

**HB 248**—"An Act to Appropriate Moneys to Certain Hospitals in the State of Delaware; Requiring the Filing of Statements by Such Hospitals; Prescribing Conditions for Receiving Such Moneys and Providing Penalties for False Statements." Introduced, p. 102; Substitute introduced, p. 192.

**HB 249**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 116 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Juvenile Delinquents and Probation'—Article 4; Creating a Separate Judgeship and Staff for the Juvenile Court of Kent and Sussex Counties, Providing Salaries Therefor, and Redefining the Jurisdiction and General Purposes of Said Court." Introduced, p. 102.

**HB 250**—"An Act Establishing the Procedure for the Creation of a Reorganized School District or Districts, Naming of Such Districts, Creating Boards of Education of Reorganized Districts, Providing for the Terms of Office of Boards of Education of Reorganized Districts, Providing for the Payment by the State of the Bonded Indebtedness of Districts so Reorganized, Making the Laws of Delaware Relating to Special School Districts Applicable to Reorganized Districts, and Appropriating Money for the Payment of Bonds of Such Reorganized Districts." Introduced, p. 102.

**HB 251**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled: 'An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Permits for Excessive Size and Weight' as Found in Chapter 57, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, by Providing That Permits for Vehicles of Excessive Size or Weight Shall Be Issued by the State Highway Department Without Charge." Introduced, p. 102.

**HB 252**—"An Act to Amend 160 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Housing and Known as the 'Housing Authority Law,' by Adding Definitions of the Terms 'Slum', 'Persons of Low Income', and 'State Public Body', by Redefining the Term 'Project', by Clarifying Provisions Relating to Interest of Members, Officers or Employees, by Permitting Compliance With Any Federal Requirements Concerning Tenant Selection, Preferences, Wage Rates, Financing and Rural Housing, by Expanding Provisions Relating to Aid and Cooperation of State Public Bodies with Housing Authorities in Connection with Housing Projects, and by Clarifying the Use of Property Acquired by Condemnation." Introduced, p. 104; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 448.

**HB 253**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Right to Be Tried in the Municipal Court of Wilmington or by the Nearest Available Justice of the Peace." Introduced, p. 104.

**HB 254**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 100 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, by Repealing a Part Thereof, and by Providing for the Offense of Keeping, Maintaining, Visiting,

Contributing to Support of Gambling House, Letting or Underletting Therefor; Penalties; Jurisdictions." Introduced, p. 104; reported, p. 250; passed, p. 263.

**HB 255**—"An Act Requiring Records to Be Kept by Persons Conducting Sales and Bazaars, Said Records Being Open to the Police Authorities and Office of the Attorney General; Notice to Police and Penalty." Introduced, p. 105; reported, p. 312; Substitute introduced, p. 312; lost, p. 324.

**HB 256**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 55 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Roads and Bridges' Requiring Certain New Roads Intended to Be Dedicated to Public Use to Be Constructed to Conform to Specifications of the State Highway Department; Violation a Misdemeanor; Jurisdiction; Penalties; State Highway Department Authorized to Make and Publish Rules and Regulations in Conformity Herewith." Introduced, p. 105; reported, p. 146; passed, p. 195; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 257**—"An Act to Provide for a Public Wharf Along Port Mahon's River, Kent County, Delaware." Introduced, p. 105; reported, p. 236.

**HB 258**—"An Act to Provide for the Regulation, Control and Licensing of Stock Car Racing in the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 105; Substitute introduced, p. 239.

**HB 259**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 44 of the Revised Code of Delaware Entitled 'Valuation and Assessment of Property,' by Amending Section One Thereof." Introduced, p. 105; reported, p. 142; passed, p. 157; concurred in, p. 390; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 260**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 119 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, to Clarify the Power of Justices of the Peace to Commit a Person Charged with a Crime Finally Cognizable Before a Justice so as to Clarify the Right of the Justice of the Peace to Commit the Defendant for His Appearance at the Court of General Sessions Without a Final Hearing Before the Justice of the Peace." Presented, p. 105.

**HB 261**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Motor Vehicles." Presented, p. 105; reported, p. 246; passed, p. 258; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 262**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 78 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, by Making the Day of the Week Known as Saturday a Holiday for the Employees of the Motor Vehicle Department of the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 105; Substitute introduced, p. 353; reported, p. 402; passed, p. 406; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 263**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 16 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Auditor of Accounts,' by Increasing the Salary of the Deputy Appointed

by the Auditor of Accounts and Making Appropriation Therefor." Presented, p. 109; reported, p. 230.

**HB 264**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 100 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, by Altering the Procedure and Evidence Requirements in Offenses Arising Under the Laws Relating to Lotteries, Gambling, and Wagering Contests; by Removing Objections to Warrants, Indictments or Informations; by Constituting Certain Circumstances Prima Facie Evidence; by Presenting Excusal of Certain Witnesses, and by Giving Such Witnesses Immunity; and by Making Admissible the Reputation of Gambling Houses in Certain Cases." Presented, p. 109; reported, p. 250; passed, p. 264.

**HB 265**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to the Operation of Motor Vehicles by Persons While Under the Influence of Intoxicating Liquor or Drugs." Presented, p. 109.

**HB 266**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled, 'Fish Oysters and Game,' with Respect to the Number of Game Lawful to Kill." Introduced, p. 109.

**HB 267**—"An Act to Provide for the Establishment and Maintenance of Kindergartens in the Public Schools of Delaware and to Provide Certain Funds for the Maintenance and Operation of the Said Kindergartens and to Appropriate Funds for Partial Support for Kindergartens." Introduced, p. 109; reported, p. 216.

**HB 268**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 71, Volume 35, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Regarding the Consolidation of Schools." Introduced, p. 110.

**HB 269**—"An Act Providing for the Erection and Maintaining of Fences on Both Sides of Any Railroad; Providing for Penalties." Introduced, p. 110; stricken from calendar, p. 269.

**HB 270**—"An Act Providing for the Stationing and Keeping of a Flagman at a Place Where Any Highway or Street Is Crossed by Any Railroad Within the Corporate Limits of Any Town or City." Introduced, p. 110.

**HB 271**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game' by Prohibiting the Catching of Fish by Means of Drag-Nets Operated from Power Vessels in the Delaware Bay or Its Tributaries." Introduced, p. 110.

**HB 272**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 52 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to 'County Offices' by Changing the Times That the Offices of the Respective Prothonotaries, Clerks of the Peace, Clerks of the Orphans' Court, Registers of Wills, Recorders and Sheriffs Shall Be Kept Open." Introduced, p. 110; reported, p. 348; passed, p. 407; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 273**—"An Act to Authorize the Levy Court of New Castle to Cancel, Adjust or Abate Certain Suburban Road Liens in Wilmington Manor, New Castle County, Delaware." Introduced, p. 112; reported, p. 123; passed, p. 196; concurred in, p. 271; signed, p. 270; delivered to Gov., p. 270; approved, p. 416.

**HB 274**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 53, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Salaries of Certain County Officers' in Relation to the Salaries of Certain Officers of Kent County." Introduced, p. 112.

**HB 275**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'State Revenue,' as Amended, by Providing That One Cent of Tax on Each Gallon of Motor Fuel Sold in Any Incorporated City or Town in This State Shall Be Paid to Said City or Town for Maintenance of Streets." Introduced, p. 112; reported, p. 208.

**HB 276**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Monies to the Aetna Hose, Hook and Ladder Company of the Town of Newark, Delaware, for the Purchase, Operation and Maintenance of a Radio in Its Ambulance." Introduced, p. 113; reported, p. 216.

**HB 277**—"An Act to Authorize the Recorder of Deeds in and for New Castle County to Procure a New Press and Seal of Office." Introduced, p. 113; reported, p. 142; passed, p. 157; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 278**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 143 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Insolvency', in Reference to the Amount of and Approval of the Bond of Assignee or Assignees in Voluntary Assignment for Benefit of Credit." Introduced, p. 120; reported, p. 207; passed, p. 212; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 279**—"An Act to Appropriate Funds for the Payment of Substitute Teachers in Case of Necessary and Legal Absences of Public School Teachers." Introduced, p. 120.

**HB 280**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 71, Volume 35, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Regarding the Pay of Public School Teachers During Their Absence." Introduced, p. 120.

**HB 281**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 194, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act to Reincorporate the Town of Milton,' with Respect to the Corporate Limits Thereof." Introduced, p. 120; reported, p. 142; passed, p. 197; concurred in, p. 271; signed, p. 270; delivered to Gov., p. 270; approved, p. 416.

**HB 282**—"An Act to Amend the Charter of the Town of Bethel as Established by Chapter 282, Volume 46, Laws of Delaware in Relation to the Western Boundary of Said Town." Introduced, p. 120; reported, p. 183; passed, p. 196; concurred in, p. 271; signed, p. 270; delivered to Gov., p. 270; approved, p. 416.



**HB 283**—"An Act Establishing a Uniform Drainage Law for the State of Delaware by Providing the Procedure for the Establishment of and Defining the Powers, Duties and Organization of County Boards of Ditch Commissioners and Tax Ditches, by Providing for the Levy and Collection of Ditch Taxes, the Transfer of Ditches in Kent County by the State Highway Department to Tax Ditches, the Employment of a State Drainage Engineer by the State Soil Conservation Commission and for the Election of Ditch Managers, by Enumerating the Powers, Duties and Obligations of the State Soil Conservation Commission, the County Soil Conservation Districts in Each County, the Resident Associate Judge of Each County, the Superior Court in Each County, the County Assessors, the County Treasurer and Receiver of Taxes of Each County, the State Highway Department, the State Drainage Engineer, and Land Owners in Respect Thereto and by Providing an Annual Appropriation Therefor." Introduced, p. 121; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 325; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 284**—"An Act Authorizing the Levy Court of Kent County to appropriate County Monies to the Leipsic Volunteer Fire Company for the Maintenance of an Ambulance." Introduced, p. 121; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 285; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 285**—"An Act Appropriating Money to the Delaware Commission for the Blind for the Maintenance and Operation of Sunnybrook a Nursery School for Blind Children." Introduced, p. 121; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 285; concurred in, p. 367; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 286**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act to Protect the Public Against Misleading Advertisements Pertaining to the Sale of Motor Fuels at Retail by Regulating the Method of Retail Sale of Motor Fuels, and Providing Penalties for Violations' Being Chapter 70, Volume 42, Laws of Delaware, by Providing for the Prohibition of the Substitution or Adulteration of Petroleum Products, and Establishing Uniform Regulations with Respect to the Size and Location of Signs Indicating the Sale Price Per Gallon of Motor Fuel." Introduced, p. 121; reported, p. 123; deferred, p. 145; lost, p. 201; restored, p. 201; passed, p. 237; concurred in, p. 442; signed, p. 452.

**HB 287**—"An Act Appropriating Money to the State Board of Health for Services to Crippled Children." Introduced, p. 121; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 392; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 288**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 123, of Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Being the Suburban Community Code, with Respect to Petitions to Levy Court for Street Improvement and Time for Filing Such Petitions." In-

troduced, p. 123; reported, p. 182; passed, p. 197; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 289**—"An Act to Provide for a Commission to Study the Popular Representation of the People of the State in the House of Representatives of the General Assembly and to Make a Report Containing Recommendations for More Equitable Representation Based Upon the United States Census." Introduced, p. 123.

**HB 290**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 151, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, the Short Title of Which Is the 'Uniform Contribution Among Tortfeasors Act.' " Introduced, p. 123; reported, p. 202; passed, p. 220; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 291**—"An Act to Authorize and Direct the Levy Court of New Castle County to Pay Certain Employees of New Castle County Workhouse for Work Performed on Saturdays Since May 23, 1949." Introduced, p. 123.

**HB 292**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act Authorizing the Council of the Town of Blades to Borrow a Sum of Money Not to Exceed Fifteen Thousand Dollars, (\$15,000.00) and to Issue Bonds Therefor for the Purpose of Installing a Water Plant and the Laying of Water Mains in the Town of Blades and Equipment Therefor' and Providing for the Issuance of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, (\$100,000.00) in Bonds for the Above Purposes." Presented, p. 123; reported, p. 142; passed, p. 255; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 293**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Moneys to the State Soil Conservation Commission for the Drainage of Tax Ditches in Sussex County." Presented, p. 123.

**HB 294**—"An Act Authorizing the Erection, Construction, Installation, Keeping in Good Order and Repair, a Caution Light at the Intersection of Highway Route No. 13 and Delaware Avenue Leading Into Harrington, Kent County, Delaware." Presented, p. 123.

**HB 295**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 70 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, to Provide for Temporary Commitment of Girls to Woods Haven School for Girls." Presented, p. 126; reported, p. 192; passed, p. 201; concurred in, p. 367; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 296**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Motor Vehicles,' as Amended, in Reference to Regulation Relative to School Busses by Providing for Insurance Coverage." Presented, p. 126; reported, p. 142; passed, p. 157; amended, p. 157; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 297**—"An Act Providing for Civil Rights, Protecting the Public Welfare, Entitling All Persons to the Full and Equal Accommodations, Facilities, Advantages and Privileges of

Places of Public Accommodation, Resort, Amusement or Entertainment, and Making It Unlawful to Refuse the Same to Any Person on Account of Race, Creed, Color or National Origin or to Publish Any Communication to the Effect That the Same Shall Be Refused on Account of Race, Creed, Color or National Origin, and Providing Penalties or Civil Damages for the Violation Thereof." Presented, p. 126.

**HB 298**—"An Act Proposing an Amendment to Section 2, Article X of the Constitution of the State of Delaware Relating to Education." Presented, p. 126.

**HB 299**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 176 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled, 'Alcoholic Liquor, Wines and Beer,' as Amended, in Reference to Refusal of License in Certain Places and Buildings and Upon Certain Grounds." Presented, p. 128.

**HB 300**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 155 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, by Adding New Sections Thereto Providing the Methods by and Circumstances Under Which Searches and Seizures May Be Made, and a Procedure to Protect the Victim of an Unlawful Search or Seizure; Prohibiting Searches Not Made Pursuant to Statute; Permitting Searches Without a Warrant for a Person Hotly Pursued; Permitting Searches Without a Warrant Where Necessary as an Incident to a Lawful Arrest; Providing a Procedure to Obtain Search Warrant; and Form of Complaint and Warrant; Enumerating Things for Which Search Warrant May Be Obtained; Enumerating the Circumstances Under Which Articles or Things May Be Seized; Providing a Remedy for an Invalid Seizure; Providing for the Disposition of Property Seized." Presented, p. 128; reported, p. 250; passed, p. 264; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 301**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 155 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, by Providing for the Uniform Arrest Act, an Act Concerning Arrests by Peace Officers, Providing for the Questioning and Detention of Suspects, Searching Suspects for Weapons, the Force Permissible in Making and Resisting Arrest, Arrest Without a Warrant, the Use of Summons Instead of Arrest, the Release and Detention of Persons Arrested and the Identification of Witnesses, Prescribing Penalties, and Making Uniform the Law Relating Thereto." Presented, p. 129; reported, p. 250; passed, p. 265; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 302**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 119 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, to Clarify the Power of Justices of the Peace to Elect to Commit for Appearance at the Court of General Sessions in Lieu of a Final Hearing Before the Justice of the Peace." Presented, p. 129.

**HB 303**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, to Provide for the Regu-

lation of Trackless Trolley Coach Operators." Introduced, p. 129; reported, p. 250; passed, p. 265; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 304**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act Appropriating Certain Monies to Provide a Pension Fund for Retired and Disabled Public School Teachers of Delaware; Being Chapter 106, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1944-45, as Amended, by Increasing the Payments.'" Introduced, p. 129; Substitute Introduced, p. 261; reported, p. 279.

**HB 305**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relative to Motor Vehicles Increasing Axle Weight of Vehicles on Primary Roads to Be Designated by State Highway Commission." Introduced, p. 129; reported, p. 208.

**HB 306**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act to Provide for the Establishment of a Permanent Budget Commission and Defining the Powers and Duties Thereof,' Being Chapter 204, Volume 42, Laws of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, in Reference to Estimates of Anticipated Expenditures Submitted by Any Agency of This State." Introduced, p. 129; reported, p. 142; passed, p. 220.

**HB 307**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 150 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Offenses Against Private Property by Making Receiving Stolen Goods a Misdemeanor in Certain Cases; Providing Penalties; Providing for Proceedings Without Indictment by Grand Jury or Trial by Petit Jury in Certain Cases; Vesting Jurisdiction in the Municipal Court of the City of Wilmington, the Courts of Common Pleas and the Justices of the Peace in Certain Cases; Providing Accused Shall Not Be Entitled to Acquittal Upon Trial for Felony by Proving Offense Misdemeanor but That Jury May Render Verdict of Misdemeanor, Fixing Value of Goods; and Providing No Criminal Proceeding Commenced Prior to the Approval of This Act Shall Be Affected Hereby." Introduced, p. 129; reported, p. 246; passed, p. 258; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 308**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 154 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Skill in Witchcraft; Creating Offenses Relating to Fortune-Telling, Palmistry, and Spiritualism; Penalties; Jurisdiction." Introduced, p. 130; Introduced, p. 429.

**HB 309**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 67 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Municipal Court for the City of Wilmington to Permit the Fixing of Bail Binding Witnesses for Their Appearance in Cases Involving the Commission of Felonies." Introduced, p. 129; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 286; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 310**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 150 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Malicious

Mischief and Providing Penalties Therefor; Providing for Proceedings Without Indictment by Grand Jury or Trial by Petit Jury in Certain Cases; Vesting Jurisdiction in the Municipal Court of the City of Wilmington, the Courts of Common Pleas and the Justices of the Peace in Certain Cases; and Providing No Criminal Proceeding Commenced Prior to the Approval of This Act Shall Be Affected Hereby." Introduced, p. 129; reported, p. 246; passed, p. 259; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 311**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 150 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to False Statements to Procure Benefit, Making, Using or Adopting, and Penalties; Providing for Proceedings Without Indictment by Grand Jury or Trial by Petit Jury in Certain Cases; Vesting Jurisdiction in the Municipal Court of the City of Wilmington, the Court of Common Pleas and the Justices of the Peace in Certain Cases; and Providing No Criminal Proceeding Commenced Prior to the Approval of This Act Shall Be Affected Hereby." Introduced, p. 129; reported, p. 246; lost, p. 266; restored, p. 266; passed, p. 325; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 312**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Money to the University of Delaware for Constructing and Equipping a Building for the School of Education and the School of Home Economics on the University Campus." Introduced, p. 138; reported, p. 230; recommitted, p. 270; Substitute introduced, p. 313; reported, p. 312; passed, p. 368; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 313**—"An Act to Amend an Act 'To Authorize the Levy Court to Issue Bonds for Street and Other Improvements in Suburban Communities Under Certain Conditions: Providing for Time and Manner of Holding Elections in Connection Therewith; Defining "Suburban Community"; Providing for Petition Requesting Improvements; Directing Levy Courts and County Engineers to Perform Certain Duties in Connection with Surveys, Plots, Holding of Elections; Providing for Assessments Against Properties Abutting Improvements, the Manner of Determining the Amount, Thereof, and Collection of the Same; Providing for the Determination of Cost of the Improvements; Providing the Amount, Maturity, Interest Rate and Forms of Bonds to Be Issued by the Levy Courts; Providing for the Sale of Bonds and the Disposition and Use of the Proceeds Thereof; Providing for Awarding of Contracts and Approval of Payments Thereunder; Providing for Record to Be Kept of Assessments; Making Assessments Special Liens, and Providing for Notice Thereof; Authorizing Collector of Taxes to Collect Delinquent Assessments; Providing for Retirement of Bonds and Payment of Interest Thereof; Providing for Disposition of Surplus Funds; Authorizing Levy Courts to Adopt Procedure in Respect to Cancelling Bonds; Providing That Im-

provements Shall Become a Part of State Highway System and Maintained by State Highway Department; and Providing That the Full Faith and Credit of the Counties Shall Be Pledged to Insure Payment of Bonds,' by Directing the State Highway Department to Take Over Streets and Highways Under Certain Conditions." Introduced, p. 138.

**HB 314**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 176 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled, 'Alcoholic Liquor, Wines and Beer,' as Amended, in Reference to Application for License to Purchase Alcoholic Liquor for Resale." Introduced, p. 139.

**HB 315**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Income Tax by Defining the Word 'Taxable' to Exclude Single Persons Whose Gross Income Is Less Than \$1,000.00 During the Income Year and Married Couples Whose Combined Gross Income Is Less Than \$2,000.00 During the Income Year." Introduced, p. 139; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 369; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 316**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 170 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled: 'Court of Common Pleas, Kent County,' in Respect of the Compensation of the Clerk or Other Officer or Officers of Said Court." Introduced, p. 139; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 369; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 317**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 116 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled: 'Juvenile Delinquents and Probations,' in Respect of the Compensation of the Probation Officer for the Court of General Sessions in Kent County and the Probation Officers of the Juvenile Court for Kent and Sussex Counties." Introduced, p. 139; reported, p. 402; passed, p. 407; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 318**—"An Act Authorizing the Erection, Construction, Installation, Keeping in Good Order and Repair, a Trip Traffic Control Light at the Intersection of Highway Route No. 13 and Delaware Avenue Leading into Harrington, Kent County, Delaware." Introduced, p. 139.

**HB 319**—"An Act to Prevent and Eliminate Practices of Discrimination in Employment and Otherwise Against Persons Because of Race, Creed, Color or National Origin, to Create a State Commission to Effect Such Prevention and Elimination, Defining Its Functions, Powers and Duties and Making an Appropriation for the Compensation of Its Officers, Employees, and Expenses." Introduced, p. 139.

