to extend the police jurisdiction of the city of Albert Lea, and to extend its western boundary.

S. F. No. 179, An act to prevent debtors from giving preference to creditors, and to secure the legal distribution of the property of debtors among their creditors, and for the release of debts against debtors.

S. F. No. 383, An act to appropriate money for extraordinary contingent expenses for the year 1881.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 678, An act creating a new school district in the town of Red Rock and Dexter, Mower county, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 594, An act fixing the times for holding general terms of the district court in the 12th judicial district.

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H. F. No. 626, An act to legalize the tax levied in the town of Two Rivers, Morrison county.

Also, that the Senate has adopted the following resolution, in which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested:

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House concurring, That the resolution of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin expressing the kind feelings of the people of that State towards the people of the State of Minnesota, the regret of the recent destruction of the Capitol and State library by fire, and their sympathy in this great misfortune, and the further resolution directing the transmission of the laws, reports, digests and other valuable documents of the State of Wisconsin to the Governor of this State for the use of the people thereof, have been received with profound gratitude.

Resolved, That the people of Minnesota, through their Legislature, heartily reciprocate the friendly feelings and good wishes of the people of Wisconsin, and cordially desire that the mutual friendship now and always heretofore existing between the two States may continue to exist in all time to come.

Resolved, That his Exellency, the Governor of this State, is hereby requested to transmit a copy of these resolutions to his Excellency, the Governor of Wisconsin.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the House concurred in the resolution.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 529, A bill to secure the collection of taxes on forfeited lands,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thompson J Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 684, A bill to amend section 113 of chapter 11 of the General Statutes of 1878,

Was read the the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner,

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Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P.A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T.C., Post, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 680, A bill to amend section 87 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to civil actions,

Was read the third time. and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L., L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary. Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 682, A bill to authorize the St. Paul Gas Light Company to furnish steam for heating and motive power, and the Electric Light for purposes of illumination,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 69, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 559, A bill granting swamp lands to aid in the construction of the line of railroad of the St. Paul & Dubuque Railroad Company,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 22, and nays 48, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Caine, Callender, Collins, Comstock, Griggs, Hall, Hawkins, Hill Hulebak, Kendall Kidder, Kneeland, Mott, Norrish, Porter T. C., Sabin, Sanborn, Smith, Tether and Van Hoesen.

Those who voted in the negative were—

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Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Churchill, Colquhoun, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Ives, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Northness, Peterson A, Plaisance, Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

On motion of Mr. Braley

H. F. No. 419,

Was indefinitely postponed.

H. F. No. 635, A bill to amend an act to provide for the election registrations of elections in incorporated cities,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Braley, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Norish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. Gould and Sheardown voted in negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 685, A bill to amend section 14 of chapter 10 of the Special Laws of 1871,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 681, A bill to raise the necessary funds to rebuild, repair, and refurnish the State Capitol, and to appropriate money for such purpose,

Was read the third time, and

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the bill

Was amended by striking out the second and third sections and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 2. For the purpose of raising the fund hereby appropriated, there should be levied a tax of one-third of one mill on the dollar of all

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the taxable property of this State for the year 1881, in addition to the levy now authorized by law.

Amend section 4 by changing the same to section 3, and by striking out the word "sale and negotiation of such bonds," and in lieu thereof insert the words "tax hereby authorized and levied."

And further amended by adding the following proviso to section 3:

Provided, That said Capitol building, when so rebuilt, shall have all the principal division walls constructed of brick, and said building to be so rebuilt in as nearly a fire proof manner as is practicable and possible, and with proper means of exit or escape therefrom,

And then put upn its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 68, and nays 19, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baxter L L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Braley, Buckman, Colquhoun, Gould, Hoyt, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Porter O. S., Redding, Snure, Tharalson and Tether.

So the bill as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 663, A bill to authorize the village of Watertown, Carver county to issue bonds,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Linnell Loveland, McCracken, Mott, Norrish Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 686, A bill to amend the charter of the city of Rushford,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Comstock, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 672, A bill to provide for the disposition of certain money in the possession of the county treasurer of Yellow Medicine county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Braley, Butterfield, Child, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 652, A bill to amend chapter 306 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the salaries of the Rice county officers,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 650, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to purchase certain lots for public purposes,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O.

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S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title was agreed to.

H. F. No. 660, A bill to provide a sinking fund for the payment of the bonded indebtedness of the city of Albert Lea,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, McCracken, Mott, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 668, An act to regulate the catching of fish in lake Elysian in Waseca county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Braley, Butterfield, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dodge, Donahue, Geary, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 653, A bill to restrict the issuing of licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Baker, Baldwin, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding Rice, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 664, A bill to authorize towns in Stearns county to pay a premium for wire fence,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nayes none, as follows,

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Collins, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Washburn, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 656, Relating to the duties of certain officers of Ramsey county, and of the city of St. Paul,

Was read a third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Mott, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 669, A bill to authorize Peter Erickson to convey certain real estate,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C, Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 3, 1881.

Mr. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

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S. F. No. 387, An act to authorize the village of Waverly, in Wright county.

S. F. No. 388, An act to regulate the business of operating telegraph lines, and imposing penalties of misconduct of owners and agents of such lines.

S. F. No. 389, An act to detach the county of Goodhue from the first and attach the same to the third judicial district.

S. F. No. 390, An act to appropriate money in addition to that heretofore appropriated to pay the expenses of present session of the Legislature.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

I am directed also to return

H. F. No. 577. An act to grant swamp lands. etc., as requested by the House.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 661, An act to locate and establish a State road,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Collins, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McMaster, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Griggs,

H. F. No. 636, A bill to enlarge the powers of the board of education of the city of St. Paul,

Was indefinitely postponed.

H. F. No. 615, A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to aid in the widening and improvement of Fort street, in the city of St. Paul,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Donahue, Dunn, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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H. F. No. 31, A bill in relation to the erection of public buildings for the use of the city of St. Paul, and the county of Ramsey, upon block 20, of St. Paul proper,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 70, and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter, J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 611, A bill to lower the waters of Washington Lake in Sibley county, and make an appropriation for the same,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays 11, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Colquhoun, Loveland, Northness, Plaisance, Rosebrock, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone and Wagner.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 666, A bill to amend the General School Laws of 1877,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 19, and nays 29, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Comstock, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Ives, Juelson, Lewis, McMaster, Norrish, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Searles and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Burger, Collins, Colquhoun, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Griggs, Halgren, Herberger, Hulebak, Klossner, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen and Wagner.

So the bill was lost.

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H. F. No. 647, A bill to appropriate money to A. G. Perkins for services as witness.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays 4, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Colquhoun, Comstock, Dodge, Flom, Hall, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebuk, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance,, Post, Purrington, Putnam Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J , Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Burger, Loveland, McCracken and Stedjee.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Dunn,

H. F. No. 671, A bill to limit insurance risks on real property,

Was indefinitely postponed.

H. F. No. 665, A bill for the encouragement of the cultivation and manufacture of amber sugar cane,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 50, and nays 33, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Callender, Child, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins. Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Kennedy, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Peterson A., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Braley, Butterfield, Collins, Colquhoun, Dunn, Geary, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Loveland, McMaster, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Snure, Southard, Stone Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Porter T. C., Wagner, Washburn and Zieske.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 670, A bill to secure payment for services of stallions or asses,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 44, and nays 31, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baxter J., Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Kendall, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Tether and Washburn.

Those who voted in the negative were—

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Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baldwin, Braley, Caine, Colquhoun, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Halgren, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Purrington, Rosebrock, Sheardown, Stedjee, Thompson J., Wagner and Wiley.

So the bill was lost.

H. F. No. 654, A bill for the relief of B. A. Froiseth,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 55, and nays 6, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Post, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Herberger, Klossner, and Loveland.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sabin, the House took a recess until 8 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

The House met at 8 o'clock P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

A quorum present.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Dunn offered the following resolution.

Which was adopted.

Resolved, that the chief clerk be directed to draw an order on the treasurer in favor of S. D. Hillman for the sum of $145, the same being for his services as stenographer on the joint committee on State prison investigation, and on the committee to investigate railroad companies, tax matters, &c.

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Mr. Hall offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the chief clerk be, and is hereby authorize to issue a certificate in favor of F. H. Dayton, sergeant-at-arms, for the sum of ($12) twelve dollars, paid for lamps, wire, papers, watchman, &c., in *this* building.

Mr. Collins offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, that the chief clerk is hereby directed to issue his certificate for the enrolment and engrossment of bills at the price allowed by law, directly to each person performing such service.

Mr. Sabin offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, that the chief clerk be, and is hereby directed to draw his certificate for one hundred dollars in favor of Harry Collins, telegraph operator, on duty in the State Capitol, during the session of the legislature.

Mr. Sanborn offered the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, that the chief clerk be authorized to allow sixty days time to Jefferson Hudson Davis, for attending to the walks around the Capitol, and attending the flag, at one dollar a day.

Also, the following resolution:

Which was adopted.

Resolved, that the chief clerk be authorized to pay Captain Hurter and sergeant-at-arms for sixty days time.

Mr. Armstrong offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, that the chief clerk is hereby directed to draw his certificate for Geo. P. Johnston, for the sum of $100, for assistance to chief clerk.

Mr. Hicks offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, that the chief clerk draw his certificate to the order of H. L. Daniels, at the rate of $2.50 per day in addition to the amount already paid him.

Mr. Baxter L. L., offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, that the chief clerk be, and is hereby authorized, to draw his warrant in favor of the first assistant clerk for an amount making his per diem for the session equal to $10.00.

Mr. Smith offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted.

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota, the Senate concurring, That William H. Shelley, of Ramsey county, be, and is hereby appointed superintendent of construction of the Capitol and State buildings at a salary not to exceed five dollars ($5), per day; and the said William H. Shelley is hereby directed to the Governor for assignment to duty.

Notice of debate being given, the resolution went over under the rules.

Mr. Thornton offered the following resolution,

Resolved, that the chief clerk of the House be directed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer in favor of John C. Deveraux, and J. Q. A. Ward, reporters of this House, each for the sum of $100.

The resolution was referred to Messrs. Searles, Hicks and Collins.

Mr. Stone offered the following resolution:

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Resolved that the chief clerk be and is hereby authorized to issue a certificate in favor of the St. Paul Book & Stationery Company, for stationery purchased by the order of the House.

The resolution was adopted.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

Mr. Sanborn called up

S. F. No. 390, A bill to appropriate money in addition to that heretofore appropriated to pay the expenses of the present session of the Legislature,

Which was read the first time, and

On motion of Mr. Sanborn, the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS.

H. F. No. 674, A bill to authorize and empower the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota to make sale and convey any of the experimental farm pertaining to said University,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 688, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of the county of Nobles to issue bonds for certain purposes,

Was read the first time, and

On motion the rules were suspended, and the bill

Was read the second and third times, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 77, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 383, A bill to appropriate money for extraordinary contingent expense for the year 1881,

Was amended in the House by adding thereto the following: "For reading the proof on the State reports, in addition to what has already been appropriated, and the bill as amended,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 76, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J, Bohland, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, as amended, and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 667, A bill to amend section 75, Chapter 32 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to logs and lumber,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Also, H. F. No. 592, A bill to amend chapter 90 of the General Statutes of 1878

Was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Hicks, the consideration of

H. F. Nos. 651, 649 and 688,

Was made the special order for this evening at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Rice offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That the committee to whom was referred the charges against the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company, of unjust discrimination, be permitted to sit after the adjournment of this session of the Legislature and report to the Governor.

Notice of debate being given the resolution went over under the rules.

H. F. No. 641, A bill to abolish the State Normal Schools, and to provide for a scientific Normal Department in the State University,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 25, and nays 49, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Child, Flom, Hulebak, Ives, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell,

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McCracken, Northness, Roberts, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton, Tone, Tether, Wagner and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould Hall Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was lost.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 366, A bill to amend an act to incorporate the village of Red Wood Falls,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 81, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 356, A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle in the towns of Baytown and Stillwater in Washington county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 338, A bill relating to the fees of clerks of district courts and register of deeds in certain counties,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. Hicks and Putnam voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 321, A bill to cede to the United States jurisdiction over such territory in the city of Minneapolis, Minnesota, as may be selected by the general government as a site for a post office and other government offices,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Denny, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 374, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Blue Earth county to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 16, and attach the same to school district No. 90 of said county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 75, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 290, A bill to authorize the erection, maintenance and protection of telephone poles and wires upon and over the streets, avenues and alleys of the city, village and town of Duluth,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Baker, Baldwin, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 189, A bill to authorize the Secretary of State to purchase the portraits of ex-Governor,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays 10, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Griggs, Hall, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Moore, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Snure, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Colquhoun, Flom, McCracken, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tone and Tether.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 167, A bill to appropriate money to rebuild a bridge over the narrow of Chisago lake,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill there were yeas 59, and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Post, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Klossner, Kohlmier, Porter T. C., and Stedjee.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 180, A bill to authorize the incorporation of the village of Park Point, and to grant it certain power,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Hawkins, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Wagner, Washburn, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 243, A bill to authorize and require the city of Minneapolis to assume and provide for the payment of certain bonded indebtedness of school district No. 119, in Hennepin county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson. Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 144, A bill in relation to statistics concerning the Sioux Indian,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J. Baxter L. L., Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 373, A bill to incorporate the village of Olivio, in the county of Renville.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 372, A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 91 of the General Laws of 1874, relating to terms of the district court in the county of Rock,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 349, A memorial to Congress,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine. Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Daniels, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Comstock offered the following resolution,

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the House draw his certificate in favor of W. H. H. Johnston, Secretary Legislative apportionment committee, at the same rate per diem for the session as first assistant clerk of the House.

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S. F. No. 324, An act to amend chapter 338, General Laws of 1879, relating to the board of tax levy for the county of Hennepin,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 57, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dunn, Gardner, Griggs. Hayes, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 225, A bill to amend sections 10, 11 and 18 of chapter 33 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to banks and banking, and to add said chapter sections 47, 48 and 49.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays 12, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Denby, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Graling, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, McAndrews, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Tharalson, Thompson J., Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Child, Dodge, Ives, Kennedy, Kohlmier, Linnell, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Rosebrock, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton and Van Hoesen.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F, No. 325, A bill to amend section 59, chapter 64, General Statutes of 1878, relating to terms of court in the fourth judicial district,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Daniels, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith Snure, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 319, A bill to appropriate money for erecting a building for the school, for idots and imbeciles,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Gardner voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

S. F. No. 335, An act to provide for the removal of the county seat of Carlton county from Thompson to the Northern Pacific Railroad junction.

The Senate has concurred in the amendments of the House to Senate Files No. 9.

Also, that the Senate has passed the following House Files with amendments, in which the concurrance of the House is respectfully requested:

H. F. No. 532, An act to amend section 2 of chapter 27 of the General Statutes 1878.

H. F. No. 568, An act to locate and establish a State road from the village of Montevideo, Chippewa county to Willmar, Kandiyohi county.

H. F. No. 344, An act to amend section 2 of chapter 47 of the General Laws of 1875, being section 23 of chapter 123, of the General Statutes of 1878, legalizing deeds and mortgages without seals of grantors.

H. F. No, 581, An act to provide for inspectors of steam boilers.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE CHAMBER, March 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed the following Senate Files herewith transmitted:

H. F. No 681, An act to raise the necessary funds to rebuild, repair and refurnish the State Capitol, and to appropriate money for such purposes.

The Senate has concurred in the House amendment to

S. No. 383, An act to appropriate money for extraordinary contingent expenses for 1881.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has passed

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S. F. No. 391, An act to appropriate money to support the farmers' board of trade.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Senate being under consideration,

The House concurred in the Senate amendment to

H. F. No. 581, A bill to provide for inspection of steam boilers.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Kendall, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S. Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, as amended, was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No 333, A bill to amend chapter 25 of Special Laws of 1878, and all acts amendatory thereof, in relation to the incorporation of Rush City,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 67, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Braley Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Daniels, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Hayes, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P, A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson, J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Norrish moved that

S. F. No. 188, A bill to amend chapter 73 of General Laws of 1877, and chapter 2, General Laws of 1878, be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 336, A bill to amend chapter 104 of the General Laws of the year 1874, appropriating money for the payment of the salaries of the officers of the State government.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baker, Baxter, J., Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Donahue, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hicks, Ives. Juelson. Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore,

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Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson, A., Peterson, P. A., Plaisance, Porter, O. S., Post, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson, J. Jr., Thompson, J., Tether, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 286, A bill relating to the running at large of cattle in the town of Kirkhoven, Swift county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen. Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun. Comstock, Cutts, Daniels, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Lewis, Linnell. Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T.C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Flom,

S. F. No. 358, A bill to enable the counties of Dodge, Goodhue, Olmsted, Wabasha, Steele, Fillmore and Mower, and each of the towns and incorporated cities and villages in said counties to issue their bonds for the purposes therein named,

Was indefinitely postponed.

H. F. No. 307, An act to provide a representation of this State at the International Exposition of 1883, at New York city,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays 20, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Hall, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Ives, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Peterson A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Andrus, Callender, Gardner, Gould, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, McCracken, Norrish, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 287, An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Waterville, in the county of Le Sueur, State of Minnesota,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Braley, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson, J., Tether, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 253, An act to fix and appropriate the payment of the salary of the State Librarian,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messes. Allen, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Flom, Geary, Gould, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 252, An act to amend an act to allow the common council of St. Paul to lay out a levee and street, approved March 8, 1879,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, as amended, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Callender, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 123, An act to amend section 10, chapter 70, General Statutes of 1878, relating to witness fees in criminal cases,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland Linnell, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Redding, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 262, An act to authorize the construction of a railway across the Bay of Duluth and granting lands under the water in aid thereof,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Bohland, Butterfield, Caine, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr. Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoeson, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 341, An act relating to the relief of the poor in Houston county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Donahue. Flom, Gardner, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Putnam, Redding Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 342, A bill to amend an act entitled an act to regulate the salary compensation and fees of county officers in Houston county,

Was read the third time, and put on its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken,

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Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and *Mr. Speaker*.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 280, A bill to amend section 35, chapter 70 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to fees,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken on the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 38, and nays 8, as follows:

Those who voted in the affimative were—

Messrs. Buckman, Caine, Child, Colquhoun, Dodge, Donahue, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kohlmier, Loveland, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sampson, Searles, Sheardown, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Washburn, Wiley and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Asleson, Dunn, Kennedy, McCracken, Peterson P. A., Plaisance and Smith.

So the bill was lost.

S. F. No. 327, A bill to amend section 12 of chapter 1 of an act to reduce the law incorporating the town of Mantorvill, in the county of Dodge, and the several acts amendatory thereof,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Flom, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 125, A bill making the expense of locating and establishing county roads in Le Sueur county a county charge,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 72, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gardner, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt,

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Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill, was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 340, A bill providing for the manner of electing the county commissioners of Houston county and to limit the time of holding sessions of the said board, and regulating the fees of the same,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows.

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 315, A bill to amend sections 166 and 167 of title 3, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878, as amended by chapter 30 of General Laws of 1879, relating to corporations,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baldwin, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Hall, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 300, A bill to appropriate money in aid of the Mississippi river commission,

Was amended by striking out the word "five" in 33d line, and inserting the word "two,"

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 41, and nays 22, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Churchill, Collins, Cornish, Dodge, Donahue, Gardner, Gould, Hall, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, Mott, Peterson A., Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

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Andrus, Asleson, Colquhoun, Dean, Dunn, Flom, Hayes, Hulebak, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Thompson J., Tone, Wagner and

So the bill was lost.

S. F. No. 163, A bill to repeal section 123 of chapter 2 of the General Laws of 1877, relating to compensation of school district clerks,

Was indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 355, A bill to authorize the village of Lu Verne, in Rock county, to issue bonds to fund its floating debt,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 77 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter, J., Baxter, L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Donahue Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McCracken, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson, A., Peterson, P. A., Porter, O. S., Porter, T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 367, A bill to regulate the salary of the county attorney of Ramsey county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Caine, Churchill Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denby, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Huhn, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 302, A bill to amend chapter 6 of the Special Laws of 1875 and chapter 123 of Special Laws of 1877, by the charter of the city of Shakopee,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Caine, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, Mott, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 320, A bill authorizing and empowering the county commissioners of Dakota county to adjust the claims of Timothy Ryan,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kidder, Kneeland, Kohlmier, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 360, A bill to amend the charter of the Minnesota Central Railroad company,

Was read the third time, and put apon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 59, and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Collins, Comstock, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wiley, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Cornish, Cutts, Porter T. C., Rosebrock and Tharalson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to

Mr. Amundson moved that the House do now adjourn.

Motion seconded.

Which was lost.

S. F. No. 49, An act to amend an act granting swamp lands to aid Minneapolis & St. Cloud Rrailroad and branches,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill as amended, there were yeas 50, and nays 37, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Callender, Child, Collins, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Donahue, Dunn, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hill, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stone, Tharalson, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Butterfield, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dodge, Flom, Gould Hayes, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Peterson A., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts Rosebroek, Sampson, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wilson and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 376, A bill to amend section 44, of chapter 120, of the General Statutes,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 61, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Collins, Comstock, Dean, Dunn, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Herberger, Hoyt, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Loveland, Moore, Mott. McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Burger voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 242, A bill to amend section 5, of title 2, of chapter 35, of General Statutes of 1878, relating to the Minnesota Institute for the Deaf and Dumb and Blind,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Collins, Comstock, Cutts, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kohlmier, Linnell, Moore, Mott, Peterson, A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 316, A bill to amend the charter of St. Paul Gas Light Company,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 70, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Boser, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gardner, Geary, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 127, A bill to confirm and make valid the purchase of certain lands by the board of county commissioners of the county of Murray,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Stone, Thornton, Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 279, A bill to appropriate money to build bridges in Cottonwood county,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 66, and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stewart, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Porter T. C. voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 344 A bill to amend an act entitled an act to authorize school district No. 1, in Scott county, to issue bonds to erect a school building,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 64, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Boser, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Callender, Churchill, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland, Moore, Mott, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stone, Thompson J., Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 372, A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county, to increase the allowance to the auditor for clerk hire,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 73, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baldwin, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Mott, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 132, A bill to provide for the publication of a Legislative Manual,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays, none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Burger, Child, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Hicks, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Tharalson, Thompson, J., Tether, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 387, A bill to organize the village of Waverly, in Wright county,

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 62, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Boser, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kidder, Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Wagner, Wiley, Wilson Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 326, A bill to amend section 42, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 65, and nay none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cutts, Dean, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Comstock moved that the House proceed to the consideration of

S. F. No. 365, 651, 649 and

H. F. No. 688, Bills relating to congressional apportionment.

And the question being taken on the adoption of the motion, and the yeas and nays being ordered, there were yeas 63, and nays 15, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Denny, Dodge, Flom, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Klossner, Kohlmier, Lewis, Loveland McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tone, Tether, Wagner, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Baldwin, Bohland, Collins, Cutts, Dunn, Griggs, Hicks, Hill, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Porter T. C., Roberts, Sanborn and Van Hoesen.

So the motion was adopted.

And H. F. No. 651, A bill to divide the State into five congressional districts,

Was read by the clerk.

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Mr. Hill offered to amend the bill, which was objected to, and Mr. McCracken moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The question being taken on the motion to indefinitely postpone, and the yeas and nays being ordered, there were yeas 48, and nays 39, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Buckman, Burger, Butterfield Child, Churchill, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Gould, Hall, Hays, Hawkins, Henry, Herberger, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kennedy, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Post, Purrington, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee Stewart, Stone, Tone, Tether, Wagner and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Callender, Collins, Comstock, Dodge, Donahue, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hicks, Ives, Kendall, Kneeland, Linnell, Moore, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Van Hoeson, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the motion was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Gould moved that

S. F. No. 365, A bill to apportion the State into congressional districts be taken up and considered at this time.

Mr. Hicks moved to amend so as to take up

H. F. No. 649,

And that it be considered at this time.

Which was lost.

The question recurring upon the motion of Mr. Gould,

It was adopted, and

S. F. No. 365,

Was read by the Clerk,

And Mr. Gould moved the previous question, which was seconded by a majority.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 48, and nays 41, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Buckman, Butterfield, Child, Churchill, Cutts, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Post, Purrington, Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Tone, Tether, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Griggs, Hall, Hawkins, Ives, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Wagner, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Allen moved that the vote whereby

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S. F. No. 365, A bill to provide for congressional apportionment was lost, be reconsidered.

The question being taken on the motion to reconsider, there were yeas 54. and nyas 23, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Baxter J., Bohland, Child, Comstock, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Griggs, Hawkins, Ives, Kennedy, Linnell, McAndrews, Norrish, Peterson A., Post, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Van Hoesen, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the motion prevailed.

And the vote was reconsidered.

Mr. Hicks then moved the previous question, on the passage of the bill.

Which was seconded by a majority, the question being, "Shall the main question be now put?"

The question being taken, there were yeas 48, and nays 34, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Boser, Buckman, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Cutts, Denny, Dunn, Gould, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Redding, Roberts, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bohland, Burger, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Griggs, Hall, Hawkins, Hoyt, Ives, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Plaisance, Post, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the previous question was seconded by a majority, and

S. F. No. 365, was again put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 49, and nays 38, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Buckman, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Denny, Flom, Gould, Hayes, Hanscom, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Juelson, Kendall, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Moore, Northness, Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Roberts, Sheardown, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Tether, Wilson and Zieske.

Those who voted in the negative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hawkins, Ives, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Post, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was lost.

Mr. McAndrews moved that the House do now adjourn.

And the yeas and nays were ordered.

The question being taken upon the motion to adjourn, there were yeas 30, and nays 50, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Buckman, Child, Churchill, Donahue, Flom, Hoyt, Juelson, Klossner, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Post, Sabin, Sampson, Searles, Sheardown, Southard, Stedjee, Stewart and Tether.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Collins, Colquhoun, Comstock, Cornish, Cutts, Dodge, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Northness, Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tone, Van Hoesen, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the motion to adjourn was lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed

S. F. No. 393, An act to authorize the judge of the district court in and for the 7th judicial district to compel the attendance of witnesses before the joint special committee appointed to investigate charges against the management of the St. Cloud Normal School, and to compel the same to testify.

SENATE CHAMBER, March 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has passed

S. F. No. 392, Herewith transmitted. An act to appropriate money to insure public buildings.

Also that the Senate has passed the following House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 672, An act to provide for the disposition of certain moneys in the possession of the county treasurer of Yellow Medicine county.

H. F. No. 668, To regulate the catching of fish in Lake Elysian, in Waseca county.

H. F. No. 647, To appropriate money to A. G. Perkins for services as witness.

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H. F. No. 656, Relating to the duties of certain officers of Ramsey county, and of the city of St. Paul.

H. F. No. 660, To provide a sinking fund for the payment of bonded indebtedness of the city of Albert Lea, Minnesota.

H. F. No. 661, An act to locate and establish a State road.

H. F. No. 652, To amend chapter 306 of Special Laws, 1879, salaries of county officers, Rice county.

H. F. No. 685, To amend section 14, chapter 10, Special Laws, 1871, as amended by section 3, chapter 42, Special Laws of 1879.

H. F. No. 664, Authorizing towns in Stearns county to pay a premium for wire fences.

H. F. No. 653, An act to restrict the issue of licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors in Hennepin county.

H. F. No. 669, To authorize Peter Erickson to convey certain real estate.

H. F. No. 686, To amend charter city of Rushford.

H. F. No. 684, To amend section 113, chapter 11, General Laws of 1878.

H. F. No. 629, To repeal chapter 62, Special Laws of 1873, relating to Chisago lake.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate has coucurred in the House amendment to

S. F. No 336, An act to amend chapter 104 of the General Laws of 1874, appropriating money for the payment of the salaries of the officers of the State government.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

The House returned to the regular order of business and proceeded to the

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS.

S. F. No. 295, A bill to appropriate money to supply a deficiency for the year 1880, under an act to encourage higher education,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays 9, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kneeland, Lewis, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Klossner, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, Porter O. S., Porter T. C. and Sheardown.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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S. F. No. 265, A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Marshall county to issue bonds,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final pasage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 51, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Collins, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Loveland, McAndrews, McMaster, Northness, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was lost.

Mr. Bohland moved that the vote whereby S. F. No. 49, was lost, be reconsidered,

Which was lost.

S. F. No. 328, to authorize the county commissioners of Lyon county to issue bonds to erect county buildings,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Collins, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Redding, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

Mr. Baxter L. L., moved that the House do now adjourn.

Which was lost.

S. F. No. 393, A bill to authorize the judge of the district court, &c.,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 63, and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Bookwalter, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McAndrews, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Thornton. Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Northness Roberts and Tharalson.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

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S. F. No. 130, A bill providing for the care of the chronic insane.

Which was lost.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 35, and nays 10, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Asleson, Baxter J., Bohland, Butterfield, Callender, Churchill, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Dunn, Griggs, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Hicks, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, McMaster, Post, Putnam, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Smith, Snure, Tharalson, Tether and Wilson.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Burger, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Searles, Southard, Thompson J. Jr. and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was lost.

S. F. No. 317, A bill to amend an act relating to the public schools of St. Paul.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 68, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Child, Collins, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 108, A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 75 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to trials for the recovery of real property,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Collins, Cornish, Cutts, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wilson and Mr. Speaker.

Messrs. Amundson and Andrus voted in the negative.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 382, A bill to authorize the several towns and villages and municipal corporations within the counties of Chisago, Isanti, Mille Lacs, Sherburn, Benton and Stearns.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 58 and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Asleson, Baldwin, Baxter J., Bohland, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Halgren, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hulebak, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, McMaster, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sanborn, Snure, Southard, Stone, Thaarlson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Flom, Norrish, and Northness.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 260, A bill to provide for a plat commission for Ramsey county.

Was read the third time and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 60 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Aleson, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Sanborn, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske, and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 227, A bill to amend chapter 36, General Laws, of 1873, relating to the State Horticultural society,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 54, and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Donahue, Dunn, Gould, Griggs, Hayes, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McAndrews, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Snure, Southard, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Ma. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson and Stedjee.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hicks,

S. F. No 354, A bill relative to the liabilities of fire insurance companies,

Was indefinitely postponed.

On motion,

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S. F. No. 147, A bill relating to the reports of geological survey,

Was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Baxter L. L.,

S. F. No. 240, A bill to repeal chapter 189, Special Laws of 1872, relating to compensation of judges of district and common pleas courts of Ramsey county,

Was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Baxter L. L., moved that the House do adjourn.

Which was lost.

S. F. No 298, A bill to authorize the clerk of the district court of Blue Earth county to transcribe a portion of the record of his office,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dunn, Flom, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hauscom, Henry, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kenndy, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter T. C., Putnam, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kendall

S. F. No. 391, A bill to appropriate money to support the Farmers' Board of Trade

Was indefinitely postponed.