**HB 320**—"An Act to Amend the Charter of The Mayor and Council of Wilmington by Abolishing the Offices of Collectors of Taxes for the Northern and Southern Districts in Said City and by Establishing the Office of Collector of Taxes and License Fees for the City of Wilmington and Further Defining

the Powers, Responsibilities and Procedures of the Said Collector." Introduced, p. 139.

**HB 321**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 155, Vol. 28, Laws of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act to Incorporate the Town of Blades,' with Reference to the Election, Removal and Salary of Officers." Introduced, p. 139; reported, p. 142; passed, p. 326; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 322**—"An Act to Provide for the Care of Additional Patients at Brandywine and Edgewood Sanatoria, Not Provided for in the Budget." Introduced, p. 140; reported, p. 444; passed, p. 447; concurred in, p. 446; signed, p. 452.

**HB 323**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 16 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled, 'Auditor of Accounts,' by Limiting the Price Which May Be Paid for Passenger Motor Vehicles by State Departments, Boards or Commissions." Introduced, p. 140; reported, p. 243; lost, p. 370; restored, p. 390; passed, p. 432; signed, p. 452.

**HB 324**—"An Act Authorizing the Mayor and Council of Wilmington to Delegate the Duties of Issuing All Mercantile, Business, Professional, Auctioneer, Dog, Etc., Licenses and of Collecting the Fees Therefore in the City of Wilmington to the Collector of Taxes and License Fees of the Said City." Introduced, p. 141; reported, p. 250; passed, p. 326.

**HB 325**—"An Act Providing for the Payment to the Mayor and Council of Wilmington of Those Tax Monies Collected by the State Tax Department on Sales in the City of Wilmington of Cigars, Cigarettes, and Gasoline." Introduced, p. 141.

**HB 326**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 43 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled, 'Levy Courts,' by Lowering the Tax Rate in Kent County." Introduced, p. 141; reported, p. 270; recommitted, p. 279; stricken from calendar, p. 313.

**HB 327**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 146 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Limitation of Personal Actions' in Reference to Time That Certain Actions May Be Brought." Introduced, p. 141.

**HB 328**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 71 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, with Reference to Public School Attendance." Introduced, p. 141; reported, p. 367; lost, p. 370; restored, p. 390.

**HB 329**—"An Act to Amend Article 7 of Chapter 20, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Licensing of Insurance Agents, Insurance Brokers, and Insurance Solicitors." Introduced, p. 142.

**HB 330**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 158, Volume 63, Laws of Delaware, 1929, Entitled 'An Act Changing the Name of "The Town of Dover" to "The City of Dover" and Establishing

a Charter Therefor, Providing for the Election of Members of the Council of the City of Dover by the Voters of Each District and Establishing a Voting Place in Each Voting District of the City of Dover." Introduced, p. 142; stricken from calendar, p. 144.

**HB 331**—"An Act Appropriating Money to the 'Board of Managers of the Detention Home' for Salaries and Wages." Introduced, p. 142.

**HB 332**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 71 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware of 1935 Relating to Free Public Schools." Introduced, p. 143.

**HB 333**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Motor Vehicles' as Amended, in Reference to Trailers and Towed Vehicles." Introduced, p. 143.

**HB 334**—"An Act to Promote the Public Health and Safety by Providing for Examination and Registration of Those Who Desire to Engage in the Occupation of Beauty Culture; Defining Beauty Culture, and Regulating Beauty Culture Shops, Schools, Students, Apprentices, Teachers, and Beauticians; Providing for Appeals to Certain Courts by Applicants and Licensees; and Providing Penalties." Introduced, p. 143.

**HB 335**—"An Act Establishing Minimum Rates for Compensation to Be Paid to the Owners or Operators of Privately Owned Buses Under Any Contract of Hire with the State Board of Education or Any Other Agency of the State of Delaware Having Authority to Contract for the Hire of Transportation of Children to and from Free Public Schools; Extending Existing Contracts of Hire for a Period of Two Years from the Passage of This Act, and Defining the Method of Hiring Buses in the Event of Advertisement and Request for Bids." Introduced, p. 143.

**HB 336**—"An Act Appropriating Money to American Legion, Sussex Post Number 8, in Sussex County, with Which to Operate and Maintain an Ambulance." Introduced, p. 143; reported, p. 183; passed, p. 188; concurred in, p. 271; signed, p. 270; delivered to Gov., p. 270; approved, p. 416.

**HB 337**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 158, Volume 36, Laws of Delaware, 1929, Entitled 'An Act Changing the Name of "The Town of Dover" to "The City of Dover" and Establishing a Charter Therefor, Providing for the Election of Members of the Council of the City of Dover by the Voters of Each District and Establishing a Voting Place in Each Voting District of the City of Dover.' Introduced, p. 143.

**HB 338**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 274, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act to Amend Chapter 166 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, to Authorize the State Highway Department to Construct, Operate and Maintain a Crossing Over the Delaware River, and Appropriating Certain



Monies Therefor,' as Amended by Chapter 193, Volume 46, Laws of Delaware, by Providing the Time for the Acquisition or Condemnation of Any Ferry or Ferries in Operation Across the Delaware River." Introduced, p. 143; stricken from calendar, p. 269.

**HB 339**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 275, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act to Amend Chapter 166 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, to Authorize and Empower the State Highway Department to Issue Revenue Bonds to Defray the Cost of Construction of a Crossing Over the Delaware River,' as Amended by Chapter 192, Volume 46, Laws of Delaware, by Removing the Limitation on the Aggregate Amount of Bonds That May Be Issued Thereunder." Introduced, p. 144; stricken from calendar, p. 269.

**HB 340**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act to Re-Incorporate the Town of Selbyville,' Being Chapter 166, Volume 37, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, by Increasing the Amount of Salary That May Be Paid Per Annum to the Mayor, Clerk and Councilmen of 'The Mayor and Council of the Town of Selbyville.'" Introduced, p. 147; reported, p. 206; passed, p. 212; concurred in, p. 271; signed, p. 270; delivered to Gov., p. 270; approved, p. 416.

**HB 341**—"An Act Authorizing 'The Mayor and Council of the Town of Selbyville' to Borrow Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00) and to Issue Bonds Therefor for the Purpose of the General Improvement of the Water Plant of 'The Mayor and Council of the Town of Selbyville,' and for the Purpose of Repairing or Replacing Defective or Inadequate Water Lines and Extending the Water Lines Within the Town of Selbyville; Providing for a Referendum Vote to Approve the Issuance of Said Bonds by 'The Mayor and Council of the Town of Selbyville.'" Presented, p. 147; reported, p. 183; passed, p. 188; concurred in, p. 271; signed, p. 270; delivered to Gov., p. 270; approved, p. 312.

**HB 342**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 23, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'State Forestry Department,' with Reference to the Establishment of Wayside Sites and Facilities for Tourists, Making an Appropriation and Regulations Therefor, Giving Certain Authority to the State Forestry Department, and Providing Penalties." Presented, p. 147; reported, p. 208; passed, p. 238.

**HB 343**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to State Revenue, by Providing for Payment of Services to Distributors of Motor Fuel for Collecting Motor Fuel Tax." Presented, p. 147; reported, p. 216; Recommended, p. 390; Substitute introduced, p. 390.

**HB 344**—"An Act Limiting Architects' Fees with Reference to All Construction for Which State Funds Are Provided in Part." Presented, p. 147.

**HB 345**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Motor Vehicles', as Amended, in Relation to Registration Period and Renewal." Presented, p. 148.

**HB 346**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Motor Vehicles', as Amended, in Relation to Refund of Registration Fees of Motor Vehicles Removed from State." Presented, p. 148.

**HB 347**—"An Act to Regulate Public Utilities in the Furnishing to Others of Private Wire Service and Other Service for the Dissemination or Receipt of Information in Furtherance of Gambling; to Prohibit the Use of Same for Gambling Purposes; to Make Illegal the Dissemination of Such Information in furtherance of Gambling; Misdemeanor; Penalties; Jurisdiction." Introduced, p. 148; Substitute introduced, p. 249; reported, p. 261; lost, p. 432.

**HB 348**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 274, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware 1944-45, with Reference to the Crossing of Delaware River by Directing the State Highway Department to Negotiate Severance Pay with Employees of Any Ferry or Ferries Now in Operation Across the Delaware River." Introduced, p. 149; Substitute introduced, p. 261; stricken from calendar, p. 269.

**HB 349**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, in Reference to the Right of Appeal from a Conviction in Violation of Provisions in Chapter 165, and Providing That an Appeal Shall Operate as a Stay and as a Waiver of the Right of Certiorari." Introduced, p. 149; reported, p. 246; passed, p. 259.

**HB 350**—"An Act to Abolish the Punishment of Whipping." Introduced, p. 149.

**HB 351**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 43, of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, by Further Defining the Powers and Duties, Direction, Management and Control of the Business and Finances of New Castle County by the Levy Court of New Castle County." Introduced, p. 149; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 286; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 368; delivered to Gov., p. 368.

**HB 352**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 104, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Known as 'The Delaware State Employees Benefit Act,' by Adding to the Definition of 'Covered Employment' the Positions of Secretaries of the Office of the Attorney General of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 150; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 287; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 353**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 21 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'State Board of Agriculture' with Reference to Bonds of Milk Dealers or Handlers." Introduced, p. 150; reported, p. 239; passed, p. 371; concurred in, p. 428; passed, p. 433; signed, p. 452.

**HB 354**—"An Act for the Construction, Equipping and Furnishing of an Administrative Building for the Use of the State Board of Health, to Include Offices for Conducting the Regular Business of the State Board of Health, a Bacteriological Laboratory, and Quarters for the Administrative Offices and Clinic Facilities for the Kent County Health Unit, on Grounds Now Owned by the State of Delaware Within the City of Dover; Making an Appropriation Therefor and Authorizing the State of Delaware to Borrow Money and Issue Bonds for the Money so Appropriated." Introduced, p. 150.

**HB 355**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74, Volume 42, Laws of Delaware, 1939, as Amended, by Providing for an Increase in Allowance Per Mile for Travel." Introduced, p. 150.

**HB 356**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 103 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Fences' Relating to Fence Viewers." Introduced, p. 151; reported, p. 416; lost, p. 433; restored, p. 433; passed, p. 434; concurred in, p. 443; signed, p. 452.

**HB 357**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 84 of Volume 44 of the Laws of Delaware, 1943, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act to Regulate the Construction, Alteration, Repair, Removal, Demolition, Equipment, Use and Occupancy, Location and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures in the County of New Castle Outside the City of Wilmington for the Protection of the Public Health and Safety and for the Prevention of Fire Hazards; to Provide a Code of Building Regulations; to Create the Office of Building Inspector and Other Helpers and Assistants as May Be Required; and to Provide Penalties for Violations.'" Introduced, p. 151; reported, p. 236; passed, p. 255.

**HB 358**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 105. Volume 42, Laws of Delaware, 1939, as Amended, Entitled, 'An Act to Regulate and Control the Construction of Water and Sewer Systems, Building and House Draining Systems, and Gas Lines; the Registration of Persons Engaged Therein and in the Construction and Installation of Oil Burning Equipment and Air Conditioning and Providing for the Supervision Thereof in New Castle County Outside of the City of Wilmington.'" Introduced, p. 151; reported, p. 236; Recommended, p. 270; Substitute introduced, p. 270; reported, p. 279.

**HB 359**—"An Act to Authorize the Levy Court of New Castle County to Provide for the Purchase, Acquisition, Construction, Reconstruction, Operation and Maintenance of an Incineration Plant; to Authorize the Purchase or Acquisition

of Land and Interests Herein in Connection Therewith; to Authorize the Exercise of the Power of Eminent Domain in Connection Therewith; to Authorize the Issuance of Bonds for the Financing Thereof." Presented, p. 158; reported, p. 390; passed, May 22; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 360**—"An Act to Regulate the Collection and Disposal of Garbage, Trash and Other Refuse Within the Limits of New Castle County." Presented, p. 158; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 408; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 361**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 43 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, by Authorizing the Levy Court of New Castle County to Regulate the Dumping of Garbage, Rubbish, Ashes and Other Waste Material Within the County." Presented, p. 158; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 408; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 362**—"An Act Making an Additional Appropriation to the Auditor of Accounts of the State of Delaware for Meeting Legal Requirement of Requisition Purchasing and Auditing for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, A. D. 1952, and for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, A. D. 1953." Presented, p. 159; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 287.

**HB 363**—"An Act Proposing an Amendment to Section 4, Article 2 of the Constitution of the State of Delaware Relating to Meetings of the General Assembly." Presented, p. 159.

**HB 364**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 173 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Retail Installment Sales Act,' to Define and Provide for the Regulation of Retail Installment Sales in the Amount of or of the Value of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or Less and to License and Regulate Sales Finance Companies." Presented, p. 159.

**HB 365**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 25, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to 'Department of Health' by Providing That an Undertaker May File a Certificate of Death with the Local Registrar in the Hundred Where the Death Occurred or with the Local Registrar in the Hundred in Which He Resides." Presented, p. 159; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 327; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 368; delivered to Gov., p. 368.

**HB 366**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 25 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Department of Health.'" Presented, p. 159.

**HB 367**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 90 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled: 'Employers and Employees,' Relative to the Names and Addresses of Sub-Contractors, Their Qualifications Substitution Thereof, and Penalties for Failure to Utilize the Same." Presented, p. 159; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 327; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 368**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended Entitled 'State Revenue' by Including Dealers in Live Stock Within Certain Exemptions." Presented, p. 159; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 371; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 369**—"An Act to Regulate the Practice of General Contracting in The State of Delaware; Creating and Establishing a State Licensing Board for General Contractors; Providing for the Appointment of Said Board and Its Issuance of Licenses to General Contractors and Providing for the Revocation by Said Board of Said Licenses Under Certain Circumstances; Authorizing the Fixing of Reasonable Fees to Be Paid by General Contractors for the Purpose of Defraying the Cost of Administering This Act; Providing for Court Review of Advance Rulings of Said Board; Defining the Term 'General Contractors,' as Herein Used; Providing for the Application and Licensing of General Contractors by the Said Board; Prohibiting Engaging in Business and General Contracting Without First Complying with the Provisions of This Act; Providing for Certain Exemptions to Contractors in Submitting Bids or Proposals to Construct Highways, Highway Bridges, Over-Passes, or Any Project Incidental to the Construction of Such Highway Project When Such Projects Are Federal Aid Projects; and Providing Penalties for Violations of This Act." Presented, p. 159.

**370**—"An Act to Authorize and Direct the Board of Education of the New Castle Special School District to Pay Certain Moneys Due Francis E. Sheridan for Work, Labor and Materials Due and Furnished to the William Penn School in New Castle." Presented, p. 159.

**HB 371**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 154 of the Revised Code of Delaware 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Discharge of Air Rifles in Residential Areas Outside the Limits of Incorporated Cities or Towns; Penalty." Presented, p. 159; reported, p. 207; passed, p. 213.

**HB 372**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 71 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Free Public Schools' by Providing for Election of the New Board of Education for the New Castle Special School District in New Castle County, in May, 1951." Presented, p. 159.

**HB 373**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game' in Reference to the Residence of the Collector of Oyster Revenue." Presented, p. 161; reported, p. 250; passed, p. 266.

**HB 374**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 364, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Providing a Method for the Appropriation and Allocation of Funds for the Maintenance, Support and Operation of the Free Public Schools of the State; and Granting to the Permanent Budget Commission and the

State Board of Education Certain Powers and Authority to Regulate the Distribution of Funds Appropriated,' Regarding the Number of Teachers to Be Allocated to the School Districts, and to Make the Appropriations Necessary to Carry Out the Intent of Said Amendment. Presented, p. 161; reported, p. 230; passed, p. 240.

**HB 375**—"An Act to Require Competitive Bidding in Connection with the Purchase of Building Supplies or the Letting of Contracts for the Construction, Alteration, or Repair of Buildings, and Providing Penalties." Presented, p. 161; Substitute introduced, p. 312.

**HB 376**—"An Act Granting the Levy Court of New Castle County Authority to Adopt Zoning Regulations." Presented, p. 161; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 328; concurred in, p. 403; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 377**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 77 of the Revised Code of Delaware Entitled 'General Provisions Respecting Trade' as Amended in Relation to Contracts for Public Improvements." Presented, p. 161; reported, p. 312; passed, p. 371; concurred in, p. 416; passed as amended by **SA 1**, p. 434; signed, p. 452.

**HB 378**—"An Act Authorizing, Empowering and Directing the Levy Court of New Castle County to Refund Certain Overpayments of Taxes, in Connection with a Special Assessment Against Certain Lands for the Construction of Roads in Delaire, Brandywine Hundred, New Castle County, Del." Presented, 161; reported, p. 236; passed, p. 240; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 379**—"An Act Appropriating Money to the State Board of Corrections for the Operation of the State Correctional System." Presented, p. 161.

**HB 380**—"An Act Creating a Research Public Relations Department, Setting Forth Its Purposes, Providing for Personnel and Duties Thereof and Appropriating Funds for the Operation of Each Department." Presented, p. 161.

**HB 381**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 23 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Distribution of Forest Trees by the State Forestry Department." Presented, p. 161; reported, p. 225; passed, p. 230; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 382**—"An Act to Provide for Scholarships in Teacher Training, to Create a Commission for the Administering of Said Scholarships and to Make Appropriations Therefor." Presented, p. 162.

**HB 383**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 151, Volume 44, Laws of Delaware, 1943, as Amended, by Fixing the Minimum Size for Oysters Caught from the Waters of Mispillion River, by Providing a Tax to Be Levied on All Oysters Caught from Said River, by Providing That a Portion of the Tax Moneys

So Derived Shall Be Held in Trust to Be Used for Restocking Said River, and by Providing a Maximum for the Number of Oysters to Be Caught from Said River." Presented, p. 162.

**HB 384**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 123, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Entitled 'Suburban Community Code,' by Providing for Revisions in the Procedure to Sell Bond Issues; Authorizing to Use Excess Bond Issue Funds to Finance Other Projects in Other Suburban Communities; Suburban Community Contracts to Be Exempt from Limitation of County Contract Laws; and Means of Acquiring and Condemning Adequate Rights-of-Way Where Inadequate Rights-of-Way Exist or Where Rights-of-Way Are in Question." Presented, p. 162; reported, p. 239; passed, p. 256; signed, p. 313; concurred in, p. 316; approved, p. 416.

**HB 385**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 32, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, with Reference to State Board of Examiners of Undertakers by Increasing the Requirements to Obtain a License, by Adding a New Section Setting Forth the Grounds for Revocation, Suspension, or Refusal to Grant or Renew Certificate and by Deleting the Word 'Undertakers' and Inserting in Lieu Thereof the Word 'Funeral Directors.'" Presented, p. 162.

**HB 386**—"An Act Authorizing and Directing the State Highway Department to Erect and Construct a Spill Dam at the Easterly End of Griffith Lake." Presented, p. 162; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 287.

**HB 387**—"An Act Making a Deficiency Appropriation to the Board of Education of Lewes Special School District for the Maintenance and Operation of Lewes Special School." Presented, p. 162.

**HB 388**—"An Act Providing for a Special Election to Be Held in the Town of Laurel for the Purpose of Electing a Mayor and Certain Members of the Council of the Town." Presented, p. 162; reported, p. 183; passed, p. 189; concurred in, p. 193; signed, p. 198; delivered to Gov., p. 202; approved, p. 261.

**HB 389**—"An Act to Authorize the Mayor and Council of Wilmington to Provide for the Planning, Acquisition, Purchase, Construction, Reconstruction, Improvement, Operation and Maintenance of Revenue-Producing Undertakings for the Public Parking of Vehicles; Authorizing the Exercise of the Power of Eminent Domain; Authorizing and Regulating the Issuance of General Obligation or Revenue Bonds for Financing Such Undertakings; Providing for the Payment of Such Bonds and the Rights of the Holders Thereof." Presented, p. 165; stricken from calendar, p. 400; passed, p. 408.

**HB 390**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 77 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, to Regulate and Control the Sale of Live Fowl, Poultry or Marketable Broilers by Requiring All

Offers to Purchase, Sell, Transfer of All Rights, Title and Interest in Live Poultry, Fowl or Marketable Broilers to Be in Writing; the Requirements of Said Writing, the Effect of Non-Compliance Thereof; Damages Assessable in Certain Cases; When Title to Live Poultry, Fowl or Marketable Broilers Pass to Purchaser in Certain Cases." Presented, p. 165.

**HB 391**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, with Reference to the Catching, Taking, Possession and Sale of Rockfish." Presented, p. 165.

**HB 392**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 78 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Making Unlawful the Permitting of Schools, Colleges or Other Institutions of Learning to Be Open on Certain Days." Presented, p. 165.

**HB 393**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 364, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Providing a Method for the Appropriation and Allocation of Funds for the Maintenance, Support and Operation of the Free Public Schools of the State; and Granting to the Permanent Budget Commission and the State Board of Education Certain Powers and Authority to Regulate the Distribution of Funds Appropriated,' to Further Define the Term 'Unit of Pupils.'" Presented, p. 165; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 288.

**HB 394**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 71 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended by Chapter 358, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, Relating to the Procedure for the Termination of Contracts of Professional School Employees, by Providing for Notice to Employee and a Right of Appeal to the State Board of Education." Presented, p. 165; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 288.

**HB 395**—"An Act Authorizing the Erection, Construction, Installation, Keeping in Good Order and Repair, a Trip Traffic Control Light at the Intersection of Highway Route No. 13 and Highway Route No. 16 in Sussex County, Delaware." Presented, p. 166.

**HB 396**—"An Act to Supplement Chapter 75 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Public Welfare, by Providing Aid to Helpless Cripples." Presented, p. 166.

**HB 397**—"An Act Amending Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, entitled: 'State Revenue,' in Respect of the Penalty for Failure of Any Distributor of Motor Fuel to Report or Pay Taxes Promptly." Presented, p. 166; reported, p. 278; Passed, p. 328; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 398**—"An Act Making Unlawful the Transportation of Certain Meat Scrap and Animal Waste Except in Enclosed Vehicles; Violation a Misdemeanor; Penalties." Presented, p.



166; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 289; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 399**—"An Act Authorizing and Directing the Erection, Construction, Installation, Maintenance and Repair of a 'Trip' Traffic Control Light at the Intersection of U. S. Route No. 13 and Route No. 42 in Cheswold, Kent County, Delaware." Presented, p. 166.

**HB 400**—"An Act Authorizing and Directing the Erection, Construction, Installation, Maintenance and Repair of a 'Trip' Traffic Control Light at the Intersection of Route No. 300 and Route No. 42 in Kenton, Kent County, Delaware." Presented, p. 166.

**HB 401**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game' in Relation to Game." Presented, p. 166.

**HB 402**—"An Act to Amend an Act Providing for the Payment of Pensions and Death Benefits to Members of the Bureau of Fire and Bureau of Police of the Department of Public Safety of the City of Wilmington (the Same Being Chapter 167 of Volume 45, Laws of Delaware)." Presented, p. 166; stricken from calendar, p. 400.

**HB 403**—"An Act to Amend an Act Providing for a Police Pension Fund; for Members of the Police Force of the City of Wilmington (the Same Being Chapter 113 of Volume 32, Laws of Delaware, as Amended)." Presented, p. 166; stricken from calendar, p. 400.

**HB 404**—"An Act to Amend an Act Providing for a Firemen's Pension Fund for Members of the Bureau of Fire of the Department of Public Safety of the City of Wilmington (the Same Being Chapter 118 of Volume 33 Laws of Delaware, as Amended)." Presented, p. 166; stricken from calendar, p. 400.

**HB 405**—"An Act to Authorize New Castle County to Provide for the Planning, Acquisition, Purchase, Construction, Reconstruction, Improvement, Betterment, Extension, Operation, and Maintenance of Sewerage Systems, for the Collection, Treatment and Disposal of Sewage, Waste, Garbage, and Storm Water; Authorizing the Exercise of the Power of Eminent Domain; Authorizing and Regulating the Issuance of Bonds for Financing Such Sewerage Systems; Authorizing the Charging of Service Charges for Service Rendered by Such Sewerage Systems and Providing for the Enforcement of the Payment Thereof; and Providing for the Payment of Such Bonds and for the Rights of the Holders Thereof." Presented, p. 166; reported, p. 183; passed, p. 189; concurred in, p. 241; delivered to Gov., p. 251; signed, p. 251; approved, p. 270.

**HB 406**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 45 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware, 1935, by Repealing 1378 Sec. 38 Thereof Relating to the Bond of the Receiver of Taxes and County Treasurer of New Castle County." Presented, p. 167.

**HB 407**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 211 of Volume 44 of the Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Establishing a State Building and Grounds Commission and Defining Its Duties by Authorizing the Said Commission to Grant Easements and Rights to State Lands for Public Utilities.'" Presented, p. 167; reported, p. 279.

**HB 408**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 315 of Volume 47 of the Laws of Delaware by Enlarging the Purposes for Which Money Borrowed Under the Authority Thereof May Be Used by the Said City of Dover." Presented, p. 167.

**HB 409**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 158 of Volume 36 of the Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Changing the Name of "The Town of Dover" to the "City of Dover" and Establishing a Charter Thereof', by Changing the Date of the Lien of Taxes Assessed by Said City." Presented, p. 167; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 328; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 410**—"An Act to Prohibit the Operation of a Boat in Any Body of Fresh Water Within the Boundaries of the State of Delaware, by a Motor of More Than Five (5) Horsepower; Designating Certain Exceptions." Introduced, p. 167.

**HB 411**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Board of Education for the Purpose of Maintaining the Salary Schedule of the State Board of Education Which Covers the Employees of the Said State Board of Education." Introduced, p. 167.

**HB 412**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended by Further Providing for the Identification of School Buses by the Installation and Use of a Two Way Red Flasher Light Thereon; Duty of Driver of Vehicle Meeting or Overtaking School Bus." Introduced, p. 167; reported, p. 208.

**HB 413**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'State Revenue' as Amended Relating to Coin Operated Amusement and Musical Machines." Introduced, p. 167; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 329; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 414**—"An Act Relating to the Valuation and Assessment of Property by Providing for the Valuation and Assessment of Vehicles Commonly Known as House Trailers Under Certain Circumstances." Introduced, p. 168.

**HB 415**—"An Act Proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Delaware Relating to the 'Executive' by Increasing the Length of the Term-of-Office of the State Treasurer and the Auditor of Accounts." Introduced, p. 168.

**HB 416**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Motor Vehicles' by Permitting the Registration of No more Than Three Motor

Vehicles Under the Same Registration Number if Owned by the Same Person." Introduced, p. 168.

**HB 417**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Moneys to Laura L. Livergood in Payment of the Claim of Said Laura L. Livergood Against the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 168; reported, p. 219; passed, p. 245.

**HB 418**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 70 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Reformatory and Charitable Institutions' Relating to the Admission of Minors to Establishments Where Alcoholic Liquors, Wines and Beer Are Sold or Served; Misdemeanor; Penalty." Introduced, p. 168.

**HB 419**—"An Act to Make an Appropriation to the State Board of Education to Enable the State Board of Education to Appoint Two Additional Staff Members." Introduced, p. 168.

**HB 420**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 219, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware, Relative to the Collection of Ditch Taxes." Introduced, p. 168.

**HB 421**—"An Act Authorizing and Directing the State Treasurer of the State of Delaware to Transfer to the Commissioners of Lewes, a Municipal Corporation of the State of Delaware, the Sum of \$62,046.80 Constituting the Amount Awarded by the District Court of the United States of America, in and for the District of Delaware, from the Condemnation of 1010.8 Acres, More or Less, of Land Situate in Sussex County." Introduced, p. 168; reported, p. 202; passed, p. 226; concurred in, p. 276; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 422**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 104, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1945, as Amended, with Reference to Pension Benefits." Introduced, p. 168; reported, p. 278.

**HB 423**—"An Act to Repeal Chapter 157, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, Entitled 'An Act to Amend Chapter 79 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Mortgages on Chattels and Crops Providing for Mortgages on Chattels of Any Kind Including Livestock, Poultry, Farm Machinery, Farm Equipment and Crops Grown, Growing or to Be Grown; Providing for the Filing, Docketing and Indexing Thereof in Recorders' Offices and the Effect Thereof; Prescribing Fees, Regulating Assignment, Release, Satisfaction and Extension of the Liens of Such Mortgages, Prescribing Methods of Foreclosures, Defining Defaults and Violations and Fixing Penalties and Repealing Articles 2, 10, and 11 of the Said Chapter.'" Introduced, p. 168; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 329.

**HB 424**—"An Act to Amend the Charter of the Town of Laurel as Established by Chapter 164, Volume 29, Laws of Delaware, and as Amended by Chapter 168, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware, in Reference to the Time at Which Personal or Capitation Taxes Must Be Paid to Render Persons Eligible to Vote in Town Elections in the Town of Laurel." Introduced, p. 169; reported, p. 250; lost, p. 289; restored, p. 289.

**HB 425**—"An Act to Amend the Charter of the Town of Laurel as Established by Chapter 164, Volume 29, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act to Reincorporate the Town of Laurel' in Reference to Elections." Introduced, p. 169; reported, p. 251; passed, p. 289; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 426**—"An Act Authorizing Mayor and Council of Laurel to Provide by Ordinance for the Connection of Properties in the Town of Laurel with the Water and Sewer Mains of the Town, and for the Collection of the Costs, Expenses and Penalties for Non-Compliance, and for the Establishment of Liens Against Said Properties." Introduced, p. 169; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 330; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 427**—"An Act to Amend the Charter of the Town of Laurel as Established by Chapter 164, Volume 29, Laws of Delaware, and as Amended by Chapter 65, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, in Reference to Members-at-Large of the Town Council." Introduced, p. 169; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 330; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 428**—"An Act to Amend the Charter of the Town of Laurel as Established by Chapter 164, Volume 29, Laws of Delaware, and as Amended, in Reference to the Laying Out and Vacation of Streets, and the Condemnation of Lands Therefor." Introduced, p. 169; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 331; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 429**—"An Act Appropriating Money to the Robbins Hose Company of the City of Dover, State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 169.

**HB 430**—"An Act to Amend Article 12 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to State Revenue by Prohibiting the Deduction of Certain Taxes." Introduced, p. 169.

**HB 431**—"An Act Appropriating Forty-Six Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$46,700.00) to the State Board of Education for Delayed and Essential Repairs and Maintenance to the Bridgeville School, No. 90." Introduced, p. 169; reported, p. 243.

**HB 432**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 135, Volume 29, Laws of Delaware Entitled 'An Act to Revise and Consolidate the Statutes Relating to Curbstone Markets in the City of Wilmington,' by Authorizing the 'Street and Sewer Department' of 'The Mayor and Council of Wilmington' to Relocate Existing Public Curbstone Markets When It Shall Have Established an Off-Street Market Place or Market House." Introduced, p. 169.

**HB 433**—"An Act to Control the Architectural, Civil and Mechanical Work Entering into the Design and Construction of Any Improvement, Alteration, Addition or Erection of Any Building, Structure or Sub-Structure Upon Any Lands or to

Any Structure or Sub-Structure Which Will Be or Has Been Paid for in Part or in Full from State, County or Municipal Funds." Introduced, p. 170.

**HB 434**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 184, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware, Being an Act Entitled 'An Act Changing the Name of the Town of Seaford to the City of Seaford and Establishing a Charter Therefor,' by Giving Authority to the City Council of Seaford to Levy and Impose Annual Service Charges for the Use of the Municipal Sewers." Introduced, p. 170; reported, passed, p. 434.

**HB 435**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 30 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the State Board of Dental Examiners, by Increasing the Compensation of Members of the Board; Enlarging the Duties Permitted Oral Hygienists; Providing for Notice to and Hearing for Practitioners Whose Licenses Are to Be Revoked or Suspended, and Making Certain Conduct No Longer Punishable by Fine or Imprisonment; Changing the Definition of the Practice of Dentistry; Increasing the Punishment for Practicing Without License; Changing the Provision for Revocation of License Upon Conviction of a Certain Offense; and Providing for Revocation and Suspension of Registration in Certain Cases." Introduced, p. 170.

**HB 436**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 175 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Delaware Workmen's Compensation Law.'" Introduced, p. 170.

**HB 437**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 65 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Corporations, by Providing an Increase in Certain Fees Collected by the Secretary of State." Introduced, p. 170; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 372; concurred in, p. 400; returned to Senate as per **SR 57**, p. 404; delivered to Gov., p. 415; **SS** introduced, p. 428; passed, p. 447; signed, p. 452.

**HB 438**—"An Act to Amend 5253. Sec. 4 of Chapter 153 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Sabbath Breaking." Introduced, p. 170.

**HB 439**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to State Revenue as Amended, by Increasing the Rates of Franchise Taxes Paid by Corporations and by Increasing the Maximum and Minimum Amounts of Franchise Taxes That May Be Paid by Corporations." Introduced, p. 170; reported, p. 367; Substitute introduced, p. 390; passed, p. 392; concurred in, p. 428; returned to Senate as per **SR 69**, p. 444; concurred in, p. 446; passed, p. 448; signed, p. 452.

**HB 440**—"An Act Denying the Defense of Immunity to the Board of Trustees of Delaware State College, a Body Corporate, at the Suit of Delaware State News, Inc., a Corporation of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 170.

**HB 441**—"An Act to Authorize the Recorder of Deeds in and for Kent County to Make New Indices for Mortgages." Introduced, p. 171; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 330; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 442**—"An Act to Provide for the Supervision, Repair and Control of Damage to the Beach by Erosion or Otherwise of State Park Lands in Sussex County by the State Park Commission of Delaware." Introduced, p. 171; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 393; concurred in, p. 403; signed, p. 416.

**HB 443**—"An Act to Protect the Health and Safety of the Civilian Population During an Emergency Period." Introduced, p. 171; reported, p. 208; passed, p. 221; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 444**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended by Chapter 196, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware, 1941, Relating to the Catching of Fish and Crabs in Waters Under the Jurisdiction of Delaware, by Prohibiting the Taking of Fish or Crabs in Certain Delaware Waters, Including the Delaware Bay and the Delaware River by Means of Trawl Nets, Drag-Nets, Fish or Crab Trawls, or Any Type of Dredge, Trawl, or Drag-Net, Operated from Any Power Vessel." Introduced, p. 171.

**HB 445**—"An Act Proposing an Amendment to Article V. of the Constitution of the State of Delaware Relating to Elections by Lowering the Age Limit of Citizens Eligible to Vote." Introduced, p. 171.

**HB 446**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act Providing for Pensions for Retired or Disabled State Police or Their Widows, Minor Children or Sole Dependent Parents, Establishing a Police Retirement Fund, and Creating a State Police Pension Board to Handle Said Fund and Make Payments Therefrom,' Being Chapter 262, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, 1937, in Relation to Minimum Pension Payments." Introduced, p. 171; Substitute introduced, p. 225.

**HB 447**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Monies to the Goodwill Fire Company of the City of New Castle, Delaware, for the Purchase, Operation and Maintenance of a Radio in Its Ambulance." Introduced, p. 171.

**HB 448**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act to Establish a Board of Water and Light Commissioners for the City of New Castle' Chapter 121, Volume 32, Laws of Delaware, by Extending to Three Miles Beyond the Corporate Boundaries of the City of New Castle the Territory in Which the Mayor and Council of New Castle, Acting Through the Board of Water and Light Commissioners of New Castle May Supply Water." Introduced, p. 171; reported, p. 198; passed, p. 213; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 449**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'State Revenue' by Increasing the

Amounts to Be Paid by Sundry Railroad Companies in Commutation of State Taxes." Introduced, p. 171.

**HB 450**—"An Act to Amend and Clarify the Charter of the Town of Laurel as Established by Chapter 164, Volume 29, Laws of Delaware, and as Amended, in Reference to the Beginning of the Terms of Office of the Mayor and Councilmen." Introduced, p. 171; reported, p. 246; passed, p. 290; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 451**—"An Act to Amend the Charter of the Town of Laurel as Established by Chapter 164, Volume 29, Laws of Delaware, in Reference to the Manner of Nominating Candidates." Introduced, p. 172; reported, p. 246; passed, p. 290; concurred in, p. 316; signed, p. 313; approved, p. 416.

**HB 452**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Monies to the Library Commission for the State of Delaware for the Operation and Maintenance of a Book-Mobile, and for the Salary of an Operator-Librarian Thereof." Introduced, p. 172; reported, p. 251; passed, p. 267; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 453**—"An Act Authorizing and Directing the State Highway Department to Remove Dead Animals from Certain Highways." Introduced, p. 172; reported, p. 261.

**HB 454**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 176 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Alcoholic Liquor, Wines and Beer', by Restricting the Number of Outlets or Establishments at Which Any One Person, Firm, Association, or Corporation May Be Issued a License for the Sale of Alcoholic Liquor, Wines or Beer." Introduced, p. 172.

**HB 455**—"An Act Appropriating Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) to the State Board of Education for Delayed and Essential Repairs and Maintenance to the Greenwood School, No. 91." Introduced, p. 172; reported, p. 243.

**HB 456**—"An Act Changing the Name of 'The Town of Newark' to 'City of Newark' and Establishing a Charter Therefor." Introduced, p. 172; Substitute introduced, p. 261; reported, p. 312; passed, p. 372; concurred in, p. 403; signed, p. 416.

**HB 457**—"An Act Providing for Pensions to Certain State Officials." Introduced, p. 172.

**HB 458**—"An Act Requiring Communists and Knowing Members of Communist Front Organizations to Register; Providing That Neither the Names of Nominees of the Communist Party Nor the Names of Communists Shall Appear Upon the Ballots in Primary or General Elections; Providing That Probable Communists and Knowing Members of Communist Front Organizations Shall Not Hold Non-Elective Positions or Jobs; Outlawing Sabotage; Defining Terms; Providing Criminal Penalties; Providing for Enforcement of the Act; Providing a Saving Clause; Making the Act Cumulative; Containing a

Short Title; and Declaring an Emergency." Introduced, p. 172; Substitute introduced, p. 210; reported, p. 246.

**HB 459**—"An Act Making Appropriations to the State Board of Education for Delayed and Essential Repairs, Maintenance, Operation and Purchase of New Equipment for Hollyville School No. 224-C, in Sussex County." Introduced, p. 172.

**HB 460**—"An Act Making Appropriations to the State Board of Education for Delayed and Essential Repairs, Maintenance, Operation and Purchase of New Equipment for Friendship School No. 202-C, in Sussex County." Introduced, p. 172.

**HB 461**—"An Act Making Appropriations to the State Board of Education for Delayed and Essential Repairs, Maintenance, Operation and Purchase of New Equipment for Warwick School No. 203-C, in Sussex County." Introduced, p. 173.

**HB 462**—"An Act Making Appropriations to the State Board of Education for Delayed and Essential Repairs, Maintenance, Operation and Purchase of New Equipment for Nanticoke Indian School, in Sussex County." Introduced, p. 173.

**HB 463**—"An Act Making Appropriations to the State Board of Education for Delayed and Essential Repairs, Maintenance, Operation and Purchase of New Equipment for Warwick School No. 225-C, in Sussex County." Introduced, p. 173.

**HB 464**—"An Act Making Appropriations to the State Board of Education for Delayed and Essential Repairs, Maintenance, Operation and Purchase of New Equipment for Rabbit's Ferry School No. 201-C, in Sussex County." Introduced, p. 173.

**HB 465**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Motor Vehicles', as Amended, in Relation to Speed Restrictions." Introduced, p. 173; Substitute introduced, p. 210; reported, p. 236; lost, p. 241; restored, p. 246; reported, p. 435.

**HB 466**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game', as Amended, by Providing for License Tax on Dogs in the City of Wilmington." Introduced, p. 173.

**HB 467**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game' by Repealing 2866, Sec. 65 Relating to Dog License Tax." Introduced, p. 173.

**HB 468**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act to Provide for Payments to Persons Who Served in the Armed Forces of the United States During the Period Beginning September 16, 1940 and Ending June 30, 1946, and to Designated Beneficiaries of Such Persons; to Create the Delaware Veterans' Military Pay Commission to Carry Out Certain Provisions of This Act; to Authorize the Selection of Assistants to Said Commission; to Provide for a Review of Decisions Affecting



Claims Made Under the Act; to Make Appropriations and to Authorize the Issuance of Bonds and Bond Anticipation Notes of the State of Delaware to Carry Out the Provisions of This Act; to Accept Federal Supplementary Funds for Said Purpose; and to Prescribe Penalties for Violations of the Provisions of This Act', Approved September 30, 1949, Being Chapter 1, Volume 47, Page 1047, Laws of Delaware, 1949, in Relation to Payments to Persons Who Served in the Armed Forces of the United States But Who Enlisted Prior to September 16, 1940." Introduced, p. 173.

**HB 469**—"An Act to Create a Department of Elections for the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 174; Substitute introduced, p. 261.

**HB 470**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 274, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act to Amend Chapter 166 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, to Authorize the State Highway Department to Construct, Operate and Maintain a Crossing Over the Delaware River, and Appropriate Certain Monies Therefor', as Amended by Chapter 193, Volume 46, Laws of Delaware." Introduced, p. 174.

**HB 471**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 274, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, as Amended by Chapter 193, Volume 46; Laws of Delaware, in Respect to the Acquisition by the State Highway Department of Any Ferry or Ferries in Operation Across the Delaware River." Introduced, p. 174; Substitute introduced, p. 230; reported, p. 236; passed, p. 244; signed, p. 270; delivered to Gov., p. 270; concurred in, p. 271; approved, p. 312.

**HB 472**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 275, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, as Amended by Chapter 192, Volume 46, Laws of Delaware." Introduced, p. 174.

**HB 473**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 275, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware Entitled 'An Act to Amend Chapter 166 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, to Authorize and Empower the State Highway Department to Issue Revenue Bonds to Defray the Cost of Construction of a Crossing Over the Delaware River', as Amended by Chapter 192, Volume 46, Laws of Delaware, by Increasing the Aggregate Amount of Bonds That May Be Issued Thereunder." Introduced, p. 174; Substitute introduced, p. 206; reported, p. 206; lost, p. 213; restored, p. 213; lost, p. 224; restored, p. 224; passed, p. 239; concurred in, p. 260; signed, p. 270; delivered to Gov., p. 270; approved, p. 312.

**HB 474**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 71 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Free Public Schools' as Amended, in Relation to the Payment of Salaries of Teachers, Principals or Superintendents of Public Schools in the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 174; Substitute introduced, p. 210; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 331.

**HB 475**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised

Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Motor Vehicles', as Amended, in Reference to the Device to Indicate When a School Bus Is Stopped for the Purpose of Receiving or Discharging School Children." Introduced, p. 174.