S. F. No. 323, A bill to amend chapter 56 of the Special Laws of 1869, page 249,

Entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act granting swamp lands to aid the Minneapolis & St Cloud Railroad Company in building branches, &c.

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage.

The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 56, and nays 13, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Andrus, Armstrong, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bohland, Bookwalter, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, Donahue, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Kendall, Kennedy, Kneeland, Lewis, Linnell, McMaster, Norrish, Peterson A., Post, Putnam, Sabin, Sanborn, Searles, Smith, Stone, Tharalson, Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Asleson, Baker, Kohlmier, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Peterson P. A., Southard, Stedjee, Thornton, Tone and Zieske.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 353, A bill to change the name of certain persons therein named,

Was read the third time, and put upon its final passage,

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The question being taken upon the passage of the bill, there were yeas 88, and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Andrus, Aslesou, Baker, Baldwin, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Bookwalter, Buckman, Burger, Butterfield, Callender, Child, Collins, Colquhoun, Cornish, Cutts, Dean, Denny, Dodge, *Donahue*, Dunn, Flom, Gould, Griggs, Hall, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Hawkins, Henry, Hicks, Hill, Hoyt, Hulebak, Ives, Juelson, Kendall, Kennedy, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Lewis, Linnell, Loveland, McAndrews, McCracken, Moore, McMaster, Norrish, Northness, Peterson A., Peterson P. A., Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C, Post, Putnam, Redding, Rice, Roberts, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Schmidt, Searles, Sheardown, Smith, Southard, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thornton, Thompson J. Jr., Thompson J., Tether, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Washburn, Wiley, Wilson, Zieske and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed, and its title agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER: I have to announce that the Senate has passed House Files herewith returned:

H. F. No. 615, An act authorizing the city of St. Paul to make an appropriation in aid of the widening and improvement of Fort street.

H. F. No. 650, An act to authorize the city of St. Paul to purchase certain lots for public purposes.

H. F. No. 349, An act providing for the suspension and removal of county treasurers for malfeasance or nonfeasance in office, and for the appointment of county treasurers *ad interim*.

H. F. No. 533, An act to prevent rowdyism on railway cars.

H. F. No. 546, An act to encourage timber culture, and to provide for compensation therefor.

H. F. No. 529, An act to authorize certain cities, boroughs and villages to issue bonds for the erection of public buildings, and to provide for the payment of the same.

H. F. No. 620, An act to appropriate money to pay the Le Sueur county agricultural society its share of the appropriation for agricultural societies.

H. F. No. 219, An act to reimburse Pine county for the expenses of the trial of Herbert Hutchinson.

H. F. No. 531, An act to increase the number of the associate justices of the Supreme court.

H. F. No. 534, An act to provide for the surrender of a principal by his sureties.

H. F. No. 642, An act to enable the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company to acquire, construct, maintain and operate railroads in the State of Minnesota.

H. F. No. 174, An act relating to changing the place of trial.

H. F. No. 611, An act to lower the waters of Washington Lake in Sibley county, and make an appropriation for the same.

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H. F. No. 680, An act to amend section 87 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to civil actions.

H. F. No. 682, An act to authorize the St. Paul Gas Company to furnish steam for heating and motive power, and the electric light for purposes of illumination in the city of St. Paul.

H. F. No. 529, An act to secure the collection of taxes on forfeited lands.

H. F. No 663, An act to authorize the village of Watertown, Carver county, to issue bonds.

H. F. No. 31, An act in relation to the direction of public buildings for the use of the city of St. Paul, and the county of Ramsey, etc.

H. F. No. 635, An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for elections and registrations of electors in incorporated cities of 12,000 inhabitants, according to the census of 1875.

H. F. No. 674, An act to authorize and empower the board of regents of the University of Minnesota to make sale and conveyance of the experimental farm, pertaining to said University.

H. F. No. 688, An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of the county of Nobles to issue bonds for certain purposes.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hicks offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the chief clerk draw his order for the sum of two dollars and fifty cents per day during this session, in addition to the amount paid him as chief clerk.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Sanborn offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the chief clerk be, and he hereby is authorized to draw his certificate on the treasurer in favor of Oscar Reding, for the sum of five dollars per day, for each day of this session for which he has not been already paid.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Sanborn offered the following resolution:

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota,

That, The clerks of the committee on public accounts and expenditures, and of the judiciary committee, engrossing committee, enrolling committee and railroad committee each be paid their per diem for the full time of the session, i. e., sixty (60) days, at five ($5) dollars per day, and that the chief clerk is hereby authorized and ordered to draw warrants in their favor for such balance as may remain due to them under this resolution.

Notice of debate having been given, the resolution went over under the rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

Mr. Hill, from the committee on enrollment, to whom was referred

H. F. Nos. 246, 342, 252, 348, 556, 233. 509, 243, 483, 471, 308, 513, 26, 357, 397, 294, 117, 389, 473, 474, 444, 431, 210, 196, 218, 356, 467, 558, 678, 594, 591, 365, 643, 355, 674, 278, 150, 579, 70, 547, 648, 489,

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561, 623, 639, 36, 100, 213, 580, 441, 634, 502, 269, 477, 434, 573, 476, 587, 606, 540, 638, 336, 675, 590, 631, 632, 625, 624, 605, 617, 595, 88, 385, 609, 596, 548, 76, 322, 338, 325, 589, 517, 387, 268, 185, 223, 291, 298, 329, 491, 557, 323, 301, 613, 463, 464, 494, 472, 438, 400, 569, 549, 551, 552, 565, 586, 575, 588, 409, 403, 446, 445, 432, 479, 499, 496, 658, 187, 189, 61, 33, 372, 317, 328, 324, 399, 373, 394, 364, 370, 369, 229, 217, 129, 562, 486, 485, 470, 570, 466 and 574.

Reports that the above are correctly enrolled, and that the same have been transmitted to the Governor.

Mr. Wilson, from the special committee on taxation of railroad lands, submitted the following report:

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON TAXATION OF RAILROAD LANDS.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

The committee of the House appointed "to investigate and report whether any lands granted by this State to aid in the building of any lines of railroads, have been or are held exempt from taxation after they have been sold or contracted to be sold, or after they have become the private property of any person or persons, natural or artificial, other than the railroad companies to which they were granted as aforesaid, and what, if any legislation may in its judgment be necessary in the premises," etc., respectfully report:

That while they have not been able to so thoroughly investigate the subject committed to them as they desired, yet they have examined witnesses as to the grants to the St. Paul & Chicago Railway Company,—the line of road from St. Paul to Winona,—to the Southern Minnesota Railway Company, to the St. Paul & Sioux City Railway Company, to the Hastings & Dakota Railroad Company, to the Minnesota Central Railway Company, to the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company, to the Duluth & St. Paul Railway Company; and find the following state of facts to exist:

The grant of lands to aid in the building these several lines of railroad whereby the Legislature exempted from taxation until such lands should be sold or contracted to be sold, by the respective companies.

The St. Paul & Chicago Railway Company—the company owning the line from St. Paul to Winona—on the 29th day of June, 1869, entered into a contract, a copy of which is set out in the evidence herewith reported, with the Minnesota Railway Construction Company, for the building of said line of road from St. Paul to Winona, by which contract the former company agreed to pay or deliver to the latter as a part consideration for the building of said line of road "$3,000,000 of special preferred capitol stock of the St. Paul & Chicago Railway Company, which special preferred capital stock is to be limited to $3,000,000 in amount and is to be created and issued under and in pursuance of an act of the State of Minnesota, entitled 'An act to amend the charter of the St. Paul & Pacific Railroad, approved February 6, 1864, * * * * * * * and shall give the holders thereof a preference from said railway of ten per centum per annum of the net earnings of said railway, and the absolute, separate ownership of all the lands which shall be hereafter granted, or to be acquired by said railway company, in aid of the construction of said railway, either by or from the United States, or by or from the State of Minnesota, or by or from any munici-

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pality or corporation, or individual whatsover, excepting lands used or necessary for the right of way, gravel pits and depot purposes. * * * * * * It is mutually agreed that the road shall be build according to the directions and in the manner and time which shall be prescribed by said railway company, and that the construction company are to be paid and are to receive all their payment for the construction in advance. * * * * * *

Fifth. The St. Paul & Chicago Railway Company hereby agrees to make and deliver to the Minnesota Railway Construction Company any and all further documents and instruments in writing which the Minnesota Construction Company shall require or be advised by counsel as necessary or important to them that they shall have to more effectually carry out the true intent and meaning of this agreement."

Under this agreement the road was built from St. Paul to Winona, and thus the Minnesota construction company become absolutely entitled to every acre of the lands enuring under that grant. After these lands had been thus earned by the Minnesota construction company, as aforesaid, namely on February 3, 1871, Russell Sage, the president of the last named company addressed a letter to the Hon. Edmund Rice, president of the St. Paul & Chicago Railway company, in which he used the following language:

"By the terms of our contract with your company for the construction and equipment of the railway from St. Paul to Winona, we are to receive in part payment $3,000,000 of special preferred stock, bearing ten per cent. interest per annum, payable from the earnings of that company, and representing exclusive and absolute ownership of all the lands donated to aid in the building of the railway, excepting lands used or necessary for right of way, gravel pits and depot purposes. * * * * We do not propose to repudiate our contract, but we do propose to you to so modify and change it that instead of giving us the $3,000,000 of special preferred stock, you will allow us to return the same to you to be cancelled, and that you will give us in lieu thereof, a land grant mortgage bond of the same amount as the stock, and at the same rate of interest, and secured by a mortgage on all the lands, the ownership of which is now represented by the special preferred stock.'.

This arrangement was perfected. The evidence shows that the $3,000,000 which was proposed to secure by the mortgage on said lands according to said suggestion, was then due and has ever since been due. The evidence also shows that the lands are not worth to exceed the sum of $600,000, and that no offer or attempt has, since the making of said mortgage, been made to foreclose the mortgage. The evidence further shows that the Minnesota Railway Construction Company is the owner of all the stock (except $2,000,000) of the Railway Company; has the absolute control of the last named company; and, to use the language of Mr. Selah Chamberlain, a member of both the Railway Company and the Construction Campany, and who was examined as a witness by your committee: "We know no object in keeping in existence the organization of the Railway Company, except to hold these lands exempt from taxation, as the Railway Company long since sold its line of road and the equipment thereof to the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company."

The number of acres of land involved here and held by this road at this time exempt from taxation, is about 430,000 acres. It may be here added in brief that the lines of railroads with all the appurtenances

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and equipments thereof, belonging to either this railroad company, the Hastings & Dakota Railway Company, or the Minnesota Central Railway Company have been sold, and those so-called railway companies have now respectively no functions to perform, except those of land companies. The number of acres of land now held by the Hastings & Dakota Railway Company, so-called, and by the Minnesota Central Railway Company, so-called, is as follows: By the former, 148,000; by the *latter*, 25,000.

As to the St. Paul & Sioux City Railway Company the following is substantially the facts as developed by the evidence:

Under the laws of the State, and in pursuance of certain resolutions and contracts of the company, certain special or land stock was issued, and the owners of railroad stock were permitted by the payment of one dollar for each share of $100 of said land stock, to subscribe for and take a certain amount of such stock. In this report we confine ourselves particularly to a statement of the facts touching one block of lands of 400,000 acres. There was issued of said special land stock $2,400,000 which became payable only out of said block of lands of 400,000 acres, which were specially designated and set apart. By the agreement or resolution under and in pursuance of which said land stock was issued it was provided as follows:

"Sec. 6. In consideration that the stockholders of the Saint Paul and Sioux City Railroad Company have purchased and paid for the shares of special stock herein provided, said company covenants and agrees with the Hon. William R. Marshall, as trustee for all the holders of stock issued in pursuance hereof, that the lands granted by Congress to aid in constructing said company's road, to the extent and quantity of four hundred thousand acres, are hereby set apart and specially appropriated to the payment of dividends, and the final extinction and payment of the full par value of the stock issued under this agreement and to more fully secure the appropriation of said lands to that purpose, said company agrees to and with said trustee, to make and deliver herewith, to Elias F. Drake, an irrevocable power of attorney, authorizing said Elias F. Drake, in the name of said company, as attorney in fact to contract, sell and convey any or all of said lands at discretion, and appiy the proceeds to the payment of dividends due on said stock, and the excess to the liquidation and reduction of the principal thereof, as herein provided, to be appropriated ratably on such stock.

It is further agreed that the Board of the time being, whether of directors or trustees, who by the provisions hereof may have control of the lands set apart for the benefit of the stock herein created, may determine at what rate, and to what extent, such special stock may be received in payment for lands at their appraised value, and from time to time alter or discontinue the sales and conditions for receiving the same, and any stock so received shall be sunk, and the rights of holders thereof to any benefits on account thereof ceases; but no such stock shall be received in payment for lands, except at a price believed by them to be for the interest and profit of the remaining holders of stock.

"Sec. 7. The holders of said special stock may, whenever demanded by owners of not less than one-fourth of the entire amount of said stock outstanding, call a meeting of all holders of the same, by giving thirty days public notice in one or more newspapers of general circulation in Saint Paul and in New York, of the time and place in the city of St. Paul or the city of New York, where the same will be held, and said meeting, if holders of one-half of said stock are present, in person or by

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proxy, may elect, in the same manner that directors of the company are elected, five trustees, who may choose a president and secretary, and the persons so elected and chosen shall hold their office for the term of one year and until their successors are elected or chosen. The trustees so elected may make such rules and by-laws for the government of land trustee and attorney in fact in the discharge of their duties as they may think proper, and may choose and appoint all needful agents, and a treasurer or custodian, who shall receive and disburse all the funds arising from the sale of said lands.

"Sec. 8. The said trustees as chosen may at pleasure remove any and all officers, agents and servants employed in or about the management of said lands or property, and appoint others; also remove said land trustee and attorney in fact, and appoint their successors, and so remove and appoint from time to time all such persons, whenever in their opinion the interests of the holders of such stock require the same.

"Sec. 9. The Board of Trustees of said special stock shall have the right to contest and direct the attorney in fact as to the price and manner of selling any of said lands, and through said attorney they may grant right of way for improvements on any of said lands, compromise claims, make releases, and generally do all such acts as the owners of the same might do, and such acts shall be binding on all parties interested, until such time as the holders of said special stock shall, as herein provided, choose a Board of Trustees. The Board of Directors of the Saint Paul and Sioux City Railroad Company shall have power to do all the things pertaining to the duties of such Board of Trustees, but such power shall cease and determine as soon as Trustees shall be chosen and enter on their duties."

The evidence shows these lands on an average to have been worth $3 or $4 per acre. This land scrip which was issued, was locatable on such lands as it will be observed, by the owners thereof, at such prices as the board of trustees of the special stock should fix; and it will also be observed that unless the lands were worth to exceed $6 per acre, that the stock would absorb all the lands without any payment of interest on the stock. It is further proper to state that this stock was not payable out of any other fund than these lands. From this statement of facts it is quite apparent that while the owners of this land stock have not the naked, legal title to the lands, they have a right thereto, which they can at any minute make effectual, and change their equitable title, or right, into an absolute legal title to such lands, it remaining subject to their volition to control these lands by this stock, the absolute, legal title remaining in the railroad company, or to take and hold the absolute, legal title in themselves individually.

Mr. H. H. Porter, the president of the St. Paul & Sioux City Railway Company having been examined as a witness, testified that he has not since he became president of that company in May or June last, believed that the company had any right to say anything about the control of these lands, and that in fact they did not assume any control, but that the lands were controlled and governed by the owners of the land stock. It may perhaps be well to add that this land stock has sold in the market at the highest, from 50 to 60 cents on the dollar.

As to the remaining lands of the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company your committee have not had sufficient time to particularly examine any questions that may be involved, nor as to the lands of the Stillwater & Taylor's Falls Company. Including this block of 400,000 acres to

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which we have above referred, the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company now holds exempt from taxation nearly 500,000 acres of land, and the Sioux City & St. Paul Railway Company about 118,000 acres, and the Stillwater & Taylor's Falls Company about 30,000 acres, all of which lands are, if not in the same position as the block of 400,000 acres above referred to, covered and controlled by special land stock, somewhrt similar to the stock which covers and controls the 400,000 acres aforesaid.

We now ask attention to the Southern Minnesota Railway Company. Without going over *sere atem* the facts made apparent by the evidence, we would say that it seems quite clear that there are two several blocks of land, one of about 25,000 acres, and another of about 51,000 acres, which are clearly subject to taxation, and which have been held exempt from taxation thus far. This may be called the Clark W. Thompson trust, and the lands held by what is called the 233 land-trust certificates. As to the other lands of that company there was no evidence to justify your committee in reporting them as subject to taxation.

As to the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company, the evidence shows that some 317,000 acres of land of that company were given to the parties who built the road from Winona to Waseca, a distance of 105 miles, which lands are now and have been for a number of years taxed; the remainder of the lands of that company are still held by the company, and under the law exempt from taxation.

As to the St. Paul and Duluth Company the evidence shows that the lands are still held by the company, but certain evidence introduced does also show that sales are made of stumpage, so called, as follows, to-wit: the timber on the lands is sold giving a length of time shorter or longer in different instances for the removal of such timber. And it was also testified that the land when the timber was removed was worthless. Except in one instance there was no evidence to justify your committee in assuming that there was any attempt in this arrangement to evade legal taxation, and in that instance the evidence was not sufficiently clear and satisfactory to justify your committee to say that there was any illegal purpose; yet this, perhaps, is a matter to which attention should be called.

The evidence from which these conclusions are drawn is herewith returned, and these conclusions may further be varied by such evidence as might be deduced by litigation.

As to the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company especially it is fair to say that the evidence is not nearly so full as it should have been, had your committee had further time to investigate, and it is claimed by the holders of special land stock that they can establish a state of facts which will clearly show the lands exempt from taxation, and your committee do not wish to decide or intimate that such proof cannot be adduced.

Your committee would therefor recommend that the State Auditor be instructed by the House to cause to be placed on the tax lists the lands granted to the St. Paul & Chicago railway company; to the St. Paul & Sioux City railroad company; to the Sioux City & St. Paul railway company; to the Stillwater & Taylor's Falls railroad company; and to the Southern Minnesota Railway company, so far as the lands of the last named company are included in the said Thompson trust, and the so-called 233 land-trust certificates.

That the Attorney General be instructed to appear for the State in support of such taxes, in case any default is made to the same or to any part thereof, in order that the question of the taxibility of such bonds may be thoroughly tested in the courts and settled.

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Your committee would also farther recommend that the Attorney General be instructed to institute such proceedings in the courts as to him may seem proper to test the question in the courts, whether any of the railroad companies aforesaid have forfeited their franchises or right to be a corporation, by the transfer of their lines of roads, and of the right to operate the same, or by any other acts whatever.

That the Attorney General may employ shch counsel, (if any) as may to him seem necessary to aid him in the defense of such tax suits, if any such there shall be, *provided* that no Attorney who may have advised or recommended such action or prosecution in the legislature. shall be employed as such assistant attorney, and that such fee shall be paid to such assistant attorney as the Attorney General and the Governor shall deem proper. Provided, That the majority report of the committee be submitted to the Attorney General and that he may in his discretion stipulate with the different companies mentioned, for the bringing of test suits to determine the taxability of the bonds in said report mentioned, and in case said course is agreed upon that the other lands of such companies not embraced in such test suits, may in the discretion and on the direction of the Attorney General, not be placed on the tax roll until such test suits are determined.

THOMAS WILSON,
S. G. COMSTOCK,
L. W. COLLINS.

On motion the report was laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Gould the House adjourned.

J. R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY.

ST. PAUL, Friday, March 4, 1881.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Boser, Comstock, Griggs, Graling, Herberger, Hicks, Kendall, Kniss, McCracken, Searles, Stone, Thompson J. Jr. and Van Hoesen.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the reading of yesterday's Journal was dispensed with.

Corrections being made, the Speaker stated that the Journal stood approved.

On motion of Mr. Sanborn the following resolution was taken from the table and considered:

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Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota,

That the clerks of the committees of public accounts, railroads, judiciary, enrollment and engrossment, be paid for the full term of the session, i. e., for sixty days, at the rate of five dollars per day, and the chief clerk is hereby authorized and ordered to draw his warrant to each of them for the balances due under this resolution.

Mr. Sanborn moved that the resolution be adopted.

The question being taken on the adoption of the resolution, and the yeas and nays being ordered, there were yeas 38, and nays 50, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Baxter J., Baxter L. L., Bookwalter, Braley, Buckman, Burger, Callender, Churchill, Cornish, Daniels, Dean, Donahue, Gardner, Gould, Hall, Hawkins, Henry, Hill, Ives, Kennedy, Lewis, McAndrews, Moore, McMaster, Northness, Peterson A., Redding, Rice, Sabin, Sampson, Sanborn, Sheardown, Snure, Tether, Washburn and Mr. Speaker.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Amundson, Andrus, Armstrong, Asleson, Baker, Boser, Bohland, Caine, Collins, Colquhoun, Cutts, Denny, Denby, Dodge, Dunn, Flom, Geary, Hayes, Halgren, Hanscom, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Kidder, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, Mott, Norrish, Plaisance, Porter O. S., Porter T. C., Purrington, Putnam, Roberts, Rosebrock, Schmidt, Searles, Smith, Stedjee, Stewart, Tharalson, Thompson J., Tone, Van Hoesen, Wagner, Wiley and Zieske.

So the resolution was lost.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Norrish offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the thanks of the House are due, and are hereby tendered to our Speaker for the impartial, able and courteous manner in which he has performed the duties of his office during the session about to expire.

Mr. Norrish moved that the resolution be adopted, and that it be done by a rising vote.

The motion prevailed, and the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Mott offered the following resolution.

Which was adopted:

Resolved, That the members of the House heartily and gladly express their obligation to the chief clerk and his assistants for the able and faithful manner in which they have severally discharged their duties, and amid personal danger and great embarrassment, and worked so nobly for the best interests of this body.

Mr. Thornton offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the thanks of this House is tendered to the city of St. Paul, and especially to the mayor, councilmen and other citizens who kindly furnished comfortable rooms in Market Hall for the Legislature and State officers of this State immediately after the burning of the State capitol, and for courtesies extended to members generally during the session.

On motion the resolution was laid upon the table.

Mr. Gould offered the following resolution:

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Resolved; That the chief clerk of the House be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to allow sixty days time of service to the clerks of the judiciary committee, committee on public accounts and expenditures, railroad committee, assistant clerk of engrossment committee, assistant clerk of enrollment committee, in the settlement of their respective accounts.

On motion the resolution was laid upon the table.

Mr. Collins, from the committee to whom was referred the resolution allowing John C. Devereaux and J. Q. A. Ward one hundred dollars each, as reporters of this House, report the same back with the following statement of facts:

That said Devereaux is the editor of the Chronicle, a weekly paper published in St. Paul; that said Ward is a resident of the same city, and has correspondence with the following weekly papers, during the session, to-wit:

Hutchinson Leader, Scott County Advocate, Madelia Times, Valley Herald and Hastings Union.

We leave the resolution to be disposed of by the House.

L. W. COLLINS,
P. H. THORNTON,
HENRY G. HICKS,

The report was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

The following message was received from the Senate:

SENATE CHAMBER, March 4, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has concurred in the amendment of the House to the concurrent resolution prohibiting investigating committees from sitting after the close of the present session.

The Senate concurred in the House concurrent resolution for the codification and publication of the school laws.

The Senate has also adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, by the House the Senate concurring, That a committee of two on the part of the Senate and two on the part of the House be appointed to wait on his Excellency the Governor and ascertain if he has any further communication to make to the legislature at this session thereof.

Senators Wheat and Castle are such committee on the part of the Senate.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.

Being under consideration, the House concurred in the Senate resolution appointing a committee to wait on His Excellency the Governor. and ascertain if he has any further communication to make to the legislature at this session thereof.

And Messrs. Mott and Baxter L. L.,

Were appointed such committee on the part of the House.

The following messages were received from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:—I have to announce that the Senate has adopted the following resolution in which the concurrance of the House is requested.

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Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that the thanks of this Legislature are due, and are hereby tendered to the Mayor, Common Council, and warm-hearted citizens of this city for their many kindnesses and countesies extended to this Legislature and the individual members thereof during this session, and especially on the occasion of the recent buring of the Capitol.

May the future destiny of this grand young city be worthy of its noble large-heartedness.

Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Mayor and Common Council.

S. P. JENNISON,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Hicks the House concurred in the resolution.

On motion of Mr. Wilson the report of the committee on taxation of railroad lands was taken from the table and considered.

Mr. Dunn, of the committee, presented the following minority report:

The undersigned, of the committee to investigate the manner of taxation of railroad lands respectfully report: That the investigation pursued by your committee was of necessity owing to the crowded state of business before the House of Representatives, a crude and imperfect one, it being carried on in the midst of matters pressing on the time of your committee. The evidence taken is very voluminous, and is largely documentary.

Your committee have not had time to devote to its consideration that time the importance of the matter demanded, and while we agree with the majority that the evidence adduced, demands careful attention on the part of the State authorities, we are not able to reach the same conclusion as the majority have done as to positive action, for the reason that the claim is made that the companies can on a full investigation establish that these lands are properly and lawfully exempt from taxation, and your committee are of opinion that placing the lands on the tax list without further and fuller investigation by competent authority, would entail heavy burdens on the company as well as the State, and which might be avoided, and believing that such action ought not to be taken at this time. Your committee recommend that the testimony taken by your committee be referred to the Attorney General, with directions to carefully examine the same, and to advise the State Auditor in the premises, and that if in his opinion the facts warrant it, that then said lands be listed for taxation as the only proper manner in which the matter can be properly tested.

JAMES SMITH, JR.,
ANDREW C. DUNN.

Mr. Wilson moved that the report be adopted.

Pending which—

Mr. Smith moved the adoption of the minority report.

Mr. Gearey moved the previous question.

Which was seconded by a majority.

The question being on the adoption of the minority report.

And the yeas and nays being ordered, there were yeas 20, and nays 42, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baldwin, Baxter L. L., Braley, Child, Cornish, Daniels, Denby, Donahue, Halgren, Ives, Kennedy, McAndrews, Mott, McMaster, Porter O. S., Sabin, Sanborn, Smith, Washburn and Wiley.

Those who voted in the negative were—

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Messrs. Allen, Amundson, Armstrong, Asleson, Baxter J., Boser, Bohland, Burger, Caine, Churchill, Collins, Colquhoun, Dean, Flom, Geary, Gould, Henry, Herberger, Hulebak, Juelson, Klossner, Kneeland, Kohlmier, Linnell, Loveland, McCracken, Northness, Peterson P. A., Porter T. C., Redding, Rice, Roberts, Rosebrock, Sampson, Sheardown, Stedjee, Stone, Tharalson, Thompson J., Wagner, Wilson and Zieske.

So the minority report was not adopted.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the report of the committee,

Mr. Wilson moved to amend the report as follows:

Which was accepted by Mr. Smith:

Provided, That the majority report of the committee be submitted to the Attorney General, and that he may, in his discretion, stipulate with the different companies mentioned, for the bringing of test suits to determine the taxability of the lands in said report mentioned, and in case said course is agreed upon that the other lands of such companies not embraced in such test suits, may in the discretion and on the direction of the Attorney General, not be placed on the tax roll until such test suits are determined.

The question being taken upon the adoption of the report as amended,

It was adopted.

Twelve o'clock M. having arrived, the Speaker announced that the House stood adjourned without day.

L. FLETCHER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Attest:

JOHN R. HOWARD,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

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APPENDIX

TO THE

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS,

Appointed by the Governor of Minnesota, under the provisions of an act entitled, "An Act for the equitable adjustment of the State Railroad Bonds," and approved February 28, 1866.

Commission met, at the suggestion of the Governor, on the 4th day of April 1866, at the Capitol, in the city of St. Paul, Minnesota.

Commissioners duly qualified by filing in the office of the Secretary of State, the oath required by law.

Hon. John Nicols was chosen to act as chairman of the board.

The board voted to meet at the Astor House, in the city of New York, on the eleventh day of June, 1866; and at the Capitol, in the city of St. Paul, on the eighteenth day of July, 1866.

It was determined to publish the notices required by law in the St. Paul Press and the St. Paul Pioneer. The New York Herald and the Boston Journal were suggested as the other papers in which publication of notice should be made, but the final selection of said papers, in which publication should be made, was left to the chaiaman of the board, John Nichols, Esq,

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It was agreed that notice of meeting of the commissioners should be published at least for the space of one month in each paper, before the dates of meeting, but the times of such publication was left to be determined by the chairman of the board.

Each member of the board was requested to obtain as much information as possible concerning the present ownership and alleged value of bonds, before the meeting of the board in New York, and the chairman was requested to obtain all possible data, concerning the bonds, from the Governor and other State officers.

The Attorney General of the State was requested to give the board his written opiniou as to the liability of the State to pay said bonds. This the Attorney General promised to do.

The board adjourned to meet at the Astor House, in the city of New York, June 11th, next.

J. E. TOURTELOTTE,
Secretary pro tem.

NEW YORK, June 11, 1866.

The commission met at the Astor House, in the city of New York, on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1866, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Present, Messrs. Nicols, Tourtelotte and Hubbard.

The chairman of the board reported that he had caused the following notice to be published in the "St. Paul Daily Press," and "St. Paul Daily Pioneer," once in each week, for 12 successive weeks, commencing on the 27th day of April, 1866, and in the "New York Daily Herald," and "Boston Daily Advertiser," once in each week, for six successive weeks, commencing on the 3d day of May, 1866, to-wit:

"Minnesota State Railroad Bonds.

"An Act for the equitable adjustment of the State Railroad Bonds.

"Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

"SECTION 1. The Governor shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint three Commissioners, citizens of this State, who having qualified, by filing in the office of the Secretary of State, an oath of office, shall inquire into and report to the next Legislature of the State, at the commencement of its session, who are the holders of the State Railroad seven (7) per cent. Bonds, issued under and pursuant to the amend-

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ment to section ten (10), article nine (9), of the Constitution, adopted April 15th, 1858, the amount due to each holder thereof, and the amount which each bona fide holder paid therefor.

SEC. 2. The said board shall have power and authority to receive propositions from the several owners and holders of said bonds, on what terms they will surrender the same to the State, and to inquire into and examine all claims arising under the amendment aforesaid, and report thereon as required in section one of this act.

SEC. 3. The said Board of Commissioners shall cause a notice to be published in two newspapers published at St. Paul, and one newspaper published in the city of Boston, and one in the city of New York, stating the time and place of their meeting, and the object of their appointment, and requiring the holders of said bonds to present before the said Board of Commissioners their claims against the State, together with proofs of the amounts paid for said bonds. The said Board of Commissioners shall have power to send for persons and papers, and to administer oaths, and to examine any party presenting claims under oath or by deposition.