**HB 476**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act to Provide for Payments to Persons Who Served in the Armed Forces of the United States During the Period Beginning September 16, 1940 and Ending June 30, 1946, and to Designated Beneficiaries of Such Persons; to Create the Delaware Veterans' Military Pay Commission to Carry Out Certain Provisions of This Act; to Authorize the Selection of Assistants to Said Commission; to Provide for a Review of Decisions Affecting Claims Made Under the Act; to Make Appropriations and to Authorize the Issuance of Bonds and Bond Anticipation Notes of the State of Delaware to Carry Out the Provisions of This Act; to Accept Federal Supplementary Funds for Said Purpose; and to Prescribe Penalties for Violations of the Provisions of This Act', Approved September 30, 1949, Being Chapter 1, Volume 47, Page 1047, Laws of Delaware, 1949, in Relation to Payments to Designated Beneficiaries of Persons Who Were Citizens and Residents of the State of Delaware and Died During Their Service and as a Direct Result of the Performance of Their Duties." Introduced, p. 174; Substitute introduced, p. 236.

**HB 477**—"An Act Regulating the Catching and Taking of Oysters from the Waters Under the Jurisdiction of the State of Delaware and Fixing a Tax on the Amount Caught." Introduced, p. 175.

**HB 478**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 192, Volume 36, Laws of Delaware, 1929, Being an Act Entitled 'An Act to Reincorporate the Town of Smyrna' by Authorizing the Town of Smyrna to Acquire Such Lands Required for Sewage Disposal Plant, Electrical Sub-Station and for Any Other Purpose Desirable for Any Municipal Services and the Welfare of the Citizens of the Town of Smyrna Without Its Corporate Limits." Introduced, p. 175; Substitute introduced, p. 199; reported, p. 207; passed, p. 246; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 479**—"An Act Authorizing 'The Town of Smyrna' to Borrow Not in Excess of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00) and to Issue Bonds Therefor for the Purpose of Establishing a Sewage Disposal Plant and of Extension and Improvement of the Water and Sewer Systems, the Electrical Distribution System and the Streets of the Town of Smyrna." Introduced, p. 175; Substitute introduced, p. 199; reported, p. 207; passed, p. 291; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 480**—"An Act to Authorize Levy Courts to Issue Bonds for the Purpose of Installing Fire Hydrants Together with Adequate Water Mains in Suburban Communities Under Cer-

tain Conditions; Providing for Time and Manner of Elections in Connection Therewith; Defining 'Suburban Communities'; Providing for Petition Requesting Fire Hydrants; Directing Levy Courts and County Engineers to Perform Certain Duties in Connection with Surveys, Plots, Holding of Elections; Providing for Assessments Against Properties Enjoying Fire Protection as a Result of Installation; the Manner of Determining the Amount Thereof, and Collection of Same; Providing for the Determination of Cost of the Improvements; Providing the Amount, Maturity, Interest Rate and Forms of Bonds to Be Issued by the Levy Courts; Providing for the Sale of Bonds and the Disposition and the Use of the Proceeds Thereof; Providing for Awarding of Contracts and Approval of Payments Thereunder; Providing for Record to Be Kept of Assessments; Making Assessments Special Liens, and Providing for Notice Thereof; Authorizing Collector of Taxes to Collect Delinquent Assessments; Providing for Retirement of Bonds and Payment of Interest Thereon; Providing for Disposition of Surplus Funds; Authorizing Levy Courts to Adopt Procedure in Respect to Cancelling Bonds; Providing That the Full Faith and Credit of the Counties Shall Be Pledged to Insure Payment of Bonds; and Providing That All Existing Acts in Conflict with This Act Shall Be Repealed." Introduced, p. 175; Substitute introduced, p. 236; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 332; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 481**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 43 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Debt Limitations Applicable to the Levy Court of New Castle County." Introduced, p. 175; Substitute introduced, p. 270; reported, p. 402; passed, p. 409; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 482**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 84, Volume 44, Laws of Delaware, Relating to the Bond of the Building Inspector for New Castle County." Introduced, p. 176.

**HB 483**—"An Act to Provide for the Bonding of Officers and Employees of New Castle County, Empowering the Levy Court of New Castle County to Require Such Bonds; Providing for the Form of Such Bonds." Introduced, p. 176.

**HB 484**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 99, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, with Reference to the Bond of the Collector of Delinquent County Taxes in New Castle County." Introduced, p. 176.

**HB 485**—"An Act to Establish a Department of Civil Defense; Its Powers and Duties and Appropriation Therefor." Introduced, p. 176.

**HB 486**—"An Act to Require the Railroad Company Owning and Controlling the Bridge Over the Railroad Tracks of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company on What Is Known as Harvey Road, Leading from the Philadelphia Pike to the

Intersection of Said Road with Naaman's Road, at What Is Known as Point Breeze, in New Castle County, to Increase the Capacity of Said Bridge so That Weights of Vehicle and Loads up to Twenty Tons Can Safely Cross Said Bridge." Introduced, p. 176.

**HB 487**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 53 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended with Reference to the Official Bonds of County Officers in New Castle County." Introduced, p. 176.

**HB 488**—"An Act to Require the Railroad Company Owning and Controlling the Bridge Over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Tracks at Carpenter's Station, Where the Naaman's Road Crosses the Said Railroad Tracks, in New Castle County, to Widen and Increase the Capacity of Said Bridge and Provide a Walk-Way for Pedestrians." Introduced, p. 176.

**HB 489**—"An Act to Require Railroad Companies Owning and Controlling the Tracks Crossing State Highway 13 Leading from Wilmington to Chester at Naaman's Corner to Widen the Underpass and Providing Procedure for Enforcement of the Provisions of This Act." Introduced, p. 176.

**HB 490**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 134 of Volume 37, Laws of Delaware, 1931, Entitled 'An Act Granting to Municipalities and Counties of Delaware Authority to Acquire Land for Airports and Landing Fields.'" Introduced, p. 176

**HB 491**—"An Act Authorizing the City of Dover to Borrow a Sum of Money and to Issue Bonds Therefor for the Purpose of Improvements to the Water, Electrical, and Sewer Facilities of Said City." Introduced, p. 176.

**HB 492**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 158 of Volume 36 of the Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Changing the Name of "The Town of Dover" to "The City of Dover" and Establishing a Charter Therefor', by Extending the Boundaries of Said City." Introduced, p. 177.

**HB 493**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 158 of Volume 36 of the Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Changing the Name of "The Town of Dover" to "The City of Dover" and Establishing a Charter Therefor', by Revising the Sections Thereof Governing Municipal Elections." Introduced, p. 177.

**HB 494**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 158 of Volume 36 of The Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Changing the Name of "The Town of Dover" to "The City of Dover" and Establishing a Charter Therefor', by Authorizing the Said City to Borrow a Certain Sum of Money for Emergency Capital Expenditures Upon Resolution of the City Council." Introduced, p. 177; Substitute introduced, p. 236; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 333; concurred in, p. 391; signed, p. 401; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HB 495**—"An Act Authorizing the City of Dover to Borrow One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) and to Issue Bonds There-

for for the Purpose of Improvements to the Water, Electrical, and Sewer Facilities of the Said City." Introduced, p. 177.

**HB 496**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 158 of Volume 36 of the Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Changing the Name of "Town of Dover" to "The City of Dover" and Establishing a Charter Therefor.'" Introduced, p. 177; reported, p. 312; Substitute introduced, p. 313.

**HB 497**—"An Act Authorizing the City of Dover to Borrow a Sum of Money Not Exceeding Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) and to Issue Bonds Therefor for the Purpose of Improvements to the Water, Electrical, and Sewer Facilities of the Said City." Introduced, p. 177; Substitute introduced, p. 239; reported, p. 279.

**HB 498**—"An Act Appropriating Seven Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-Three Dollars and Sixty-Nine Cents to the Board of Education of Lewes Special School District to Make Certain Deficiencies in Respect to and for the Operation and Maintenance of Said School." Introduced, p. 177; Substitute introduced, p. 204.

**HB 499**—"An Act Providing That No Lien of an Overpaid Estate of Any Deceased Person Shall Continue to Be a Lien for a Longer Term Than Three Years Next Following the Day of the Filing of the Final Account." Introduced, p. 177.

**HB 500**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act to Reincorporate the Town of Lewes', Being Chapter 170, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware, 1941, as Amended, by Providing for the Appointment of an Alderman." Introduced, p. 177.

**HB 501**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Board of Education for Delayed and Essential Repairs and Maintenance to the Buildings of Milton School No. 196-C in Sussex County." Introduced, p. 177.

**HB 502**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 21 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'State Board of Agriculture', as Amended, Relating to Drugs, Vaccines and Other Medicines Used in the Control of Diseases of Poultry." Introduced, p. 178.

**HB 503**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act Providing for the Payment of Pension Benefits to Certain State Employees, Fixing Ages of Retirement, Establishing Benefits Payable and the Source of Payments Thereof, Providing for Applications for Pensions and the Procedure to Be Followed with Respect Thereto, Providing That Pension Benefits Shall Be Free of Attachment and Nonassignable, and Also Providing for the Reduction of Benefits Under Certain Conditions,' Being Chapter 104, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1944-45, as Amended, with Reference to Eligibility." Introduced, p. 178.

**HB 504**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Money to the State Board of Education for Use by Said Board for the Purchase and Construction of New and Improved School Build-

ings, and/or Additions or Alterations to Present School Buildings for the Georgetown Special School District; Providing for a Bond Issue for the Payment Thereof; Providing That the Proceeds of the Sale of Said Bonds Shall Be Retained by the Auditor of Accounts in Separate Funds; and Providing for a School Building Program Board, Its Powers and Duties." Introduced, p. 178; Substitute introduced, p. 204.

**HB 505**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Board of Education of Claymont Special School District in New Castle County, for Delayed Repairs to the School Buildings of Claymont Special School District." Introduced, p. 178.

**HB 506**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Board of Education for Use by Alfred I. du Pont School No. 7, in New Castle County, for Delayed Repairs to the School Building of Said Alfred I. du Pont School No. 7." Introduced, p. 178.

**HB 507**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Board of Education for Use by Arden School No. 3, in New Castle County, for Delayed Repairs to the School Building of Said Arden School No. 3." Introduced, p. 178.

**HB 508**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Board of Education of Mount Pleasant Special School District in New Castle County for Delayed Repairs to the School Buildings of Mount Pleasant Special School District." Introduced, p. 178.

**HB 509**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 10 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended by Chapter 181, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, with Reference to the Legislative Journals, by Altering the Printing Requirements." Introduced, p. 178; Substitute introduced, p. 390; reported, p. 402; passed, p. 409; concurred in, p. 443; signed, p. 452.

**HB 510**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Motor Vehicles,' as Amended, in Relation to the Penalties for Violation of Provisions Pertaining to Weights of Vehicles and Loads." Introduced, p. 179.

**HB 511**—"An Act Providing for Prequalification of Bidders on Public Buildings and Construction Projects in the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 179.

**HB 512**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Board of Education for Use by Oak Grove School No. 130 to Repair and Construct the Road Leading to the School Building of Said Oak Grove School No. 130." Introduced, p. 179; Substitute introduced, p. 313.

**HB 513**—"An Act Authorizing State Departments, Agencies, and Commissions to Grant Employees Military Leave for the Purpose of Attending Active Duty Training." Introduced, p. 179; Substitute introduced, p. 239.

**HB 514**—"An Act Regulating the Contracting for the Trans-

portation of School Children by School Busses." Introduced, p. 179.

**HB 515**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 65 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Corporations by Providing That Foreign Corporations Must File an Annual Report with the Secretary of State, by Providing Penalty for Failure to Do So, and by Providing an Increase in the Fee for Foreign Corporations Doing Business in This State." Introduced, p. 179; Substitute introduced, p. 313; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 393; concurred in, p. 443; signed, p. 452.

**HB 516**—"An Act to Provide Protection for the Soil, Forests, Waters, Wild Life and Other Natural Resources of the State of Delaware by Regulating the Starting of Rubbish, Grass, Brush, Marsh, Woods or Other Fires Through Permit or Other Control." Introduced, p. 179.

**HB 517**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 46 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware, 1935, Relating to the Bond of the County Comptroller of New Castle County." Introduced, p. 179.

**HB 518**—"An Act to Amend Article 1 of Chapter 45 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Bond of the Receiver of Taxes and County Treasurer of New Castle County." Introduced, p. 179.

**HB 519**—"An Act Establishing the Office of State Fire Marshal, Defining Powers and Duties and Making an Appropriation Therefor." Introduced, p. 179.

**HB 520**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 11 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware Relating to Public Officers." Introduced, p. 179.

**HB 521**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act Providing for the Payment of Pension Benefits to Certain Employees, Fixing Ages of Retirement, Establishing Benefits Payable and the Source of Payments Thereof, Providing for Applications for Pensions and the Procedure to Be Followed with Respect Thereto, Providing That Pension Benefits Shall Be Free of Attachment and Nonassignable, and Also Providing for the Reduction of Benefits Under Certain Conditions,' Being Chapter 104, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1944-45, as Amended, with Reference to Eligibility." Introduced, p. 179.

**HB 522**—"An Act to Regulate and Control the Construction of Water and Sewer Systems, Building and House Draining Systems, and Gas Lines; the Registration of Persons Engaged Therein and in the Construction and Installation of Oil Burning Equipment and Air Conditioning and Providing for the Supervision Thereof in Kent County." Introduced, p. 180.

**HB 523**—"An Act Providing That Any Person, Firm, Partnership, Co-Partnership or Corporation Engaged in the Operation of a Hospital Receiving State Aid Shall Admit Any Person in Case of Emergency Without Guarantee of Payment of Services Rendered." Introduced, p. 180.

**HB 524**—"An Act Providing for a Weight-Distance Truck Tax Upon Certain Trucks Based on the Loaded Weight of and the Number of Miles Travelled by the Said Truck Within the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 180.

**HB 525**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 153, Sec. 4, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended by Chapter 238 of Volume 43, Laws of Delaware, by Changing the Hours When Attendance at Moving Pictures and Other Worldly Activities in Incorporated Cities and Towns Is Permitted on Sunday." Introduced, p. 180.

**HB 526**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'State Revenue' in Relation to Income Tax." Introduced, p. 180.

**HB 527**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'State Revenue,' as Amended, in Relation to Income Tax, by Providing for the Ascertainment, Assessment and Collection Thereof; Providing Penalties for Violation of the Terms Thereof; and Making an Appropriation to the State Tax Department for Administration Expenses in Connection Therewith." Introduced, p. 180.

**HB 528**—"An Act Appropriating Monies for Essential Repairs and Maintenance to and of State Board Schools and Special School Districts and to the City of Wilmington." Introduced, p. 180.

**HB 529**—"An Act Appropriating Monies for Capital Outlay for Furniture and Equipment for State Board Schools and Special School Districts and to the City of Wilmington." Introduced, p. 180.

**HB 530**—"An Act to Provide for the Enlargement and Improvement of the System of Free Public Schools of Delaware; Appropriating Money for Said Purposes; Authorizing the Financing of Such Enlargement and Improvement by the Issuance of Bonds and Bond Anticipation Notes of the State and by Contributions from Certain School Districts and the City of Wilmington; Authorizing the Issuance of Bonds of Certain School Districts, and the City of Wilmington for the Purpose of Raising Money to Make Such Contributions; and Creating a State School Building Program Board and Local School Building Commissions." Introduced, p. 180.

**HB 531**—"An Act to Authorize the Levy Courts to Issue Bonds for Parks and Park Improvements in Suburban Park Communities Under Certain Conditions; Providing for Time and Manner of Holding Elections in Connection Therewith; Defining 'Suburban Park Community,' 'Park or 'Park Area'; Providing for Petition Requesting Park or Park Area and Improvements Required Providing for Exemption of Park or Park Area from Taxation; Directing Levy Courts and County Engineers to Perform Certain Duties in Connection with Surveys, Plots, Holding of Elections; Providing for Assessments



Against Properties in Suburban Park Communities, the Manner of Determining the Amount Thereof, and Collection of the Same; Providing for the Determination of Cost for Acquisition of Park or Park Area and the Improvements Thereon Required; Providing the Amount, Maturity, Interest Rate and Forms of Bonds to Be Issued by the Levy Courts; Providing for the Sale of Bonds and the Disposition and Use of the Proceeds Thereof; Providing for Awarding of Contracts and Approval of Payments Thereunder; Providing for Record to Be Kept of Assessments; Making Assessments, Special Liens, and Providing for Notice Thereof; Authorizing Collector of Taxes to Collect Delinquent Assessments; Providing for Retirement of Bonds and Payment of Interest Thereon; Providing for Disposition of Surplus Funds; Authorizing Levy Courts to Adopt Procedure in Respect to Cancelling Bonds; Providing That Park or Park Area and Improvements Shall Be Maintained by a County Park Commission; and Providing That the Full Faith and Credit of the Counties Shall Be Pledged to Insure Payment of Bonds; and Providing for the Creation of a County Park Commission." Introduced, p. 313.

**HB 532**—"An Act Proposing an Amendment to Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Delaware Relating to the Supreme Court and the Authorization of Writs of Error in Favor of the State in Certain Cases." Introduced, p. 314; passed, p. 373; concurred in, p. 403.

**HB 533**—"An Act Authorizing and Empowering the Soil Conservation District of Sussex County to Take Over the Trap Pond Project in Sussex County from the Federal Government Either by Lease or by Deed and Appropriation Therefor." Introduced, p. 314.

**HB 534**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 158, Volume 36 of the Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Changing the Name of "The Town of Dover" to "The City of Dover" and Establishing a Charter Therefor, by Increasing the Amount of Money to Be Raised by Taxation for General Purposes.' Introduced, p. 314; reported, p. 312; passed, p. 373; concurred in, p. 403; signed, p. 416.

**HB 535**—"An Act to Further Amend Chapter 192, Volume 36, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act to Reincorporate the Town of Smyrna,' as Amended, by Providing for the Holding of a Special Election to Fill Any Vacancy in the Office of the Mayor of the Town of Smyrna and Providing the Qualifications and for the Nomination of Candidates and the Time, Place and Manner of Holding Such Special Election." Introduced, p. 314; reported, p. 312; passed, p. 373; concurred in, p. 403; signed, p. 416.

**HB 536**—"An Act to Authorize the Levy Court of Sussex County to Borrow a Sum Not in Excess of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) and to Issue Bonds Therefor to Be Ex-

pending for the Acquisition of Land or Interests Therein and for the Construction and Equipping of Additions and Alterations to the County Court House at Georgetown; to Authorize the Said Levy Court to Exercise the Right of Eminent Domain and Providing for the Appointment of the Sussex County Court House Commission." Introduced, p. 314.

**HB 537**—"An Act Authorizing the City of Dover to Borrow a Sum of Money Not Exceeding Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00), and to Issue Bonds Therefor for the Purpose of General Improvements to the City of Dover, Including the Streets and Public Buildings and the Water, Electrical, and Sewer Facilities Thereof." Introduced, p. 314; reported, p. 312; passed, p. 374; concurred in, p. 403; signed, p. 416.

**HB 538**—"An Act to Provide for the Regulation, Control and Licensing of Stock Car Racing in the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 367; reported, p. 390; lost, p. 410; restored, p. 416.

**HB 539**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, in Reference to the Right of Appeal from a Conviction in Violation of Provisions in Chapter 165, and Providing That an Appeal Shall Operate as a Stay and as a Waiver of the Right to Certiorari." Introduced, p. 402; reported, p. 402; passed, p. 410; concurred in, p. 416; signed, p. 430; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HB 540**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 157, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, Entitled 'An Act to Amend Chapter 79 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Mortgages on Chattels and Crops; Providing for Mortgages on Chattels of Any Kind Including Livestock, Poultry, Farm Machinery, Farm Equipment and Crops Grown, Growing or to Be Grown; Providing for the Filing, Docketing and Indexing Thereof in Recorders' Offices and the Effect Thereof; Prescribing Fees, Regulating Assignment, Release, Satisfaction and Extension of the Liens of Such Mortgages; Prescribing Methods of Foreclosures, Defining Defaults and Violations and Fixing Penalties, and Repealing Articles 2, 10 and 11 of the Said Chapter.'" Introduced, p. 402; reported, p. 402; passed, p. 410; concurred in, p. 428; signed, p. 452.

## SENATE BILLS

**SB 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 176, as Amended, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Alcoholic Liquors, Wines and Beer by Creating a Liquor Commission Composed of Four Members, One from the City of Wilmington, One from Rural New Castle County, One from Kent County and One from Sussex County, and Providing for the Appointment, Term of Office, Salaries and Duties of Its Members." Presented, p. 185.

**SB 2**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 83, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1945, as Amended, Relating to Aid for the Needy Blind, by Providing That Examination May Be by an Optometrist and by Increasing the Maximum Amount of Financial Assistance." Presented, p. 110; reported, p. 216; passed, p. 267; signed, p. 281.

**SB 3**—"An Act to Authorize and Direct the State Treasurer to Honor Certain Payments from the Debt Service Account of the John M. Clayton School District for Current Expenses of Said School District." Presented, p. 40; introduced, p. 50; reported, p. 71; passed, p. 79; signed, p. 86.

**SB 5**—"An Act to Repeal Chapter 217, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware, 1941, Entitled 'An Act Creating a Board of Trustees to Manage and Control the Prison, Prison Farm, Courthouse and Courthouse Annex of Sussex County; Providing for the Appointment of Members of the Board, Their Terms of Office, Qualifications and Expenses, Their Powers and Duties; Providing for the Payment of the Expense of Such Management and Control by the Levy Court of Sussex County; Providing for the Custody, Care, Control, Labor and Compensation of Prisoners in Said Prison; and Providing for a System of Bookkeeping and Inventory of Property.' " Presented, p. 54.

**SB 6**—"An Act Agreeing to the Proposed Amendment to Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Delaware, Relating to the Judiciary." Presented, p. 67; reported, p. 312; passed, p. 333; signed, p. 362.

**SB 7**—"An Act Agreeing to the Proposed Amendment to Section 3 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Delaware, Relating to the Appointment of Members of the State Judiciary by Requiring the Governor to Address a Public Letter to the President of the Senate Stating the Name of the Person He Intends to Appoint at Least Ten Days Prior to the Submission of Such Person's Name to the Senate for Confirmation." Presented, p. 43; reported, p. 74; passed, p. 199; signed, p. 210.

**SB 8**—"An Act Agreeing to the Proposed Amendment to Section 19 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Delaware, Relating to the Compensation of the Lieutenant-Governor." Presented, p. 8; reported, p. 216; passed, p. 333; signed, p. 362.

**SS 1 for SB 9**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 196, Volume 22, Part One, Laws of Delaware, Being an Act Establishing a Board of Public Works for the Town of Lewes and Defining Its Powers by Extending to the Said Board of Public Works the Authority to Purchase and Have Housed and Installed Certain Machinery for the Electric Light and Power Plant at Lewes on Conditional Sales Contracts, and to Pledge the Revenues from the Utility for the Payment of the Cost Thereof." Presented, p. 76; reported, p. 81; passed, p. 87; signed, p. 104.

**SB 10**—"An Act to Amend Article 27 of Chapter 100 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Pure Food, by Prescribing the Terms and Conditions Upon Which Oleomargarine, Either White or Yellow in Color, May Be Manufactured, Sold, Served in Eating Houses, and Displayed for Sale." Presented, p. 55; reported, p. 104; deferred, p. 121; passed, p. 127; signed, p. 137.

**SB 15**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 60 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled, 'General Elections,' by Increasing the Compensation of Election Officers." Presented, p. 92; reported, p. 243; passed, p. 267; signed, p. 281.

**SB 16** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 53 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Salaries of Certain County Officers, by Increasing the Salaries and Changing the Number of Deputies and Clerks in Certain County Offices in New Castle County." Presented, p. 92; reported, p. 243; passed, p. 247; signed, p. 281.

**SS 1** for **SB 17**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 45 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to County Treasurers and Collection of Taxes, by Increasing the Salaries of the Deputies, Clerks, Delinquent Tax Investigators, Bookkeepers and Stenographers in the Office of the Receiver of Taxes and County Treasurer for New Castle County." Presented, p. 204; reported, p. 243; passed, p. 247; signed, p. 281.

**SB 18** with **HA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 46 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to County Comptrollers, by Increasing the Salary of the County Comptroller and His Deputy in New Castle County." Presented, p. 92; reported, p. 402; passed, p. 436; signed, p. 452.

**SB 19**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 56 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled: 'Registration of Voters' by Increasing the Compensation for Registrars, Assistant Registrars and Alternate Registrars." Presented, p. 92; reported, p. 216; passed, p. 221; signed, p. 239.

**SB 22**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 45 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relative to County Treasurers and Collection of Taxes; Increasing the Personnel in the Office of the Receiver of Taxes and County Treasurer for New Castle County." Presented, p. 92; reported, p. 243; passed, p. 248; signed, p. 281.

**SB 27**—"An Act to Amend Chapters 56 and 60, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, and Section 13 of Chapter 118, Volume 44, Laws of Delaware, 1943, as Amended, by Requiring the Electors of This State to Sign One of the Books of Registered Voters at the Time of Registration and at the Time of Voting in Any General Election; Providing Space Therefor in the Registration Books; Providing for the Size of the Registration Books and Providing for the Duties of Regis-

tration and Election Officers with Regard of Such Signatures." Presented, p. 81.

**SB 29**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 60, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to General Elections by Providing That the General Election Shall Be Opened at 7 O'clock A. M. and Shall Continue Open Until 8 O'clock P. M." Presented, p. 81.

**SB 30**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 56 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, with Reference to Registration of Voters by Providing That Registration Places Be Kept Open from 7:00 A. M. to 8:00 P. M., on Each Registration Day." Presented, p. 81.

**SB 33**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 78 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Legal Holidays." Presented, p. 184.

**SB 37**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 49, of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled, 'Coroners' by Repealing a Part Thereof Relating to the Deputy Coroner for New Castle County." Presented, p. 153; reported, p. 208; passed, p. 221.

**SB 38**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 144, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, Relating to the Bureau of Registration of New Castle County, by Increasing the Salary of the Secretary of the Bureau of Registration." Presented, p. 92; reported, p. 354; passed, p. 358; signed, p. 368.

**SB 39**—"An Act to Provide That the Shell Fisheries Commission Rather Than the Board of Game and Fish Commission Shall Be Exclusively Authorized and Directed to Enforce the Laws of the State of Delaware Relative to Fishing in the Delaware River and Delaware Bay Within the Jurisdiction of the State of Delaware and in the Atlantic Ocean Within Three Nautical Miles of the Coast Line of This State." Presented, p. 279.

**SB 40**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 20 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Insurance Department and More Particularly Relating to Life Insurance, in Reference to the Investment of Funds of Insurance Companies and the Method of Calculating Reserves." Presented, p. 153; reported, p. 219; passed, p. 230; signed, p. 251.

**SS 1 for SB 41**—"An Act Relating to the Transportation of Public School Pupils by Providing for the Transportation Thereof in Privately Owned School Buses with Exceptions and Directing the State Board of Education to Dispose of Certain State Owned Buses." Presented, p. 185.

**SB 44**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 53 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Salaries of Certain County Officers', with Respect to the Salaries of Certain Officers, Deputies and Clerks of Certain of the County Offices of Kent and Sussex County." Presented, p. 103.

**SB 45**—"An Act to Authorize and Direct the State Treasurer to Honor Certain Payments from the Debt Service Account of the Selbyville School District No. 32 for Current Expenses of Said School District." Presented, p. 67; reported, p. 70; passed, p. 74; signed, p. 86.

**SB 46**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 45 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'County Treasurers and Collection of Taxes,' with Respect to the Salaries of the Receivers of Taxes and County Treasurers, Their Deputies and Clerks of Kent and Sussex Counties." Presented, p. 103.

**SB 47**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 14, Vol. 41, Laws of Delaware, 1937, Relating to Occupational Licenses by Redefining Finance Acceptor." Presented, p. 82; reported, p. 104; passed, p. 125; signed, p. 128.

**SB 51**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 53 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Salaries of Certain County Officers', by Increasing the Salaries of Certain County Officers of New Castle County." Presented, p. 92.

**SB 53**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled: 'Fish, Oysters and Game,' with Respect to Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Licenses Issued by the Board of Game and Fish Commissioner for Residents." Presented, p. 103; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 334; signed, p. 368.

**SB 56**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 117, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Investments of Trustees, Guardians, and Other Fiduciaries." Presented, p. 84; reported, p. 208; passed, p. 223; signed, p. 239.

**SB 57 with SA 1**—"An Act Creating a Tuberculosis Commission of Delaware, and Setting Forth Its Duties, Powers and Authorities, Including Those Now Performed and Exercised by the State Board of Health in Pursuance of Article 5 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled: 'Care and Treatment of Tuberculosis Patients.'" Presented, p. 84.

**SB 58**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 44 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Valuation and Assessment of Property,' with Respect to the Salaries and Expenses of the Members of the Boards of Assessment of Kent and Sussex Counties." Presented, p. 103.

**SB 59**—"An Act Authorizing the State Treasurer to Transfer Certain Balances in the Accounts of Former State Treasurer Benjamin F. Johnson to the General Fund of the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 84; passed, p. 222; signed, p. 239.

**SB 61**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74, of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game,' by Changing the Dates of the Open Season for Taking of Raccoon and Opossum in Certain Parts of Sussex County." Presented, p. 103.

**SB 64 with SA 1**—"An Act Establishing the Office of State Fire Marshal, Defining Powers and Duties and Making an Appropriation Therefor." Presented, p. 319.

**SB 65**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 82 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled, 'Weights and Measures,' in Respect of the Size and Weight of Loaves of Bread." Presented, p. 276.

**SB 66**—"An Act to Amend Article 4 of Chapter 166 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Traffic Officers by Authorizing the State Police Force to Be Expanded to One Hundred Fifty Men." Presented, p. 184.

**SB 68**—"An Act Authorizing and Empowering the State Park Commission to Take Over the Trap Pond Project in Sussex County from the Federal Government Either by Lease or by Deed and Appropriation Therefor." Presented, p. 110; reported, p. 219; passed, p. 411; signed, p. 430.

**SB 70**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 212, Volume 25, Laws of Delaware, 1909, Entitled 'An Act to Incorporate the Town of Bethany Beach and Give It Authority to Issue Bonds,' as Amended, Providing for the Increase in the Amount to Be Raised by Taxation." Presented, p. 216; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 343; signed, p. 368.

**SB 71**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 55 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Roads and Bridges by Granting Power to the State Highway Department to Close Certain Public Roads in the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 103; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 350; signed, p. 368.

**SB 72**—"An Act to Provide That Any Unused Funds Out of the Appropriations to the State Highway Department in the Budget Appropriation Bill for the Biennium Ending June 30, 1953, Shall Not Revert to the General Funds at the End of Any Fiscal Year But Shall Remain Credited by the State Treasurer to the Said Department for Construction." Presented, p. 84; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 334; signed, p. 368.

**SB 87 with SA 1**—"An Act Appropriating Money to Certain Fire Companies in the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 185; reported, p. 348; passed, p. 351; signed, p. 368.

**SB 88**—"An Act to Make Appropriation to the University of Delaware for a Reading Clinic." Presented, p. 276.

**SB 90**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 241, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, as Amended by Chapter 306, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, with Reference to the Family Court for New Castle County by Giving the Said Court Exclusive Original Jurisdiction in That County of the Offense of Lewdly and Lasciviously Playing or Toying with a Child Under the Age of Sixteen Years." Presented, p. 92; reported, p. 142; passed, p. 231; signed, p. 251.

**SB 92**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 237, Volume 46, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Providing for the Payment of

Pension Benefits to Certain Employees of the Mayor and Council of Wilmington, Fixing Ages of Retirement, Establishing Benefits Payable and the Source of Payment Thereof, Providing for Applications for Pensions and the Procedure to Be Followed with Respect Thereto, Providing That Pension Benefits Shall Be Free of Attachment and Liability for State and Local Income Taxes and Non-assignable, and Also Providing for the Reduction of Benefits Under Certain Conditions." Presented, p. 277.

**SB 93**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 301, Volume 46, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Providing for the Payment of Pension Benefits to Certain Employees of the County of New Castle, Fixing the Ages of Retirement, Establishing Benefits Payable and the Source of Payment Thereof, Providing for Applications for Pensions and the Procedure to Be Followed with Respect Thereto, Providing That Pension Benefits Shall Be Free of Attachment and Liability for State and Local Income Taxes and Non-Assignable, and Also Providing for the Reduction of Benefits Under Certain Conditions.'" Presented, p. 217; reported, p. 367; deferred, p. 374; passed, p. 393; signed, p. 402.

**SB 74**—"An Act Authorizing the State of Delaware to Transfer Certain Public Lands in the Vicinity of Dewey Beach to the Rehoboth Juniors' Swimming and Sailing Club, Inc." Presented, p. 217; reported, p. 348; passed, p. 351; signed, p. 368.

**SB 79**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game', by Increasing the Fee Payable for the Issuance of a Fishing License." Presented, p. 153.

**SB 80** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Appropriate Money to Beulah Moore as Compensation for Injuries Suffered, Expenses Incurred and to Be Incurred, as the Result of an Attack by a Deer in the Control and Custody of the Delaware Game and Fish Commission." Presented, p. 110; reported, p. 400; passed, p. 411; signed, p. 452.

**SB 81**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 161, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to 'State Real Estate Commission', by Increasing the Annual License Fee of Real Estate Brokers and Salesmen." Presented, p. 153; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 343; signed, p. 368.

**SB 84** with **SA 1** and **HA 1**—"An Act to Reincorporate the City of New Castle and to Repeal Chapter 216, Volume 27, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act Amending, Revising and Consolidating the Charter of the City of New Castle' and Repealing Certain Other Acts Concerning the City of New Castle Inconsistent Herewith Relating to the Board of Education, Election, City Clerk, Board of Water and Light Commissioners, Sewers and Disposal Works." Presented, p.



113; reported, p. 121; recommitted, p. 122; reported, p. 142; amended, p. 151; passed, p. 151.

**SB 85**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Motor Vehicles in Reference to Traffic Control Lights." Presented, p. 140; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 351; signed, p. 368.

**SB 94**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 78 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, as It Relates to Members and Employees of the Department of Public Safety of 'The Mayor and Council of Wilmington' by Designating a Five Day Work Week." Presented, p. 103; reported, p. 121; passed, p. 146.

**SS 1 for SB 95**—"An Act to Appropriate Funds, for the Education and/or Training of and Transportation for Handicapped Children in the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 316.

**SB 96**—"An Act to Authorize and Direct the State Treasurer to Honor Certain Payments from the Debt Service Account of the Delmar Public School District for Current Expenses and Capital Outlay of Said School District." Presented, p. 103.

**SB 97**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 176, Volume 25, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act to Incorporate the Town of Elsmere, New Castle County' by Increasing the Amount Which May Be Raised Annually as Taxes in the Town of Elsmere." Presented, p. 153; passed, p. 222; signed, p. 239.

**SB 98**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 156 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Fees of Public Officers,' as Amended, by Making Certain Changes in the Amount of Fees Charged by the Prothonotaries of the Several Counties and by the Records in Kent and Sussex Counties." Presented, p. 140; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 335; signed, p. 368.

**SB 101**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 175, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Delaware Workmen's Compensation Law,' by Increasing the Payments of Compensation and Burial Expenses Thereunder, and in Respect of the Persons to Whom Compensation for Death Shall Be Paid, and the Allowance of Council Fees on Appeal." Presented, p. 235.

**SB 102**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 175 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to the Delaware Workmen's Compensation Law of 1917, as Amended, by Providing for the Application Thereof to Officers and Employees of the Town of Elsmere." Presented, p. 217; reported, p. 348; passed, p. 352; signed, p. 368.

**SB 103**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 117, Volume 32, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act to Amend an Act to Incorporate the Town of Elsmere, New Castle County, by Changing the Hours and Methods of Voting in Town Elections, and by Providing for More Than One Polling Place for Town Elections.'" Presented, p. 127; reported, p. 142; passed, p. 152.

**SB 106**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Inheritance Tax." Presented, p. 93; reported, p. 99; deferred, p. 268; passed, p. 335; signed, p. 362.

**SB 107**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Occupational Licenses by Providing a Penalty for Failure of Coin Operated Amusement Machine Owners and Music Machine Owners to Have Affixed to Each Machine a Decalcomania Stamp to Evidence Payment of License Fee." Presented, p. 154; reported, p. 208; passed, p. 227; signed, p. 239.

**SB 108**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 235, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, Known as the Cigars and Cigarette Tax Act by Providing for the Repeal of the Tax on the Sale of Cigars and Refunding of Tax Paid on Cigars on Hand After the Expiration Date of the Law." Presented, p. 93; reported, May 22; lost p. 418.

**SB 109**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Delaware Estate Tax." Presented, p. 93; reported, p. 126; passed, p. 335; signed, p. 362.

**SB 110**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 90, of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Employers and Employees' by Requiring Employers to Keep Certificates of Age for Certain Minor Employees." Presented, p. 93; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 352; signed, p. 368.

**SB 111**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Inheritance Tax." Presented, p. 93; reported, p. 126; passed, p. 336; signed, p. 362.

**SB 112**—"An Act Authorizing the State Treasurer to Transfer Certain Funds to the Credit of the General Fund of the State of Delaware and Providing for the Non-Payment of Checks Drawn Against Said Funds." Presented, p. 154; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 353; signed, p. 368.

**SB 113**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Occupational Licenses, by Requiring That Coin Operated Amusement Machine Owners and Music Machine Owners Affix to Each Machine a Decalcomania Stamp to Evidence Payment of License Fee." Presented, p. 154; reported, p. 208; passed, p. 226; signed, p. 239.

**SS for SB 115**—"An Act to Increase the Salary of the Crier of the Courts of the State of Delaware in New Castle County." Presented, p. 403; reported, May 23; passed, p. 419; signed, p. 430.

**SS 1 for SB 116**—"An Act to Increase the Salary of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for New Castle County." Presented, p. 403; reported, May 23; passed, p. 419; signed, p. 430.

**SS 2 for SB 117**—"An Act to Increase the Salaries of the Bailiffs in the Superior Court, Court of General Sessions and Court of Oyer and Terminer in New Castle County." Presented, p. 428; reported, p. 429; passed, p. 436; signed, p. 452.

**SB 118**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 71 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, with Reference to All Public Schools by Changing the Acreage Limitation on Lands That May Be Condemned for School Sites." Presented, p. 185; reported, p. 216; passed, p. 227; signed, p. 239.

**SS 1 for SB 120**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 162, Volume 37, Laws of Delaware, 1931, Entitled 'An Act Changing the Name of "The Town of Milford" to "The City of Milford" and Establishing a Charter Therefor.'" Presented, p. 277; reported, p. 312; passed, p. 353; signed, p. 368.

**SB 121**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 88, Article 2, of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Parents and Children and Effecting Adoption Procedure." Presented, p. 185; reported, p. 400; passed, p. 436; signed, p. 429.

**SB 122**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74, of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled, 'Fish, Oysters and Game', by Changing the Dates of the Open Season on Squirrels in New Castle County." Presented, p. 154; reported, p. 236; passed, p. 419; signed, p. 430.

**SB 123 with HA 1**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Soil Conservation Commission for the Purchase of Heavy Earth Moving Machinery and Other Equipment Needed in the Soil Conservation Work of the State, Making Provision for the Repayment Thereof, and Designating the Boards of Soil District Supervisors to Oversee the Use of Said Equipment and Machinery." Presented, p. 185; reported, p. 230; passed, p. 336; signed, p. 362; see **HR 55**, p. 401; returned to House, p. 403; amended and passed, p. 420; signed, p. 452.

**SB 125**—"An Act to Provide for the Termination and Transfer of Parental Rights in Connection with Proceedings for Adoption or Placement for Adoption." Presented, p. 185; reported, p. 400; passed, p. 437; signed, p. 429.

**SB 127**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Moneys to the State Soil Conservation Commission for the Drainage of Tax Ditches in Sussex County." Presented, p. 154; reported, p. 216; passed, p. 268; signed, p. 281.

**SB 128**—"An Act to Amend and Supplement Chapter 377, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Providing for the Appointment of a Commission to Revise the Public Laws of the State of Delaware and Codify and Arrange the Same; Appropriation for Expense Thereof' by Enlarging the Powers and Duties of the Commission and Making an Appropriation Therefor." Presented, p. 186; reported, p. 243; passed, p. 336; signed, p. 362.

**SB 129**—"An Act Providing for the Creation of a Geological Survey for the State of Delaware; Its Powers and Duties and Appropriation Therefor." Presented, p. 185; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 344; signed, p. 368.

**SB 131**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Moneys to the State Soil Conservation Commission for the Drainage of Tax Ditches in New Castle County." Presented, p. 154.

**SB 132**—"An Act to Authorize the Sale of Certain Real Estate in the City of Wilmington." Presented, p. 185; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 344; signed, p. 368.

**SB 135**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 71, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Free Public Schools by Raising the Limitation Respecting Bonds with Regard to Assessed Valuation." Presented, p. 154; reported, p. 429; passed, p. 437; signed, p. 452.

**SB 136**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Motor Vehicles, by Increasing the Costs for Replacing Number Plates." Presented, p. 154; reported, p. 208; passed, p. 228; signed, p. 239.

**SB 137 with SA 1**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Monies to the University of Delaware for Continuing Research and Training on Salt Water Resources." Presented, p. 185; reported, p. 216; passed, p. 228; signed, p. 251.

**SB 138**—"An Act to Appropriate Funds to Various School Districts to Make Up for Deficiencies in Unit Allotments for Which Funds Were Not Available Under the Regular School Budget for the School Year 1950-51." Presented, p. 154; reported, p. 206; passed, p. 210; signed, p. 239.

**SB 139**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 106, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1945, as Amended, with Reference to Pensions or Allowances to Retired and Disabled Public School Teachers of Delaware." Presented, p. 185.

**SB 140**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 42, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, by Deleting the Restriction Upon the Duties of Notaries Public Appointed for Financial Institutions." Presented, p. 204; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 337; signed, p. 368.

**SB 142**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74, of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Fish, Oysters and Game, by Providing for the Season Within Which Diamond Back Terrapin May Be Taken and Killed." Presented, p. 154.

**SB 143**—"An Act Authorizing the Board of School Trustees of John M. Clayton School District No. 97, in Sussex County, to Improve the Water System of Said School, Including the Construction of a Water Main Between Said School and the Water Distribution System of the Town of Frankford and Contract-

ing with Said Town for the Furnishing of Water Thereto; Appropriating Certain Monies Towards the Cost of Said Improvements; and Authorizing the Said Board of School Trustees to Enter into Agreement with Certain Third Persons for the Obtaining of Water Service Through Such Water Main." Presented, p. 277.

**SB 144**—"An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Rehoboth Beach as Established by Chapter 161, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, and as Amended by Chapter 96, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, by Increasing the Amount of Taxes That May Be Raised in Any Fiscal Year for Municipality." Presented, p. 154; reported, p. 207; passed, p. 268; signed, p. 281.

**SB 146**—"An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Rehoboth Beach as Established by Chapter 161, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, and as Amended, Relating to the Scrap Sewer Assessment of the City." Presented, p. 368; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 394; signed, p. 402.