SEC. 4. All claims or bonds arising under and by virtue of said amend, ment, which shall not be presented to said Board of Commissioners prior to the first day of January, 1867, shall be forever barred, and the Legislature will not feel bound to recognize.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved Feb, 28th 1866.

The undersigned, Commissioners appointed by the Governor of Minnesota, by virtue of the above named act, will meet in pursuance of the provisions thereof, at the Astor House, in the city of New York, on the 11th day of June, 1866, and at the Capitol, in the city of St. Paul, on the 18th day of July, 1866.

The holders of Minnesota State Railroad Bonds are requested to meet with he commissioners.

JOHN NICOLS,
L. F. HUBBARD,
J. E. TOURTELLOTTE,
Commissioners.

The chairman of the board also reported that he had caused circulars to be printed containing the same matter, with the above notice and had sent a copy of the same to each holder of Minnesota State Railroad Bonds so far as they had become known to him,

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The action of the chairman in the publication of notices and issuing of circulars was approved by the board.

The following holders of Minnesota State Railroad Bonds met with the commissioners, or communicated with them by letter.

Nathaniel Deyo, Newburgh, Orango county, N. Y.

Holds four (4) bonds, numbered 1452, 1453, 1454, 1455, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

States they cost him their par value.

Does not propose to surrender them at less than par and interest.

See affidavit.

John Mott, 116 Duane St., N. Y. city.

Holds three (3) bonds, numbered 687 and 688, dated December 1, 1858, and No. 1590, dated February 25, 1859, all issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

States they cost him their par value.

Will surrender them to the State, upon such terms as may be accorded to the most favored bondholders.

John Warren, Clinton, Illinois.

Holds eleven (11) bonds, Nos. 705, 706, 729, 731, 732, 733, 740, 775, 776, 777, 780, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

States they cost him their par value.

Will surrender them "upon the issue of new bonds for the amount, with reasonable interest."

See deposition.

Lyman Farwell, Roston, Mass.

Holds thirty (30) bonds. Nos. 696, 698, 699, 703, 704, 712, 713, 715, 723, 765, 770, 771, dated Dec. 1, 1858. Nos. 1576, 1577, 1580, dated February 25, 1859, and Nos. 1749 to 1763 inclusive, dated March 10, 1859, all issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

States the bonds were a part of the assets of the Bank of St. Paul, and that he bought them at seventeen and one-half (17½) per cent. of their par value.

Will surrender them upon the payment of fifty (50) per cent. of their par value, without interest, or upon such terms as may be accorded to the most favored bondholders.

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Hendricks Bros., 77 Broad Street, N. Y. city.

Holds two (2) bonds, Nos. 1536, 1537, issued to the Minnesota & Pacific Railroad Company, February 3, 1859.

States that they cost him sixty-five (65) per cent. of their value.

Will accept sixty-five (65) per cent. of the claim, or any settlement a majority of the bondholders may agree to.

Charles E. Brill, (box 76) New York city, (by letter).

Holds one (1) bond, No. 1544, issued to the St. Paul & Pacific Railroad Company, December 1, 1859.

States the bond cost him $400.

Will surrender it upon the payment of par and interest.

Jared B. Flagg, New Haven, Conn. (by letter,)

Holds one (1) bond, No. 1691, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, March 10, 1859.

States the bond cost him $400.

Will surrender it upon the payment of par and interest,

See deposition.

Stephen A. Dodge, Brooklyn, New York.

Holds six (6) bonds, Nos. 637, 638, 639, 651 issued to the Minneapolis & Cedar Valley Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858, and Nos. 52 and 54, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858.

States that he paid eighty five (85) per cent. of their par value for the bonds n exchange for property (real estate,) in New York.

Will not surrender them at less than their par value with interest.

See deposition.

The board voted to publish the following notice one time—to appear June 12—in the financial columns of the New York Daily Herald and New York Daily Journal of Commerce.

"Holders of Minnesota State Railroad Bonds are requested to meet with the Commissioners from Minnesota, at Room No 20, Astor House, to-day, June 12, 1866."

JOHN NICOLS,
Chairman.

At 4 o'clock P. M., the board adjourned, to meet at 10 o'clock A. M., June 12, 1866.

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NEW YORK, June 12, 1866.

The board met at 10 o'clock A. M., and continued its consultation with the holders of Minnesota State Railroad Bonds.

George W. Platt, 20 Maiden Lane, New York city.

Holds seventeen (17) bonds, Nos. 240, 241, 242, 617, 618, 619, 620, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858, and Nos. 1822, 1827, 1887, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, March 15, 1859.

States that the bonds cost him eighty (80) per cent. of their par value, though they were taken in payment of a debt of long standing.

Will surrender the bonds for sixty (60) per cent. of his claim, or accept of such a settlement as a majority of the bondholders may agree to.

See depositson.

A. Von Glahn, Chicago, Ill.

Holds thirty (30) bonds, Nos. from 1728 to 1739 inclusive, dated Dec. 1, 1858, and from 271 to 280, inclusive; 1692 to 1697, inclusive; 773 and 774, dated March 10, 1859, issued to the Minneapolis ond Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

States they cost him $16,829.58 in gold.

Will accept such a settlement as may be accorded to the most favored bondholders.

Mrs. Elizabeth Atwater, Pottsville, Pa.

Holds five (5) bonds, Nos. 1543, 1545, 1026, 1027, 1028, issued to the Minnesota and Pacific Railroad Company, February 3, 1859.

States that they cost their par value, but were taken in part payment of a debt.

Will accept of such a settlement as may be accorded to the most favored bondholders.

Fred R. Schuchardt & Sons, No. 40, Exchange Place, New York.

Holds eighteen (18) bonds, Nos. 1406, 1408, 1419, 1420, 1422, 1424, 1837, 1858, 1863, 1875, 1879, 1880, 1882, 1883, 1886, 1902, 1910, 1912, issued to the Transit Railroad Co, March 15, 1859.

States they cost him seventy-five (75) cents on the dollar.

Will accept the terms that may be accorded to the most favored bondholders.

Wm. H. Gebhard and August Lambert, as executors of the estate of Fredrick C. Gebhard, 19 and 21, Nassau street, New York City.

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Holds seventeen (17) bonds, Nos. 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 1397 1400, 1401, 1402, 1403, 1404, 1405, issued to the Transit Railroad Co., December 1, 1859.

States that they cost seventy-five (75) cents on the dollar.

Will accept the terms that may be accorded to the most favored bondholders.

James T. Souter, represented by T. H. Porter, 120 Chamber street, New York city.

Holds one hundred and eight (108) bonds.

Nos. 14, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 158, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, issued to the Transit Railroad Co., Dec. 1, 1858, and No. 1826, issued to Transit Co. March 15, 1859.

States that they cost about 50 per cent. of their par value. The bonds were received as collateral for an advance of money.

Mr. Souter states that his principal would doubtless accept in settlement fifty (50) per cent. of his claim.

The board voted to publish the following notice continuously for—— days in the New York Daily Herald and the Boston Daily Advertiser:

Minnesota State Railroad Bonds. The commissioners on the part of the State of Minnesota, appointed by virtue of "an act for the equitable adjustment of Minnesota State Railroad Bonds," will hold an adjourned meeting at the Capitol, in the City of St. Paul, July 18, 1866. Holders of such bonds are requested to meet with the commissioners.

New York June 13, 1866.

JOHN NICOLS, Chairman.

There being no further business before the board, it adjourned, to meet at the Capitol, in the City of St. Paul, Minn., July 18. 1866.

L. F. HUBBARD,
Secretary pro tem.

ST. PAUL, July 18, 1866.

The Board met at the Capitol, in the City of St. Paul, on the 18th day of July, 1866, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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Present, Nicols, Tourtellotte and Hubbard.

The board voted that in its future examination of claimants, it would requir them to make their statements under oath.

The following holders of Minnesota State Railroad Bonds met with the commissioners, or communicated with them by letter:

Patrick Nash, St. Paul, Minn.

Sworn—Holds ten (10) bonds, Nos. 527 to 536, inclusive, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

The bonds were received in payment of work done on the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad, and cost their par value Took twenty-five (25) miles of the construction of said railroad under contract. The contract stated that the railroad company could pay in cash or State Railroad Bonds. The prices paid under the contract were not liberal—just enough to live on—if paid in cash. If we received cash we were to make a deduction of ten (10) per cent. If we received bonds we were to take them at par. Believe we received fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) in bonds, and something over thirty thousand dollars in cash. Built the road at Dundas, between Rosemount and Northfield. We were paid the following prices for our work:

For excavating—earth, 17 cents per cubic yard; loose rock, 27 cents per cubic yard; solid rock, fifty cents per cubic yard; hauling, 1¾ cents per cubic yard for every hundred feet after the first hundred; for clearing and grubbing land, $20 per acre. I am of the opinion that one of my bonds was loaned to Wm. B. McGrorty and never returned. The whole amount was deposited with W. H. Forbes, for the benefit of the creditors of Nash & McGrorty.

Willard Dodge, Kalamazoo, Mich.

Sworn—Holds eight (8) bonds, Nos. 1783 to 1790, inclusive, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, March, 15, 1859. The bonds are property of wife. Loaned about six thousand five hundred dollars, (6,500) on mortgage and other security; interest paid up to 1857; not paid for some two years. Mortgage amounted to over eight thousand dollars, ($8,000) and I took eight (8) bonds in payment. All coupons are on the bonds except the first one, which is detached.

I proposes to take principle, omitting interest. Will accept such settlement as is allowed to most favored bondholders.

Ira Bidwell, St. Paul.

Sworn—Holds seventeen (17) bonds, Nos. 1481, 1552 to 1558, inclusive, 1571, 1574, issued to Minnesota and Pacific Railroad Company, February 3, 1859, and 515, 516, 690, 1607, 1611, 1613, 1663, issued to Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

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Took the bonds in payment of debts, and for some I traded mortgages and lumber; most of them I took for debts. Their average cost was ninety cents on the dollar.

Will take what they cost.

T. H. Loyhed, Faribault, Minn.

Sworn—Holds one (1) bond, No. 1764, issued to Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, March 10, 1859.

Took bond at par for goods furnished contractors. Took one bond for $3,700 worth of goods furnished. All I received.

Will surrender to the State for a new bond or cash.

R. M. S. Pease, St. Paul, Minn.

Holds two (2) bonds, Nos. 284, 1620, issued to Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

The bonds belong to wife. They were bought at ninety-five (95) cents on the dollar cash.

Bond No. 1627, issued to Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, is held by firm of Lidle, Wolford & Co., and cost $965.

Bond No. 1658, issued to Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, is held by Peter Wolford, and cost $965.

These two bonds were paid for in Minnesota State railroad money.

In bonds, would not be willing to take less than the face and interest of claim; in cash, would throw off interest.

Selah Chamberlain, Cleveland, Ohio.

Sworn—Holds nine hundred and sixty-seven (967) bonds, Nos. 301 to 325, inclusive, 330, 331, 334, 337, 351 to 400, inclusive, 433, 444, 436 to 442, inclusive, 1201 to 1375, inclusive, 2076 to 2275, inclusive, 411 to 431, inclusive, 401 to 410, inclusive, 435, 436, 432, issued to Southern Minnesota Railroad Company, December 1, 1858. Nos. 801 to 1000, inclusive, 1014, 1025, 1040, 1041, 1043, 1052, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1101 to 1200, inclusive, 1542, 1550, 1976 to 2075, inclusive, 1001 to 1005, inclusive, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1012, 1022, 1029, 1030, 1042, 1047, 1049, 1047, 1547, 1496, 1500, 1526, 1527, 1529, 1530, 1531, 1551, 1572, issued to the Minnesota and Pacific Railroad Company, December 1, 1858. Nos. 4, 161, 1376, 1688, 1871, 1914, 1941, 1943, 1944, 1946, 1951, 1956, 1958, 1959, 1961, 55, 56, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, December 1, 1858. Nos. 667, 669, 670, 693, 721, 734, 735, 757, 779, 785, 1625, 1647, 1666, 761, 636, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

Mr. Chamberlain states that he received the bonds in part payment of con-

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tracts for building the Minnesota Valley Railroad, Root River Railroad, Southern Minnesota Railroad,) and Minnesota and Pacific Railroad; that the bonds cost him more than par. Paid a large amount of money for benefit of the companies, for which he has received nothing but the bonds. Root River Road cost twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) per mile. Valley Road, six thousand dollars ($6,000) per mile, and Minnesota and Pacific Road, eight thousand dollars ($8,000) per mile. He had twenty-five (25) more bonds, which he sold. Those, with the 967 now in his possession, are all the bonds received by him.

Will not make a proposition to surrender the bonds to the State for less than par value.

Claims par and interest.

The board then adjourned, to meet at 9 o'clock A. M., July 19, 1866.

ST. PAUL, July 19, 1866.

The board met at 9 o'clock A. M., and continued its consultations with the holders of Minnesota State Railroad Bonds.

Messrs. Richards & Burdan, Dubuque Iowa.

Mr. B. B. Richards sworn.

Holds fourteen (14) bonds, No. 252, issued to Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858. No. 1741, issued to Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, March 10, 1859. Nos. 1447, 1448, 1450, issued to Transit Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858. Nos. 1770, 1800, 1801, 1803, 1804, 1805, 1937, 1969, 1971, issued to Transit Railroad Company, March 15, 1859.

The bonds were received from debtors during 1859, at ninety-five cents on the dollar.

Was doing business at the time in Winona.

Would accept the best terms the State would offer.

Hugh Hammond, Stafford, Gennessee county, New York.

Represented by B. B. Richards, Dubuque, Iowa.

Holds three (3) bonds, Nos. 1968, 1970, 1972, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, March 15, 1859.

States they cost ninety-five (95) cents on the dollar.

Will accept the best terms the State will offer.

Wm. H. Temple, St. Paul, Minn.

Declines to be sworn.

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Holds twenty (20) bonds, Nos. 50, 51, 1428, 53, 1, dated Dec. 1, 1858. and Nos. 1925, 1816, 1924, 1782, dated March 15, 1859, and issued to the Transi, Railroad Company. Nos. 695, 784, 575, dated Dec. 1, 1858, and Nos. 1583t 1622, 1642, dated February 25, 1859, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Co. No. 1488, dated February 3, 1859. Nos. 1039, 1017, 1018, dated Dec. 1, 1858, issued to the Minnesota and Pacific Railroad Company. No. 443, dated Dec. 1, 1853, issued to the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company.

Is unable to state their cost.

Has no proposition to make.

Samuel Williston, East Hampton, Mass.

Holds five (5) bonds, Nos. 548, 549, 551, 559, 600, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858.

States they cost in January, 1864, fifty per cent. of their par value, without reckoning interest.

Will surrender them for their full value in other State bonds bearing seven (7) per cent. interest.

Wm. Clark & Co., Northampton, Mass.

Holds twenty-one (21) bonds.

Nos. 1023, 1024, issued to the Minnesota and Pacific Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858. Nos. 1435, 1437, issued to the Transit Railroad Co., Dec. 1, 1858. Nos. 1484 to 1487, inclusive, 1494, 1495, issued to the Minnesota and Pacific Railroad Company, February 3, 1859. No. 1916, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, March 15, 1859. Nos. 1698 to 1707, inclusive, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, March 10, 1859.

States that the bonds cost as follows:

$10,000, February 13, 1865, cost $3,850. $10,000, June 1, 1865, cost $3,015. $1,000, June 9, 1866, cost $377.12.

"Will surrender the past due coupons, with the December coupon, taking new bonds for the amount, upon the State passing such laws as are necessary for the prompt payment of the interest as it falls due after that date."

See deposition.

Wm. B. Hale, Northampton, Mass.

Holds nine (9) bonds.

No. 685, dated Dec. 1, 1858; No. 1604, dated February 25, 1859; No. 1773, dated March 10, 1859, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company. Nos. 463, 466, 468, dated Dec. 1, 1858, issued to the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company. No. 1385, dated Dec. 1, 1858, and Nos. 1973, 1974, dated March 15, 1859, issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

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States these bonds cost $348.50 each, in November, 1864.

Proposes "to surrender all past due coupons, and the coupons maturing December 1, 1866, and receive in exchange bonds of the State of Minnesota, in amount equal to the face of said coupons, bearing semi-annual interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent. per annum, payable, principal and interest, in the city of New York. Provided, the State shall, by the action of its next Legislature, provide for the full and prompt payment of the coupons thereafter maturing on all its bonds."

See deposition.

Fuller & Tucker, Northampton, Mass.

Holds four (4) bonds.

Nos. 461, 471, issued to the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858, and Nos. 35, 1441, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

States they cost $400 each.

Will surrender them for new bonds of the State, bearing seven (7) per cent interest.

E. A. Whiting, Northampton, Mass.

Holds one (1) bond.

No. 259, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858.

States that this bond cost, May 28, 1866, $525.

"Will surrender all past due coupons, including the coupons due Dec. 1, 1866, and take, for full amount of same, a new bond similar to the one I now hold, provided, the State of Minnesota shall provide by law for the prompt and full payment of its semi-annual interest as it matures."

See deposition.

Reuben Cole—sworn.

Holds one (1) bond.

No. 1605, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad, February 25, 1859.

States it cost about $400.

Would accept the original cost with interest.

Samuel S. Carll, 62 Broad St., N. Y. city.

Holds one (1) bond.

No. 578, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company Dec. 1, 1858.

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States it cost $910.
Makes no proposition.
See deposition.

Edward Webb, St. Paul, Minn.—Sworn.
Holds one (1) bond.
No 577, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, Dec 1, 1858.
States it cast $300, cash.
Will accept of such terms of settlement as may be accorded to the most favored bondholders.

Mrs. P. S. Williams, Portland, Maine.
Holds fourteen (14) bonds.
Nos. 560 to 573, inclusive, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858.
States they cost their par value.
Will surrender them upon the payment of principal and interest.
See affidavit.

Geo. A. Newell, (as assignee of J. H. Winter,) of Boston, Mass.
Holds two (2) bonds.
Nos. 1672, dated February 25, 1859, and 1775, dated March 10, 1859, both issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.
States they cost par value.
And will not part with them for less.
See deposition.

Chas. D. Bates, San Francisco, Cal.
Held by N. Dutton, Manchester, Iowa.
Holds one (1) bond.
No. 219, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.
States it cost its par value.
Makes no proposition.

John R. Cook, Rochester, Minn.
Holds five (5) bonds.
Nos. 1808 to 1812, inclusive, issued to the Transit Railroad Co., March 15, 1859.
States they cost ninety-five (95) per cent. of their par value.
Will accept principal and interest.
See affidavit.

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G. S. Shaw, Ashland, Minn.

Holds three (3) bonds.

Nos. 1377, 1442, 1443, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

States they cost fifty per cent. of their par value, and he received them on account of a bad debt.

Will surrender them upon the payment of their par value and one-third of seven per cent. interest.

See deposition.

Wm. G. Sands, Oxford, Chenango Co., N. Y.

Holds two (2) bonds.

Nos. 1708, 1709, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

States they cost $460 each.

E. Harwood, Joliet, Ill.

Holds two (2 bonds.

Nos. 282, 654, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858.

States they cost ninety-five (95) per cent of their par value.

Claims interest and par value in full.

A. W. Lowry, Erie, Pa.

Holds two (2) bonds.

Nos. 547, 1904, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

States these bonds were taken in lieu of certain debts and contracts, and cost $21.50.

Makes no proposition, but says he wants what others get.

See deposition.

Coleman Boyd, Memphis, Tenn.

Holds one (1) bond.

No. 1768, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, March 10, 1859.

States it cost $1000.

Makes no proposition.

See deposition.

Mrs. Margaret G. Burton, Milwaukee, Wis.

Holds one (1) bond.

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No. 1653, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Co., Feb. 25, 1859.

States that it cost its par value.

Will take for it $1,498.75—full amount of claim. See deposition.

Roswell B. Mason, Chicago, Ill.

Holds four (4) bonds, Nos. 202, 218, 221, 727, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

States they cost their par value.

Demands full amount of claim.

Luther Williams, Housatonic, Mass.

Holds two (2) bonds, No. 661, dated December 1st 1858, and No. 1601, dated February 25, 1859, both issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

States that both bonds cost $1,425.37½

Will take for them $1,500, with interest from January 1, 1860, at seven (7) per cent. per annum.

Daniel Wells, Jr., Milwaukee, Wis.

Holds sixty-seven (67) bonds, Nos. 335, 336, 338 to 350, inclusive, 476 to 500 inclusive, issued to the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company, December 1, 1858. Nos. 33, 36, 1376, 1914, 1791 to 1799, inclusive, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1942, 1945, 1954, 1955, 1957, 1959, 1960, 1962, issued to the Transit Railroad Company. Nos. 281, 283, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

One missing.

States that forty-nine (49) of said bonds cost their par value; fifteen (15) cost thirty-five (35) per cent. of their par value; one cost thirty (30) per cent. of its par value; and two (2) cost twenty-eight (28) per cent. of their par value.

Thinks he would take for these bonds whatever the State might choose to pay.

J. S. McDonald, Cornwell, Upper Canada.

Holds one (1) bond, No. 538, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858.

States that it cost its full par value, and declines to surrender it for less.

See affidavit.

Joel Hayden, Haydensville, Mass.

Holds ten (10) bonds, Nos. 460, 462, 464, 465, 470, 473, 452, dated December 1, 1858, and issued to the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company. No. 258, dated December 1, 1858, and No. 1660, dated February 25, 1859, both issued

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to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company. No. 1436, dated December 1, 1858, and issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

States that they cost in November, 1864, three hundred and seventy-five dollars ($375) each.

"Will surrender the past due coupons with the coupons maturing December 1, 1866, in exchange for bonds of the State bearing interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, in the city of New York."

J. Hayden, Jr., Haydensville, Mass.

Holds ten (10) bonds.

Nos. 453, 454, 467, 469, 472, issued to the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company, December 1, 1858. Nos. 2, 32, 34, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, December 1, 1858. No. 260, dated December 1, 1858, and No. 1659, dated February 25, 1859, both issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

States that they cost about four thousand dollars ($4,000) in 1864.

"Will surrender them for bonds of the State, bearing interest al the rate of seven (7) per cent. payable semi-annually, in the city of New York, provided the State, by legislative enactment, shall provide for the full and prompt payment of the coupons on all its bonds hereafter maturing."

Sireno Kingsley, Haydensville, Mass.

Holds two (2) bonds.

No. 1420, dated December 1, 1858, and No. 1975, dated March 15, 1859, both issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

States that they cost $375 dollars each some years ago.

"Will surrender the same for bonds of the State, bearing interest at the rate of seven per cent. payable semi-annually, in the city of New York, provided the state, by legislative enactment, shall provide for the full and prompt payment of the coupons on its bonds hereafter maturing "

Wm. H. Dike, Faribault. Minn.

Holds five (5) bonds.

Nos. —, —, —, —, —.

States that four of the bonds were taken from sub-contractors for money advanced, and cost their par value. The other cost six hundred and fifty dollars ($650)

Makes no proposition.

Benjamin Cannon, Cannonsville, New York.

Holds five (5) bonds.

Nos. 1710 to 1714 inclusive, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

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States that they cost four hundred and sixty dollars ($460) each.
Makes no proposition.

C. W. Hackett, Lake City, Minn.
Holds two (2) bonds.
Nos. —, —.
Has failed to furnish any information regarding them.

E. S. Edgerton, St. Paul, Minn.
Holds thirteen (18) bonds.
Nos. 1715 to 1727, inclusive, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.
States that they cost four hundred and sixty dollars ($460) each.
Makes no propisition.

John C. Campbell, Racine, Wis.
Holds one (1) bond, No. 1869, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, March 15, 1859.
States that it cost five hundred dollars, ($500.)
Makes no proposition.

S. D. Talbot, No. 60 Worth St., N. Y. City.
Holds two (2) bonds, Nos. 1672, 1775, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.
Does not state the cost or make any propoition.

John J. Knox, Knoxboro, N. Y.
Holds twenty-four (24) bonds, Nos. 223, 269, 458, 576, 634, 635, 656, 701, 708, 1068, 1438, 1439, dated December 1, 1858; Nos. 1628, 1651, dated February 25, 1859; Nos. 1182, 1493, dated February 3, 1859; Nos. 1586, 1610, 1614, 1664, dated February 25, 1859; Nos. 1832, 1847, 1849, 1836, dated March 15, 1859, all issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.
States that he paid for one $300; for three $1,000; and for the balance, an average of about $350 each.
Proposes, "should a law be passsd to pay the interest as it becomes due on the bonds, or the bonds for the original amount, to surrender the coupons for seven years' interest on each bond.

Chas. Wassen, Cleveland, Ohio.
Holds three (3) bonds, Nos. 1667, 1668, 1669, issued to the———
States that they cost $907.75.
Makes no proposition.

Lanier, Winslow & Co., New York City.

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Hold thirty-three (33) bonds.
Have failed to furnish any information regarding them.

National Exchange Bank. Milwaukee. Wis., C. D. Nash, cashier.
Holds eighteen (18) bonds, Nos. 291 to 300, inclusive, 544, 546, 644, 694, 724, 768, dated December 1, 1858, and No. 1599, dated February 25, 1859, all issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.
States that they cost their par value.
Will accept of $15,000 in cash or its equivalent.

Thos. E. Bennett, Winona Minn.
Holds three (3) bonds, Nos. 1449, 1451, issued to the Transit Railroad, and No. 1770, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.
States that they cost 95 per cent. of their par value.
Will accept $3,000 for claim.
See deposition.

Elizabeth Gale, Albion, N. Y.
Holds one (1) bond, No. 518, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.
States that it cost its par value.
Claims principal and interest in full.
See deposition.

W. L. Ewing, St. Louis, Mo.
Holds two (2) bonds, Nos. 537, 700, issued to———————Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.
States that tney cost their par value.
Makes no proposition.
See deposition.

E. B. Ward, Detroit, Mich.
Holds three (3) bonds, Nos. 68, 1417, 1389, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.
States that they cost their par value.
Will take $3,000 cash or in approved securities.
See affidavit.

Sidney Baker, Joliet, Ill.
Holds two (2) bonds, Nos. 1584, 1585, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, February 25, 1859.
States that they cost him their par value.
Claims par and interest.
See deposition.

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At 5 o'clock P. M., the board adjourned, to meet at 10 o'clock A. M., July 20, 1866.

ST. PAUL, July 20, 1866.

The board met at 10 o'clock A. M.

The board voted that their chairman, Hon. John Nicols, be empowered, during the recess of the commission, to procure, if possible, the profiles of the road beds of the several railroads for the benefit of which State Railroad Bonds were issued—showing the condition of said road beds at the time they became forfeit to the State—and to employ the services of a competent engineer to examine said profiles and make estimates of the cost per mile of the construction of said road beds.

The board instructed the secretary *pro tem.* to issue the following circular, in printed form, and address a copy of the same to all holders of Minnesota State Railroad Bonds, who had failed to furnish the required information regarding their bonds.

SIR:—The commissioners appointed by the Governor of Minnesota, under an act of the State Legislature "for the equitable adjustment of the State Railroad Bonds," desire you to furnish the following information, relative to the bonds held by you :

1. The number and date of each bond, and the name of company to whom issued.
2. Your deposition setting forth the cost to you of the bonds.
3. Such proposition as you may have to make regarding the terms upon which you will surrender the bonds to the State.

You are also respectfully requested to furnis hthe names and address of any parties known to you holding "Minnesota State Railroad Bonds."

An early reply will oblige.

Very respectfully yours.

For the Commissioners,

There being no further business before the board, it adjourned to meet at the Capitol, in the city of St. Paul, January 2, 1867.

L. F. HUBBARD,
Secretary pro tem.

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ST. PAUL, January 2, 1867.

The Board of Commissioners met at 10 o'clock A. M., January 2, 1867.

Present, Messrs. Nicols and Hubbard.

The chairman of the board submitted a letter from J. E. Tourtelotte, Esq., notifying the board of his inability to attend the present meeting, on account of his having accepted an appointment in the U. S. army.

Mr. Nicols submitted the report of J. S. Sewell, Esq., the engineer employed by him—by the authority of the vote of the board, taken at its meeting held July 19, 1866,

The report was accepted and approved.

The following holders of Minnesota State Railroad Bonds communicated with the commissioners during the recess of the board:

Allen Melville, No. 37 Pine St., N. Y. city.

Holds ten (10) bonds.

Nos. 13, 1777, 1459, 1868, 1456, 1778, 1966, 1780, 1964, 1462, issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

States that he received the bonds in exchange for real estate in the city of New York, equal in value to the par of said bonds.

Proposes "to surrender the bonds for their par value with interest from the 6th day of April, 1865."

See deposition.

Daniel Evans, Winona, Minn.

Holds four (4) bonds.

Nos. 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

States that the bonds cost him their full par value, and will surrender them for what they cost.

See deposition.

Alvin Strong, Stockbridge, Madison county, N. Y.

Holds seven (7) bonds.

Nos. 580, 676, 679, 680, 756, 759, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company. and No. 456, issued to the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company.

Does not state the cost or make any proposition for the surrender of the bonds.

John Shaw, Winona, Minn.

Holds one [1] bond.

No. 1933, issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

States that it cost him "its full par value, and that there was due him on the 1st day of December, 1865, $1,525, principaal and interest.

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Will surrender it for what it cost and interest.

Parker Paine, St. Paul, Minn.
Holds one [1] bond.
No. 287, issued to the Minneapolis rnd Cedar Valley Railroad Co., Dec. 1, 1858.
States that it cost him about $850.
Will take cost and interest.

Robert Law, Chicago Ill.
Holds eight [8] bonds.
Nos. 111 to 118, inclusive, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858.
States that they cost six thousand dollars [$6000].
Will surrender them for their cost at the time of purchase, with interest at seven (7) per cent. to time of settlement.

Commercial Bank of Canada, Toronto.
Holds three [3] bonds.
Nos. 1819, 1820, 1921, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, March 15, 1859.
States that the bonds are held as collateral for a note of $5,536.27, given by H. A. Fuller & Co.
Makes no proposition.

H. D. Huff, Winona, Minn,
Holds twenty-five [25] bonds.
Nos. 11, 12, 15 to 31, inclusive, and 42 to 47, inclusive, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.
States that he paid for four [4] of the bonds ninety [90] per cent. of their par value, and that the balance cost him more than their par value.
Makes no proposition.
See deposition.

E. W. Blatchford, Chicago, Ill.
(In trust for B. Duel)
Holds twelve [12] bonds.
Nos. 1806, 1807, 1888, 1833, 1834, 1835, 1850, 1851, 1852, 1853, 1855, 1860, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, March 15, 1859.
States that they cost eleven thousand dollars [$11,000] in goods furnished to contractors on the Transit Railroad.
Makes no proposition.
See affidavit.

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Josiah S. Euller, Faribault, Minn.

Holds four [4] bonds.

Nos. 630, 671, 702 1671, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

States that they cost their par value.

Makes no proposition.

See deposition.

First National Bank of Kenosha, Kenosha, Wis.

Holds twenty-nine [29] bonds.

Nos. 37 to 41, inclusive, 1464, 1465, dated December 1, 1858, and Nos 1877, 1878, 1881, 1884, 1885, 1898, 1899, 1900, dated March 15, 1859, all issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

States that they cost twenty-nine thousand dollars, [$29,000] and will surrender them for that amount, exclusive of interest.

C. N. Waterman, Winona, Minn.

Holds three [3] bonds.

Nos. 1909, 1913, 1917, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, March, 15, 1859.

States that one of the bonds cost $950 in gold; that the other two were taken at par for legal services rendered the Company.

Will surrender the one costing $950 for its par value with interest, and the other two for two thousand dollars [$2,000.]

C. B. Benedict, Attica, New York.

Holds one [1] bond.

No. 1673, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, February 25, 1859.

States that it cost its par value.

Will accept the face of bond without interest.

See deposition.

J. W. Shaffer, Freeport, Ill.

Holds three [3] bonds.

Nos. 621, 623, 624, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Co., December 1, 1858.

States that they cost eight hundred dollars [$800] each.

"Will take for them whatever may be paid on an average, for similar bonds."

See deposition.

Jacob W. Pierce, Boston, Mass.

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Holds three [3] bonds.

Nos. 625, 626, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, and No. 1434, issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

States that they cost fifteen hundred dollars [$1,500.]

"Will accept such terms in payment for them as shall be acceded to by other bondholders similarly situated."

See deposition.

C. H. Berry, Winona, Minn.

Holds three [3] bonds.

Nos. 1915, 1922, 1908, issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

States that one of these bonds cost one thousand dollars [$1,000] in cash, and that the other two were taken at par, in payment for legal services rendered to the Transit Railroad Company.

"Will agree to such an arrangement as any considerable number of bondholders may accede to, as a basis of adjustment."

Otto Troost, Winona Minn.

Holds one [1] bond.

No. 1427, issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

States that it cost one thousand dollars, [$1,000,[in merchandise furnished to contractors.

Declines to make any proposition.

See deposition.

C. H. Carpenter, Manchester, Iowa.

Holds four [4] bonds,

Nos. 217, 220 223, 224, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, Dec. 1, 1858.

States that he received them as a contractor on the road, and that they cost twenty-eight [28] per cent. above their par value.

Does not propose to accept less than the full amount of his claims.

John Mortimer, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Holds two [2] bonds.

Nos. 289, 640, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Co.; Dec. 1, 1858.

States that they cost eight hundred dollars [$00] each, and will take for them their cost, with seven [7] per cent. interest.

Spencer, Vila & Co., Boston, Mass

Hold two [2] bonds.

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Nos. —, —, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

Do not state the cost.

Will accept of fifty [50] per cent. of principal add interest in cash.

Laird, Norton & Co., Winona Minn.

Hold two [2] bonds.

No. 1446, issued to Transit Railroad Company, December 1, 1858, and No. 1934, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, March 15, 1859.

State that they cost $950 each.

Demand the par value of their claim.

Nissen Denton, Manchester, Iowa.

Holds five [5] bonds.

Nos. 222, 726, 777, 778, 672, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

States that they cost their par value.

Makes no proposition.

See deposition.

C. Williams, Minneapolis, Minn.

Holds one [1] bond.

No. 547, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company.

States that it cost $1035.

Makes no proposition.

See deposition.

Robert Munson, Dubuque, Iowa.

Holds two [2] bonds.

Nos. 728, 730, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

States that they cost their full face value.

Makes no proposition.

See deposition.

Maurice Brown, Dubuque, Iowa.

Holds four [4] bonds.

Nos. 736, 737, 738. 739, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, Deeember 1, 1858.

States that they cost ninety-five [95] per cent. of their par value.

Makes no proposition.

See deposition.

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Robert Squires, New York city.
Holds four [4] bonds.
Nos. 201, 251, 627, 628, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.
States that three [3] of these bonds cost ninety [90] per cent. of their par value. and the other its full par value.
Will surrender them upon the payment of principal and interest.
See deposition,

Payton R. Chandler, Chicago, Ill.
Holds eight [8] bonds.
Nos. 675, 570, 563, 611, 613, 634, 612, 620, issued to the Transit Railroad Co., Dec. 1, 1858.
States that they cost twenty-five [25] per cent. of their par value.
Will surrrender them for two thousand dollars [$2000].
See deposition.

Mark L. Patton, New York city.
Holds two [2] bonds.
Nos. 1965, 1896, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, March 19, 1859.
States that they cost $1800 in 1839.
"Expects to receive what the State decides, in honor and justice, to pay."
See deposition.

National State Bank, Dubuque, Iowa.
Holds fifteen [15] bonds.
Nos. 203, 205 to 216, inclusive, and 1771, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company. No. 1412, issued to the Transit Railroad Company.
States that they were received as collateral, and cost about seventy five [74] cents on the dollar.
Makes no proposition.
See affidavit.

P. L. Mallory, Winona, Minn.
Holds one [1] bond.
Has failed to furnish any information regarding it.

Watson and Dinsmore, ———
Hold one [1] bond.
No. 632, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company December 1, 1858.
Do not state the cost or make any proposition.

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C. A. DeGraff, ——

Holds thirty-one [31] bonds, issued to the Transit Railroad Company.

Has failed to furnish any further information regarding them.

Makes no proposition.

James Dinsmore, ——

Holds one [1] bond.

No. 464, issued to the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

Does not state the cost, or make any proposition.

Donald A. McDonald, Lochiel, Upper Canada.

Holds three [3] bonds.

Nos. 717, 720, 722, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

States that they cost in 1858 $3,207.50.

Demands payment in full of princepal and interest.

See affidavit,

Duncan A. McDonald, Cornwall, U. Canada.

Holds four [4] bonds.

Nos. 539, 540, 542, 545, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

States that he received them in September, 1859, for $2,812, advanced to contractors, and that these bonds are all that he has received therefor.

Does not propose to surrender them for less than their par value with interest.

See affidavit.

Girart Hewitt, St. Paul, Minn.

Holds two [2] bonds.

Nos. 226, 581, issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company, December 1, 1858.

States that they cost $480 each.

"Would like to see them paid, but will deal as liberally with the State as my circumstances will permit.

Isaac Bernheimer, New York City.

Holds five [5] bonds.

Nos. 1532, 1533, 1534, 1535, 1540, issued to the Minnesota and Pacific Railroad Company.

States that the bonds were bought at public sale in the city of New York, on December 3, 1860, for $1,450.

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Makes no proposition.
See deposition.

T. B. Coddington, New York City.
Holds twenty-five [25] bonds.
Nos. 1501 to 1525, inclusive, issued to the Minnesota and Pacific Railroad Company, February 3, 1859.
States they cost twenty-nine [29] per cent. of their par value.
Will surrender them for sixty [60] cents on the dollar with interest from May, 1859.
See affidavit.

Albert H. Cenvis, Chicago, Ill.
Holds three [3] bonds.
Nos. 637, 638, 646, issued to the Transit Railroad Company, October 1, 1858.
Does not state their cost or make any proposition for their surrender.

St. A. D. Balcombe, Omaha, Nebraska.
Holds four [4] bonds.
Nos. 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932.
States that they cost their par value.
Has furnished no further information regarding them or submitted any proposition for their surrender.

The following report of J. S. Sewell, Esq., the engineer employed by the board, was then read by the secretary:

My estimates of the cost of work done for the grading of the Minnesota and Pacific, the Minnesota Valley Branch, and the main line of the Southern Minnesota Railroad, are as follows:

MINNESOTA AND PACIFIC LINE.

Earth work, 643,065 cubic yards, at 16 cents	$102,890 40
Arch masonry, 105 74-100 cubic yards, at $12	1,268 88
Other dressed masonry, 190 32-100 cubic yards, at $8	1,522 56
Rubble bridge masonry, 485 31-100 cubic yards, at $4	1,941 24
Culvert masonry, 771 44-100 cubic yards, at $2.50	1,928 60
Riprap slope, wall and paving, 1,283 27-100 cubic yards, at $1.50	1,924 74
Timber in foundations, 75,457 ft. B. M., at $25 per M	1,866 42
Timber, except in foundations, 183,424 ft. B. M., at $30 per M	5,502 72
Cushing's truss, three spans, 362½ ft., at $18 per M	6,525 00

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Piles, (including driving,) 7,050 lineal ft., at 30 cents	2,115 00
Iron work, 11,287 lbs., at 8 cents	902 96
Extra Work.	
Grubbing and clearing 13 65-100 miles, at $300	4,095 00
"Indurated clay," 1,000 cubic yards, at 50 cents	500 00
Loose rock, 65 cubic yards, at 50 cents	32 50
Total	$133,036 22

Being at the rate of $2,128.58 per mile, for sixty-two and a-half miles.

MINNESOTA VALLEY BRANCH.

Earth work, 304,000 cubic yards, at 17 cents	$ 51,680
Sand and loose rock, 5,000 cubic yards, at 50 cents	2,500
Bridge masonry, 600 cubic yards, at $4	2,400
Culvert masonry, 1,758 cubic yards, at $2.50	4,395
Timber work, 55,000 feet, B. M., at $40 per M	2,200
Pile bridging, 500 lineal feet, at $4	2,000
Framed bridges, two spans, 80 lineal feet, at $8	740
Clearing and grubbing	1,500
Total	$67,315

Being thirty-seven and a-half miles, at $1,795 per mile.

SOUTHERN MINNESOTA MAIN LINE.

Earth work, 490,000 cubic yards, at 18 cents	88,200
Rock cutting, (included also as embankment,) 12,000 yards, at 60 cents	7,200
Culvert masonry, 600 cubic yards, at $2	1,200
Pile bridging, 4,147 feet, at $4	16,588
Piles in piers and abutments of bridges, 186 feet, at $12	2,232
Lumber in piers and abutments, 45,000 feet, at $40 per thousand.	1,809
Howe's truss bridges, nine spans, 1,182 feet, at $20	23,640
Total	$140,860

Being twenty miles, at $7,048 per mile.

Minnesota and Pacific,	62½ miles	$133,036
Minnesota Valley,	37½ miles	67,315
Southern Minnesota,	20 miles	140,860
Totals,	120	$341,211

Average cost, $2,843.42 per mile.

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The quantities of work of the Minnesota and Pacific line, are copied from final estimates, found in the office of the St. Paul and Pacific Railroad Company, signed by the chief engineer of the M. & P. R. R. Copies of these estimates will be annexed to this report. I have compared them with the original profiles of the line, and with the work itself, and have no doubt of their correctness. The Minnesota Valley branch is estimated from the original profiles, compared with the actual work. The company now in possession of the Southern Minnesota main line, has no plans and profiles of the original work, so that I was obliged to estimate the earth work by actual examination and survey. The amount of rock excavation, and the lengths of pile and truss bridging, are given as stated by Mr. Whipperman, in his report of this line, dated Oct. 12, 1859. The rock excavation cannot now be estimated; the length of bridging agrees nearly with my own estimates, and was probably an exact statement.

Besides examining, on foot, the whole of the Southern Minnesota line, I walked over about twenty-five miles of the St. Paul and Pacific and Minnesota Valley lines, including the more expensive portions, to compare the work with profiles. The rest was all examined while passing over it from the rear of trains.

I reckon all the embankments at the full width adopted for laying out the work at sub-grade, fourteen feet, and add to the amount, ten per cent. to cover settling, ditching or any work which may have escaped observation. I also allow for clearing and grubbing, though I believe the practice has been to include these items in the prices paid for excavation. The prices are meant to be liberal estimates of the cash value of the work, when paid to contractors doing it themselves, at the time when this work was done. In a few cases I have been informed what prices were actually paid, and all are less than my estimates. I do not allow for land damages or for engineering—the latter I estimate at $300 per mile.

The bridges of the Minnesota and Pacific line, beyond St. Anthony, are all of a temporary character, resting on wooden piers and abutments. The entire want of masonry is justifiable when stone cannot be found near the work and the structure can be more cheaply built of stone brought from a distance in the cars, as is probably the case here, but a railroad so temporarily made ready for the track is not a complete first-class work. The work done, except the bridges, is good and of permanent value. The steepest grade is 31-68.100 feet per mile, used for short distances in two places. It might at small expense be reduced to 26-4.10 feet which occurs often, and may be considered as the ruling grade. The curves are light. The line from the river in St. Paul ascends at the rate of about 100 feet per mile for half a mile, and has an average ascent of 80 feet per mile for a mile and a half, with curves of very light radius (955 ft.) on this steep ascent. Such a line can only be excused by absolute necessity, which did not exist in this case. I am certain that by a different route, the railroad might have been built from St. Paul to St. An-

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thony with grades of less than 40 feet per mile, without bad curves, and probably at no greater expense. And by the same route, if the terminus of the line had been further up or lower down the river, better grades might have been attained. The work between St. Paul and St Anthony is complete and well done.

On the Minnesota Valley line, unnecessarily steep grades take away much of the value of the work. The steepest is 58 feet per mile; there are three miles over 50 feet, and two more over 40 feet per mile. I think this line ought to have been built with grades not over 20 feet per mile, and that it might have been done at moderate cost, requiring some changes in location. Thus the capacity of the road for transporting freight would have been increased 120 per cent., or if 30 ft. pr mile had been the steepest grade, the capacity would have been 70 per cent. more than with such grades as were used. The present company have expended large sums in reducing grades, but it cannot be done so as to get as good a road aa might have been made, without changing some of the location, and losing part of the work herein estimated. I am informed that the woodwork of not a single bridge or culvert remained fit for use six years after they were built, and that the piles of the pile bridges, were so insufficiently driven that they settled under the weight of trains. All the bridges have been removed, or so much repaired as to be almost new. The line also appears to be unnecessarily crooked. About a mile of grading was left below high-water mark, three-fourths of a mile in one place averaging four feet below. In places where the line would not need altering to get better grades, the grading and masonry are worth their estimated cost.

The Southern Minnesota Railroad line runs from LaCrescent, (close to the bluffs, three miles,) to the Valley of Root River, then up nearly through the center of the Valley, crossing Root River five times. Although this line cost more than the others, it was left in a much more imperfect condition, requiring much more expenditure, in proportion to its cost, to complete it. Nine miles out of sixteen, in use now, were left below high water mark of Root River, and were, on an average, two feet below the water in the freshets of last spring and summer. Between three and four miles of the line were abandoned by the present company, as I was informed by the engineer, to enable them to comply with the conditions imposed by the congressional land grant act, that the railroad should go via Target Lake, which is a small lake surveyed by the government, platted and named on the government land plats, and excluded from the lands sold; it is near the banks of the Mississippi, opposite LaCrosse, and about a mile from the abandoned line of the railroad. A portion of the western end has been abandoned and rebuilt; a mile of new line is nearly finished at Hokah, avoiding two crossings of Root River, and it is in contemplation to build three miles of new line between Hokah and Houston, to avoid two more bridges across the river. These changes are made because it costs less to rebuild the railroad, than to repair and complete the old line. My opinion of the twelve miles remaining, which will probably be

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retained and completed by the company, is, that when raised above high water, provided with sufficient bridges and properly protected from washing, in time of freshets, their entire cost will be greater than the cost of building a line placed as close as possible to the bluffs. All the pile bridges are already or must be immediately, rebuilt, as most of the piles are rotten. The truss bridges are all propped in the middle, much of the timber having decayed. There is no masonry except a few small culverts. The work is, most of it, incomplete and not well done, and, on the whole, worth but a small proportion of its cost.

The embankments on all these lines, I suppose, were laid out fourteen feet wide on top, yet the present width, except where recently repaired, frequently does not exceed seven or eight feet. They generally required an addition of from one to two feet of gravel for ballast, the slopes of which reduce the width of fourteen feet, to from eleven to eight feet on top of the ballast. Fourteen feet is a proper width for finished embankments, yet twenty and even twenty-five feet are occasionally used to avoid danger from cars leaving the track. In addition to the amount necessary to allow for the shrinking and washing of the embankments, from three to six feet should have been added to get the proper width.

Many of the defects of these lines of railroad are such as might easily escape the notice of the persons by whom they were inspected, such as the road bed being below high water, the want of the consolidation of embankments, the insufficient driving of piles, and the use of defective timber. The steep grades of the valley line and the narrowness of its embankments were noticed and condemned. Other things which I regarded as faulty or as incomplete, such as the steep grades and sharp curves of the Minnesota and Pacific line through St. Paul, and the absence of masonry on more than half of all the work, were noticed without censure.

The use of maps and profiles and every facility which could be given for making examinations of the work were provided by the officers of the different railroads.

Respectfully yours,
J. S. Sewall,

St. Paul, December 28, 1866.

Board adjourned to meet Jauuary 4, 1867.

ST. PAUL, January 4, 1867.

The board met at 10 o'clock A. M. and proceeded to the preparation of its report.

Adjourned at 3'clock P. M., to meet January 5, 1867.

ST. PAUL, January 5, 1867.

The board met at 10 o'clock A. M., and continued the consideration of its report.

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Adjourned at 3 o'clock P. M., to meet January 7, 1867.

ST. PAUL, January 7, 1867.

The board met at 10 o'clock A. M, and continued the consideration of its report.

Adjourned at 3 o'clock P. M., to meet January 8, 1867.

ST. PAUL. MINN., January 8, 1867.

The board met at ten o'clock A. M.

On motion, the following was adopted as a report to be submitted to the State Legislature, conformably with the act creating the commission, for the equitable abjustment of the State Railroad Bonds.

To the Honorable the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

The undersigned commissioners appointed under the provisions of the act approved February 28, 1866, "For the equitable adjustment of the State Railroad bonds," beg leave to submit to your honorable body the following report:

By invitation of His Excellency the Governor, their first meeting was held at the Capitol, in the city of St. Paul, on the fourth day of April last, when, after having qualified as required by the act, the board was organized by the appointment of John Nicols as chairman and L. F. Hubbard, as secretary.

That an opportunity might be given to all parties interested, to confer personally with the commissioners, it was resolved to hold a meeting in New York city, on the 11th of June, and another in St. Paul on the 18th of July, ensuing. A notice of such meeting, including a copy of the act, was ordered published in the New York Herald, Boston Journal, and St. Paul Pioneer, and Press, and was so published once a week, for six successive weeks, in the New York and Boston papers, and continued in the St. Paul papers until the meeting of the board in July. A circular containing the same notice, was also sent by mail to all who were known to the board to be bondholders, and during its session in New York, a special notice of that meeting was published in two of the papers of that city,

At the meeting in New York, and the one held in July in St. Paul, and since, at various times, by mail and otherwise, the board received reports from parties representing eighteen hundred and forty [1840] of these bonds, amounting to the sum of one million eight hundred and forty thousand dollars ($1,840,000).

The following tabular statement, prepared with much care by the secretary of the board, shows the names of the present holders of the bonds, so far as they have been reported to the board; the number of bonds held by each, the particular number and date of each bond, to what company issued: and the several amounts paid for the same, so far as stated (in most cases under oath by the holders.

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The board regret their inability to make this statement, as complete as they could desire, because of the unwillingness of certain parties to state the cost of their bonds,

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LIST OF BONDHOLDERS.

		No.	DATE.	ROAD
A	Mrs. Elizabeth Atwater, Pottsville, Penn., 1543, 1515, 1026, 1027, 1028. Stated cost par value.	5	February 3, 1859.	Minn. & Pacific.
B	Chas. E. Brill, box 76 N. Y. city 1544. Stated cost $400.	1	December 1, 1859.	Minn. & Pacific.
	Ira Bidwell, Saint Paul, Minn., 1481, 1552 to 1558 inclusive, 1571, 1574.	10	February 3, 1859.	Minn. & Pacific.
	515, 516, 690, 1607, 1611, 1613, 1663. Stated cost ninety (90) cents on the dollar.	7	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. Valley.
	Coleman Boyd, Memphis, Tenn., 1768. Stated cost $1000.	1	March 10, 1859.	M. & C. V.
	Mrs. M. G. Burton, Milwaukee, Wis., 1653. Stated cost par value.	1	February 25, 1859.	M. & C. V.
	Maurice Brown, Dubuque, Iowa, 736, 737, 738, 739. Stated cost ninety-five (95) cents on the dollar.	4	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. Valley.
	Thos. E. Bennett, Winona, Minn., 1449, 1451.	2		Transit.
	Thos. E. Bennett, Winona, Minn., 1770. Stated cost ninety-five (95) cents on the dollar.	1		Minn. & C. V.
	Sidney Baker, Joliett, Ill., 1584, 1585. Stated cost par value.	2	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	E. W. Blachford, Chicago, Ill., 1806, 1807, 1888, 1883, 1834, 1835, 1850, 1851, 1852, 1853, 1855, 1860. Stated cost $11,000.	12	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	C. B. Benedict, Attica, N. Y., 1673. Stated cost par value.	1	February 25, 1859	Minn. & C. V.
	Chas. D. Bates, San Francisco, Cal., 219 Stated cost par value.	1		Minn. & C. V.
	C. H. Berry, Winona, Minn., 1915, 1922, 1908. Stated cost par value.	3		
	Isaac Bernheimer, New York city, 1532, 1533, 1534, 1535, 1540. Stated cost $1450.	5		Minn. & Pac.

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		No.	Date.	Road.
C	Wm. Clark & Co., Northampton, Mass., 1023, 1024.	2	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & Pacific.
	1484 to 1487 inclusive, 1494, 1495.	6	February 3, 1859.	Minn. & Pacific.
	1435, 1437.	2	December 1, 1358.	Transit.
	1916.	1	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	1693 to 1707, inclusive Stated cost, $7,242 12.	10	March 10, 1859	Minn. & C. V.
	Reuben Cole,————, 1605. Stated cost about $400.	1	February 25. 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	Sam'l S. Carll, 62 Bond St., N. Y. city, 578. Stated cost $910.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	John R. Cook, Rochester, Minn., 1808 to 1812, inclusive. Stated cost ninety-five (95) cents on the dollar.	5	March 15, 1829.	Transit.
	John C. Campbell, Racine, Wis., 1969. Stated cost $500.	1	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	Selah Chamberlain, Cleveland, Ohio, 301 to 325, inclusive, 330 331, 334, 337, 351, to 400, inclusive, 433, 444, 436, to 442, inclusive, 1201 to 1375, inclusive, 2076 to 2275, inclusive, 411 to 431, inclusive, 401 to 410, inclusive, 432, 435, 436.	497	December 1, 1858.	Southern Minn.
	901 to 1000, inclusive, 1014, 1025, 1040, 1041, 1043, 1052, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1101 to 1200, inclusive, 1542, 1550, 1976, to 2075, inclusive.	412	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & Pacific.
	1001 to 1005, inclusive, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1012, 1022, 1029, 1030, 1042, 1047, 1049, ——, 1547, 1496, 1500, 1526, 1527, 1529, 1530, 1531, 1551, 1572.	26	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & Pacific.
	4, 161, 1376, 1688, 1871, 1914, 1941, 1943, 1944, 1946, 1951, 1956, 1958, 1959, 1961, 55, 56.	17	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	667, 669, 670, 693, 721, 734, 735, 757, 779, 785, 1625, 1647, 1666, 761, 636. Stated cost more than their full par value.	15	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	Payton R. Chandler, Chicago, Ill., 615, 570, 563, 611, 613, 634, 612,			

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		No.	DATE.	ROAD.
	620. Stated cost twenty-five cents on the dollar.	8	December 1, 1858	Transit
C	Benj. Cannon, Cannonville, N. Y., 1710 to 1714, inclusive. Stated cost $2300.	5		Minn. & C. V.
	Commercial Bank of Canada, (held as collateral for H. A. Fuller & Co.) 1819, 1820, 1821. Cost not stated	3	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	C. H. Carpenter, Manchester, Iowa, 217, 220, 223, 224. Stated cost twenty-eight per cent *above* par value.	4	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
D	Nathaniel Deyo, Newburgh, N. Y., 1452, 1453, 1454, 1455. Stated cost par value.	4	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	Stephen A. Dodge Brooklyn, N. Y., 637, 638, 639, 651. 52, 54.	4	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	Stated cost eighty-five (85) cents on the dollar.	2	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	Willard Dodge, Kalamazoo, Mich., 1783 to 1790, inclusive. Stated cost $8000.	8	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	N. Dutton, Manchester, Iowa, 222, 726, 777, 778, 672. Stated cost par value.	5		Minn. & C. V.
	Wm. H. Dyke, Faribault, Minn.—— Cost not stated.	5		
	Jas. Dinsmore,——, 464. Cost not stated.	1	December 1, 1858.	Southern Minn.
	C. A. DeGraff,——————, Cost not stated.	31		Transit.
E	W. L. Ewing, St. Louis, Mo., 537, 700. Stated cost par value.	2	December 1, 1858.	
	Daniel Evans, Winona, Minn., 1918, 1919, 1920, 1920, 1921. Stated cost par value.	4		Transit.
	E. S. Edgerton, St. Paul, Minn., 1715 to 1727, inclusive. Stated cost $5,980.	13		Minn. & C. Valley.
	Jared B. Flagg, New Haven, Conn., 1691. Stated cost $400.	1	March 10, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	Fuller & Tucker, Northampton, Mass., 461, 471, 35, 1441.	2	December 1, 1858.	Southern Minn

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		No.	Date.	Road.
	Stated cost $1600.			
F	Josiah Fuller, Faribault, Minn., 630, 671, 702.	4	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	1671. Stated cost par value.		February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V
	Lyman Farwell, Boston, Mass., 696, 698, 699, 703, 704, 712, 713, 715, 723, 765, 770, 771.	12	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	1576, 1577, 1580	3	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	1749 to 1763, inclusive. Stated cost seventeen and one-half (17½) cents on the dollar.	15	March 10, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
G	Wm. H. Gebhard, 19 and 21, Nassau St., N. Y city, 57 to 66, inclusive, 1397, 1400 to 1405, inclusive. Stated cost seventy-five (75) cents on the dollar.	17	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	Elizabeth Gale, Albion, N. Y., 518. Stated cost par value.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
H	Hendricks Bros., 77 Broad St, N. Y. city, 1536, 1537. Stated cost sixty-five (65) cents on the dollar.	2	February 3, 1859.	Minn. & Pacific.
	Hugh Hammond, Stafford, N. Y., 1968, 1970, 1972. Stated cost ninety-five (95) cents on the dollar.	3	March 15, 1859	Transit.
	Wm. B. Hale, Northampton, Mass., 685.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	1604.	1	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	1773.	1	March 10, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	463, 466, 468.	3	December 1, 1858.	Southern Minnesota
	1385.	1	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	1973, 1974. Stated cost $3,136 50.	2	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	C. W. Hackett, Lake City, Minn —— Cost not stated.	2		
	H. D. Huff, Winona, Minn., 11, 12, 15 to 31, inclusive, 42 to 47, inclusive Stated cost of four (4,) ninety (90) cents on the dollar, and of the balance their full par value.	25	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	E. Harwood, Joliett, Ill., 282, 654. Stated cost ninety-five (95) cents on the dollar.	2	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.

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		No.	Date.	Road.
H	Joel Hayden, Haydensville, Mass., 460, 462, 464, 465, 470, 473, 452.	7	December 1, 1858.	Southern Minn.
	258.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	1660.	1	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	1436. Stated cost $3750.	1	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	J. Hayden, jr., Haydensville, Mass. 453, 454, 467, 469, 472.	5	December 1, 1858.	Southern Minn.
	2, 32, 34.	3	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	260.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	1659. Stated cost about $4000.	1	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	Girart Hewitt, St. Paul, Minn, 226, 581. Stated cost $960.	2	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V
K	Sirene Kingsly, Haydensville, Mass. 1420, 1975. Stated cost $750.	1 1	December 1, 1858. March 15, 1859	Transit. Transit.
	John J. Knox, Knoxboro, N. Y., 228, 269, 458, 576, 656, 701, 708, 1068, 1438, 1489, 634, 635.	12	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	1628, 1651, 1586, 1610, 1614, 1644.	6	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	1832, 1847, 1849, 1866.	4	March 15, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	1482, 1493. Stated cost $8,300.	2	February 3, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
L	T. H. Loyhed, Faribault, Minn., 1764. Stated cost full par value.	1	March 10, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	Laird, Norton & Co., Winona, Minn., 1446.	1	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	1934. Stated cost $1900.	1	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	A. W. Lowry, Erie, Pa., 547, 1904. Stated coss $2150.	2	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	Robt. Law, Chicago, Ill., 111 to 118, inclusive. Stated cost $6000.	8	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	Lidle, Woolford & Co., ——, 1627. Cost not stated.	1		
	Lanier, Winslow & Co, New York city, —— Cost not stated.	33		
M	John Mott, 116 Duane St., N. Y. city, 687, 688.	2	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.