**SB 147**—"An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Rehoboth Beach as Established by Chapter 161, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, in Relation to the Time of Levying Annual Taxes." Presented, p. 368; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 394; signed, p. 402.

**SB 151**—"An Act Appropriating Money to American Legion, Sussex Post Number 8, in Sussex County, with Which to Operate and Maintain an Ambulance." Presented, p. 186.

**SS 1 for SB 152**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 258, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, 1937, as Amended, Known as the 'Unemployment Compensation Law.' Presented, reported, p. 349; passed, p. 359; signed, p. 368.

**SB 153**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 258, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, (Known and Cited as the 'Unemployment Compensation Law'), by Changing the Provisions Relative to Benefit Payments to Seasonal Workers and the Duration Thereof." Presented, p. 205; reported, p. 348; passed, p. 359; signed, p. 368.

**SB 154**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 159 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Board of Boiler Rules' by Removing the Limitation to Steam Boilers on the Qualification and Rule Making Powers of the Board." Presented, p. 205; reported, p. 246; passed, p. 262; signed, p. 281.

**SB 156**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 78 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Negotiable Instruments' with Respect to Legal Holidays in the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 205; reported, p. 216; passed, p. 228; signed, p. 239.

**SB 159**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 209, Volume 40, Laws of Delaware, Relating to the Acquiring of a Legal Settlement in the State of Delaware, by Reducing the Amount of Time Required." Presented, p. 217; reported, p. 208.

**SB 160**—"An Act Making Appropriation to the State Board of Education to Provide for the Payment of Costs and Expenses Over and Above the Present Appropriations Available to the State Board of Education to Pay for Additional Costs of Transportation of School Pupils." Presented, p. 205; reported, p. 349; passed, p. 359; signed, p. 368.

**SB 162**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 60, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to General Elections by Providing for an Unofficial or Sample Ballot; the Number and Style of Ballots to Be Printed; Distribution of Ballots; Additional Unofficial or Sample Ballots Printed, When; Quantity of Election Supplies Furnished; One Official Ballot at a Time Available to Electors at Polls; Unofficial or Sample Ballots Not to Be Counted; Illegal Possession of Official Ballots; Penalty." Presented, p. 155.

**SB 163**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 54, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to the State Old Age Welfare Commission, by Placing the Duty of Administering the General Relief Program and the Program of Aid to the Totally and Permanently Disabled in Said Commission and by Increasing the Amount of Assistance Payable to Old Age Persons." Presented, p. 217; passed, p. 350; signed, p. 368.

**SB 164**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 108 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, by Increasing the Annual Appropriation for the Compensation of Reporters and Stenographers and for Office Supplies and Equipment of the Law Courts of This State." Presented, p. 155; reported, p. 349; passed, p. 360; signed, p. 368.

**SB 165**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 1 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to the Construction of the Word Written and the Words in Writing." Presented, p. 217; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 337; signed, p. 368.

**SB 166**—"An Act to Amend Section 16, Article 4, of Chapter 129 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Being Section 4701 Thereof, with Reference to Photographic, Microphotographic and Photostatic Copies of Books of Original Entries." Presented, p. 217; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 344; signed, p. 368.

**SS 1 for SB 168**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Money to the University of Delaware for Constructing and Equipping Two or More Dormitory Buildings on the University Campus." Presented, p. 277; reported, p. 349; passed, p. 360; signed, p. 368.

**SB 169**—"An Act to Provide for the Use of Voting Machines in Elections, to Provide for the Method of Their Adoption and Their Acquisition, to Authorize Counties to Issue Bonds to Permit Their Purchase, to Provide for Their Handling and Care and the Method of Conducting Elections in Which They Are Used." Presented, p. 320.

**SB 170** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 166 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the State Highway Department, the Appointment of a Chief Engineer and a Secretary and Authorizing the State Highway Department to Fix the Salaries of the Chief Engineer and the Secretary." Presented, p. 317.

**SS 1** for **SB 172** with **HA 1**—"An Act Authorizing the State of Delaware to Borrow Three Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$3,500,000) and Issue Bonds Therefor, to Provide a Highway Improvement Program, for the Purpose of Acquiring Lands and Rights-of-Way and Constructing and Reconstructing Roads, Highways, Bridges, and Improvement Incidental Thereto, and Providing the Form of the Bonds and Coupons as Well as the Procedure for the Sale Thereof, Providing for the Payment of Principal and Interest of Said Bonds, and Appropriating the Sum Received Therefrom to the State Highway Department." Presented, p. 354; reported, p. 354; deferred, p. 412; passed, p. 420; signed, p. 452.

**SB 181**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware, 1935, in Relation to Motor Fuel Taxes by Limiting the Time Within Which Claims for Refunds Can Be Made." Presented, p. 317; reported, p. 348; passed, p. 438; signed, p. 452.

**SB 182**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 49 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Coroners,' in Respect of Burial of Bodies." Presented, p. 217; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 345; signed, p. 368.

**SB 183**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to Delaware Commission for the Feeble-minded to Provide for the Erection and Equipment of Certain Buildings in Connection with the State Institution for Feeble-minded at Delaware Colony." Presented, p. 317; reported, p. 400; passed, p. 412; signed, p. 430.

**SB 189**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Motor Vehicles by Providing for the Transfer of Registration Plates and Number Plates." Presented, p. 217; reported, p. 349; passed, p. 360; signed, p. 368.

**SB 191**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 77, Volume 42, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, by Chapter 12, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware and Chapter 78 Volume 47, Laws of Delaware by Designating the Use of Certain of the Funds Derived from Yearly Fishing License Fees Collected by the Board of Game and Fish Commission." Presented, p. 155.

**SB 192**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game' with Respect to the Amount of Game Lawful to Take or Kill." Presented, p. 155.

**SB 193**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game' by Repealing a Certain Provision Concerning Short Term Non-Resident Fishing License." Presented, p. 186; reported, p. 348; passed, p. 361; signed, p. 368.

**SB 194**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game' by Repealing the Prohibitory Provisions Concerning Hungarian Partridge or Pheasant." Presented, p. 186.

**SB 195**—"An Act Transferring to the General Fund of the State Treasury the Present Balance Remaining to the Credit of the 'School Inspection Reserve Account' Established Under Section 9 of Chapter 79, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware 1941, Entitled 'An Act to Provide for the Purchase and Construction of New and Approved Buildings, Grounds and Equipment for Certain State Institutions and the University of Delaware and School Districts of This State and Relating to the Costs Thereof, Making Appropriation and Providing for the Means of Payment.'" Presented, p. 155; reported, p. 278.

**SB 196**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 104, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1944-45, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act Providing for the Payment of Pension Benefits to Certain State Employees, Fixing Ages of Retirement, Establishing Benefits Payable and the Source of Payment Thereof, Providing for Applications for Pensions and the Procedure to Be Followed with Respect Thereto, Providing That Pension Benefits Shall Be Free of Attachment and Non-Assignable, and Providing for the Reduction of Benefits Under Certain Conditions,' with Reference to Computing the Number of Years of Service of Certain Employees of the Delaware State Employment Service Transferred to the War Manpower Commission and Returned to State Service at the Conclusion of World War II. Presented, p. 205; reported, p. 216; passed, p. 231; signed, p. 251.

**SB 197**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 21, Article 10 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to the State Board of Agriculture in Reference to the Sale of Liming Materials." Presented, p. 155; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 338; signed, p. 368.

**SB 198**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 11 of Volume 39 of the Laws of Delaware, 1934, as Amended, Relating to the Protection of Aboriginal Sites and the Preservation of Archaeological and Scientific Information, Matters and Objects." Presented, p. 155; reported, p. 348; passed, p. 361; signed, p. 368.

**SB 200**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Motor Vehicles,' as Amended, with Respect to the Fees for Registration of Motor Vehicles Propelled by Diesel Engines." Presented, p. 186; reported, p. 192; passed, p. 206; signed, p. 219.



**SB 201**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game' with Respect to Bull Frogs." Presented, p. 186.

**SB 202**—"An Act Appropriating Money to the Delaware Commission for the Blind for the Maintenance and Operation of 'Sunnybrook' a Nursery School for Blind Children." Presented, p. 217.

**SB 203**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 43, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Levy Courts', by Increasing the Amount Charged in the Treatment and Care of Indigent Sick in Kent County." Presented, p. 278; reported, p. 362; passed, p. 362; signed, p. 368.

**SB 206**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 77, Volume 42, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, by Chapter 12, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware, and Chapter 78, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, by Designating the Use of Certain of the Funds Derived from Yearly Fishing License Fees Collected by the Board of Game and Fish Commissioners." Presented, p. 214.

**SB 207**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game' by Repealing Certain Provisions Concerning Hunting and Killing Wild Turkey." Presented, p. 186.

**SB 208**—"An Act Prescribing the Conditions and Limitations in Respect of the Operation or Use of Any Motor Vehicle of the State or Any Governmental Agency Thereof, Making it Unlawful to Operate or Use the Same in Violation Thereof, and Prescribing Penalties for Any Violation Thereof." Presented, p. 205; reported, p. 216; passed, p. 229; signed, p. 239.

**SB 210**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 92 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to the Execution and Acknowledgement of Deeds or Any Other Written Instruments Entitled to Be Recorded, Executed by a Corporation." Presented, p. 186; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 338; signed, p. 362.

**SB 211**—"An Act Authorizing the Recording, Docketing, Indexing and Filing of Certain Judgments, Orders or Decrees of the Courts of the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 186; reported, p. 270; passed, p. 338; signed, p. 362.

**SB 212**—"An Act to Reimburse the State Highway Department for Money Advanced to the State Police to the Protection of Aboriginal Sites and the Pensions Board for State Police Pensions." Presented, p. 155; reported, p. 362; passed, p. 362; signed, p. 368.

**SB 214**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 303, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1944-45, as Amended, with Reference to the Delaware Harness Racing Commission, by Authorizing the Sale of Pools Without the Use of Pari Mutuel Machines or Totalizators." Presented, p. 202; reported, p. 206; passed, p. 211; signed, p. 239.

**SB 215**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 89 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relative to Guardians and Wards by Providing That a Guardian Duly Appointed in a Possession or Territory of the United States or in a Foreign Country Shall Have All the Rights and Powers of a Guardian Duly Appointed by the Orphans' Court." Presented, p. 186; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 363; signed, p. 368.

**SB 217**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 108 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Terms of the Superior Court in Kent County." Presented, p. 205; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 363; signed, p. 368.

**SB 218**—"An Act Amending Article 4 of Chapter 129 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Witnesses and Evidence, by Providing for Admissibility of Reproduced Records in Evidence." Presented, p. 205; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 364; signed, p. 368.

**SB 219**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 77, Article 2, of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, with Reference to Photographing, Microphotographing and Photostating as Writing." Presented, p. 218; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 339; signed, p. 368.

**SB 220**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 66 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Office of State Bank Commissioner and His Assistants." Presented, p. 218; reported, p. 362; passed, p. 364; signed, p. 368.

**SB 221**—"An Act in Relation to Investments of Trustees, Guardians and Other Fiduciaries and to Property Taken Over by Them, Being an Amendment to Chapter 117 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware, as Amended." Presented, p. 218; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 339; signed, p. 368.

**SB 222**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game,' by Providing for Special Dog Training Areas, Making It Unlawful to Violate the Same and Providing Penalties Therefor." Presented, p. 233; reported, p. 261; passed, p. 339; signed, p. 362.

**SB 223**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Board of Agriculture for the Employment of a Full Time Field Man to Collect Milk Samples for Mastitis Analysis." Presented, p. 218; reported, May 23; passed, p. 421; signed, p. 452.

**SB 224**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, with Reference to Motor Vehicles, by Providing That All New Motor Vehicles Licensed in This State After July 1, 1951, Must Be Equipped with Directional Signal Lights." Presented, p. 224.

**SB 225 with SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 33, Section 9 of Volume 32, Laws of Delaware, Being 625, Section 58 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended 1943, Relating to Commercial Feeding Stuffs." Presented, p. 273.

**SB 226** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 156 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Witness Fees, by Providing for the Payment of Unclaimed Witness Fees into the General Funds of New Castle County." Presented, p. 218; reported, p. 362; passed, p. 364, signed, p. 368.

**SB 227** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 65 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware Relating to Corporations to Provide for the Consolidation or Merger of Non-Stock Corporations, Whether Organized for Profit or Not for Profit, with Stock Corporations." Presented, p. 317; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 413; signed, p. 452.

**SB 233**—"An Act to Create a Department of Labor and to Include Therein a Board of Employment Security; to Consolidate in Such Department the Functions, Powers, Authority, Duties, and Responsibilities of the Labor Commission of Delaware, the Industrial Accident Board, the Unemployment Compensation Commission of Delaware, the Advisory Council to the Unemployment Compensation Commission of Delaware, and the Advisory Council to the Delaware State Employment Service; to Abolish the Labor Commission of Delaware Established by Chapter 38 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935; to Abolish the Industrial Accident Board Established by Chapter 175 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended; to Abolish the Unemployment Compensation Commission of Delaware Established by Chapter 258, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, 1937, as Amended; to Repeal Sections 119, and 121, Chapter 70 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended Relating to the Delaware State Employment Service; to Amend Section 12, Chapter 258, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, 1937, as Amended, Designating a State Agency in Compliance with the Federal Wagner-Peyser Act; to Amend Section 11, Chapter 258, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, 1937, as Amended, Relating to the Unemployment Compensation Commission and Its Advisory Council; and to Provide for the Repeal of All Acts and Parts of Acts Inconsistent with This Act." Presented, p. 317.

**SB 236**—"An Act to Designate the Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau as Secretary of the Delaware Commission on Interstate Cooperation." Presented, p. 317; reported, p. 362; passed, p. 365; signed, p. 368.

**SB 238**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 43 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relative to Levy Court, as Amended, Relating to the Authorized Amount That the Levy Court of Sussex County Is Directed to Appropriate to Provide Hospital Treatment and Care of the Indigent Sick." Presented, p. 272; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 374; signed, p. 400.

**SB 240**—"An Act to Amend an Act Known as the 'Unemployment Compensation Act' Being Chapter 258, Volume 41,

Laws of Delaware, 1937, as Amended, by Increasing the Amount of Benefits and by Reducing the Eligibility Requirements." Presented, p. 218; reported, p. 429.

**SB 242**—"An Act Prohibiting the Levy Court of New Castle County from Making Any Payments to the New Castle County Workhouse on and After July 1, 1951, Unless at That Time All Employees of Said Workhouse Have Been Paid Their Wages and Salaries in Full Through May 31, 1951." Presented, p. 320.

**SS 1 for SB 243**—"An Act Creating a State Board of Electrical Examiners, Providing for the Licensing of Electricians on a State-Wide Basis and Relating Generally to the Licensing of Electricians, the Inspection and Certification of Electrical Work, and to the Conduct of the Electrical Business Generally." Presented, p. 443.

**SB 248**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 175 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended Entitled 'Delaware Workmen's Compensation Law,' by Extending the Provisions for Payments Thereunder, in Relation to Surgical, Medical, Dental and Hospital Services and Supplies." Presented, p. 218; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 365; signed, p. 400.

**SS 1 for SB 251**—"An Act Authorizing, Empowering and Directing the Motor Vehicle Commissioner of the State of Delaware to Discontinue Requiring the Use of Engine Numbers on the Engines of Commercial Motor Vehicles for Identification Purposes." Presented, p. 273; reported, p. 400; passed, p. 421; signed, p. 430.

**SB 252 with SS 1**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Money to Delaware State College for Constructing, Equipping and Furnishing Certain Buildings on the College Campus Thereof." Presented, p. 443; reported, p. 444; passed, May 24; signed, p. 452.

**SB 257**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 104, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1944-45, as Amended, Known as 'Delaware State Employees' Pension Act,' by Increasing the Maximum Amount of Pension Benefits, and by Redefining 'Monthly Retiring Salary' and the 'Covered Employment' Requirement for Disability Pensions." Presented, p. 233.

**SB 258**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 98 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relative to the Orphans' Court by Providing That Either the President, Vice-President, Secretary or Cashier or Treasurer of a Corporation; or Any One Partner of a Partnership Shall Make the Affidavit for the Probate of Debts." Presented, p. 223; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 345; signed, p. 368.

**SB 259**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 104, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1944-45, as Amended, Known as 'Delaware State Employees' Pension Act,' by Providing That an Employee Shall Be Considered to Have Been in 'Covered Employment' for Any Period or Periods During Which He was Employed

by Any County or Municipality of This State Under Certain Conditions." Presented, p. 279; reported, p. 362; passed, p. 365; signed, p. 368.

**SB 260**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 153 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Offenses Against Religion, Morality and Decency' by Permitting Theatres to Operate Throughout the State on Sundays at Certain Hours." Presented, p. 235; reported, p. 390; lost, p. 395.

**SB 261 with SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 259, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, 1937, Relating to the State Park Commission by Empowering Said Commission to Acquire Lands by Lease." Presented, p. 185.

**SB 262**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 43 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Levy Court' in Relation to the Salaries of the Levy Court Commissioners of Kent and Sussex Counties." Presented, p. 186.

**SB 263**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game' by Increasing Certain Non-Resident Fishing License Fees." Presented, p. 187.

**SB 266**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 118 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relative to the Orphans' Court by Disempowering the Vice-Chancellor to Appoint a Guardian for Minors, in Vacation, at Chambers." Presented, p. 278; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 375; signed, p. 400.

**SB 267**—"An Act to Provide for a Uniform Mileage Payment to the Employees of the State, Its Agencies and Departments and to the Employees of the Several Counties." Presented, p. 218; reported, May 23; passed, p. 422; signed, p. 430.

**SB 268**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Park Commission for the Purpose of Controlling Damage by Beach Erosion." Presented, p. 224.

**SB 269**—"An Act Amending Article 4 of Chapter 129 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Witnesses and Evidence by Providing That Photographic, Microphotographic and Photostatic Copies Shall Be Competent as Business Records." Presented, p. 218; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 340; signed, p. 368.

**SB 270 with SA 1**—"An Act Authorizing the Dedication of a Certain Highway and Traffic Interchange as a Part of the Approaches of the Delaware Memorial Bridge." Presented, p. 277; reported, p. 400; passed, p. 422; signed, p. 452.

**SS 1 for SB 272**—"An Act to Amend 1136, Sec. 1, of Chapter 42, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relative to Notaries Public and Commissioners of Deeds, as Amended by Chapter 100, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, 1937, and Chapter 97, Volume 43, Laws of Delaware, 1941, by Providing for Additional Notaries Public." Presented, p. 279; reported, May 23; passed, p. 422; signed, p. 430.

**SB 273**—"An Act Authorizing, Empowering and Directing the State Park Commission of Delaware to Acquire and Maintain a Public Park Site at Big Stone Beach, in Kent County, and to Improve the Same, and Making an Appropriation Therefor." Presented, p. 279.

**SB 274**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Motor Vehicles, by Changing the Expiration Date of Operators' and Chauffeurs' Licenses." Presented, p. 224; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 375; signed, p. 400.

**SB 275**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled: 'State Revenue' by Abolishing Interest Upon Penalties Assessed Upon Certain Delinquent Taxes." Presented, p. 218; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 346; signed, p. 368.

**SB 276**—"An Act Directing the State Highway Department of the State of Delaware to Repair the Dykes Along the Delaware River Between New Castle and Deemer's Beach in New Castle County." Presented, p. 273; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 413; signed, p. 430.

**SB 281** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 116 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Juvenile Delinquents and Probation'—Article 4; Creating a Separate Judgeship and Staff for the Juvenile Court of Kent and Sussex Counties, Providing Salaries Therefor, and Re-defining the Jurisdiction and General Purpose of Said Court." Presented, p. 443; reported, p. 444; passed, p. 449; signed, p. 452.

**SB 283** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Require Every Person, Association or Corporation Selling Houses Prior to Completion Through Use of Sample House to Post Bond Guaranteeing Duplication of the Sample House; Penalty for Violation." Presented, p. 235.

**SS** for **SB 284**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 10 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended by Chapter 181, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, with Reference to the Legislative Journals, by Altering the Printing Requirements." Presented, p. 273.

**SB 285**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 119 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to 'Justice of the Peace.' by Increasing the Fine for Assault and Battery." Presented, p. 224.

**SB 287**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 211, Volume 14, Laws of Delaware, 1943, Relating to the State Building and Grounds Commission by Enlarging the Powers and Duties of Said Commission." Presented, p. 218; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 376; signed, p. 400.

**SB 288**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 160, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to the State Housing Board and Housing Authority by Altering the Qualifications of the Mem-

bers of the Board and the Organization of the Board." Presented, p. 224; reported, May 23; passed, p. 423; signed, p. 430.

**SB 290**—"An Act to Transfer Certain Funds to the General Account of the Georgetown Special School District." Presented, p. 224; reported, p. 279.

**SS 1 for SB 291**—"An Act for the Completion, Equipping and Furnishing of Two Partially Finished Buildings, the Repairs, Remodeling and Refurnishing of One Existing Building, the Enlargement, and Equipping of the Present Kitchen, Enlargement of the Boiler Plant and the Utility Services, and the Construction, Equipping and Furnishing of Employees' Residences at the Delaware State Hospital at Farnhurst; Making an Appropriation Therefor and Authorizing the State of Delaware to Borrow Money and Issue Bonds for the Payment of the Money so Appropriated." Presented, p. 272; returned to Senate (**SR 52**), p. 321; presented, p. 317; reported, p. 400; passed, p. 413; signed, p. 430.