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		No	Date.	Road.
M	1590. Stated cost par value.	1	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	Donald A. McDonald. Lochiel, Up. Canada, 717, 720, 722. Stated cost $3207.50.	3	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	Duncan A. McDonald, Cornwall, Up. Canada, 539, 540, 542, 545. Stated cost $2812.	4	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	J. S. McDonald, Cornwall. U. Canada, 538. Stated cost full par value.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	Roswell B. Mason, Chicago, Ill., 202, 218, 221, 727. Stated cost par value	4	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	P. L. Mallory, Winona, Minn.,—— Cost not stated.	1	December 1, 1858.	
	Robt. Munsen, Dubuque, Iowa, 728, 730. Stated cost full face value.	2		Minn. & C. V.
	John Mortimer, Brooklyn, N. Y 289, 640 Stated cost $1600.	2	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	Allan Melville, 37 Pine St., N. Y. city. 13, 1777, 1459, 1868, 1456, 1778, 1966, 1780, 1964, 1462. Stated cost par value.	10		Transit.
N	Patrick Nash, St. Paul, Minn., 527 to 536, inclusive. Stated cost par value.	10		Minn. & C. V.
	National State Bank, Dubuque, Iowa, 205 to 216, inclusive, 203, 1771.	14		Minn. & C. V
	1412. Stated cost about seventy-five (75) cents on the dollar.	1		Transit.
	Geo. A. Newell, Boston, Mass., 1672.	1	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	1775. Stated cost par value.	1	March 10, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	National Exchange Bank, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. C. D. Nash, cashier, 291 to 300, inclusive, 544, 546, 614, 694, 724, 768.	17	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	1599. Stated cost par value.	1	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	First National Bank, Kenosha, Wis., 37 to 41, inclusive, 67, 159, 160, 162, 181 to 190, inclusive, 1464, 1465.	21	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	1877, 1878, 1881, 1884, 1885, 1898, 1899,			

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		No.	DATE.	ROAD.
	1900. Stated cost $29,000.	8	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
P	Geo. W. Platt, No. 20 Maiden Lane, N. Y. city, 246, 241, 242, 617, 618, 619, 620.	7	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	1822, 1827, 1887, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895. Stated cost eighty (80) cents on the dollar.	10	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	Parker Paine, St. Paul, Minn., 287. Stated cost $850.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	R. M. S. Pease, St. Paul, Minn., 284, 1620. Stated cost ninety-five (95) cents on the dollar.	2		Minn. & C. V.
	Mark L. Potter, New York city, 1896, 1965. Stated cost $1,300	2	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	Jacob W. Pierce, Boston, Mass., 625, 626.	2		Minn. & C. V.
	1434. Stated cost $1,500.	1		Transit.
R	Richards and Berdan, Dubuque Iowa, 252.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	1741.	1	March 10, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	1147, 1448, 1450.	3	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	1770, 1800 to 1805, inclusive, 1937, 1969 1971. Stated cost ninety-five (95) cents on the dollar.	9	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
S	Frederick Schuchardt & Sons, No. 40 Exchange Place, New York city, 1406, 1408, 1419, 1420, 1422, 1424, 1437, 1858, 1863, 1875, 1879, 1880, 1882, 1883, 1886, 1902, 1910, 1912. Stated cost seventy-five (75) cents on the dollar.	18	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	G. S. Shaw, Ashland, Minn., 1377, 1442, 1443. Stated cost fifty (50) cents on the dollar.	3	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	Jas. T. Souter, 120 Chambers St., N. Y. city, 14, 69, to 100, inclusive, 105 to 110, inclusive, 119 to 158, inclusive, 163 to 180, inclusive, 191 to 200, inclusive.	107	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	1826. Stated cost about fifty (50) cents on the dollar.	1	March 15, 1859.	Transit.

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		No.	Date.	Road.
S	Robert Squires, New York City, 201, 251, 627, 628. Stated cost of three (3) bonds ninety (90) cents on the dollar, and of the other, its full par value.	4	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	Wm. G. Sands, Oxford, N. Y., 1708, 1709. Stated cost $920.	2		Minn. & C. V.
	Alvin Strong, Stockbridge, N. Y., 580, 676, 679, 680, 756, 759.	6		Minn. & C. V.
	456. Cost not stated,	1		Southern Minn.
	John Shaw, Winona, Minn., 1933. Stated cost par value.	1		Transit.
	J. W Shaffer, Freeport, Ill., 621, 623, 624. Stated cost $2400.	3	December 1, 1858.	Minn. &C. V.
	Spencer, Vila & Co, Boston, Mass., ——— Cost not stated.	2		Minn. & C. V.
T	Wm. H. Temple, St Paul, Minn., 1, 50, 51, 53, 1428.	5	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
	1925, 1816, 1924, 1782.	4	March 15, 1859.	Transit.
	695. 784, 675.	3	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	1583, 1622. 1642.	3	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
	1488.	1	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & Pacific.
	1039, 1017, 1018.	3	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & Pacific.
	443. Cost not stated.	1	December 1, 1858.	Southern Minnesota
	Otto Troost, Winona, Minn., 1427. Statsd cost $1000.	1		Transit.
	S. D. Talbot, No. 69 Worth St., N.Y. city, 1672, 1775. Cost not stated.	2		Minn. & C. V.
V	A. Von Glahn, Chicago, Ill., 1728 to 1739, inclusive.	12	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
	271 to 280, inclusive, 1692 to 1697, inclusive, 773, 774. Stated cost $16,829.58.	18	March 10, 1859.	Minn. & C, V.
W	Peter Walford, ——— —, 1658. Cost not stated.	1		Minn. & C. V.
	Sam'l. Williston, East Hampton, Mass., 548, 549, 551, 599, 600. Stated cost fifty (50) cents on the dollar.	5	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.

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LIST OF BONDHOLDERS—*Con'inued.*

	No.	Date.	Road.
W John Werner, Clinton, Ill., 705, 706, 729, 731, 732, 733, 740, 775, 776, 777, 780. Stated cost par value.	11	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
E. A. Whiting, Northampton, Mass. 25[illegible]. Stated cost $525.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
Edward Webb, St. Paul, Minn., 577. Stated cost $300.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
Mrs. P. S. Williams, Portland, Maine 560 to 573, inclusive. Stated cost par value.	14	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
Chas. Wassen, Cleveland, Ohio, 1667, 1668, 1669. Stated cost $2,723 25.	3		
Luther Williams, Housatonic, Mass. 661.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
1601.	1	February 25, 1859.	Minn. & C. V.
E. B. Ward, Detroit, Mich., 68, 1417, 1389. Stated cost par value.	3	December 1, 1858.	Transit.
C. N. Waterman, Winona, Minn., 1909, 1913, 1917. Stated cost of one [1] bond $950, and of the others their par valne	3	March 15, 1859	Transit.
Watson & Dinsmore, No. 632. Cost not stated.	1	December 1, 1858.	Minn. & C. V.
C. Williams, Minneapolis, Minn, 547. Stated cost $1,035.	1		Minn. & C. V.
Daniel Wells, Jr, Milwaukee, Wis., 335, 336, 338 to 350, inclusive, 476 to 500, inclusive.	40	December 1, 1858.	Southern Minnesota.
33, 36, 1376, 1914, 1791 to 1799, inclusive, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1942, 1945, 1954, 1955, 1957, 1959, 1960, 1962.	24		Transit.
281, 283. Stated cost 49 bonds at par value, 15 at 35 cents on the dollar, 1 at 30 cents on the dollar, and 2 at 28 cents on the dollar.	3		Minn. & C. V.
St. A. D. Balcombe, Omaha, Neb., 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932. Stated cost par value.	4		
J. B. Coddington, N. Y. city, 1501 to 1525, inclusive.	25	February 3, 1859.	Minn & Pacific.

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LIST OF BONDHOLDERS—*Continued.*

	No.	Date.	Road.
Stated cost twenty-nine [29] cents on the dollar.			
Albert H. Convis, Chicago, Ill., 637, 638, 646. Cost not stated.	3	October 1, 1858.	Transit.
Thompson Bros., St. Paul, Minn., 157, 550, 689, 1641.	4		Minn. & C. V.
1019. Not in their possession now, having been stolen from the mail. Cost not stated.	1		Minn. & Pacific.

RECAPITULATION.

Number of bonds issued to the Minneapolis and Cedar Valley Railroad Company	325
Number of bonds issued to the Minnesota and Pacific Railroad Company	499
Number of bonds issued to the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company	557
Number of bonds issued to the Transit Railroad Company	406
Number, Company not stated	53
Total,	1840

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Some of the bondholders propose to surrender their bonds to the State on payment of the cost to them with interest; others, among whom are large holders, such as J. T, Souter, of New York, and L. Farrell, of Boston, will accept of fifty per cent. of their par value and interest. G. W. Platt and T. B. Coddington will take sixty per cent. A. Von Glahn, F. Schuchardt and W. Gebhard will agree to the terms that may be accorded to the most favored bondholders; while D. Wells Jr. will accept of almost any settlement the State may offer. There are some however, who will accept of nothing less than the full principal and interest of their bonds. Most of this class are small holders; one of them, however, Mr. Selah Chamberlain, is much the largest holder of the entire list.

For a more detailed statement of the terms of settlement proposed by the holders, the board refer to the journal of their proceedings, and the file of letters and depositions accompanying this report.

The reason assigned by Mr. Chamberlain why he could not offer more liberal terms of settlement, was, that his bonds cost him "*more than par.*" This statement was so much at variance with the opinions previously entertained by the members of the commission that they felt it to be their duty to take the responsibility of employing a competent engineer to estimate, from the best data to be obtained, the cost of the road-beds constructed by Mr. Chamberlain, at the prices paid for similar work, on other roads, about the same time. For this purpose the board employed Mr. J. S. Sewall, of St. Paul, whose ability, as an engineer, will not be questioned. His report, made after a careful examination of the original profiles of two of the roads, and other papers found in their offices, as well as a careful examination of the roads themselves, is filed with the papers of the commission, and marked "Document A." Especial attention is invited to this report, as throwing much light upon matters heretofore not generally understood; not only as to the cost of these road-beds, but also the character of the work done, and for which the State is expected to pay $10,000 per mile and the acrued interest. It will be seen from this report of Mr. Sewall, that the cost of these road-beds, at the average prices paid at the time for such work, does not much exceed one-third, or thirty-three per cent. of the cost, as stated by Mr. Chamberlain. With this report is also filed a paper marked "Document B," being copies of estimates made by the chief engineer of the Minnesota & Pacific Railroad, at prices averaging nearly three times as great as those given by Mr. Sewall, as the usual prices paid at the time. Estimating the work at these extravagant prices, it is found that even then, the cost scarcely reaches that stated by Mr. Chamberlain. In this way, the work on the last named road, which Mr. Sewall estimates should not have cost exceeding $138,036.22, or $2,128.58 per mile, for sixty-two and one half (62½) miles, is stated by Mr. Chamberlain to have cost $8,000 per mile. The Minnesota Valley branch, estimated by Mr. Sewall to have cost $67,315, or $1,795 per mile, for thirty-seven and one-half (37½) miles, is stated by Mr.

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Chamberlain to have cost $6,000 per mile; and the Southern Minnesota main line, (commonly called the Root River road,) estimated by Mr. Sewall to have cost $140,960 or $7,048 per mile, for twenty (20) miles is stated by Mr. Chamberlain to have cost $12,000 per mile. The aggregate cost of these road beds, as estimated by Mr, Sewall, amounts to $341,211, or an average cost per mile of $2,803.42.

Mr. Chamberlain received from the different railroad companies, bonds as follows:

Minnesota & Pacific,	438
Minnesota Valley branch,	297
Southern Minnesota main line,	200
Other roads,	57
Previously sold,	25

In all, nine hundred and ninety two (992) bonds. The cost of these bonds to Mr. Chamberlein, at Mr. Sewall's estimates, would be:

438	Minnesota & Pacific bonds,	$ 93,232
200	Southern Minnesota main line,	140,860
297	Minnesota Valley branch,	53,311
57	Bonds of other roads at the average cost of the Minnesota & Pacific, and Valley branch,	11,400
	Giving an aggregate of	$298,803

As Mr. Chamberlain received nine hundred and ninety-two [992] bonds, at a cost of $298,803, it would appear that his bonds cost him an average of $301.21 or a fraction over thirty per cent. of their par value.

As the bonds issued to the other companies are nearly all in second hands, there did not seem to be the same necessity for an examination into the actual cost of the road-beds for which they were issued, as the cost to the present holders of these bonds is not represented by the cost of the works themselves. For this reason the board did not feel authorized to incur the additional expense which such an examination would have made necessary.

The whole number of bonds issued to all the companies was twenty two hundred and seventy-five [2275]; of which there remain, not reported to the commissioners, four hundred and thirty-five [435]. The board must attribute to the holders themselves, all responsibility for not reporting these bonds, as full notice was given, and ample opportunities afforded to all concerned, to comply with the requirements of the law.

Before concluding this report the board would respectfully call the attention of the legislature to the claims of Messrs. McDonald and Graham, for work done on the Minneapolis & Cedar Valley road, for which they have received

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neither bonds or other compensation. This case will be found fully stated in "Document C," accompanying this report, prepared by Messrs. Smith & Gilman, attorneys for McDonald & Graham. This case, as well as that of Messrs. Fitz and Grindall, of the same character, presents, in the opinion of the board, a strong claim upon the State for settlement, and they would express the hope that whenever the State Railroad Bonds are "equitably adjusted," these claims may not be overlooked.

The board purposely refrain from making any recommendations for the settlement of the bonds, as it does not seem to be a duty imposed upon them by the act creating the commission.

Much to the regret of the remaining members of the commission, Gen. J. E. Tourtellotte has necessarily been absent from the late session of the board, [being on duty in the United States army,] and is therefore unable to join in this report.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN NICOLS,
L. F .HUBBARD,

ST. PAUL, MINN., January 8, 1867.

There being no further business before the board, it adjourned *sine die*.

JOHN NICOLS.
Chairman.

L. F. HUBBARD,
Secretary.

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APPENDIX

TO THE

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

Certified Copy of the Contract between the State of Minnesota and Seymour, Sabin & Co.

WHEREAS, At a meeting of the Board of Inspectors of the State Prison of the State of Minnesota, held at the office of the warden of said State Prison on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1881, the bid and proposal of the manufacturing corporation of Seymour, Sabin & Co., of Washington county, in the State of Minnesota, for leasing the offices, workshops, machinery, shafting, belting and unoccupied grounds of said prison, and for the hiring of the labor of the convicts therein, was accepted, and the warden and inspectors of said prison were authorized to enter into a contract with said manufacturing corporation of Seymour, Sabin & Co., in accordance with said proposal for the term of nine years from the first day of April, A. D. 1881. Now therefore, in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, this indenture is made and concluded this 7th day of February, A. D. 1881, by and between J. A. Reed, warden of the State Prison of the State of Minnesota, F. G. Butts, chairman of the board of inspectors, and L. E. Reed and John De Laitre inspectors acting on behalf of the State, party of the first part, and the manufacturing corporation of Seymour, Sabin & Co., party of the second part, witnesseth, that the said party of the first part, for and in consideration of the rents, covenants and agreements hereinafter mentioned, reserved and contained on the part of the party of the second part, to be paid, kept and performed, hath granted, leased, let and demised, and by these presents does grant, lease, let and demise unto the said party of the second part and its successors in interest therein, all workshops, office-rooms, and storage-rooms now occupied by the party of the second part, or that may hereafter be constructed; also the machinery, shafting and belting heretofore acquired by the State of Minnesota from the party of the second part under a certain contract dated April 25th, A. D.

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1879, signed by H. H. Sibley, J. W. Johnson and L. F. Hubbard, or which shall be hereafter acquired under said contract or otherwise, and also all open and unoccupied ground belonging to the State of Minnesota, situate at Stillwater, Minnesota, both within and without the wall surrounding said State Prison, to have and to hold the above described business, with the appurtenances, machinery, belting and shafting to the said party of the second part, its successors in interest from and after the 1st day of April, A. D. 1881, and until the 1st day of April, A. D. 1890, and the party of the second part, for itself and its successors in interest, herein does covenant and agree with the said party of the first part to pay therefor to the said party of the first part, to the warden aforesaid, and to his successors in office, each and every year during the term hereby granted, the yearly rent or sum of fifteen hundred dollars, payable quarterly on the 1st day of January, April, July and October of each year, and the party of the first part, for themselves and their successors in office, hereby further covenants and agrees to and with said party of the second part and its successors in interest under this contract, to let to service unto the said party of the second part all able bodied male convicts confined, or that may be confined, in said prison during said term of nine (9) years, to-wit: from and after the 1st day of April, A. D. 1881, and until the 1st day of April, A. D. 1890 (except such as may be precluded by the terms of their sentence), and excepting such convicts as the said warden of said prison, or his successors in office, may expressly reserve from the operation of this contract, not to exceed ten per cent. of the number of convicts so at any time confined in said prison, to be used and employed by the said party of the second part and its successors in interest, in accordance with the laws of the State of Minnesota and the rules and regulations that now are or may be from time to time adopted by the warden and board of inspectors of said State Prison. And it is further agreed that when made the terms of this contract the number of convicts turned over to the second party, shall exceed three hundred (300), said first party, the State of Minnesota, may, at its option, withdraw all convicts so employed by second party in excess of three hundred, to be used by said State in the erection of another State Prison, said convicts to be withdrawn to be selected as hereinbefore provided. And the said party of the first part, for themselves and their successors in office, further covenants and agrees that at all times during the said term herein granted, while said convicts or any of them shall be in the employ of the party of the second part, or its successors in interest in this contract, they shall be accompanied and overseen by a sufficient number of competent and vigilant guards, and that good order and thorough

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discipline shall at all times be kept and maintained over and among such convicts while so employed, and they shall be compelled to labor at such employment as may be provided for them by the party of the second part or its successors in interest, in a steady and industrious manner. And the said warden of the State Prison, the party of the first part, and the said party of the second part, shall have a joint right in the opportunity and selecting of the officers and guards who are employed in and about said prison, or have the care and charge of said convicts, subject to the approval of the said Board of Inspectors. And the said party of the second part, for itself and its successors in interest under this contract, does covenant and agree to furnish employment within the shops and grounds of said Prison, at some healthful and wholesome business, to each and every ablebodied male convict confined in said Prison during the term of this lease, except such as may be reserved by the warden of said Prison as above stated, and such as may be precluded by the terms of their sentences, for the average period of ten hours, each day, which said ten hours shall constitute a day's work that the length of the day's work at the different seasons of the year shall be determined by mutual agreement between the warden of said prison and the party of the second part, and the same shall be so arranged that the day's work through the winter year shall average ten hours each, and in such a manner that the same can be most conveniently and profitably used by the party of the second part. Provided however, that said working hours shall be between daylight and dark, and the party of the second part agrees to pay for said labor the sum of forty five cents per day for each day's work done and performed by said convicts under this contract. The payment for said convict labor to be made by the said party of the second part or its successors in interest quarterly, to-wit: on the first day of January, April, July and October in each year during said time. The said party of the second part for itself and its successors in interest, herein further agrees and covenants strictly to observe and obey and cause to be observed and obeyed, by all of its agents, servants and employees, all rules and regulations for the safe keeping, management and discipline of convicts confined in said prison, as the same now are or may be established by the warden and board of inspectors, and to use all reasonable exertions consistent with the carrying on of its business to prevent the escape of convicts while employed by the said party of the second part, and that it will not at any time during the continuance of this contract, sub-let to any person or persons, or assign the whole or any part of the premises hereby leased, or the whole or any part of the convict labor or any portion of its interest in the same or in this contract, without the express consent of the party of the first part,

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or his successors in office, or the board of inspectors of said prison, and that it will not employ said convicts or any of them outside the prison yard walls at any time unless by express consent of the warden or his deputy in each and every case. And the party of the second part, for itself and its successors in interest, herein further covenants and agrees that if the warden of said prison and the Board of Inspectors shall at any time during the life of this indenture demand and require additional security for the payment of the amount due, or become due for rent or for convict labor under this contract, it will within reasonable time after such demand furnish such additional security as may be required by said warden and Board of Inspectors. And it is fully understood and agreed by and between the parties hereto, and each and every one of the covenants and agreements herein entered into on the part of the party of the second part, is a part and parcel of the consideration for which the lease of the above described premises is granted to the party of the second part, and it is expressly provided that if the payments above mentioned, or any part thereof, shall not be paid at the time when the same shall become due as herein provided, and shall remain unpaid for the period of ten days after demand made therefor, or if default shall be made in any of the covenants or agreements herein contained, on the part or behalf of the said party of the second part or its successors in interest herein, to be paid, kept, or performed, then and in that case it shall be lawful for the said party of the first part, or his successor in office, to re-enter wholly into and upon said demised premises and every part of the same, and declare this contract and every part thereof void and of no further force or effect, anything herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding; and it is further mutually agreed by the parties hereto, that on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1887, or upon the 1st day of any succeeding September, either of the parties hereto may terminate this contract upon demand, one year's previous notice in writing having been given of the intention of said party to terminate.

The said notice when given by the party of the first part, shall be signed by the Governor of the State of Minnesota, and by the warden of said prison, and by the board of inspectors of said prison. And it is further agreed by the said party of the second part that when this contract shall expire by limitation, or by notice in writing, as herein provided, it will quietly yield the possession of the premises, and machinery to the party of the first part in as good a condition as when it received the same ordinary and natural wear and tear, and damage by the elements excepted. And the said party of the first part for themselves and their successors in office do covenant and agree with the said party of the second part and its successors in interest while performing all the

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covenants and agreements on its part as aforesaid, shall, may, and at all times, during the term herein granted, peacefully and quietly have hold and enjoy the said demised premises, machinery, shafting and belting without any let or hindrance, suit or trouble of or from said party of the first part, or his successor in office, or any persons whomsoever, according to the true intent and meaning of these presents. Provided that the State of Minnesota expressly reserves the right to erect additional buildings upon said premises for the purpose of the safe keeping of convicts, if the same shall be required, such buildings not to interfere with prison yard work-shops or the proper management thereof; and further, the prison yard and open grounds hereby demised, may at all times be used by the officers of said prison in carrying on and conducting the necessary business and affairs of the same in common with the party of the second part and its successors in interest, but such use and occupation, shall not at any time interfere with or prevent the beneficial use and occupation of the same by the party of the second part or its successors in interest herein.

And it is further understood and agreed by and between the parties hereto that, the labor that may be reserved by the warden from the operation of this contract, under the provisions thereof, shall be of such convicts only as may be mutually agreed upon by and between the warden of said prison and the party of the second part or its successors in interest, and in case said parties are unable to agree which convicts shall be so reserved for the use of the State, that then the matter shall be referred to the board of inspectors of said prison whose decision shall be final. And it is further agreed that the party of the first part, the warden and inspectors as aforesaid on behalf of the State, shall cause to be constructed in all work-shops suitable and efficient steam heating apparatus, and the party of the second part shall furnish steam and bear all expenses of heating said shops, and it is further agreed by the party of the first part, the warden and inspectors as aforesaid, that in case additional shop room or replacement of the present wooden structures by permanent fire proof ones should become necessary to the employment of convict labor, that such appropriation as the legislature shall deem just and proper shall be made from time to time for that purpose, said buildings to be erected under the supervision and direction of the board of inspectors, and the party of the second part, by consent of the said board of inspectors, in advance of the appropriations herein referred to, may erect and build such fire proof shops under the supervision and direction of said board of inspectors, payments for the same to be made when said appropriations are made, provided the party of the second part, by and with the advice of the board of inspectors, may from time to time do such grading as shall be found expedient for the convenient

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use of the above rented premises, the said party of the second part to receive therefor the sum of six cents per cubic yard, payment for the same to be made by orders therefor drawn on the State Auditor by said board of inspectors. It is further agreed that the party of the second part may, by consent of the board of inspectors, at its own cost and expense, build an addition to the present office room, the said addition to become the property of the State of Minnesota at the termination of thi lease.

And whereas, under and by virtue of a contract and award dated the 25th day of April, A. D. 1878, hereinbefore mentioned and described, it was agreed by and between the parties hereto that the said party of the first part, acting for the said State of Minnesota, should purchase all the moveable machinery, shafting and belting for driving the same, belonging to the party of the second part, situate and in use in said shop and yards, the value of the same to be ascertained by appraisal as in such contract provided; therefore it is further agreed by and between the parties hereto that when the value of said machinery, shafting and belting shall be ascertained as in said contract provided, the same shall be paid for by the said party of the first part, acting for and in behalf of the said State of Minnesota, by paying one-half of the amount so ascertained within thirty days from the date of such appraisal, the remainder to be paid by deducting the same from the amounts due from the party of the second part for labor of convicts and for rent of the said premises as the same shall become due and payable from time to time after the making up of said appraisal. In case the said cash payment hereinbefore provided for is not made at the time the same falls due, according to the terms of this contract, then the same shall be paid by deducting the amount so due and unpaid from the amounts due or that may become due for convict labor and rent as above provided.

This contract may be altered or amended by mutual consent of the parties hereto.

In witness whereof, the chairman of the said board of inspectors, and the said inspectors and the said warden of said prison have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year, first above written, and the party of the second part has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, duly attested by the signatures of its Presidentand Secretary.

(Signed,)

J. A. REED, Warden.

E. G. BUTTS,
JOHN DE LAITRE, } Inspectors.

Signed by President and Secretary of Seymour, Sabin & Co., and Corporate Seal attached.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
SUPREME COURT. }

I, Samuel H. Nichols, Clerk of said Supreme Court, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and correct copy of the contract, (filed in this office, with other papers, in case the State of Minnesota, *ex rel* Cyrus J. Thompson against E. J. Butts, *et al*, Inspectors of State Prison), as appears from the original remaining of file in my office, that I have compared the within copy with said original, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole thereof.

Witness my hand, and the Seal of said Supreme Court, at the Capitol, in the city of St. Paul, this 18th day of February, A. D., 1881.

SAMUEL H. NICHOLS,
Clerk of Supreme Court, Minnesota.

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BILLS OF THE HOUSE—Continued.

Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in the House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
127	A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Martin county to issue bonds.	69	69	69	69	69	69	
128	A bill to allow Pipe Stone County to issue bonds.	70	70	142,143, 195				
129	A bill to repeal chapter 185 of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the service of summons of Ramsey county.	70	70	84,108, 157,267, 346	87	470	470	
130	A bill to amend section 210, of title 13 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relative to security when judgment is entered by default.	70	70	84,108	87	152	152	
131	A bill to amend section 119 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to pleading.	70	70	134,186	134			
132	A bill to incorporate the village of Herman in Grant county.	70	70	90,108	94	131	131	
133	A bill to amend section 44, chapter 11 General Statutes of 1878 relating to county boards of equalization.	70	70	111				
134	A bill to incorporate the village of White Bear, in the county of Ramsey, State of Minnesota.	73	73	198,200		221	221	
135	A bill to amend chapter 94 of General Statutes of 1878 so as to restore the death penalty for murder in the first degree, and abolish solitary confinement in the State Prison.			108,161, 178	80			
136	A bill to amend title 1, of chapter 34, of General Statutes, 1878, relating to corporations.	76	76	117,162	128	186	186	
137	A bill to authorize the Board of Education of the Red Wing School District, to issue bonds.	76	76	76	76	76	76	
138	A bill to change the name of a person named therein	77	77					
139	A bill to amend section 6 chapter 37 of the general laws of 1879.	77	77	254,435				
140	A bill relating to salary of district judges.	77	77	84,159, 192	87	243	243	
141	A bill to amend the Charter of the St. Paul Gas Light company.	77	77	239	239	262	262	
142	A bill to amend and codify the several acts incorporating the village of Farmington.	77	77	86,107, 143	87	131	131	
143	A bill to incorporate the village of Appleton, Swift county.	77	77	90,108	94	131	131	
144	A bill to authorize independent School District No. 1 in Redwood County to issue bonds.	77	77	77,143 349	77	77	77	85
145	A bill relating to the St. Louis river boom association in St. Louis county.	78	78	232	232			

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BILLS OF THE HOUSE—Continued.

Number.	TITLE.	Introduced In House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
146	A bill to legalize and confirm certain conveyances heretofore made and proceedings had thereunder, relating to partnerships.	78	78	142				
147	A bill authorizing each town in Sibley county to support its own poor.	78	78	90,108 232	94	136	136	
148	A bill to amend an act to secure proper commitments to the State Reform School, approved February 26, 1872,	78	78	253,348				
149	A bill to introduce industrial expositions into the public schools of this state.	78	78	90,161 192,254 286,300 342,402	94			
150	A bill to introduce moral and social science in the public schools of this State.	78	78	90,108 192,254	94	300	300	
151	A bill to amend section 2 chapter 50 of the General Laws of 1878 relating to the compensation and fees of county officers and clerk hire of the same.	78	78	142				
152	A bill relating to the catching of fish in Le Sueur county.	78	78	78	78	78	78	
153	A bill to appropriate money for the purchase of books for the Minnesota State Reform School.	79	79	284,349 404	297			
154	A bill establishing the office of district attorney in and for the 12th judicial district, and to define the duties of such district attorney.	86	86	100,161	103	192	192	
155	A bill to amend section 28 of chapter 11 of the General Statutes of 1878 relating to taxes.	86	86	118,486				
156	A bill to amend chapter 157, of the Special Laws of 1878 relating to the government of free schools in the city of Minneapolis.	86	86	86,91	86	86	86	
157	A bill to amend chapter 100, relating to offences against chastity, morality and decency.	86	86	86,108	87	135	155	294
158	A bill to amend section 13 chapter 10 of Revised Statutes of 1866 relating to the election of township officers.	86	86	133				
159	A bill relating to savings banks.	86	86	99,161 217,192	103	240	240	
160	A bill to provide for the laying out and establishing a certain road in Ramsey county.	87	87	312	338	464	464	
161	A bill to authorize Theodore Capser to build a mill dam across Ikunk River, in Morrison county.	87	87	228				
162	A bill to prevent the catching, taking and destroying of fish in Lake Elysian.	87	87	134				

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163	A bill to amend sections 9, 18, 40 and 51, of General Statutes 1878, relating to sale of lands by executors, administrators and guardians.	90	90	99,162	103	180	180	
164	A bill to legalize a deed of conveyance acknowledged before George Bligh Bown, commissioner of police and magistrate of the city of Madras, East India.	91	91	91	91	91	91	
165	A bill to amend an act entitled an act to promote immigration.	91	91	116,162 186,194 216	128	265	265	
166	A bill to amend section 105 of chapter 1 of the General Statutes approved March 1878	91	91					
167	A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to purchase the franchises and property of the St. Paul Water Company, and creating the board of water commissioners.	91	91	134		138	138	
168	A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue bonds for the repair or rebuilding of certain bridges and approaches, and the opening of a street.	91	91	134,227	134	138	138	
169	A bill to provide for a change of the lines of the counties of Polk and Marshall.	91	91	116,162 216	128	186	186	
170	A bill to authorize a division of the county of Polk, and the organization of a new county from a portion of the territory embraced in said county of Polk, and for other purposes relating to said division.	91	91	116,162	128	186	186	
171	A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Watonwan county to levy a tax for certain purposes.	92	92	110,162	128	186	186	
172	A bill authorizing the town of Detroit to issue bonds to fund its debt.	92	92	110,162	128	186	186	
173	A joint resolution requesting Congress to appropriate money for the improvement of navigation on Red river.	92	92	92	92	92	92	
174	A bill to change the place of trial.	92	92	118,134 254,280 211,432	261	463 471	462 471	
175	A bill to amend section 6, of chapter 120 of Laws of 1877, as amended by section 2, chapter 50, General Laws 1878.	92	92	167				
176	A bill relating to the indexes of books "A" and "B" of record of deeds in Sibley county.	92	92	118				

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177	A bill to amend an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the village of Claremont, Dodge county, approved March 11th, 1878."	92	92	99,161	103	192	192	
178	A bill to provide for the appointment of commissioners under section 14, of chapter 34 of the General Statutes and chapters 35 and 80 of the General Laws of 1879.	92	92	284				
179	A bill to repeal section 2, of chapter 309, of the Special Laws of 1879.	101	101	143,194	150	213	213	
180	A bill to amend section 22 of title 3, chapter 35 of General Statutes, 1878, relating to fees for examining and conveying insane persons to the hospital for the insane.	101	101	118,162	128	188	188	
181	A bill to amend section 151 of chapter 8 of General Statutes of 1878.	101	101	118,195	128	208	208	
182	A bill to incorporate the village of Adrian.	101	101	119,161	128			
183	A bill to prevent the use of language calculated to cause a breach of the peace.	101	101	142,195	150	221	221	
184	A bill declaring certain acts a misdemeanor.	101	101	118				
185	A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Redwood in the construction of bridges across the Cottonwood and Redwood rivers in said county.	101	101	325	325	475	475	
186	A bill to change the name of Mathias Olson.	101	101					
187	A bill to appropriate $500 to the State Dairyman's Association.	101	101	196,209, 216	128	242	242	
188	A bill to amend the charter of the village of Spring Valley.	101	101	119	127	127	127	
189	A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Chippewa in building a bridge across the Chippewa river.	102	102	325,493	128	427	427	
190	A bill to change the name of the village of Loreno to Sleepy Eye Lake.	102	102	119	128			
191	A bill relating to public schools in the village of Cannon Falls, in Goodhue county.	102	102	102,142	102	102	102	113
192	A bill to declare the policy of this State touching certain insurance contracts	102	102	150,286, 483	150			
193	A bill relating to the disbursement of moneys by the treasurer of Goodhue county.	102	102	133	136	162	162	
194	A bill to change the name of Rebecca F. Brayton.	102	102					
195	A bill to prohibit cattle and other domestic animals running at large in the town of Toming, Swift county.	102	102	119,162	128	188		

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
196	A bill to authorize the town of Chaska to issue bonds for the construction of a bridge across the Minnesota river at the village of Chaska.	102	102	168,195	175	213	213	
197	A bill to change the boundaries of Independant School District No. 28, in Dodge county.	103	103	119,181	186	249	249	
198	A bill to provide for the inspection of steam boilers, licensing steam engineers in Minnesota.	103	103	117,196	431			
199	A bill to amend section 13, chaptor 65 of general laws of 1878 relating to justice courts.	103	103	231				
200	A bill in relation to the use of school houses in common school districts.	103	103	111,162	128	188	188	
201	A bill to amend section 1, chapter 39, General Statutes, 1878, relating to State bounty for the destruction of wolves.			134,142	128			
202	A bill to amend sections 14 and 47, chapter 10, General Statutes of 1878, relating to township organizations.			161,196	128			
203	A bill providing compensation to boards of county commissioners while acting as boards of equalization.			162	128	189	189	
204	A bill to amend section 166 of chapter 34, General statutes, 1878, relating to corporations.	113	113	140,167	175	212	212	
205	A bill to authorize the village of Hutchinson in McLeod county.	113	113	113	113	113	113	
206	A bill to authorize the C., St P., Minneapolis & Omaha R. R. Co. to purchase, own and operate the St. P. & S. C. R. R.	113	113	117,159 160	117	163	163	
207	A bill to legalize certain transfers made to the St. P. & S. C. R. R. Co.	114	114	117,159 160	117	163	163	
208	A bill to authorize the St. P., Minneapolis & Omaha R. R. Co. to acquire, control, maintain and operate railroads in the State of Minnesota.	114	114	117,159 160,260	117	163	163	
209	A bill to confer upon the St. P., Minneapolis & Omaha R. R. Co., certain powers and immunities.	114	114	117,159 160	117	163	163	
210	An act to amend section 1 of chapter 330 of Special Laws of 1879, relating to compensation of county officers in Meeker county.	114	114	114	114	129	129	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
211	A bill to amend the Statutes in relation to cattle running at large in the towns of Cokato and Stockholm.	114	114	118,162	128	189	189	
212	A bill to amend section 20, chapter 36, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to changing the annual School district meeting.	114	114	227		212		
213	A bill to provide for registering and the payment of interest on town orders.	114	114	166,195, 220,266, 280	175	212	212	
214	A bill to change the name of a certain person therein named.	114	114					
215	A bill to prevent double taxation of property.	114	114					
216	A memorial to Congress requesting the speedy passage of the bill now before Congress, to prevent the deposit of saw dust and other mill refuse in the Mississippi river.	215	215	215,162	215	226	226	
217	A bill to incorporate Camp and Grove Meeting Associations, Sunday School assemblies or any other society for religious instruction, &c.	115	115	254,348	261	372	372	
218	A bill granting the right to establish and maintain a wagon bridge across Red River at Moorhead.	115	115	142	150	262	262	
219	A bill to reimburse Pine county for the expenses of the trial of Herbert Hutchinson.	115	115	402,483	437	550	550	
220	A bill proposing additional section, to be termed section 15 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota for the purpose of a State forest.	115	115	354				
221	A bill relating to the payment of salaries of county attorneys, judges of probate, and county superintendents of public schools.	115	115	181	186	149		
222	A bill to cancel certain delinquent taxes in the county of Redwood, and to transfer certain other taxes from said county to the county of Yellow Medicine, and to provide for the collection of the same.			162	128	190	190	
223	A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the east branch of the Blue Earth river, in Faribault county.	119	119	325	325	429	429	
224	A bill to incorporate the village of Cologne, in the county of Carver.	120	120	133,227	133	153	153	
225	A bill to prescribe the sessions of the board of county commissioners of Stearns county.	120	120	134,493	134	155	155	

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226	A bill to prevent the carrying concealed and dangerous weapons.	120	120	142				
227	A bill to amend chapter 120 of General Laws of 1877, fixing the compensation of county auditors.	120	120	142,166 493	150			
228	A bill to authorize the city of Winona to issue bonds.	120	120	150	150	210	211	
229	A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Long Prarie river, in Douglas county.	120	120	326		430	430	
230	A bill to change the names of certain persons named thereon.	120	120					
231	A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Watonwan River in Watonwan County.	120	120	324				
232	A bill to incorporate the village of Benton, in the county of Carver.	120	120	128		152	152	
233	A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Polk county to issue bonds to build a court house, and to fund the floating indebtedness of said county.	120	120	134,309 349	134	372 451	372 451	
234	A bill to authorize the appointment of an agent to prosecute certain land claims against the United States.	120	120	309				
235	A bill to amend section 230 of of title 117, chapter 8 of General Statutes of 1878.	121	121	168				
236	A bill to amend section 41 of chapter 1 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to fees of messengers for carrying election returns.	121	121	167,195	175	213	213	
237	A bill to amend section 153 of General Statutes of 1866, the same being chapter 3, General Laws of 1879 relating to bond of register of deeds.	121	121	168				
238	A bill to amend section 142, title 4, chap. 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to manner of paying county auditors salary.	121	121	195,239				
239	A bill to amend section 172 of chapter 8 of the General Statutes 1878, relating to salary of county treasurers,	121	121	175	175	214	214	
240	A bill to amend the General Statutes of 1878, relative to mutual fire insurance companies.	121	121	165,195	175	215	215	
241	A bill for the relief of settlers on lands claimed by the State as swamp lands, and for the adjustment of land grants inuring to the State under the several acts of Congress.	121	121	182	186	250	250	

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242	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Montgomery, in the county of Le Sueur, in the State of Minnesota."	121	121	150,95	150	215	215	
243	A bill to locate and establish a State road from the village of Herman in Grant county, to the village of Holmes City, in Douglas county.	121	121	134,162	134	152	152	
244	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Lake City.	121	121	150,195	150	211	211	
245	A bill to fix the salary of the treasurer of Stearns county.	121	121	167,195	175	214	214	
246	A bill to establish a deputy clerkship in the clerk of supreme court, and fixing the salary thereof.	122	122	195	128	242	242	
247	A bill to incorporate the village of Osakis, in Douglas county.	122	122	166	166	166	166	
248	A bill to prevent cattle from running at large in the town of Bergen, in McLeod county.	122	122	122	128	190	190	
249	A bill to further amend an act entitled "An act to reduce the law regulating public schools in the city of St. Paul, into one act, and to amend the same."	122	122	194	194	207	207	295
250	A bill prescribing the salary of the judges of probate of Dakota county.	122	122	122,162	128	190	190	
251	A bill to declare the policy of this State concerning certain life insurance contracts.	122	122	165,196 251	175	301	301	
252	A bill relating to the salary of the county attorney of Hennepin county.	122	122 353	122.346 355	122 355	137	137 295	295,327
253	A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of the county of Hennepin to pay the claims of C. H. Ward, Jacob Schaffer A. C. Austin and Samuel Leydiard for services by them rendered as members of the board of equalization for said county in the year 1880.	122	122	122	122	137	137	
254	A bill to amend section 232, title 11, chapter 8 of General Statutes, 1878, relating to county surveyors.	122	122	231,280 341,346	239	477	477	
255	A bill to protect grain fields by destroying weeds in the highways.	122	122	440				
256	A bill to amend section 9, chapter 100, General Statutes of 1878, relating to offences against chastity, morality and decency.	122	122	122,162	128	193	193	295

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257	A bill relating to the organization, and to promote the efficiency of the uniformed militia of the State of Minnesota.	123	123	123,195 227	193	217	217	
258	A bill to amend sections 101, 102 and 119, title 6, chapter 66, General Laws of 1878, relating to civil actions.			195	136	209	209	
259	Substitute for H. F. No. 162, A bill for the protection of fish.			195,196 214,217 441	136	241	241	
260	A bill to amend section 4, chapter 100, General Statutes, 1878, relating to offences against chastity, morality and decency.	135	135	135,195	136	209	209	
261	A bill to amend section 99, title 6, of chapter 66, General Statutes, 1878, in relation to civil actions.	135	135	135,195	136	210	210	
262	A bill declaring resistance to officers a misdemeanor, and providing punishment therefor.	135	135	135,195	136	210	210	
263	A bill to amend an act to incorporate the vil. of Houston in Houston county.	135	135	135	135	135	135	
264	An act granting ferry privileges.	136	136	269,348	269	394	394	
265	A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 14 of the Special Laws of 1876, being an act to incorporate the village of Le Roy, Mower county.	136	136	136,251		156	156	
266	A bill to change the names of certain persons named therein.	136	136					
267	A bill to change the name of Peter Erickson of Kandi-Yohi County, to that of Peter E. Reese.	136	136					
268	A bill to appropriate money to aid Isanti county in building bridge.	136	136	235	235	430	430	
269	A bill to amend chapter 20 of the General Laws of 1868, relating to the organization of persons as a chamber of commerce or board of trade.	136	136	167,195 232,418	175	215	215	
270	A bill making an appropriation to John Patterson for the arrest of a horse thief.			168,232 265	175	276	276	
271	A bill to allow Pipestone county to issue bonds for certain purposes therein named.			150,195	150	210	210	
272	A bill to amend chapter 39, General Laws of 1879, relating to State bounty for the destruction of wolves.			196,565 565				
273	A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 70, General Statutes 1878, relating to fees.			150,167 196	150			

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
274	Substitute for H. F. No. 146, A bill to legalize certain conveyances heretofore made, and proceedings had thereunder relating to partnerships.			150,195, 411	150	219	219	
275	A bill prescribing the fees of jurors in justice courts.	144	144	167,195, 215	175	217	217	
276	A bill authorizing the village of Delano, in Wright county, to issue bonds.	144	144	144,195	144	212	212	
277	A bill to amend chapter 15 of the Special Laws of 1872, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Lake City."	144	144	150,168	150	193	193	
278	A bill to amend title 1 of chapter 80, General Statutes of 1878, relating to Mandamus.	144	144	144,195		222	222	
279	A bill to amend section 29 of title 1, and section 112, title 2, chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878, entitled corporations.	144	144	144,195		218	218	
280	A bill to authorize the judge of the probate court of Le Sueur county to properly arrange and record the papers in his office relating to proceedings had in said court.	144	144	144	144	144	144	
281	A bill to amend section 65 and of title 3, chapter 34 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to the care and custody of minors by orphan asylums.	145	145	182	186	301	310	
282	A bill proposing an amendment to section 7, article 1 of Constitution, relating to grand jury system.	145	145	182	186			
283	A bill to change the name of William James Rising to William Grafton Beagle.	145	145					
284	A bill to change the boundary of school district No. 66 in Dakota county	145	145	145	145	156	156	
285	A bill to amend section 66, of chapter 36 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to education.	145	145	227				
286	A bill to organize the town of Olivia, in the county of Renville.	145	145	166,169, 227				
287	A bill to detach the county of Grant from the county of Douglas, in the seventh judicial district.	145	145	168,495				
288	A bill to legalize the actions of the board of county commissioners of Big Stone county, in organizing school districts and towns.	148	148	165,195	175	218	218	
289	A bill to authorize the draining of a lake in Wright county.	148	148	166	175	250	250	
290	A bill to incorporate the village of Montrose, in the county of Wright.	148	148	165,195	175	218	218	

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291	A bill to authorize the construction of a free bridge across the St. Croix river, Chisago county, and to appropriate money to aid in the construction thereof.	148	148	325	325	472	472	
292	A bill to amend section 148, chapter 8, General Statutes relating to county Treasurers.	148	148					
293	A bill for the protection of sheep, dogs and other domestic animals.	148	148	285				
294	A bill to amend title 4, of chapter 34, of the General Laws of 1878, relating to religious corporations.	148	148	228,280	261	341	341	
295	A bill to amend section 11, of chapter 86 of the Special Laws of 1876, relating to the city of St. Paul, approved March 1st, 1876, relating to judges of the municipal court of said city.	148	148	148,493	148	148	148	
296	A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Ramsey county to issue the bonds of said county to redeem and pay certain bonds that mature during the present year.	149	149	149	149	157	157	
297	A bill relating to the government of free schools, in the city of Anoka.	149	149	149	149	156	156	
298	A bill to authorize any town in Redwood county, to issue bonds to aid in building railroad.	149	149	286,348	297	391	391	
299	A bill to detach territory therein described, from Independent School District No. 1, in Polk county.	149	149	166,195	175	211	211	
300	A bill for an act to change a name.	149	149					
301	A bill to reduce the law incorporating the village of Blooming Prairie in the county of Steele, and the several acts amendatory thereof into one act and to amend the same.	149	149	149	149	149	149	
302	A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Wilkin county to issue bonds.	150	150	284	324	324	324	
303	A memorial to Congress.	150	150	150	150	150	150	
304	A bill to reimburse Watonwan county for expenses incurred after the capture of the Younger brothers.	160	160	167,228 280,327 437	167	467	467	
305	A bill to detach the county of Grant from the 7th judicial district and from the county of Douglas for judicial purposes.			309,349	338	372 580	372 580	

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306	Substitute for H. F. No. 175, A bill to amend section 37, chapter 70, of the General Statutes of 1878, entitled fees.			195,216, 217,476		241	241	
307	A bill to amend section 230, title 11, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to county surveyors' bond.			185	175	219	219	
308	A bill to amend section 175, title 6, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, and to repeal chapter 3, General Laws 1879, relating to registers of deeds.				175	219	219	
309	A bill to enlarge the eighth judicial district, and to provide for an additional Judge therein.			195,354, 483	175			
310	A bill to require overseers of highways to expend money and labor coming into their hands for that purpose in working and repairing any highways.	169	169	376				
311	A bill to provide a better system of land surveys in this State.	169	169	367,349, 471,518, 529	274			
312	A bill to enforce the payment of taxes, which became delinquent in and prior to the year 1879.	169	169	441,482, 506	297	506	506	
313	A bill proposing an amendment to section 1, of article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota.	170	170	182,252		262, 563	262, 563	
314	A bill to appropriate money for the erection of a monument in memory of the Dustin family.	170	170	285,309, 483	297			
315	A bill to regulate milage of members of the Legislature.	170	170	268,280				
316	A bill to determine and prevent the spreading of Glanders or other contagious diseases among domestic animals.	170	170	435				
317	A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Lincoln in the construction of a bridge across the Yellow Medicine river.	170	170	325	325	426	426	
318	A bill relating to town organizations.	170	170	228				
319	A bill to amend section 113, chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878.	170	170	253				
320	A bill to authorize Independent School district No. 1 in Redwood county to issue bonds.	170	170	170,195	170	219	219	
321	A bill to change the time for holding general terms of district court in Redwood county.	170	170	354,437	366			
322	A bill authorizing and requiring each town in the county of Goodhue to support its own poor.	170	170	198,379	200	478	478	

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323	A bill to amend section 162, chapter 36, General Statutes of 1878, relating to duties of State Treasurer for State textbook fund.	170	170	267,348	186	393	393	
324	A bill to amend section 15, chapter 36 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to change of boundaries of school district.	171	171	280	261	465	465	
325	A bill to authorize railroad companies to change their routes.	171	171	253,349	261	481	481	
326	A bill to authorize any railroad company to lease, purchase or in any way become owners of or to control any other railroad corporation, or to consolidate therewith.	171	171	253,349	261	509 580	509 580	552
327	A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the St. Louis river in the county of Carlton.	171	171	325,495	325	429	429	
328	A bill entitled "An act to appropriate funds for the building of a bridge across Sauk river, in the town of Wakefield, Stearns county.	171	171	375	325	426	426	
329	A bill confirming the organization and certain purchases of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, and in relation to the charter, powers, franchises and property of said company	171	171	286,350	297	373 555	373 555	
330	A bill to restrain the running of cattle at large in Clay county.	171	171	269,351		338	338	
331	A bill to amend section 71, of chapter 64, General Statutes, 1878.	171	171	253,348	261	472	472	
332	A bill to amend section 18, of chapter 107, General Statutes, 1878, relating to grand juries.	171	171	253,348	261	467	467	
333	An act to amend the charter of the village of Worthington.	171	171	437	366	477	477	
334	A bill to amend the charter of the Village o Worthington.	171	171	435				
335	A bill to detach certain territory from independent school district number 1, in Nicolet county and attach the same to school district number 27.	171	171	227,265	276	276	276	
336	A bill to incorporate the village of Graceville, in the county of Big Stone.	172	172	172	172	172	172	

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337	A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to appoint an overseer of the poor for a term not exceeding five years.	172	172	231	231	250	250	
338	A bill to provide for assorting and binding the territorial laws.	172	172	253				
339	A bill to repeal sections 58 and 59 of the General Statutes of 1879, relative to Threshing Machines.	172	172	253,349				
340	A bill to appropriate money to grade and complete the improvement of the grounds of the State Normal School, at Winona.	172	172	352,379,	379			
341	A bill to authorize the corporate authorities of the village of Winnebago City to issue bonds.	172	172	172	172	172	172	
342	An act to incorporate the village of Red Lake Falls in Polk county.	173	173	310,354,	310	402	402	
343	To amend section 12, title 3, of chapter 8 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to counties and county officers.	183	183	183,253, 348	183	394	394	
344	A bill to amend section 2, of chapter 47 of the General Laws of 1875.	183	183	183,301, 345,483	183	552	552	
345	A bill to amend section 315 of chapter 66 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to levy on unharvested crops.	183	183	183,284	183			
346	A bill to provide for establishing a State Capitol building fund.	183	183	285,348, 542	297	555	555	
347	A bill to amend section 67 of chapter 11 of General Statutes of 1868, relating to the assessment and collecting of taxes.	183	183					
348	A bill to amend section 100, of chapter 8, of General Statutes of 1878, relating to county commissioners.	183	183	228,280,	261	339, 451	339, 451	
349	A bill providing for the suspension and removal of county treasurers for malfeasance and nonfeasance in office, and to provide for the appointment of county treasurers ad interim.	183	183	228,280, 341	261	471	471	552
350	A bill to amend section 150 of chapter 8, General Statutes of 1878, relating to the duties of county Treasurers for malfeasance, or non-feasance in office.	183	183	232				
351	A bill to amend section 149, of chapter 8, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to county treasurers.	183	183	228	261	302	302	
352	A bill to change the name of the town of Clarksville, in Big Stone county, to Malta.	183	183	228,265	239	476	276	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
353	A bill permitting each township in the State to keep a record of all roads running into and through such township.	184	184	227,280	261	302	302	
354	A bill to empower the county commissioners to change or vacate a military road in Sherburn county.	184	184	227,266, 280	239	302	302	
355	A bill for the relief of the county of Crow Wing.	184	184	285,348	297	431	431	
356	A bill to provide for the salary of the county treasurer of Mille Lacs county.	184	184	284,348	297	392	392	
357	A bill to amend chapter 130 of the Special Laws of 1879, to establish Independent School District of Granite Falls.	184	184	265	239	302	302	
358	A bill to authorize a lien upon a foal before its birth.	184	184	254				
359	A bill to preserve the waters of White Bear and Goose Lakes in the counties of Ramsey and Washington.	194	194	194	194	194	194	
360	A bill concerning evidence upon the trials upon indictments.	194	194	197,265, 303,342, 356,400, 403	197	481	481	
361	A bill to amend section 75, chapter 13, General Statutes 1878, relating to roads, cartways, and bridges.			232				
362	A bill for the licensing of dogs and for the protection of sheep and other domestic animals.			197,266, 269				
363	A bill to change the name of Helen A. Tuttle, to Helen A. Fifield.	198	198					
364	A bill to enable the Winona & St. Peter Railroad Company to purchase or lease the property and franchises of the Plainview Railway Company.	198	198	253,349, 350	261	508	508	
365	A bill to amend chapter 1 of the General Laws of 1878, to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes, being chapter 11, General Statutes of 1878.	198	198	200,266. 280	200	303, 563	303, 563	
366	A bill for limiting and regulating the salaries of the county treasurer, the register of deeds, and the clerk of the district court of the county of Dodge.	198	198	227,266	239	304	304	
367	A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 75, in Hennepin county, and attach the same to school district No. 74, in said county.	198	198	198	198	222	222	
368	A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 109, in Goodhue county, and attach the same to joint school district No. 50, in Wabasha county.	198	198		239	277	277	

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369	A bill to reimburse Murray county on account of tax suits with Winona & St. Peter railroad.	199	199	325	325	430	430	
370	A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the south branch of Crow river, in Meeker county.	199	199	325	325	427	427	
371	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to suppress the catching of fish in Lake Koronis, in Stearns and Meeker counties."	199	199	199	199	222	222	
372	A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Wantonwan river.	199	199	325	325	430	430	
373	A bill to locate and establish a State road from the village of Campbell, in the county of Wilkin, to the village of Ashby, in the county of Grant.	199	199	232,265	239	304	304	
374	A bill to amend sections 1 and 7, article 4 of the constitution of this State.	199	199	258,277 289,339 346,348 437	261	480	480	
375	A bill to incorporate the village of Lansing, in Mower county.	225	225	225	225	225	225	
376	A bill to amend chapter 308 of Special Laws of 1879, fixing salaries of county officers of Mower county.	226	226	226	226	226	226	
377	Substitute for H. F. No. 122, A bill to fix the salary of the clerk of probate of Hennepin county.				229	243	243	
378	A bill for an act to amend section 142, chapter 8, relating to salaries of county officers.			280,348	239	475	475	
379	A bill to amend section 13, chapter 65, relating to courts of justice of the peace.			280	237	340	340	
380	A bill relating to the St. Louis River Boom association in St. Louis county.			346				
381	A bill for an act to amend section 67, of chapter 11, of the General Statutes, 1878, providing for the assessment and collection of taxes.			483	289	511	511	
382	A bill relating to the duties of county Treasurer, and the care of public funds.				239			
383	A bill to incorporate the village of Audubon, in Becker county.	233	233	233,266 280,289	233	205	205	
384	A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 210 of the Special Laws of 1878, as amended by chapter 259 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the running at large of cattle in Wilkin county.	233	233	233	233	251	251	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in the House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
386	A bill relating to public schools in Brown's Valley.	233	233	326,349	239	390	390	
386	A bill to legalize the organization of the Hassan German Mutual Fire Insurance Company	233	233	233	233	233	233	
387	A bill to appropriate money for the general expenses of the State government, for the years 1881 and 1882.	234	234	234,280, 346,405, 406,412	234	443	443	
388	A bill to amend section 11, of chapter 324, of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to county officers in Hennepin county.	234	234	234,329	234	251	251	
389	A bill to drain a certain lake in Meeker county.	234	234	253,280	261	340	340	
390	A bill to provide for the levy of taxes for State purposes for the year A. D. 1881 and 1882.	234	234	234,280	234	205	205	
391	A bill authorizing the register of deeds of Olmsted county to record a deed.	234	234	234,205	234	205	206	
392	A bill to amend section 6 of title 3 of chapter 7 of Special Laws of 1874, relating to the incorporation of the village of Winnebago City.	234	234	234	234	231	234	
393	A bill to amend section 55, chapter 13, General Statutes of 1878, relating to roads, cartways and bridges.	235	235	311,483	338	510	510	
394	A bill to amend sections 145 and 147. of chapter 11, of General Statutes of 1878, relating to taxes.	235	235	268	274	394	394	
395	A bill to amend section 34, of chapter 6, of the General Statutes of 1878, prescribing the duties of State Treasurer.	235	235	235,280	235	306	306	
396	A bill to authorize persons who have complied with certain laws relating to trees upon prairies, to apply for bounty.	235	235	268,348	274	394	394	
397	A bill to amend section 104 of chapter 34 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations.	235	235	253,348	261	374	374	
398	A bill to change the name of George Albert Lilly, to that of George Albert Bazille.	235	235					
399	A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across the Mustinka river, in Grant county.	235	235	325	325	426	426	
400	A bill to authorize the township of Logan to issue its bonds for county purposes.	235	235	309,349	338	393	393	
401	A memorial to Congress for the payment of bounty to members of the First Minnesota Mounted Rangers.	235	235	235	235	235	235	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
402	A bill to fix the compensation and fees of certain county officers, in Hennepin county, therein named.	236	236	236	236	263	263	
403	A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Red Lake river in Polk county.	236	236	324	324	428	428	
404	A bill to authorize the city of Red Wing to issue bonds for water supplies.	236	236	346	346	391	391	
405	A bill to establish a work house in the city of Red Wing.	236	236	346,349	346	382	392	
406	A bill to appropriate money for the deficiencies in the State Reform School appropriation for 1880.	236	236	284,349 404	299			
407	A bill to appropriate money for the support of the Minnesota State Reform School 1881 and 1882.	236	236					
408	A bill to appropriate money for repairing the State reform School.	236	236	284,349 404	297			
409	A bill to amend section 279, of title 6, of chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878.	236	236	246,280	248	341	341	
410	A bill to incorporate the village of Renville, in the county of Renville, Minnesota.	236	236	236	236	236	236	
411	A bill to establish a clerkship in the adjutant general's office and fixing the salary thereof.	237	237	285,349 405	297			
412	A bill to provide for the examination of candidates for gradnates from the State Normal School etc.	237	237	246,280 349	248			
413	A bill to appropriate money for the purpose of reimbursing the employees of the Minnesota Hospital for Insane, located at St. Peter.	237	237	284,405	297	427	427	
414	A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 324 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the city and county officers of Hennepin county.	237	237	237,266	237	277	277	
415	A bill touching the assessment of real property subject to mortgage or liens.	237	237					
416	A bill relating to civil actions in justice courts.	237	237	267,348	274	395	395	
417	A bill to appropriate money to reimburse J. Q. Ward for money expended by him for the State.	246	246	246,280	261	306	306	
418	A bill to change the name of John Lutheimer to Charles John Lutheimer.	247	247					
419	A bill to prevent the several towns within Renville County from issueing bonds to aid in the construction of any Railroad in said county.	247	247	284,338 439,588	457			

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
420	A bill to regulate the manner of service of summons in civil actions in the district court in Wright county.	247	247	267				
421	A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 76, Hennepin county, and attach the same to joint school district No 112, Wright and Hennepin counties	247	247	247	247	263	263	
422	A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to build a county jail, and to levy a special tax for that purpose.	247	247	439	439			
423	A bill relating to the time of election of directors and officers of corporations when elections have not been held.	247	247		306	306	306	
124	A bill to incorporate the city of Moorhead.	256	256	256	256	265	265	
425	A bill to regulate the inspection and handling of grain.	256	256	276,493	261			
426	A bill to amend chapter 95 of the General Laws of 1879, to regulate the grading and weighing of wheat in the State of Minnesota.	256	256	256,349, 493	261			
427	A bill to change a name.	256	256					
428	A bill to amend section 106 of chapter 11, General Statutes, 1878 relating to payment of taxes before record of any deed.	256	256	309,344, 483	366	509	509	
429	A bill to widen Fort street from the city limits of St. Paul to Fort Snelling bridge, and also open and extend Stewart avenue from the city limits to Fort Snelling bridge.	256	256	256	256	264	264	
430	A bill for the laying out and locating of a county road through the towns of Rose and New Canada, in Ramsey county.	256	256	256	256	264	264	
431	An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Minnesota Western Railroad Company, and the acts amendatory thereof, approved March 3, 1863, and approved February 4, 1870.	256	256	286	297	375	375	
432	An act to build a bridge across Big Cottonwood river, in Brown county.	256	256	325	325	429	429	
433	A bill to legalize the election of the village of Murdock, in Swift county.	257	257	257	257	264	264	
434	A bill to prevent the running of cattle and other domestic animals at large in the county of Hennepin.	257	257	286,348	297	392	392	

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435	A bill to reduce the law incorporating the village of Kasson, in the county of Dodge, and State of Minnesota, and the several acts amendatory thereof into one act, and to amend the same, and to attach certain territory for school purposes.	257	257	268	268	307	307	
436	A bill proposing and amendment to article 7, of the constitution of the State of Minnesota.	257	257	257,274 318,345	261			
437	A bill to amend section 12 of chapter 15 of the General Statutes.	270	270					
438	A bill to authorize the village of Howard Lake, in Wright county, to issue bonds for fire apparatus.	270	270	270,348	274	393	393	
439	A bill to allow the city of Crookston to endorse certain bonds.	270	270	284.348		468	468	
440	A bill to amend chapter 96, General Laws of 1876, relating to clerkship in Secretary of State office.	270	270	284,349 412	297	425	425	
441	A bill to amend section 2, chapter 206 of Special Laws of 1878, and repealing chapter 260 of Special Laws of 1879.	270	270	286,348	297	396	396	
442	A bill to provide for the publication of High school reports for 1879 and 1880.	270	270	270,348	297	395	395	
443	A bill to amend chapter 61 of the General Statutes of the year 1879.	271	271	284				
444	A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 244 of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the Cannon river manufacturing association.	271	271	271	271	271	271	
445	A bill authorizing the city of St. Paul to construct a permanent roadway over Phalen's creek.	271	271	494	521	521	521	
446	A bill to incorporate the village of Pillsbury, Swift county, Minn.	271	271	271	271	307	307	
447	A bill to change the name of the town of Sahlmark, in the county of Stevens, to Swan Lake.	271	271	271	271	271	271	
448	A bill to amend section 17 of chapter 2 of the amended charter of the town of Taylor's Falls, Chisago county, approved March 6, 1871.	272	272	272	272	272	272	
449	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Glencoe, in the county of McLeod, State of Minnesota, being chapter 6 of the Special Laws of 1873, and the acts amendatory thereof."	272	272	272	272	307	307	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
450	A bill to incorporate the village of Hector.	272	272	272	272	308	308	
451	A bill to declare the Minnesota River a lawful division fence.	272	272	326				
452	A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in Traverse county.	272	272	326,349	338	388	388	
453	A bill to provide for a State Mineralogist, and defining his duties and compensation.	272	272	483 483, 485	366	552		
454	A bill to appropriate money to aid the county of Anoka in the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at the city of Anoka.	272	272	325				
455	A bill relating to roads, cartways and bridges.	273	273	311,483	338	516	516	
456	A bill to appropriate money to the county of Stearns for the purpose of aiding in the improvement of the St. Cloud and Breckenridge State road.	273	273	324				
457	A bill making a half bushel measure the only article to be used for grading wheat, and determining its quality etc.	273	273	354,437	366			
460	A bill for an act for licensing of dogs, and the protection of sheep, lambs and other domestic animals.				297	463	469	
461	A bill changing the boundaries of the village of Belle Plaine.	287	287	377,437	394	468	468	
462	A bill to locate a new State Prison.	287	287					
463	A bill granting ferry privileges to James W. Day.	287	287	311,349	338	388	388	
464	A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Rock river.	287	287	325	325	428	428	
465	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Excelsior, in the county of Hennepin, being chapter 4 of the Special Laws of 1877."	287	287	287	287	287	287	
466	A bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the city of Stillwater.	288	288	288	288	480	480	
467	A bill incorporating the village of Melrose.	288	288	311	311	401	401	
468	A bill to change the name of a certain person.	288	288					
469	A bill to legalize the action of the supervisors of the town of Lakeland.	288	288	289	288	288	288	
470	A bill amending parts of the charter of the city of St. Paul, and acts amendatory thereof.	288	288	328	328	472	472	
471	A bill to amend the act incorporating the village of Sauk Centre.	288	288	311,349	338	388	388	