**SB 292**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 43 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled, 'Levy Courts' by Repealing the Requirement for Newspaper Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists." Presented, p. 233; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 376; signed, p. 400.

**SB 293**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 45 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'County Treasurers and Collection of Taxes' by Repealing the Requirement for Newspaper Publication of Delinquent Tax Lists." Presented, p. 233; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 376; signed, p. 400.

**SB 295 with SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 202, Volume 37, Laws of Delaware, 1931, Entitled 'An Act to Amend Chapter 163, Volume 32, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act to Further Amend Chapter 92, Volume 23, Laws of Delaware,' Being an Act Entitled 'An Act to Provide for the Organization and Control of the Public Schools of the City of Wilmington' by Providing for the Election of the Members of the Board of Public Education in Wilmington; Qualifications and Method of Election of Members." Presented, p. 233.

**SB 296**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 5 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, to Provide for the Transmittal to the Judges' Library of Sussex County of the Copies of the Judicial Reports and Chancery Reports of the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 219; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 377; signed, p. 400.

**SB 298**—"An Act Appropriating Money to the Holloway Terrace Volunteer Fire Co., Inc., in New Castle County for the Maintenance and Operation of a Motor Vehicle and Equipment for the Use of the 'Rescue Squad' in Answering Emergency Calls to Save Human Life." Presented, p. 272.

**SB 301**—"An Act to Provide for a Commission to Study the Need for Offices for Legislators in the General Assembly and

to Make a Report Pertaining Thereto to the Next General Assembly." Presented, p. 272.

**SB 305**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, with Reference to Motor Vehicles by Providing for the Registration of Vehicles Owned by the Government of the United States When Such Vehicles Are Under Lease with Right of Purchase in the Lessee." Presented, p. 233; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 346; signed, p. 368.

**SB 307**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, with Reference to Motor Vehicles by Providing That Certain Trucks Shall Drive on the Right Hand Side of the Highway in Certain Areas." Presented, p. 224; reported, p. 400; passed, p. 438; signed, p. 430.

**SB 308**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 54 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the State Old Age Welfare Commission." Presented, p. 233.

**SB 309**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 288, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, by Authorizing the State Treasurer to Liquidate Investments Previously Transferred from the Sinking Fund to the General Fund." Presented, p. 233; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 341; signed, p. 368.

**SB 311**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 241 of Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, Being an Act Creating a Family Court for New Castle County, by Providing That in Appeals from Orders of the Family Court, and Judge of the Superior Court in and for New Castle County May Re-hear the Case, and That the Judge Re-hearing the Case May Waive Surety for Costs in the Case of Indigent Persons." Presented, p. 318; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 377; signed, p. 400.

**SB 312**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 118 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relative to the Orphans' Court by Providing That Upon the Proper Petition the Orphans' Court or Any Judge Thereof Shall Have Jurisdiction to Hear Causes Relating to Adjudging Aged or Mentally Infirm or Physically Incapacitated Persons to Be Unable to Care for Their Property and Shall Have Authority to Appoint a Guardian for the Property of Such Persons to Be Governed by the Provisions of Law Relating to the Management of the Estates of Infants Under Guardianship, and Depriving Such Persons of the Right of Contract with Respect to the Property Which Is the Subject Matter of Such Guardianship, During the Pendency Thereof." Presented, p. 403; reported, May 23; passed, p. 423; signed, p. 430.

**SB 314**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Board of Welfare and to the Old Age Welfare Commission, Jointly, for the Purchase, Repair and Furnishing of Buildings in Wilmington, for the Purchase of Land and the Erection of a Suitable Building in Georgetown and for the Repair of the Building in Dover Now Used by the State Board of Welfare



for the Joint Use of Both Agencies as Administrative Offices." Presented, p. 320; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 378; signed, p. 402.

**SB 315**—"An Act to Revise and Consolidate the Statutes Relating to the City of Wilmington Providing the Eligibility to Appointment and for Holding Office as a Member of Any Board or Commission of the Mayor and Council of Wilmington." Presented, p. 391; reported, p. 444; adopted, p. 449; passed, p. 452.

**SB 316**—"An Act to Provide for the Construction of Two Tidewater Gates Near 'River Road,' New Castle County." Presented, p. 273; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 414; signed, p. 452.

**SB 317**—"An Act to Provide for a Commission to Study the Need for a Change in the Time of Meeting of Future Sessions of the General Assembly and to Make a Report and Recommendations Pertaining Thereto to the Next Biennial Session of the General Assembly." Presented, p. 272.

**SB 318**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 104, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, 1945, as Amended, Known as 'The Delaware State Employees' Pension Act' by Providing Pension Benefits to Surviving Spouse and/or Dependent Children of Deceased Employee Under Certain Conditions." Presented, p. 320.

**SB 319**—"An Act to Create a State Insurance Fund, Establishing the Department of State Insurance and Setting Forth Its Powers and Duties, and Making an Appropriation Therefor." Presented, p. 249.

**SB 320**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, to Permit the Issuance, Suspension or Revocation of Restricted Operator's or Chauffeur's Licenses." Presented, p. 224.

**SB 323**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 148, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act to Create a Department of Elections for Kent County' by Raising the Limit of Compensation for the Members and Secretary of the Department of Elections for Kent County." Presented, p. 320.

**SB 324**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 149, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act to Create a Department of Elections for Sussex County' by Raising the Limit of Compensation for the Members and Secretary of the Department of Elections for Sussex County." Presented, p. 320.

**SB 325**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 241, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act Creating a Family Court for New Castle County,' by Changing the Composition of the Court by Providing for Two Full Time Judges with Equal Authority Instead of a Judge and an Associate Judge; by Providing for the Appointment, Powers, Duties, Qualifications and Salaries of the Judges; by Eliminating a Stated Salary, and by Providing Additional Duties for the Clerk; by Increasing the Limits of the Total Budget of the Court; by Pro-

hibiting the Criminal Prosecution of Children." Presented, p. 403; reported, May 24; passed, p. 438; signed, p. 430.

**SB 327**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 56, of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, by Providing for a General Registration of Qualified Voters in the Year 1952, and Every Fourth Year Thereafter, and Providing for a Supplementary Registration of Qualified Voters in the Year 1954, and Every Fourth Year Thereafter." Presented, p. 320.

**SB 328**—"An Act to Amend Article 2, Chapter 160 Known as the 'Housing Authority Law' by Providing for the Extension of the Area of Operations of the Housing Authority by the State Board of Housing." Presented, p. 318; reported, May 23; passed, p. 424; signed, p. 430.

**SB 329**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 160 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Housing and Known as the 'Housing Authority Law' by Adding Definitions of the Terms 'Slum' and 'Persons of Low Income' and by Redefining the Term 'Project.'" Presented, p. 233; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 341; signed, p. 368.

**SB 330**—"An Act to Permit Recipients of Old Age Pensions to Retain Automobiles Titled in Their Names at the Time They Become Eligible for the Pension." Presented, p. 280; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 378; signed, p. 400.

**SB 332**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 56 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Registration of Voters' by Changing and Increasing the Number of Days for the Registration of Voters." Presented, p. 280.

**SB 334**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 364, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act Providing a Method for the Appropriation and Allocation of Funds for the Maintenance, Support and Operation of the Free Public Schools of the State; and Granting to the Permanent Budget Commission and the State Board of Education Certain Powers and Authority to Regulate the Distribution of Funds Appropriated by Changing the Time When the Number of Units in Each School District Shall Be Calculated.'" Presented, p. 235; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 378; signed, p. 400.

**SB 335**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 167, Volume 45, Laws of Delaware as Amended Entitled 'An Act Providing for the Payment of Pensions and Death Benefits to Members of the Bureau of Fire and Bureau of Police of the Department of Public Safety of the City of Wilmington' by Terminating Eligibility Thereunder and Granting Those Presently Thereunder the Option to Return to Coverage Under Chapter 113, Volume 32, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, and Chapter 118, Volume 33, Laws of Delaware, as Amended." Presented, p. 234; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 395; signed, p. 402.

**SB 336**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 118, Volume 33, Laws

of Delaware, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act Providing for a Firemen's Pension Fund for Members of the Bureau of Fire of the Department of Public Safety of the City of Wilmington' by Returning Certain Members of the Bureau of Fire of the City of Wilmington to Coverage Thereunder." Presented, p. 234; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 396; signed, p. 402.

**SB 337**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 113, Volume 32, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act Providing for a Police Pension Fund: for Members of the Police Force of the City of Wilmington' by Returning Certain Members of the Police Force in the City of Wilmington to Coverage Thereunder." Presented, p. 234; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 396; signed, p. 402.

**SB 338**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 269, of Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, Entitled 'An Act to Authorize the Mayor and Council of Wilmington to Provide for the Planning, Acquisition, Purchase, Construction, Improvement, Betterment, Extension, Operation, and Maintenance of Revenue, Treatment, and Disposal of Sewage, Waste, Garbage, and Storm Water; Authorizing the Exercise of the Power of Eminent Domain and the Fixing of Rates in Connection with Such Undertakings; Authorizing and Regulating the Issuance of Revenue Bonds for Financing Such Undertakings; Providing for the Payment of Such Bonds and the Rights of the Holders Thereof; and Making an Appropriation to the Mayor and Council of Wilmington for Sewage Treatment Plants' by Providing a Mode of Procedure for the Taking of Any Land, Buildings, Franchise, Easement, or Other Property by Exercise of Eminent Domain." Presented, p. 249; reported, p. 261; passed, p. 341; signed, p. 362.

**SB 339**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 90 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Child Labor." Presented, p. 277; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 379; signed, p. 400.

**SB 342**—"An Act Appropriating the Sum of Five Thousand Dollars to the Delaware Commission of Shell Fisheries for the Purchase and Planting of Oyster Shells and Plants in the Waters of Indian River Bay." Presented, p. 234; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 346; signed, p. 368.

**SB 343**—"An Act to Provide for the Coverage of Certain Officers and Employees of the State and Local Governments, Housing Authorities and Other Political Subdivisions Under the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Provisions of Title II of the Federal Social Security Act, as Amended, and Providing for an Appropriation to Carry This Act into Effect." Presented, p. 234; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 379; signed, p. 400.

**SS 1 for SB 344**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'Motor Vehicles,' as Amended, by Providing for the Issuance of Special License

Plates to the Owners of Motor Vehicles Who Operate Amateur Radio Stations." Presented, p. 318.

**SB 347**—"An Act Appropriating Money to the Belvidere Volunteer Fire Company, at Belvidere." Presented, p. 272; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 380; signed, p. 400.

**SB 348** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 37 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended Relating to the State Board of Accountancy by Changing the Tenure of the Board, Who May Practice as a Certified Public Accountant, the Requirements for a Certificate and with Reference to the Ownership of Accountants' Working Papers and Privileged Information." Presented, p. 273.

**SS 1** for **SB 349** with **HA 1**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Welfare Home for Certain Capital Improvements." Presented, p. 249; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 380; signed, p. 402.

**SB 352**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 15 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to the State Treasurer by Establishing the Procedure for Servicing the State Bond Program." Presented, p. 224; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 342; signed, p. 368.

**SS 1** for **SB 354**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 138, Volume 41, Laws of Delaware, 1937, Entitled 'An Act to Reincorporate the Town of Clayton,' Providing for the Organization Meeting of Council, the Election Thereat of Town Officers, Prescribing the Duties of President of Council and Providing for Compensation of Members of Council as Such and for Specific Services." Presented, p. 249; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 347; signed, p. 368.

**SB 356**—"An Act Providing for the Election of Boards of School Trustees and School Districts and Boards of Education of Special School Districts in New Castle County Exclusive of the School Districts of Middletown and Rose Hill - Minquadale and the Claymont Special School District." Presented, p. 249.

**SB 358**—"An Act Appropriating the Sum of Two Thousand Dollars to the Delaware Commission of Shell Fisheries as Reimbursal for Money Expended for Part Payment of the Salary of Dr. L. Eugene Cronin, Marine Biologist." Presented, p. 273; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 381; signed, p. 400.

**SB 359**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 6 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Entitled 'State Revenue' by Providing That the Secretary of State May Issue and Make a Charge for Photostatic Copies of Instruments Furnished by His Office as Well as for Original Copies." Presented, p. 224; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 347; signed, p. 368.

**SB 360**—"An Act Relating to the Establishment of a Department of Civil Defense and Other Organizations for Civil Defense Within This State; Granting Certain Executive Powers

with Respect Thereto and for Related Purposes." Presented, p. 280.

**SB 361**—"An Act to Protect the Use of the Great Seal, Coat of Arms, State Flag and Other Emblems or Insignia of the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 249; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 381; signed, p. 400.

**SB 362**—"An Act with Reference to the Boundaries of This State by Establishing Certain Duties of the State Archivist and Chief Engineer of the State Highway Department with Respect Thereto and by Providing a Penalty for the Destruction or Withholding of Any Boundary Marker." Presented, p. 272; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 381; signed, p. 400.

**SB 363**—"An Act to Authorize Housing Authorities to Undertake the Development or Administration of Projects to Assure the Availability of Safe and Sanitary Dwellings for Persons Engaged in National Defense Activities and to Make Such Projects Available to Servicemen and Returning Veterans Consistent with National Defense; to Limit the Initiation of the Development of Such Projects to National Defense Periods; to Authorize Housing Authorities to Cooperate with or Act as Agents of the Federal Government in the Development or Administration of Such Projects of the Federal Government; to Acquire or Lease Such Projects; to Authorize Public Bodies to Assist Such Projects of Housing Authorities and of the Federal Government; to Make Obligations Issued for Such Projects of Housing Authorities Legal Investments; to Provide for the Creation of Housing Authorities for the Purpose of This Act; and to Declare Valid All Bonds, Notes and Obligations of Housing Authorities Issued for Projects Heretofore Undertaken to Assure the Availability of Safe and Sanitary Dwellings for Persons Engaged in National Defense Activities." Presented, p. 280.

**SS 1 for SB 365 with SA 1 and HA 1**—"An Act Making Appropriation for a State Emergency Fund for Certain Emergencies and Conditions Not Otherwise Provided for, for the Respective Years of the Biennium July 1, 1951 to June 30, 1953, and Prescribing Limitations Upon Use Thereof and the Powers and Duties of the Permanent Budget Commission in Relation Thereto." Presented, May 16; reported, p. 400; passed, p. 449; signed, p. 452.

**SB 366**—"An Act Providing for the Employment of Unemployed Employables by the State, Counties or Municipalities Under Certain Conditions." Presented, p. 250; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 382; signed, p. 400.

**SB 367**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Fish, Oysters and Game,' Regarding Restricted Experimental, Propagating and Shooting Preserves, in New Castle County, and the Authority of the Board with Respect Thereto, with Respect to Extending

the Season Thereof Under Certain Conditions." Presented, p. 318; reported, May 23; lost, p. 424; restored, p. 439; lost, 439; restored, p. 439.

**SB 368**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 212, Volume 44, Laws of Delaware, 1943, as Amended, Relating to the State Soil Conservation Commission by Changing the Composition of Said Commission." Presented, p. 280.

**SB 369** with **SA 1**—"An Act Amending Chapter 110 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended Relative to the Supreme Court and to Provide for the Expense Thereof." Presented, p. 318; reported, p. 390; deferred, p. 396; passed, p. 397; signed, p. 402.

**SB 374** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 176, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, with Reference to Alcoholic Liquor, Wines and Beer, by Providing That the Commission Shall Not Concern Itself with Respect to the Payment of Alcoholic Liquor or Beer Purchased by Holders of a License from a Manufacturer or Importer Except Under Certain Conditions." Presented, p. 321.

**SB 378**—"An Act to Provide for the Clearance of Slum and Blighted Areas for Redevelopment in Accordance with Plans Approved by the Governing Body of the City, Town or County; to Create for This Purpose a Public Body Corporate and Politic, to Be Known as the Slum Clearance and Redevelopment Authority, in Each City, Town and County of This State; to Define the Duties, Liabilities, Exemptions, and Powers of Such Authorities, Including the Power to Acquire and Dispose of Property, Exercise the Power of Eminent Domain, Issue Bonds and Other Obligations, and to Give Security Therefor, and Enter into Agreements to Secure Federal Aid or Contributions and Comply with Conditions Imposed in Connection Therewith; to Provide That Slum Clearance and Redevelopment Authorities, Their Property and Securities Shall Be Exempt from Taxation and Assessments; to Authorize Either the Transaction of Business by Such Authority or the Exercise of the Duties and Powers of Such Authority by the City, Town or County Itself or by a Housing Authority Upon Approval by the Governing Body of the City, Town or County; to Authorize the Creation of Such Authorities in Regions Comprising Cooperating, Cities, Towns and Counties; to Authorize the Acquisition and Development of Vacant Areas in Connection with the Redevelopment of Slum or Blighted Areas, Upon Approval of the Governing Body of the City, Town or County; to Authorize Public Bodies to Furnish Funds, Services, Facilities and Property in Aid of Slum Clearance and Redevelopment Projects Hereunder; to Authorize Cities, Towns and Counties to Obtain Funds Therefor by the Issuance of Obligations, by Taxation or Otherwise; to Provide That Obligations Issued for Slum Clearance or Redevelopment Projects Hereunder Shall

Be Legal Investments.” Presented, p. 273; reported, p. 367; amended, p. 382; passed, p. 382; amendment lost in Senate, p. 400; passed, p. 439; signed, p. 452.

**SS 1 for SB 379 with SA 1**—“An Act Creating as Bodies Corporate and Politic ‘Parking Authorities’ in Incorporated Cities; Prescribing the Rights, Powers and Duties of Such Authorities; Authorizing Such Authorities to Acquire, Construct, Improve, Maintain and Operate Parking Projects; to Conduct Research of the Parking Problem, and to Establish a Permanent Co-ordinated System of Parking Facilities, and to Borrow Money and Issue Bonds Therefor; Providing for the Payment of Such Bonds and Prescribing the Rights of the Holders Thereof; Conferring the Right of Eminent Domain on Such Authorities; Empowering Such Authorities to Enter into Contracts with, and to Accept Grants from, the Federal Government, State, Political Subdivisions of the State or Any Agency Thereof; Exempting the Property and Securities of Such Parking Authorities from Taxation and Conferring Exclusive Jurisdiction on Certain Courts Over Rates.” Presented, p. 318; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 397; signed, p. 430.

**SB 380**—“An Act to Amend Chapter 66, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to ‘Banks, Savings Societies and Trust Companies, by Increasing the Size of the Bank Advisory Board; Qualifications and Compensation.” Presented, p. 274; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 383; signed, p. 400.

**SB 381**—“An Act Amending Chapter 12 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware, 1935, Entitled: ‘Salaries of State Officers,’ in Respect of the Salaries and Compensation of the Judiciary.” Presented, p. 318; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 398; signed, p. 402.

**SB 391**—“An Act Appropriating the Sum of One Hundred Nineteen Thousand Three Hundred Twenty-nine Dollars and Forty-four Cents (\$119,329.44) to the State Police Pension Board for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of Law Relating to State Police Pensions.” Presented, p. 280; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 383; signed, p. 400.

**SB 392**—“An Act Appropriating the Sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to the State Highway Department for the Purpose of Maintaining and Improving Indian River Inlet Park.” Presented, p. 272.

**SS 1 for SB 394 with SA 1 and HA 1**—“An Act Authorizing the State of Delaware to Borrow a Certain Sum of Money for Sundry Capital Improvements and Expenditures in the Nature of Capital Investments and to Issue Bonds Therefor.” Presented, p. 403; reported, May 23; passed, p. 425; passed with **SA 1** and **HA 1**, p. 440; signed, p. 452.

**SB 395**—“An Act Authorizing the Acceptance of Title to Lands in Sussex County in the Name of the State of Delaware for the Construction, Operation and Maintenance by the High-

way Commissioner of the State of New Jersey of Facilities Necessary to a Ferry Service for the Transportation of Persons and Property Between a Point in Cape May County, New Jersey, and a Point in Lewes, Delaware; Consenting to the Use of Said Lands for the Construction, Operation and Maintenance of Said Facilities; Providing Means to Assist in the Acquisition of the Use of Property Necessary or Convenient for Said Purpose; Consenting to the Establishment, Operation and Maintenance of Such Ferry Service; Exempting Such Facilities and Their Revenue from Taxation; and Containing Other Provisions Incidental to the Foregoing." Presented, p. 250; reported, p. 278; passed, p. 384; signed, p. 400.

**SB 396**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 133 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, Relating to Exemption of Wages from Mesne Attachment Process and Execution Attachment Process Under Certain Condition by Providing for Attachment of Wages in New Castle County for Taxes Owing the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 319; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 384; signed, p. 400.

**SB 397**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 65 of the Revised Code of the State of Delaware of 1935 Relating to Corporations." Presented, p. 274; reported, p. 348; passed, p. 385; signed, p. 400.

**SB 399**—"An Act to Amend Articles 1 and 3 of Chapter 76 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Insane' by Striking Out the Word 'Insane' Wherever Used in Said Article and by Substituting in Lieu Thereof the Words 'Mentally Ill'; Definition of Terms." Presented, p. 277.

**SB 400**—"An Act to Require All Present and Future Officers and Employees of the State of Delaware or Any Political Subdivision Thereof to Take an Oath to Support and Defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 274; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 385; signed, p. 400.

**SB 401** with **HA 1**—"An Act for the Preservation of Buildings, Sites and Objects of Historic Interest in the State and Providing a Trust Fund for Their Preservation and Appropriation Therefor." Presented, p. 272; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 398; signed, p. 452.

**SB 403**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Board of Education for the Use by the Ellendale Public School No. 125 in Sussex County, State of Delaware, to Purchase New Equipment for the School Cafeteria." Presented, p. 280; reported p. 312.