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472	Memorial to Congress asking pension for persons confined in confederate prisons.	289	289	289,348	289	396	396	
473	A bill to confer further jurisdiction on justices of the peace for Crow Wing county.	289	289	309	338	374	374	
474	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act for the support and better regulation of the common schools of the town of Sauk Centre, as amended by chapter 58 of the Special Laws of 1873."	289	289	289	289	340	340	
475	A bill creating a joint school district in Mower and Freeborn counties.	289	289	311,349	338	388	388	
476	A bill restoring John Franklin Sherman to citizenship.	289	289	309,349	338	389	389	
477	A bill to amend section 23, chapter 116, General Statutes of 1878, relating to challenging jurors.	289	289	289	289	395	395	
478	A bill to amend section 9, title 1, chapter 80, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to mandamus.	289	289	289,349 483	289			
479	A bill to authorize the State land commissioner to refund the purchase money paid on school land certificate No. 12,192, which said certificate has been adjudged to be void, and to appropriate money therefor.	289	289	344,483	366	508	508	
480	A bill to dispose of swamp lands of this State, and to direct the disposition of the proceeds thereof.	289	289	309,482	437	516		
481	A bill to amend section 9, of chapter 100, of the General Statutes of 1878.	289	289	289,349 483	289			
482	A bill providing for appropriations for bridges in Stearns county.	290	290	311	326	326	326	
483	A bill to regulate appeals from judgments of justices of the peace in the city of St. Paul.	290	290	312	312	312	312	
484	A bill to authorize the towns of Elgin and Plainview to dispose of certain funds.	290	290	290	290	290	290	
485	A bill to authorize the appointment of an agent to prosecute certain land claims against the United States.			483	338	507	507	
486	A bill relating to the duties of county treasurers and the care of public funds.					374	374	
487	A bill allowing a clerk to the county treasurer of Dakota county—substitute for S. F. No. 219.				311	311	311	
488	A bill to define the boundaries and establish a municipal government for the village of Duluth.	313	313	324,342		374	374	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
489	A bill to provide for the preparation and printing of blanks for official bonds of county officers, and for recording such bonds, and filing the same in the office of the Secretary of State.	313	313	336,483		516	516	
490	A bill to change the boundaries of Faribault School District No. 1, of Rice county.	313	313	313	313	313	313	
491	A bill to ratify the contracts between the State of Minnesota and Seymour, Sabin & Co., and making provisions modifying the same.	313	313	345,483	345	507	507	
492	A bill to repeal an act to provide for the removal of the county seat of Lincoln County.	313	313	327,345				
493	A bill to incorporate the village of St Vincent, in Kittson county.	313	313	313	313	465	465	
494	A bill to complete the organization of Kittson county, and to establish a term of court therein.	314	314	314	414	314	314	
495	A bill to restore Samuel Griswold to citizenship.	314	314	324	338	390	390	
496	A bill to detach certain territory from the town of Rose, and attach the same to the town of Reserve, in Ramsey county, in this State.	314	314	327,342	327	468	468	
497	A bill to amend section 107, chapter 8, General Statutes, 1878, relating to selection of jurors.	314	314	483	366	508	508	
498	A bill to amend section 14, and 47, of chapter 10 of the General Laws of 1878.	314	314	824				
499	A bill appropriating money to build a bridge across Buffalo river, in Martin county.	314	314	325	325	428	428	
500	A bill to amend section 14, of chapter 73, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to roads and cartways.	314	314	345,482, 496	366			
501	A bill to authorize the counties, towns and villages to keep in repair the roads and bridges and to be liable for damages for neglect.	314	314					
502	A bill to provide for surveying, locating and establishing a State road between Ramsey and Washington counties.	315	315	327	327	465	465	
503	A bill to amend section 292, of title 6, chapter 34, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to insurance.	315	315	354				
504	A bill to establish the commissioner districts in the county of Hennepin, and to regulate the election and compensation of the county commissioners therein.	315	315	315	315	315	315	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
505	A bill to incorporate the village of Rockford, in the counties of Wright and Hennepin.	315	315	315	315	342	342	
506	A bill to establish the county of Canby, and provide for the location of the county seat, and establish the boundary lines thereof, and organize said county.	315	315	315	315	476	476	
507	An act to amend section 372, title 6 chapter 34, insurance laws, relating to Fire and Marine Insurance Companies.	315	315	354,483 511	366	509 511	511	
508	A bill to return non-resident road taxes in the town of Cannon City, in the county of Rice.	315	315	315	315	315	315	
509	A bill to authorize the Greenvale Cemetery Association to convey lots.	316	316	327	338	390	390	
510	A bill to amend an act to legalize the highway known as The St. Paul and Hastings river road.	316	316					
511	A bill to amend section 50 of chapter 36 of the General Statutes of 1878.	316	316					
512	A bill to amend sections 11, 12, 14 and 15 of chapter 84, General Statutes 1878, relating to forcible entry and unlawful detainer.	316	316	351,483	366	517	517	
513	A bill to amend chapeter 157 of the Special Laws of 1878, as the same are amended by chapter 62 of the Special Laws of 1879.	316	316	316	316	342	342	
514	A joint resolution to Congress asking for the relief of certain settlers on railroad lands.	328	328	344,483	366	507	507	
515	A bill amendatory to an act entitled "An act to amend an act to incorporate the German Reading Society of St. Paul, approved February 28th, 1870."	328	328	328	328	328	328	
516	A bill to provide for the location of a second State Prison.	329	329					
517	A bill to prevent cattle and other domestic animals from running at large in the county of Winona.	329	329	329	329	401	401	
518	A bill to amend chapter number 208 of Special Law of 1879.	329	329	436,483	436	512	512	
519	A bill to divide the town of Home, in Brown county, into two town organizations.	329	329	329	329	329	329	
520	A bill concerning orders.	329	329	351,483 511,513 576	366	510		

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521	A bill to amend sub-division 5, of section 310, of chapter 66 of the General Statutes, 1878.	329	329	345				
522	A bill to change the name of Nels Hanson to Nels H. Yafsted.	330	330					
523	A bill to provide a transcript of the government plats and field notes of the several counties of the State for the use of the surveyors thereof.	330	330	377	384	550	550	
524	A bill to amend section 4, of chapter 6, of the Special Laws of 1879, entitled, "An act to incorporate the village of Little Falls, in Morrison county."	330	330	330	330	330	330	
525	A bill to amend section 14, chapter 39, General Statutes of 1878, relating to chattel mortgages.	330	330	351,483	366	516	516	
526	A bill to amend section 9, of chapter 91, of the General Laws of 1877, relating to draining of wet lands, marshes and swamps.	330	330	330	330	330	330	
527	A bill to enforce the laws governing the assessing property for taxation.	331	331		437			
528	A bill to authorize certain cities, boroughs and villages to issue bonds for the erection of public buildings, and provide for the payment of the same.	331	331	439	454	556	556	
529	A bill to secure the collection of taxes on forfeited lands.	331	331	437,483, 517 576	437, 586	512 586	586	
530	A bill to amend chapter 54 of the General Laws of 1879, relating to insurance			483	366	509	509	
531	A bill to increase the number of the associate justices of the Supreme Court.	356	356	356	356	551	551	
532	A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 27, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to reporter of Supreme Court.	356	356	356	356	553	553	
533	A bill to prevent rowdyism on railway cars.	356	356	356	356	553	553	
534	A bill to provide for the surrender of a principal by his sureties or bail.	356	356	356	356	557	557	
535	A bill to provide for reporting, sterotyping, printing and selling of the decisions of the supreme court.	356	356	356,520	356			
536	A bill to authorize clerks of court of record to issue subpœnas to appear and testify before the registers and receivers of the United States land offices in this State.	356	356	356	356	554	554	
537	A bill to appropriate money to pay John Schroeder.	357	357	464,578	578	648, 578	648 557	

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538	A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Clay county to issue bonds to fund its floating indebtedness.	357	357	357	357	399	399	
539	A bill to incorporate the village of Lake Park, in Becker county	357	357	357	357	398	398	
540	A bill to prevent the destruction of fish during the spawning season.	357	357	357	357	398	398	
541	A bill to change the name of Edward Christian.	357						
542	A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in town 119, r. 31, Meeker county.	357	357	357	357	399	399	
543	A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 74 of Special Laws of 1875, in relation to the poor in Freeborn county	357	357	357	357	399	399	
544	A bill relating to the manner of levying and return of executions and writs of attachments.	357	357	435,483	435	513	513	
545	A bill to change boundaries of the counties of Brown, Cottonwood and Redwood and to establish the county of Lamberton, and provide for its organization.	357	357	439	439			
546	A bill to encourage timber culture and to provide a compensation therefor.	357	357	436,483	436	553	553	
547	A bill relating to town insurance companies.	358	358	435,483	435	513	513	
548	A bill relating to the maintenance of a bridge across Rum river, Isanti county.	358	358	358	358	398	398	
549	A bill to authorize the county of Anoka and some towns in Hennepin county to issue bonds to build on iron bridge across the Mississippi river between Anoka and Champton.	358	358	358	358	397	397	
550	A bill to amend section 176, chapter 36, General Statutes, in regard to use of text books in public schools.	358	358	379,385 448,472 545	384	554	554	
551	A bill to constitute the county of Mille Lacs one commissioner district.	358	358	358	358	397	397	
552	A bill authorizing and requiring each town in Benton and Morrison counties to support their own poor.	358	358	358	358	397	397	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
553	A bill entitled "An act to reduce the law incorporating the village of Morris, county of Stevens, and the act amendatory thereof into one act, and amend the same."	358	358	358	358	358	358	
554	A bill to locate and establish a State road from the village of Herman, in Grant county, to the village of Lowell, in Big Stone county.	359	359	359	359	396	396	
555	A bill to create a special school district No. 25, in the county of Ramsey.	359	359					
556	A bill relating to general terms of the district court in certain counties in the 11th judicial district.	359	359	359	359	400	400	
557	A bill to authorize any town or incorporated village in the county of Washington to aid in the construction of the Stillwater & Hastings railroad.	359	359	376	384	532	532	
558	A bill to amend an act incorporating the city of Owatonna, and the acts amending the same	359	359	359	359	400	400	
559	A bill granting swamp lands to aid in in the construction of the line of railroad of the St. Paul and Dubuque Railroad Company.	359	359	440	454	487		
560	A bill to amend chapter 11, of General Statutes of 1878, relating to taxation.	359	359	436,483	436			
561	A bill to change the name of certain towns in Lyon county.	359	359	377	384	530	530	
562	A bill to amend section 1 of Special Laws of 1878, and creating two new sections, being an act incorporating the village of Taopi.	365	365	365,437	365	469	469	
563	A bill to confer additional powers upon the St. Louis River Dalles Improvement Company in respect to the improvement of navigation of the St. Louis river, and the tributaries thereof, for logs and lumber.	365	265					
564	A bill to amend General Laws in regard to chattel mortgages.	376	376	376,482	437			
565	A bill to create a school district out of certain territory in Polk county.	379	379	379	379	466	466	
566	A bill to repeal chapter 306 of Special Laws of 1879.	379	379	379	379	379	379	
567	A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 49 of the General Statutes of 1878, authorizing probate judges to act in adjoining counties.	380	380	435,483	435	513	513	

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Number	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
568	A bill to locate and establish a State road from the village of Montevideo, Chippewa county, to Wilmar, in Kandiyohi county.	380	380	380	380	466	466	
569	A bill to incorporate the village of Bird Island.	380	380	380	380	466	466	
570	A bill incorporating the village of Alexandria, Douglas county.	380	380	380	380	387	387	
571	A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 4, of Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Young America.	380	380	380	380	469	469	
572	A bill to provide for an extra session of the Legislature.	380	380	576				
573	A bill authorizing school district No. 63, Mower county, to issue bonds to refund ou standing bonds, and to build a new school house.	380	380	380,437	380	467	467	
574	A bill to prescribe the bounds of Senatorial and Representative Districts, and to apportion anew the Senators and Representatives among several districts.	380	380	380,441 463	380	463	463	
575	A bill to amend an act entitled, "An act to authorize the village of Winnebago city to issue bonds.	381	381	381	381	401	401	
576	A bill relating to fees of register of deeds.	385	385	485				
577	A bill to grant swamp lands to aid in the construction of the Minnesota Southwestern Railroad.	385	385	440,545	454	556		
578	A bill to regulate fire insurance companies in this State.	385	385	385,578	385	547		
579	A bill to provide for the time for holding the general terms of the district court in the county of Renville.	385	385	385,483	435	512	512	
580	A bill to authorize the trustees of school district No. 61, in the county of Washington, to condemn lands for a school house site.	404	404	404	404	476	476	
581	A bill to provide for inspection of steam boilers,	436	436	436		557 607	557 607	
582	A bill for the better enforcement of the laws governing the assessing of property for taxation.			493	511	511	511	
583	A bill to provide for the disposition of the proceeds of the improvement lands for settlement of Minnesota railroad bonds.	438	438	442,485				

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
584	A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to purchase site for and to erect a jail for said county, and provide for the payment thereof.							
585	A bill to legalize the boundaries of school districts in Sibley county.	442	442		452	530	530	
586	A bill to detach certain territory therein described from Independent School District No. 1, of Polk county.	442	442	442	442	478	478	
587	A bill to appropriate money to reimburse Polk county for money paid in prosecuting Alexander Gillen for murder.	442	442	442	442	477	477	
588	A joint resolution requesting our Senators and Representatives in Congress to support the proposed change in the United States Patent Laws.	442	442	442	442	442	442	
589	A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to issue bonds for certain purposes therein specified.	443	443	443	464	537	537	
590	A bill to permanently locate and establish the county seat of Chippewa county at Montevideo.	443	443	443	454	538	538	
591	A bill to provide reporting, publishing, and selling of Minnesota Reports.	444	444		454	529	529	
592	A bill to amend chapter 90, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to liens.	444	444	444,455, 599	585			
593	A bill to change the boundaries of Yellow Medicine County, and detaching certain territory from the counties of Chippewa and Renville.	444	444	444				
594	A bill fixing the time for holding General Terms of the district court in the 12th Judicial District.	444	444	444	454	548	548	
595	A bill to annex certain territory to Dundas Independent School District No. 4, in Rice county.	444	444	444	454	537	537	
596	A bill to add certain territory to Faribault school district, Rice county.	444	444	444	454	530	530	
597	A bill to amend an act to amend section 23, of chapter 18, of General Statutes.	444	444					
598	A bill to appropriate money to build a bridge across Rabbit River.	444	444	444,576	454			
599	A bill to amend an act entitled, "An act to authorize the city of St. Cloud to issue bonds in aid of the improvement of the Mississippi river water power.	444	444	444	454	531	531	

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BILLS OF THE HOUSE—Continued.

Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
600	A bill to authorize the towns of Stearns and Sherburne counties to issue bonds.	444	444	444	454	534	534	
601	A bill relating to actions brought to determine adverse claims to real estate under section 2 of chapter 75, General Statutes, 1878.	445	445	445	454	548	548	
602	A bill to establish a municipal court in the city of Mankato.	445	445	445	454			
603	A bill relating to running at large of cattle and other domestic animals in the counties of Meeker and Kandiyohi.	445	445	445	454	531	531	
604	A bill to prevent cattle and other domestic animals from running at large in the town of Sumpter, in McLeod county.	445	445	445	454	531	531	
605	A bill to fix the salary of the Attorney General.	445	445	445	445	478	478	
606	A bill to fix the salary of the chief clerk in the State Auditor's office.	445	445	445	445	479	479	
607	A bill to amend chapter 21 of the Special Laws of 1879.	445	445	445	454	533	533	
608	A bill to establish the fees of the sheriff of the county of Blue Earth for board of prisoners.	445	445	445	454	549	549	
609	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Delano, in Wright county,"	445	445		454	539	539	
610	A bill to enable the town of Sauk Centre, in the county of Stearns, the county of Todd, and the towns and incorporated villages therein to issue bonds.	445	445	445	454	531	531	
611	A bill to lower the waters of Washington Lake, in Sibley county, and make an appropriation for the same.	446	446	492	585	594	594	
612	A bill to create a special school district in Sibley county.	446	446	479	454	528	528	
613	A bill to restrain cattle from running at large in Houston county.	446	446	454	454	479	479	
614	A bill to create a special school district in Sibley county.	446	446	446	454	535	535	
615	A bill authorizing the city of St. Paul to appropriate money in aid of widening and improvement of Fort street in the city of St. Paul.	446	446	494	454	593	593	
616	A bill to reduce the law incorporating the village of Jordon, in the county of Scott, and the several acts amendatory thereof into one act, and to amend the same.	446	446	446	454	536	536	

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BILLS OF THE HOUSE—Continued.

Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
617	A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 22, and annex the same to school district No. 15, in Rice county.	446	446	446	454	535	535	
618	A bill to provide mileage for the members of the board of county commissioners in Ramsey county.	446	446		454			
619	A bill to detach certain territory from school district No. 58 and annex the same to school district No. 59, in Rice county.	446	446	446	454	534	534	
620	A bill to appropriate money to pay the Le Sueur county agricultural society its share of the appropriation for agricultural societies in 1879.	446	446	446	454	550	550	
621	A bill to prohibit persons from selling, giving, hiring or loaning fire arms to minors.	446	446	446	454	550	550	
622	A bill to change a name.	446	446		454			
623	A bill to amend chapter 19 of the Special Laws, 1878, entitled an act to incorporate the village of Pine Island, in the county of Goodhue.	447	447	447	454	536	536	
624	A bill to authorize the town of Lake Marshall to establish, maintain and regulate a cemetery in said town.	447	447	447	454	534	534	
625	A bill to amend section 9 of chapter 84 of the Special Laws of 1875, entitled an act to provide fishways on the Zumbro river.	447	447	447,532	454	532	532	
626	A bill to legalize the tax levied in the town of Two Rivers, in Morrison county.	447	447	447	454	549	549	
627	A bill to authorize executors, administrators or guardians to mortgage real estate.	447	447	492				
628	A bill to amend chapter 8 of the Special Laws of 1878, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of St. Peter."	447	447	447	454	534	534	
629	A bill to repeal chapter 62 of the Special Laws of 1873, relating to Chisago Lake.	447	447	447	454	533	533	
630	A bill to legalize the organization of certain towns in Lac qui Parle county and to legalize the official acts of the board of supervisors and all other officers in said towns.	447	447	447	454	533	533	
631	A bill to legalize certain Taxes in Lac qui Parle county.	447	447	447	454	538	538	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
632	A bill to legalize the organization of certain school districts in Lac qui Parle county.	447	447	447	454	539	539	
633	A bill to transfer the powers, and duties of the commissioners designated and appointed under chapter 125, of the Special Laws of 1876, an act to construct a bridge at Fort Snelling.	447	447					
634	A bill to repeal chapter 281 of the Special Laws of 1879, entitled an act to prohibit the catching of fish in certain lakes and waters in Rice county.	448	448	448	454	536	536	
635	A bill to amend an act entitled an act to provide for election and registrations in incorporated cities of over twelve thousand (12,000) inhabitants, according to the census of 1875.	448	448	485		588	588	
636	A bill to enlarge the powers of the board of education, in the city of St. Paul.	448	448	495.593	585			
637	A bill to amend section 68, of chapter 58, of General Statutes of 1878.	448	448					
638	A bill to authorize the city of Red Wing and towns and villages in Goodhue county, to issue bonds to aid in the construction of the Red Wing & Iowa Railroad.	448	448	448	454	537	537	
639	A bill regulating and establishing the compensation of county surveyor of Goodhue county.	448	448	448	454	536	536	
640	A bill granting swamp lands to aid in constructing the Red Wing and Iowa Railroad.	448	448		454			
641	A bill to abolish the State Normal Schools and to provide for a scientific department in the State University	448	448	455,493	581	599		
642	A bill to enable the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company to acquire, construct, maintain and operate railroads in this State.	181	481	481,545	481	565	565	
643	A bill in relation to the salaries of Treasurer and Auditor of Blue Earth county.	482	482	482	482	537	537	
644	A bill compelling Hennepin and Wright counties to keep in repair the bridges across the Crow river between said counties.	482	482	482	482			
645	A bill to amend an act incorporating the city of Mankato.	482	482	482	482	538	538	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in the House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
646	A bill to amend section 41, title 4, chapter 6, of General Statutes, 1878.	484	484	484	484	484	484	
647	A bill to appropriate money to A. G. Perkins for service as witness.	493	493	493	585	595	595	
648	A bill to detach certain territory therein described from Independent School District No. 1, in Clay county.	503	503	503	503	517	517	
649	A bill to divide the State into five congressional districts.	504	504	504,596	585			
650	A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to purchase certain lots for public purposes,	504	504	504	585	590	590	
651	A bill to devide the State into five congressional districts.	504	504	504,599 619	585			
652	A bill to amend chapter 306 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the salaries of the Rice county officers.	504	504	504	585	590	590	
653	A bill to restrict the issuing of licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors in Hennepin county.	504	504	504	585	591	591	
654	A bill for the relief of B. A. Froiseth.				585	596	596	
655	A bill to change the name of Hans Hanson to Hans Hansen Burg.	50	504					
656	A bill relating to the duties of certain officers of Ramsey county, and of the city of St. Paul.	504	504	504	585	592	592	
657	A bill to change a name.	504	504					
658	A bill to authorize the village of Fairmont to issue bonds,	504	504	504	518	518	518	
659	A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Martin county to issue bonds for the erection of a court house and jail.	504	504	504	518	518	518	
660	A bill to provide a sinking fund for the payment of the bonded indebtedness of the city of Albert Lea, Minnesota.	505	505	505	585	591	591	
661	A bill to locate and establish a State road.	505	505	505	585	593	593	
662	A bill to change the name Gustave P. Hullquest to Gustave P. Quest.	505	505					
663	A bill to authorize the village of Watertown, Carver county, Minnesota, to issue bonds.	505	505	505	585	589	589	
664	A bill to authorize towns in Stevens county to pay a premium for wire fences.	505	505	505	585	591	591	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
665	A bill to encourage the cultivation of amber sugar cane.	505	505	505	585	596		
666	A bill to amend the General School Laws of 1877.	505	505	505	505	594		
667	A bill to amend General Statutes relating to liens on logs and lumber.	505	505	505,599	585			
668	A bill to regulate the catching of fish in lake Elysian in Waseca county.	505	505	505,576	585	591	591	
669	A bill to authorize Peter Erickson to convey certain real estate.	505	505	576	585	592	592	
670	A bil to secure the payment of services of Stallions, or Asses.	506	506	576	585	595		
671	A bill limiting the insurance risks on real property.	506	506	506,595	585			
672	A bill to provide for the disposition of certain moneys in the possession of the county treasurer of Yellow Medicine county.	506	506	506	585	590	590	
673	A bill for the relief of Amassa Tower.	506	506					
674	A bill to authorize and empower the board of regents of the University of Minnesota to make sale and conveyance of the experimental farm pertaining to said University.	506	506	506	585	598	598	
675	A joint resolution directing the State Treasurer to destroy certain Minnesota Railroad Bonds owned by the State.							
676	A bill to change the names of certain persons therein named.	542	542	542	542	542	542	
677	A bill to authorize the Governor to provide suitable offices for the executive, legislative and judicial officers of the State of Minnesota.	545	545	545	545	545	545	
678	A bill creating a new school district in the towns of Red Rock and Dexter in Mower county.	558	558	558	558	558	558	
679	A bill for an act to appropriate money to repair the State Capitol.	573	573	576	585			
680	A bill to amend section 87 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to civil actions.	573	573			587	587	
681	A bill to raise the necessary funds to rebuild, repair and refurnish the State Capitol, and to appropriate money for such purpose.	577	577	577	585	588	588	

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Number.	TITLE.	Introduced in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
682	A bill to authorize the St. Paul Gas Light Company to furnish steam for heating and motive power, and the electric light for purposes of illumination in the city of St. Paul.	580	580	580	585	587	587	
683	A bill to amend section 130, of chapter 11, of the General Statutes of 1878.	580	580	580	580	580		
684	A bill to amend section 113, of chapter 11, of the General Statutes of 1878.	581	581	581	585	586	586	
685	A bill to amend section 146, of chapter 10, of the Special Laws of 1871, as amended by section 3, of chapter 42, Special Laws of 1879.	581	581	581	585	588	588	
686	A bill to amend the charter of the city of Rushford.	581	581	581	589	585	589	
687	A bill to divide the State into three congressional districts, and to provide for the election of representatives at large.	581	581	581				
688	A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of the county of Nobles to issue bonds for certain purposes.			599		598	598	

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RECORD OF SENATE BILLS.

MEMORIALS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

BILLS OF THE SENATE.

Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
3	A bill to amend chapter 27 of the General Laws of 1876, and section 63 of chapter 5 of the General Laws of 1873, being the same as section 63 of chapter 13 of the General Statutes of 1878 relating to roads, bridges and cartways.	240	240	311,348	338	367	367	
4	A bill to prevent fraud and corruption at elections.			253,349, 320	261			
5	A bill to repress and punish disorderly conduct on public conveyances.	151	151	228,266	239	275	275	
6	A bill to repeal section 1 of chapter 211 of the Special Laws of the State of Minnesota, approved March 1st, 1876 entitled an act to amend the act relating to the municipal court of the city of St. Paul, approved March 8th 1875.	30	30	31	32	32	32	
8	A bill to legalize the act of Allen D. Ferris guardian of Emma A. Sherman and others.	93	93	324,348, 432	339	432	432	
9	A bill to amend sec. 1 of chapter 39 of the General Laws of 1879, providing for a State bounty for the destruction of wolves.	239	239	440,565	566	566	566	
12	An act to legalize the organization of the town of Clantarf, in the county of Swift, and all acts of the officers of said town under said organization.	94	94	110,162	128	176	176	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
13	To amend General Statutes 1879, relating to religious corporation.	336	336	351				
14	A bill to incorporate the village of Eransville.	126	126	141	150	205	205	
15	An act for the encouragement of higher education.	274, 411	274, 411	405,411	405	432, 564	432, 564	
16	A bill to authorize the clerk of the District court of Goodhue county to record certain papers now in this office.	30	30	43,52	63	80	80	
17	A bill to appropriate money for the legislative expenses of the present session of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota.	30	30	30	30	30	30	
20	A bill to appropriate money to pay Charles Butler, and the widow of H. Jones for filling and grading the State Normal School grounds in the city of Winona.	337	337	351,377. 431		431	431	
21	A bill to incorporate the village of Tracy in Lyon county.	126	126	126	128	126	126	
22	a bill to incorporate the village of Minneota in Lyon county.	38	38	38	38	38	38	
24	A bill to authorize the county of Scott to borrow money to reimburse certain funds depleted by embezzlement, and to reimburse the county for such loan.	42	42					
25	A bill to amend section 350 of chapter 34 of the Revised Statutes of 1878.	199	199	254,348	261	367	367	
27	A bill to amend section 4 of the Special Laws of 1874, incorporating the village of Willmar.	63	63	64,83	72	87	87	
28	A bill to prohibit the catching of fish in the creek running out of Lake Whipple, in Pope county.			64,83	72	88	88	
29	A bill to change the name of Trenton, Big Stone county.	63	63	64,83	72	88	88	
30	A bill to provide for the removal of the county seat of Lincoln county, Minnesota, from the village of Marshfield to the village of Lake Benton, in said county.	71	71	133,147	138	140	140	
31	A bill authorizing the Winona County Mining Company to engage in and carry on the business of quarrying and working and of manufacturing stone and brick.	62	62	62	62	62	62	
32	A bill to amend section 5 of title 2, and section 7 of title 3, of chapter 34, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to logs and lumber.	71	71	167	175	203	203	

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BILLS OF THE SENATE—Continued.

Number.	TITLE.	Received In House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
33	A bill to incorporate the village of Pine City.	94	94	110,162	128	176	176	
35	A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 20 of the Statutes of Minnesota, revision of 1866, as amended by section 3 of chapter 76 of the General Laws for the year 1874, relating to weights and measures.	185	185	440				
36	A bill to authorize the removal of certain records from the town clerk's office of the town of Norway Lake, in Kandiyohi county.	94	94	110,162	128	176	176	
38	A bill to amend sub-section 3d of section 64 of chapter 66 of General Statutes, relating to attachments.	150	150	231,266	239	275	275	
39	A bill to incorporate the village of Perham.	93	93	110,162	128	177	177	
40	A bill to amend section 34 of chapter 94 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the punishment of manslaughter in the fourth degree.	79	79	118,162	128	177	177	
41	A bill to complete the organization of Wadena county.	94	94	118,169	175	205	205	
42	A bill to increase the standing appropriation for Normal Schools, and provide for the payment of the salaries of institute teachers therefrom.	239	239	379,412	366 379	421	421	
43	A bill to amend section 24 of chapter 95 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to the punishing of larceny from the person.	126	126	168				
45	A memorial to Congress relating to river improvement.	63	63	66,97	98	98	98	98
46	A bill to amend chapter 66 of the General Statutes, relating to exemptions.	126	126	167	175	203	203	
48	A bill to amend chapter 28 of the General Laws of 1876, relating to formation of corporations for certain purposes.	150	150	267,349	274	367	367	
49	A bill to amend an act granting swamp lands to aid the Minneapolis & St. Cloud Railroad Company, approved February 11, 1865.	567	567		584	614	614	
51	A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 104 of the Special Laws of 1879, relating to school districts in Olmsted county.	79	79	79	79	79	79	
52	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to locate a State road on the county line between the counties of Scott, Le Sueur and Rice, the same being 251 of Special Laws of 1879."	384	384	436	436	539	539	
53	A bill for the protection of fish in Lake Hanska.	79	79	116,162	128	177	177	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
55	A bill relating to the compensation of the county commissioners of Dakota county.	87	87	162	128	178	178	
56	A bill providing for the donation of certain lands to the board of county commissioners of the county of Kandiyohi for the purpose of aiding in the erection and maintainance of the high school at Wilmar, Minnesota.	366	366	440				
57	A bill to amend chapter 61 of the Special Laws of 1878, as amended by the Special Laws of 1879, relating to the incorporation of the village of Benson.	127	127	127	127	140	140	
58	A bill to amend section 28 of title 3 of chapter 19 of the General Statutes of 1866, as amended by General Laws of 1874, chapter 53, relating to destraining beasts doing damage	150	150	168	175	203	203	
60	A bill to amend chapter 21 of the General Laws of 1876, entitled "An act to amend chapter 5 of the Special Laws of 1870, entitled an act to incorporate the village of Lake City."	127	127	141,496	150	206	206	
62	A bill to authorize the Board of Commissioners of St. Louis county to levy a tax and expend the same on roads, streets, avenues and bridges in said county.	239	239	311,348	338	368	368	
63	A bill to authorize the lowering of the water of Eagle Lake, in Carver county.	127	127					
64	A bill to amend section 2, of chapter 24, of General Statutes of 1878, relating to the number of hours to constitute a day's labor.	150	150	231,252, 284	297	456	456	
65	A bill to incorporate the village of De Graff, in the county of Swift, in the State of Minnesota.	94	94	110,162	128	178	178	
68	A bill to incorporate the village of Detroit, in the county of Becker, in the State of Minnesota.	127	127	141,280	150	201	201	
69	A bill to appropriate money to assist in building a bridge in Kittson county, Minnesota.	384	384	384	384	423	423	
70	A bill to amend chapter 39, of the General Statutes of 1878.	199	199	268,349	274			
71	A bill to amend chapter 66, of the General Statutes of 1878.	199	199	253,280	261	297	297	

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72	A bill to confirm the sale of the line of railway of the Southern Minnesota Railway Company, extending from La Crescent, on the Mississippi river, in the county of Houston, in a westerly direction, to the west line of the State, with a branch line thereof to Mankato, and to authorize the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company, the purchasers thereof, to own and operate the same.	260	260	286,348	277	433	433	
73	A bill to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Mower county to levy a tax, and expend the same for roads and bridges in said county.	151	151		175	202	202	
74	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Cannon Falls," approved February 19, 1874.	126	126	427	127	127	127	
76	A bill relating to the erection of party walls in certain cases.	151	151	251,966	239	338	338	
77	A bill to incorporate the village of Norwood, in the county of Carver.	126	126	126	126	139	139	
79	A bill relating to moral and industrial education in the common schools of Minnesota.	334	334					
81	A joint resolution for the relief of Jacob Nix.	127	127	127	127	127	127	
82	A bill to amend an act relating to chattel mortgages.	151	151	528				
83	A bill to appropriate money for building a bridge across the Minnesota river.	384	348	384	384	424	424	
84	A bill to appropriate money for building a bridge across Red River.	384	348	384	384	423	423	
85	A bill to locate a State road from Alexandria to Herman.	239	239	311,348	338	368	368	
86	A bill to authorize the city of Minneapolis to issue bonds.	426	126	126	126	139	139	140
88	A bill to detach certain territory from School District No. 6, and attach the same to Independent School District No 7, in the county of Wright.	296	296	437	384	455	445	
89	A joint resolution for the relief of persons who have filed upon homesteads, on the western prairies.	126	126	167	175	205	205	
90	A memorial to the Congress of the United States asking for the appropriation of one million dollars for the improvement of the Mississippi river.	125	125	125	125	125	125	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in the House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
91	A bill to incorporate the village of Glenwood.	296	296	309,348	338	368	368	
92	A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 4, General Laws of 1879, relating to cartways.	573	573		581			
95	A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Austin, approved February 28, 1876.	151	151	151	151	175	175	
98	A bill to amend an act relating to fees of county officers in Goodhue county.	125	125	125	125	125		
99	A bill to authorize the County Commissioners of the several counties to offer a reward for the destruction of wolves.	239	239	410,565	454			
103	A bill to authorize the erection of a dam across Red Lake River, east of range 47, in Polk county.	239	239	254,269, 310,348	339	370	370	
106	A bill to amend section 96 of chapter 6 of the General Laws of 1878, relating to the office of Public Examiner.	261	261	349,422	274	421	421	
108	A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 75 of the General Laws of 1878, relating to re-trial of actions for the recovery of real property.	334	334	351	366	624	624	
109	A bill to amend sections 38, 40 and 41, of chapter 64, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to shorthand reporters.	199	199	351	366			
112	A bill to amend section 242 of chapter 66 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to trial by the court.	335	335	351	366			
113	A bill to authorize the County Commissioners of Mille Lacs county, in the State of Minnesota, to grant authority and license to construct dams for the saving of water for the purpose of sluicing and driving logs, timber and lumber.	336	336	351,437	366	455	455	
115	A bill to change the name of Oak Lake, in the county of Becker, to that of Audubon.	115	151	166,351	175	206	206	
116	A bill to appropriate money for a bridge across Snake river, in Marshall county.	383	383	383	383	424	424	
118	A bill to appropriate money for a bridge across Bois des Sioux river, in Wilkin county.	384	384	384	384	424	424	
123	A bill to provide for the payment of fees of witnesses in criminal cases.	573	573		584	609	609	
124	A bill for the relief of sick, indigent and disabled firemen.	584	584					
125	A bill to amend sections 13 and 28 of title 3 of chapter 1 of General Statutes of 1872.	584	584		584	611	611	

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126	A bill to legalize certain acts of the board of county commissioners of Murray county, and the election of commissioners had in said county November 2, A. D. 1880.	239	239	348,437	338	369	369	
127	A bill to confirm and make valid the purchase of certain lands by the board of county commissioners of Murray county.	453	453	495	584	616	616	
128	A bill to authorize the village council of the village of Benson to issue bonds for the purpose of purchasing a fire engine, building an engine house, water works fire apparatus, etc.	151	151	168	175	206	206	
129	A substitute for S. F. No. 59.	238	238	253,280	261	297	297	
130	A bill to provide for the imbecile and chronic insane.	336	336	376	384	624	624	
131	A bill for the establishment and regulation of public schools in the village of Lanesboro.	147	174	174	174	201	201	
132	A bill providing for the publication of legislative manuals.	296	296	351	366	617	617	
133	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of New Prague.	336	336	345,437	345	456	456	
134	A bill to repeal chapter 44, Special Laws of 1879, entitled "An act to amend chapter 11 of the Special Laws of 1877, relating to the incorporation of New Prague."	336	336	344,437	366	456	456	
135	A bill making the expense of locating and establishing county roads in Le Sueur county a county charge.	581	581		585	611	611	
136	A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 19 of the Special Laws of 1872, relating to the village of Brownsville.	174	174	174	174	175	175	
137	A bill authorizing the adoption of the infant therein named,	238	238	253,280	261	297	297	
138	A bill to amend the General Statutes relating to roads, carways and bridges				535			
139	A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of Brown county to issue the bonds of said county for the construction of bridges across the Cottonwood river, in said county.			254,437 441	454	540	540	
140	A bill extending the time of payment for seed grain furnished sufferers from grasshopper ravages, under chapter 94 of the General Laws of 1876.	238	238	285,349	297	433	433	
144	A bill in relation to statistics concerning the Sioux massacre.	274	274	310	338	603	603	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
145	A bill to cede to the United States jurisdiction over such territory in the city of Minneapolis, as may be selected by the general government as a site for a post office, and other government offices in said city.	239	239	253,280	261	298	298	
147	A bill relating to the geological and natural history survey of the State.	337	337	492,626	584			
149	A bill to incorporate the village of Vermillion, in the county of Dakota.	185	185	228,269, 348 355	297	369	369	
150	A bill to appropriate money for the construction of a bridge across Lake Winona, in the Village of Alexandria.	384	384	384	384	425	425	
151	A bill to make sections 1, 2 and 3 of chapter 120 of the General Laws of 1877, relative to the salary of county auditors and treasurers, applicable to the county of Kandiyohi.	185	185	185	185	202	202	
155	A bill explanatory of the references to the General Statutes of 1878, made in act of the Legislature.	335	385		366			
156	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Preston."	185	185	185	186	185	186	
157	A bill to amend chapter 3, Special Laws of 1879, relating to the village of Alden, Freeborn county.	185	185	186	186	202	202	
158	A Substitute for S. F. No. 25, A bill to amend chapter 10 of the General Statutes of 1866, relating to township organization and town officers.	248	248	310				
159	A Substitute for S. F. No. 141, A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 52, relating to the estates of deceased persons.	239	239	284,348	297	433	433	
160	A joint resolution asking Congress to appropriate money to improve the harbor of Duluth.	199	199	199,349	199	199	199	
161	A bill to confer additional powers upon the St. Louis River Dalles Improvement Company, in respect to the improvement of the navigation of the St. Louis river, and the tributaries thereof for logs and lumber.	565	565	565	567			
162	A bill in relation to tenants.	571	571		585			
163	A bill to repeal section 23 of chapter 2 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the compensation of school district clerks.	337	337	379,613	384			
164	A bill to incorporate the village of Browns Valley, Traverse county, Minnesota.	261	261	309,348	338	369	369	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceeding
166	A memorial to Congress for an appropriation to aid in construction of a levee and prevention of the overflow of lands on the west bank of the Mississippi river opposite St. Paul.	200	200	200	200	200	200	
167	A bill to appropriate money to rebuild a bridge over the narrows of Chisago Lake.	384	384	435	435	602	602	
168	A bill to establish a special school district in Jackson county, to be known as the board of Education of the village of Jackson.	332	332	379,437	384	457	457	
169	A bill to incorporate the village of Jackson, in Jackson county.	332	332	345	345	457	457	
170	A bill to amend chapter 165 of the Special Laws of 1 73, as amended by chapter 5 of the Special Laws of 1874, in relation to the issuing of bonds to the Duluth, St. Cloud & Yankton Railway.	335	335	345,457	366	457	457	
171	A bill to authorize school district No. 1 of Scott county to issue bonds to erect a school building.	240	240	246	247	247	247	
172	A bill to appropirte money to build a bridge across the Chippewa river, in Swift county.	384	384	384	384	425	425	
174	A bill relating to terms of court in Freeborn county.	346	346	346,455		433	433	
177	A bill to appropriate money to the State University.	332	332	405		420	420	
179	A substitute for S. F. No. 2, A bill to prevent debtors from giving preference to creditors, and to secure the equal distribution of the property of debtors among their creditors, and for the release of debts against debtors.	296	296	351,575	366 575	575	575	
180	A bill to authorize the incorporation of the village of Park Point, in St. Louis county, Minnesota, and grant certain powers.	453	435	495		603	602	
182	A bill to appropriate money for the building of an east wing to the second hospital for the insane.	334	334	351	366	422	422	
183	A bill to appropriate money for the rebuilding the north wing of the first hospital for the insane, and for other purposes therein named.	337	337	352,404	366	422	422	
184	A bill to appropriate money for furnishing, fitting and repairing the second hospital of the insane.	337	337	352.404	366	422	422	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
185	A bill to authorize the village of Benson, in Swift county, to issue bonds in aid of building bridges, and in aid of the maintenance of a system of water works and reservoirs in said village.	248	248			298	298	
186	A bill to regulate the running at large of animals in the town of Hutchinson, and the village of Hutchinson, and town of Acoma in the county of McLeod, in this State.	248	248	248	248	248	248	
187	A bill to incorporate the village of Elk River.	248	248	268		298	298	
188	A substitute for S. F. Nos. 110 and 111, A bill relating to the supply and sale of school books.	566	566	607	584			
189	A bill to authorize the Secretary of State to purchase the portraits of ex-governors	453	453		584	602	602	
190	A bill to appropriate money to enlarge the grounds of the Normal School at St. Cloud.	334	334	351,377, 412		420	420	
191	A bill to designate the hospital to which insane patients shall be committed, and to provide for the discharge of such patients from the Minnesota hospital for insane.	571	571		585			
192	A bill to amend chapter 4 of Special Laws of 1876, being an act to incorporate the city of New Ulm.	261	261	268	268	299	299	
196	A bill to amend section 62 of chapter 5, General Laws of 1873, relating to costs of appeal in road cases.	453	453	492				
197	A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Houston county to cancel and destroy certain county orders therein named.	337	337	345,437		456	458	
199	A bill organizing school districts in the county of Cass	296	296	354,437	366	458	458	
201	A bill to appropriate money for the support of the Several State institutions therein named, for the years 1881 and 1882, and to prescribe the manner of disbursing the same	333	333	351,404	366	421	421	
202	A bill to repeal an act approved January 28, 1881 to legalize the acts of commissioners surveying and locating a State road from Fergus falls, in Otter Tail county, to Herman, in Grant county.	261	261					

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
204	A bill to authorize the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company to acquire, construct, maintain and operate railways in the State of Minnesota.	365	365	410	436	568	568	
206	A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Yellow Medicine county to issue bonds for building court house and county jail.	274	274	285				
207	A bill prescribing the times of holding the general terms of the district court in the ninth judicial district.	274	274	284,348	297	370	370	
208	A bill to amend section 69 of chapter 6 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to the duties of railroad commissioners.	337	337	337	337	337	337	
210	A bill relating to the salary of the judge of probate of Scott county.	365	365	454		540	540	
211	A bill proposing an amendment to the constitution relating to the elective franchise.	571	571		586			
212	A bill to enable the trustees of High Forest Seminary to amend their articles of incorporation.	296	296	354,437	366	459	459	
213	A bill to amend and consolidate the charter of the city of Minneapolis.	274	274	403	403	403 451	403 451	
214	A bill to amend section 2 of article 14 of the constitution of the State of Minnesota, relating to the sale of swamp lands and the disposition of moneys derived therefrom	566	566	566	566	566	566	
217	A substitute for S. F. No. 165, A bill to amend chapter 8 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to counties and county officers.	274	274	309,348	338	371	371	
219	A bill fixing the compensation of the treasurer of Dakota county.	274	274	311				
220	A bill to locate and establish a State road from Vernd le to Kindred, in Wadena county, and appropriate money for the same.	383	383	436	436	540	440	
221	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to reduce the law incorporating the town of Mantorville, in the county of Dodge, and the several acts amendatory thereof, into one act, and to amend the same.	334	334	334	334	334	334	
222	A bill to appropriate money to meet a deficiency on the second hospital for the insane.	365	365	377,404		423	423	
224	A bill to authorize the Stewart River Improvement Company, to improve the navigation of Stewart river.	383	383	383	383	383	383	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
225	A bill to amend sections 10, 11 and 18 of chapter 33 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to banks and banking, and to add to said chapter sections 47, 48 and 49.	452	452			605	605	
226	A bill for the protection of fish in the county of Goodhue.	333	333	354	366	459	459	
227	A bill to amend chapter 36 of General Laws of 1873, relating to the State Horticultural Society.	453	453		584	625	625	
228	A bill to incorporate the village of Waverly, in Wright county.	335	335	345,437	345	458	458	
229	A bill providing for the adjustment of the Minnesota State Railroad Bonds.	411	411	411,439, 483,522, 526	454	526	526	
230	A bill to provide for the application of the moneys of the internal improvement land fund of the State of Minnesota to the payment of the principal of the Minnesota State Railroda Adjustment Bonds.	411	411	411,438, 483,522, 526	454	526	526	
231	A bill to amend the charter of the city of St. Paul, in relation to the five department of said city.	337	337					
232	A bill appropriating money for the completion of the wall and other improvements of the Minnesota State Prison.	366	366	411,412	411	420	420	
233	A bill to authorize the town of Taylor's Falls, county of Chisago, to construct and maintain a bridge across St. Croix river.	335	335	345	335	385	835	
234	A bill to amend section 157 of chapter 66 of General Statutes of 1878 relating to proceedings before justices of the peace.	364	364	435	435			
235	A bill to regulate the catching of fish in Freeborn Lake, in Freeborn county.	296	296	349	338	370	370	
236	A bill to authorize the city of Austin to issue new bonds with which to pay a portion of its indebtedness maturing in 1882.	335	335	345,437	366	459	459	
237	A bill to amend the charter of the city of Austin, relating to pay of the city recorder.	335	335	345,437	366	460	460	
238	A bill to authorize the city of Austin to issue bonds to aid in the construction of a court house for Mower county.	335	335	345,437	366	460	460	
239	A bill to authorize a new trial for Geo. Lautenschlager, Frank Rapp and Sophia Rapp.	572	572		584			

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Number	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
240	A bill to repeal chapter 189, Special Laws of 1872, relating to compensation of judges of district and common pleas court of Ramsey county.	582	582		585			
242	A bill to amend section 5 of title 2 of chapter 35 of General Statutes of 1878 relating to the Minnesota Institute for the Deaf and Dumb and Blind.	366	366	410	436	615	6 5	
243	A bill to authorize the board of education of the city of St. Paul to issue bonds.	296	296	454		540	540	
244	A bill for licensing of dogs, and for the protection of sheep, lambs or domestic animals.	365	365					
246	A bill to extend the jurisdiction of justices of the peace of Crow Wing county over the counties of Cass, Aitken and Itasca.	452	452					
249	A bill prohibiting the payment out of the State treasury of the salary of the district attorney in and for the 12th judicial district, before the same has been collected from the respective county treasurers	296	296	310,349	338	371	371	
250	A bill in relation to the liabilities of fire insurance companies.				584			
251	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act relating to money and usury, approved March 5th, 1879."	366	366	435	435			
252	A bill to authorize the city of St. Paul to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing a levee in the Sixth Ward of said city for the purpose of preventing the low lands of said ward from being flooded by the water of the Mississippi river.	581	581		586	609	609	
253	A bill to fix and appropriate money to pay the salary of the State Librarian.	567	567		584	609	609	
254	A bill requiring the construction of fishways.	453	453					
256	A bill to divide the town of Two Rivers in the county of Morrison into two towns.	335	335	355	355	355	355	
258	A bill to prohibit stock from running at large in the township of Franklin, Wright county.	452	452	495				
259	A bill relating to the public schools of the city of Albert Lea.	366	366	366	366	385	385	
260	A bill to provide for a plat commission for Ramsey county	366	366	496	584	625	625	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in the House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings.
261	A bill to authorize the Board of Education of the city of Mankato to fund its indebtedness, and to issue bonds to pay such indebtedness.	335	335	377,437	384	460	460	
262	A bill amendatory of the several acts incorporating the borough of Belle Plaine in the county of Scott.	337	337	454		541	541	
263	A bill to authorize the construction of a railway across the bay of Duluth, and granting lands under the water therefor.	571	571		584	610	610	
264	A bill to amend section 31, chapter 40 of General Statutes of 1878, relating to seals.	584	584		584			
265	A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Marshall county to issue bonds.	567	567			623		
266	A bill to authorize the board of trustees of school district No. 21, in Otter Tail county to issue bonds.	337	337	376,437	384	461	461	
272	A bill relating to the public schools of Brainerd, Minnesota.	333	333	333	333	33	333	
273	A bill to incorporate the city of Waseca.	336	336	336	336	336	336	
274	A bill authorizing and empowering the city council of Minneapolis to lay out and extend certain streets through Maple Hill Cemetery, in said city	333	333	346	366	386	386	
275	A bill to authorize the city council of the city of Minneapolis to appropriate money to aid in the construction of certain highways in the county of Hennepin.	333	333	346		386	386	
276	A bill to authorize justices of the peace of the towns adjoining the city of Minneapolis, in Hennepin county to keep an office within the limits of said city.	333	333		366	387	387	
277	A bill to authorize the town of Canton, in Fillmore county, to hold the next annual town meeting at the village of Canton in said town.	333	333	333,345	333	333	333	
278	A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 57 of the General Laws of 1879, relating to terms of the district court in Murray county.	383	383	435	435	541	541	
279	A bill to appropriate money to build bridges in Cottonwood county.	383	383	435	435	616	616	
280	A bill to amend section 35 of chapter 70 of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to fees.	584	584		584	611		

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
281	A bill to detach certain territory from one school district, and attach the same to another school district in Olmsted county.	365	365	377,497	384	461	461	
282	A bill to change the name of Christopher Tostenson to Christopher T. Baarnaas.	365	365	542				
28	A bill for the protection of the cemetery of the town of Woodville.	384	384	576	584			
285	A bill to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the village of Blue Earth City, in Faribault county, Minnesota, being chapter 14, of Special Laws of Minnesota, for 1879."	365	365	365		387	387	
286	A bill relating to the running at large of cattle in the town of Kirkhoven, Swift county.	452	452	495	584	607	607	
287	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Waterville, in the county of Le Sueur, State of Minnesota."	453	453		581	608	608	
288	A bill to legalize the actions of the coun y commissioners of the county of Marshall.	366	366	366	366	388	388	
289	A bill to legalize certain roads in Carver county.	366	366	366,388	366	461	461	
290	A bill to authorize the erection, maintainance and protection of telephone poles and wires upon and over the streets, avenues and alleys of the city, village and town of Duluth.	452	452	496		601	601	
293	A bill to incorporate the city of Fergus Falls.					386	386	
294	A bill to authorize the village of Fergus Falls, Otter Tail county, to issue bonds.	366	366	439,440	454	541	541	
295	A bill to appropriate money to supply a deficiency for the year 1880, under an act entitled "An act for the encouragement of higher education, approved March 9, 1878."	453	453		584	622	622	
296	A bill making the indexes of books "A" and "B" of deed records in Sibley county, evidence of the contents and validity of the conveyances and record thereof in said books, which were burned in 1868.	453	453 492	492	584			
297	A bill to repeal an act entitled an act granting ferry privileges to Daniel F. Brawley across Red River at St. Vincent, in Pembina county in this State, and to subject the control of said ferry privileges to the State.	366	366	366	366	388	388	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceedings
298	A bill to authorize the clerk of the district court of Blue Earth county to transcribe a portion of the records of his office, and to provide for the validity of such transcript.	567	567	567	584	626	626	
299	A bill relating to revoking liquor licenses upon conviction of any person selling liquor in violation of law	584	584		584			
300	A bill to appropriate money in aid of the Mississippi River Commission.	584	584		584	612		
302	An act to amend chapter 6 of the Special Laws of 1878, relating to the charter of the city of Shakopee.	453	453	494		613	613	
303	A bill to incorporate and create a new school district out of certain territory in Freeborn and Faribault counties.	383	383	454				
304	A bill to legalize the record of certain certificates under and by virtue of section 11, chapter 63, laws of 1878.	573	573		584			
305	A bill to prevent the running at large of cattle and other beasts in the town of Rosemount, Dakota county.	382	382		584			
307	A bill to provide a representation of the State, at the International Exposition of 1883, at New York city.	567	567		585	608	608	
308	A bill to amend an act entitled, "An act to incorporate the village of Preston, approved March 4, 187 i.	382	382	382	382	382	382	
309	A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Preston, Fillmore county," approved February 18th, 1881.	382	382	382	382	382	382	
311	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Marshall.'	452	452	452	452	452	452	
312	A bill to amend section 36, chapter 66, General Statutes of 1868.	572	572		584			
315	An act to amend sections 166 and 167 of title 3 of chapter 34 of the General Statutes 1878, as amended by chapter 30 of the General Laws of 1879, relating to corporations.	581	581		585	612	612	
316	A bill to amend the charter of St. Paul Gas Light Company.	453	453	495	584	615	615	
317	A bill relating to the public schools of St. Paul.	453	453	494	584	624	624	

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Number.	TITLE.	Received in House.	First Reading and Reference.	Other Proceedings.	Second Reading.	Third Reading.	Passage.	Subsequent Proceeding
318	A bill to authorize the temporary holding of the terms of the district court in the county of Lincoln, ninth judicial district.	452	452	495	584			
319	A bill to appropriate money for the erecting of a building for idiots and imbeciles.	565	565	565	584	605	605	
320	A bill authorizing and empowering the county commissioners of Dakota county to adjust the claims of Timothy Ryan.	567	567		585	614	614	
321	A Bill to provide for payment of fees to witnesses in criminal cases.	452	452	482		601	601	
322	A joint resolution directing the Attorney General to proceed against the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad Company, on account of its failure to build the railroad from St. Anthony via Minneapolis to Shakopee city, as required by the charter and land grant.	566	566	563, 567 576	584			
323	A bill to amend chapter 56 of the Special Laws of 1869, page 249, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act granting swamp lands to the Minneapolis & St. Cloud Railroad Company in building branches to connect with the Lake Superior & Mississippi railroad and the Winona & St. Peter railroad, or any other railroad in southern Minnesota.				584	626	626	
324	A bill to amend chapter 388, Special Laws of 1879, relating to the board of tax levy for the county of Hennepin.	452	452		584	605	605	
325	An act to amend section 59, chapter 64, General Statutes of 1878, relating to terms of court in the 4th judicial district.	452	452		584	605	605	
326	An act to amend section 42 of chapter 34, General Statutes of 1878, relating to corporations.	582	582	582	584	618	618	
327	A bill to amend section 12 of chapter 1 of an act entitled "An act to reduce the law incorporating the town of Mantorville, in the county of Dodge, and the several acts amendatory thereof, into one act, and to amend the same, approved March 5, 1868."	452	452	495	584	611	611	

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328	A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Lyon county to issue bonds to erect county buildings.	452	452	495	564	623	623	
332	A bill to appropriate money for the payment of clerk hire in the adjutant general's office for the years 1879 and 1880.	572	572		564			
333	A bill to amend chapter 24 of Special Laws of 1878, and acts amendatory thereof relative to the incorporation of Rush City.	572	572		564	607	607	
335	A bill to prevent the catching fish in Washington county.	581	581		585			
336	A bill to amend chapter 104 of the General Laws of the year 1874, appropriating money for the payment of the salaries of the officers of the State government.	567	567		564	607	607	
337	An act to locate a State road from Meeker Mill to Ashby in Grant county.	572	572		564			
338	A bill relating to the fees of clerks of district courts and registers of deeds in certain counties	566	566		564	600	600	
340	A bill providing for the manner of electing the county commissioners of Houston county, and to limit the time of holding sessions of the said board, and regulating the fees of the same.	581	581		585	612	612	
341	A bill relative to the relief of the poor in Houston county.					610	610	
342	A bill to amend section 7, o. an act entitled "An act to regulate the salary, compensation and fees of the county officers of Houston county, approved March 4, 1879."	582	582	582	564	610	610	
343	A bill to authorize and require the city of Minneapolis to assume and provide for the payment of certain bonded indebtedness of school district No. 119, in Hennepin county.	567	567		564	603	603	
344	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize school district No 1 in Scott county to issue bonds to erect a school building, approved by the Governor February 17th, 1881.	567	567		585	616	616	
345	A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Crookston."	566	566					
346	A bill to authorize the city of Crookston to issue bonds.	566	566					
347	A bill to amend an act to incorporate the city of Crookston.	566	566					

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348	A bill to legalize taxes levied by the city council of the city of Crookston.	566	566					
349	A memorial to Congress for a pension for Jno M. Brooms	566	566		584	604	604	
351	A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 240 of Special Laws of 1878, relating to catching fish in Kandiyohi county.	581	581		584			
352	A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 73 of the General Laws of 1878, entitled "An act to grant the right of way to railroad companies over lands owned or held by the State.	571	571		585			
353	Substitute for a bill to change the names of certain persons therein named.	582	582		584	626	626	
354	A bill relative to the liabilities of Fire Insurance Companies.	581	581	625	585			
355	A bill to authorize the village of Lu Verne, in Rock county, to issue bonds to fund its floating debt.	572	572		584	613	613	
356	An act to prevent the running at large of cattle in the towns of Baytown and Stillwater in Washington county.	581	581			600	600	
358	A bill to enable the counties of Dodge, Goodhue, Olmsted, Wabasha, Steele, Fillmore and Mower, and each of the towns, incorporated cities and villages in said counties to issue their bonds for the purpose therein named.	572	572	608	584			
360	A bill to amend the charter of the Minnesota Central Railroad Company.	581	581		584	614	614	
362	A bill to establish a board of railroad supervisors, and prescribing their duties.	582	582		584			
365	A bill to apportion the State into congressional districts.	619	619	619		619		
366	A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the village of Redwood Falls, the same being chapter 15 of Special Laws of the State of Minnesota of the year 1876, approved January 25, 1881.	565	565	565		600	600	
367	A bill to regulate the salary of the county attorney of Ramsey county.	582	582		585	613	613	
368	A bill to amend section 26, chapter 37, of the General Statutes of 1878, relating to transfer of State salt lands to regents of State University.	582	582		585			

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369	A bill to extend the police jurisdiction of the city of Albert Lea, and to extend the western boundary.	571	571		572	572	572	
371	A bill to amend section 66, chapter 73, General Statutes relating to evidence.	572	572			617	617	
372	A bill to authorize the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county to increase the allowance to the auditor of said county, for clerk hire.	582	582		584	604	604	
373	A bill to incorporate the village of Olivia, in the county of Renville, in the State of Minnesota.	582	582		584	603	603	
374	A bill to authorize the county commissioners of Blue Earth county to detach certain territory from Independent School District No. 16 and attach the same to district No. 90 in said county.	581	581		584	601	601	
376	A bill to amend section 44 of chapter 120 of the General Statutes.					615	615	
377	A bill for an act to enforce the payment of taxes which became delinquent prior to the year 1879.	554	554	554	554	554	554	
378	A bill to appropriate money to reimburse the employees of the insane asylum at St. Peter for losses sustained by them from the fire of said asylum.	566	566	566	568	568	568	
380	A bill to authorize the State Librarian to collect insurance, buy books, and to make an appropriation therefor.	568	568	568	568	568	568	
382	A bill to authorize the several towns and villages and municipal corporations within the counties of Chisago, Isanti, Mille Lacs, Sherburne, Benton and Stearns, to aid in the construction of a certain railroad.					624	624	
383	A bill to appropriate money for extraordinary contingent expenses for the year 1881.					599	599	
387	A bill to organize the village of Waverly in Wright county.					617	617	
390	A bill to appropriate money in addition to that heretofore appropriated to pay the expenses of the present session of the legislature.	598	598	598		598	598	
391	A bill to appropriate money to support the Farmer's Board of Trade.		622					

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