**SS 2** for **SB 411** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Provide for the Enlargement and Improvement of the System of Free Public Schools of Delaware; Appropriating Money for Said Purposes; Authorizing the Financing of Such Enlargement and Improvement by the Issuance of Bonds and Bond Anticipation Notes



of the State and by Contributions from Certain School Districts, and the City of Wilmington; Defining School Districts; Authorizing the Issuance of Bonds of Certain School Districts, and the City of Wilmington for the Purpose of Raising Money to Make Such Contributions; and Creating a State School Building Program Board and Local School Building Commissions." Presented, p. 277; returned to Senate (**SR 50**), p. 321; presented, p. 319; reported, p. 400; passed, p. 411; signed, p. 452.

**SS 1** for **SB 413** with **SA 1**—"An Act Authorizing the State of Delaware to Borrow Ten Million Dollars (\$10,000,000) and Issue Bonds Therefor, to Provide a Highway Improvement Program, for the Purpose of Acquiring Lands and Rights-of-Way and Constructing and Reconstructing Roads, Highways, Bridges, and Improvements Incidental Thereto, and Providing the Form of the Bonds and Coupons as Well as the Procedure for the Sale Thereof, Providing for the Payment of Principal and Interest of Said Bonds, and Appropriating the Sum Received Therefrom to the State Highway Department." Presented, p. 443; reported, p. 444; passed, p. 450; signed, p. 452.

**SB 414**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 170 of Volume 46, Laws of Delaware, 1947, and Chapter 304 of Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, Both Appropriating Monies for Delayed and Essential Repairs and Maintenance to and of Certain State Institutions, by Directing Certain of Such Unexpended Monies to Revert to the General Fund of the State Treasury." Presented, p. 250; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 386; signed, p. 400.

**SB 415**—"An Act to Appropriate Moneys to Certain Hospitals in the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 250; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 414; signed, p. 452.

**SS 1** for **SB 416** with **HA 1**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Office of Civil Defense for the Purpose of Purchasing and Acquiring Extensive Civil Defense Equipment." Presented, p. 319; **HS** introduced, p. 429; reported, p. 429; passed, p. 441; concurred in, p. 443; signed, p. 452.

**SB 417**—"An Act to Appropriate Funds to Provide for Adequate Drainage of Lands Near the Frederick Douglass School, Seaford, Delaware." Presented, p. 250; reported, p. 312; passed, p. 415; signed, p. 430.

**SB 418** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 12, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Salaries of State Officers by Establishing a Salary Schedule for Certain State Employees." Presented, p. 416; passed, p. 450; signed, p. 452.

**SS 2** for **SB 420** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Appropriate Funds to the State Board of Education for Capital Replacement in the School Buildings of the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 319; reported, p. 402; passed, p. 415; **HS**; concurred in, p. 428; signed, p. 452.

**SB 421**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 207, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, Entitled 'An Act Making an Appropriation to the Ferris School for Boys for the Erection of a Dormitory Cottage and a Building for Vocational Training' by Providing That a Part of the Funds so Appropriated May Be Used for Furnishing and Equipping Said Dormitory Cottage." Presented, p. 234; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 386; signed, p. 400.

**SB 424**—"An Act Appropriating Certain Moneys to Laura Livergood in Payment of a Claim of Said Laura Livergood Against the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 321; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 386; signed, p. 400.

**SB 427** with **SA 1**—"An Act Establishing a Uniform Procedure for the Condemnation of Property Under the Power of Eminent Domain, and for the Determination of Just Compensation in Such Cases." Presented, p. 278; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 387; signed, p. 402.

**SB 429**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 74 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Fish, Oysters and Game, by Providing for the Season Within Which Muskrats May Be Caught and Killed in Kent and Sussex Counties." Presented, p. 391; reported, p. 429; passed, p. 442; signed, p. 452.

**SB 431**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 101, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, Relating to Judicial Reports." Presented, p. 250; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 398; signed, p. 402.

**SB 432** with **SA 1**—"An Act to Amend an Act Entitled 'An Act to Create and Establish a Public Service Commission and Prescribing Its Powers and Duties and to Provide for the Regulation and Control of Public Service Corporations and Public Utilities and Making Appropriations Therefor,' Being Chapter 254, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, by Changing and Enlarging the Powers of the Commission in Employment of Personnel: by Prescribing Certain Qualifications for Commissioners and Personnel; by Fixing the Number of Commissioners Who Shall Constitute a Quorum; by Providing That Investigations, Inquiries and Hearings May Be Held Before the Commission, or Before Any Member Thereof or an Examiner Designated by It; by Empowering the Commission to Make or Hold Joint Investigations or Hearings with Regulatory Bodies of Other States or of the United States; by Redefining Railroad Utilities; by Removing Steam Boat Companies from the Provisions of Section 3 (k) of the Act; by Empowering the Commission to Prescribe Insurance Requirements for Certain Motor Carriers and Fixing the Minimum Requirements Therefor; by Empowering the Commission to Require Public Utilities to Give Notice of Certain Accidents and to File Annual and Other Reports; by Enlarging the Powers of the Commission to Prescribe Systems of Accounts and Records and to Regulate the Keeping of the Same; by Empowering the Commission to Fix Rates of Depreciation and Regulate Depreciation

Accounts; by Providing for Access to and the Inspection and Examination of Books, Accounts, Records, Property and Facilities of Public Utilities and Requiring Public Utilities to Furnish Certain Information and Records to the Commission; by Requiring Books, Accounts and Records of Public Utilities to Be Kept in This State Except in Certain Instances; by Prohibiting Changes in Existing Rates of Public Utilities Except Upon Certain Notice to the Commission and Changing the Time for Making Certain Refunds from Thirty to Ninety Days; by Empowering the Commission to Fix Temporary Rates in Certain Cases; by Providing That the Burden of Proof in Rate Proceedings Shall Be Upon the Public Utility; by Requiring Approval of the Commission for Assumption of Liabilities of Other Persons or Corporations by Any Public Utility, and Removing the Time Limit of Fifteen Days Within Which the Commission May Approve or Disapprove Certain Proposed Mergers, Mortgages, Transfers, Issues of Securities or Assumption of Liabilities; by Requiring Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity in Certain Cases; by Empowering Any Member or Examiner of the Commission to Sign Subpoenas, Administer Oaths and Examine Witnesses; by Changing the Procedure for Taking Depositions; by Requiring Public Utilities to Designate Resident Agents for Service of Process; by Providing for the Service of Orders of the Commission and Empowering the Commission to Fix the Effective Date of Its Orders; and by Providing for Appeals from Final Orders of the Commission by Any Public Utility, or Any Original Party or Intervenor Affected by Such Orders." Presented, p. 416; passed, p. 451; signed, p. 452.

**SB 434**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the State Highway Department to Recut State Boundary Marker No. 1 at Fenwick Island in Sussex County and for the Replacement of State Boundary Marker No. 85 in New Castle County." Presented, p. 250; reported, p. 279; passed, p. 348; signed, p. 368.

**SB 435**—"An Act to Create a Delaware Commission on Children and Youth." Presented, p. 278; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 399; signed, p. 402.

**SS 1 for SB 437**—"An Act Providing for Joint Action by the States of Delaware, New Jersey, and New York and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in Developing, Utilizing, Controlling, and Conserving the Water Resources of the Delaware River Basin in Order to Assure an Adequate Water Supply; Authorizing the Governor, for These Purposes, to Enter into a Compact with the States of New Jersey and New York and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and to Apply on Behalf of the State of Delaware to the Congress of the United States for Its Consent Thereto; Creating the Delaware River Basin Water Commission and Specifying the Powers and Duties Thereof, Including the Power to Finance Projects by the Issu-

ance of Bonds; Providing for the Appointment on Behalf of the State of Delaware of the Members of the Said Commission; Requiring the Commission to Prepare and Report Plans and Specifications for Specific Projects; Requiring Certain Prior Approvals by the Legislatures of the Compacting States." Presented, p. 278; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 387; signed, p. 400.

**SB 442**—"An Act Making an Appropriation to the Public Archives Commission for the Compilation and Publication of a History of Delaware's Participation in World War II." Presented, p. 272; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 388; signed, p. 400.

**SB 447**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 166, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the State Highway Department by Deleting the Provision That Members of Said Department May Not Be Members of Any Political Committee." Presented, p. 319.

**SB 449**—"An Act Directing the State Treasurer to Remit Any Fine Collected by the State Upon a Conviction Which Was Later Set Aside by a Higher Court Upon a Certiorari." Presented, p. 319; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 388; signed, p. 400.

**SB 450**—"An Act Appropriating Money to the 'Board of Managers of the Detention Home' for Salaries and Wages." Presented, p. 250; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 389; signed, p. 400.

**SB 451**—"An Act to Amend an Act Providing for the Payment of Pensions and Death Benefits to Members of the Bureau of Fire and Bureau of Police of the Department of Public Safety of the City of Wilmington (the Same Being Chapter 167 of Volume 45, Laws of Delaware)." Presented, p. 234; reported, p. 367; passed, p. 389; signed, p. 400.

**SB 452**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 113, Volume 32, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act Providing for a Police Pension Fund: for Members of the Police Force of the City of Wilmington,' by Providing Additional Benefits for Total or Partial Disability Under Certain Conditions." Presented, p. 234; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 399; signed, p. 402.

**SB 453**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 118, Volume 33, Laws of Delaware, as Amended, Entitled 'An Act Providing for a Firemen's Pension Fund for Members of the Bureau of Fire of the Department of Public Safety of the City of Wilmington' by Providing Additional Benefits for Total or Partial Disability Under Certain Conditions." Presented, p. 235; reported, p. 390; passed, p. 399; signed, p. 402.

**SB 455**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 102 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Entitled 'Boundaries' by Requiring Every Person Selling Timber Land or Standing Timber for Cutting to Cause to Be Plainly Marked and Established by a Competent Surveyor or Surveyors the Boundary

Lines of the Tract Sold or Upon Which the Timber Sold for Cutting Stands; and Providing Certain Exceptions." Presented, p. 319.

**SB 456 with SA 1**—"An Act Providing for the Regulation, Control and Stabilization of Rents in Housing Accommodations Effective with the Termination of Federal Rent Control Legislation; Creating a Temporary State Housing Rent Commission; Its Powers and Duties; and Making an Appropriation Therefor." Presented, p. 273.

**SB 459**—"An Act Governing Clearances on Railroads with Reference to Side and Overhead Structures, on Parallel and Yard Tracks." Presented, p. 319.

**SB 462**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 165 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to the Revocation of Licenses and Issuance of a New Restricted License After Revocation." Presented, p. 403; reported, May 23; passed, p. 426; reported, p. 430.

**SB 463 with SA 1**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 65 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended, Relating to Corporations." Presented, p. 404; reported, May 23; passed, p. 426; reported, p. 430.

**SB 464**—"An Act to Further Amend Chapter 67, Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, in Reference to the Compensation of the Superintendent of the Public Building Commission for the City of Wilmington and New Castle County." Presented, p. 404; reported, May 23; passed, p. 425.

**SB 466**—"An Act Providing That the State of Delaware May Enter into a Compact with Any Other State for Mutual Helpfulness in Meeting Any Civil Defense Emergency or Disaster." Presented, p. 404; reported, May 23; passed, p. 425; reported, p. 430.

**SB 468**—"An Act to Amend Chapter 71 of the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, as Amended by Chapter 358, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, 1949, Relating to the Procedure for the Termination of Contracts of Professional School Employees, by Providing for Notice to Employee with a Right of Appeal to the State Board of Education and with a Right of Appeal from the State Board of Education to the Superior Court." Presented, p. 443.

## HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

**HR 1**—"In Reference to the Election of Officers for the House." Introduced, p. 5; adopted, p. 5.

**HR 2**—"In Reference to Rules of the House of Representatives." Introduced, p. 6; adopted, p. 6.

**HR 3**—"Notifying the Senate That the House Is Organized and Ready for Business." Introduced, p. 6; adopted, p. 6.

**HR 4**—"Authorizing the State Librarian to Furnish Supplies." Introduced, p. 6; adopted, p. 6.

**HR 5**—"Extending the Privileges of the Floor to Certain Persons." Introduced, p. 6; adopted, p. 6.

**HR 6**—"Appointing a Committee to Notify the Governor That the House of Representatives Is Organized." Introduced, p. 7; adopted, p. 7.

**HR 7**—"Authorizing the State Librarian to Furnish Stationery and Other Supplies." Introduced, p. 8; adopted, p. 8.

**HR 8**—"Extending to the Honorable Fred L. Brittingham the Sympathy of the House of Representatives During His Illness." Introduced, p. 8; adopted, p. 8.

**HR 9**—"Providing for the Oath of Office as a Member of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred and Sixteenth General Assembly Be Administered to the Honorable Fred L. Brittingham." Introduced, p. 25; adopted, p. 25.

**HR 10**—"In Reference to the Election of Officers of the House." Introduced, p. 26; adopted, p. 26.

**HR 11**—"Accepting the Lowest Responsible Bid for Each of the Classes of Printed Matter Required by the House." Introduced, p. 31; adopted, p. 31.

**HR 12**—"Authorizing the Committee of Supplies to Purchase Filing Cabinets and Typewriters for Use of the House of Representatives." Introduced, p. 33; adopted, p. 33.

**HR 13**—"Authorizing the State Treasurer to Pay to the State Librarian Money for Postage Stamps for Use of the Mail Clerk." Introduced, p. 33; adopted, p. 33.

**HR 14**—"Authorizing the State Librarian to Furnish Stationery and Supplies to Certain Officers and Attaches of the House." Introduced, p. 39; adopted, p. 39.

**HR 15**—"Authorizing the State Librarian to Supply the Revised Code of Delaware, 1935, and Volumes 41 Through 47, Inclusive, Laws of Delaware and Volume 48, Laws of Delaware, When the Same Is Compiled and Published, to Members of the House of Representatives and Certain Officers Thereof." Introduced, p. 39; adopted, p. 39.

**HR 16**—"Authorizing Payments on Account to Attaches and Employees." Introduced, p. 41; adopted, p. 41.

**HR 17**—"Adopting Permanent Rules for the House of Representatives." Introduced, p. 50; adopted, p. 50.

**HR 18**—"Relating to the Placing of a Bronze Tablet in the House Chamber and Making an Appropriation Therefor." Introduced, p. 57; adopted, p. 57.

**HR 19**—"Relative to the Payment on Account for Collecting Data, Compiling, Editing and Publishing the Daily Calendar and Printing of Identification Cards and Thirty-Five Sets of Personal Cards for the House of Representatives of the

116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 58; adopted, p. 58.

**HR 20**—"Authorizing the Payment for Furnishing and Delivering Two Four-Drawer Legal Filing Cabinets and Line-A-Time to the House of Representatives." Introduced, p. 59; adopted, p. 59.

**HR 21**—"In Reference to the Election of Officers to the House." Introduced, p. 59; adopted, p. 59.

**HR 22**—"Expressing the Sympathy of the House of Representatives to Honorable G. Lester Cleaver on Account of the Death of His Mother." Introduced, p. 64; adopted, p. 64.

**HR 23**—"Authorizing Payments on Account to Attaches and Employees." Introduced, p. 65; adopted, p. 65.

**HR 24**—"Relative to the Death of Edward T. Weer." Introduced, p. 67; adopted, p. 67.

**HR 25**—"Relative to the Payment on Account for Collecting Data, Compiling, Editing and Publishing the Daily Calendar for the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 80; adopted, p. 80.

**HR 26**—"Authorizing Payments on Account to Attaches and Employees." Introduced, p. 93; adopted, p. 93.

**HR 27**—"Authorizing the Payment for Imprinting Letterheads and Envelopes for Members of House of Representatives." Introduced, p. 93; adopted, p. 93.

**HR 28**—"Authorizing the Payment for Furnishing and Delivering One Twelve-Drawer Cabinet for Legal Papers to the House of Representatives." Introduced, p. 93; adopted, p. 93.

**HR 29**—"In Reference to the Election of Certain Officers of the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 96; adopted, p. 96.

**HR 30**—"Relative to the Death of Abner Woodward. Introduced, p. 105; adopted, p. 105.

**HR 31**—"Relative to the Payment on Account for Collecting Data, Compiling, Editing and Publishing the Daily Calendar for the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 106; adopted, p. 106.

**HR 32**—"Appropriating Money Out of the General Fund of the State Treasury to Pay Certain Expenses of the Present Session of the 116th General Assembly." Introduced, p. 106; adopted, p. 106.

**HR 33**—"Relative to the Death of John D. Warrington." Introduced, p. 108; adopted, p. 108.

**HR 34**—"Authorizing the State Librarian to Furnish Stationery and Supplies to Certain Officers and Attaches of the House." Introduced, p. 110; adopted, p. 110.

**HR 35**—"Authorizing Payments on Account to Attaches and Employees." Introduced, p. 130; adopted, p. 130.

**HR 36**—"Relative to the Payment on Account for Collecting Data, Compiling, Editing and Publishing the Daily Calendar for the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 131; adopted, p. 131.

**HR 37**—"In Reference to the Election of Certain Officers of the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 137; adopted, p. 137.

**HR 38**—"Authorizing the Payment of Certain Expenses for Telephone Service." Introduced, p. 147; adopted, p. 147.

**HR 39**—"Authorizing the Payment for Furnishing and Delivering Roll Call Books and Backers for Bills to the House of Representatives." Introduced, p. 148; adopted, p. 148.

**HR 40**—"Relative to the Payment on Account for Collecting Data, Compiling, Editing and Publishing the Daily Calendar for the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 149; adopted, p. 149.

**HR 41**—"In Reference to the Election of Certain Officers of the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 153; adopted, p. 153.

**HR 42**—"Authorizing Payments on Account to Attaches and Employees." Introduced, p. 164; adopted, p. 164.

**HR 43**—"In Reference to the Election of Certain Officers of the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 181; adopted, p. 181.

**HR 44**—"Relative to the Payment on Account for Collecting Data, Compiling, Editing and Publishing the Daily Calendar for the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 182; adopted, p. 182.

**HR 45**—"Authorizing Payments on Accounts to Attaches and Employees." Introduced, p. 192; adopted, p. 192.

**HR 46**—"Authorizing the Payment for Furnishing of Rule Books to the House of Representatives." Introduced, p. 192; adopted, p. 192.

**HR 47**—"Appropriating Money Out of the General Funds of the State Treasury to Pay Certain Expenses of the Present Session of the 116th General Assembly." Introduced, p. 198; adopted, p. 198.

**HR 48**—"Relative to the Payment on Account for Collecting Data, Compiling, Editing and Publishing the Daily Calendar for the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 203; adopted, p. 203.



**HR 49**—"Relative to the Death of Wesley Smith." Introduced, p. 203; adopted, p. 203.

**HR 50**—"Relative to the Payment on Account for Collecting Data, Compiling, Editing and Publishing the Daily Calendar for the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 225; adopted, p. 225.

**HR 51**—"Authorizing the Payment of Certain Expenses for Telephone Service." Introduced, p. 225; reported, p. 270; adopted, p. 270.

**HR 52**—"Authorizing Payment to Attaches and Employees." Introduced, p. 236; adopted, p. 236.

**HR 53**—"Relative to the Payment on Account for Collecting Data, Compiling, Editing and Publishing the Daily Calendar for the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 253; adopted, p. 253.

**HR 54**—"Relative to the Payment on Account for Collecting Data, Compiling, Editing and Publishing the Daily Calendar for the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 391; adopted, p. 391.

**HR 55**—"Requesting Return of Senate Bill No. 123 from the Senate of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Introduced, p. 401; adopted, p. 401.

**HR 56**—"Authorizing the Payment for Furnishing and Delivering Two Electric Typewriters to the House of Representatives." Introduced, p. 401; adopted, p. 401.

**HR 57**—"Appropriation for the Repair of Remington Typewriter Used by the House of Representatives." Introduced, p. 427; adopted, p. 427.

**HR 58**—"Authorizing the Payment of Certain Expenses for Telephone Services." Introduced, p. 429; adopted, p. 429.

**HR 59**—"Appropriating Money Out of the General Funds of the State Treasury to Pay Certain Expenses of the Present Session of the 116th General Assembly." Introduced, p. 444; adopted, p. 444.

**HR 60**—"Authorizing the Payment of Certain Expenses for Telephone Service from May 7, 1951 to the End of the Present Session of This General Assembly." Introduced, p. 445; adopted, p. 445.

**HR 61**—"Relative to the Payment for Printing the Final Calendar for the House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware and Mailing and Delivering Thereof." Introduced, p. 445; adopted, p. 445.

**HR 62**—"Appropriating Monies to Pay Fees of Attaches." Introduced, p. 452; adopted, p. 452.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

**HCR 1**—"Fixing the Time After Which No New Bills or Joint Resolutions Shall Be Received by Either House, Except General Appropriation Bills." Introduced, p. 50.

**HCR 2**—"Appropriation for Postage Stamps and Other Supplies for the 116th General Assembly." Introduced, p. 54; adopted, p. 54; concurred in, p. 66; signed, p. 70; delivered to Gov., p. 72; approved, p. 107.

**HCR 3**—"Extending the Sympathy of the House of Representatives and Senate Unto Honorable Harvey H. Lawson upon the Death of His Brother, Bird Lawson." Introduced, p. 66; adopted, p. 66; concurred in, p. 67; signed, p. 70; delivered to Gov., p. 72; approved, p. 107.

**HCR 4**—"Extending Sympathy of the House of Representatives and the Senate to the Family of M. Allen Wilson." Introduced, p. 101; concurred in, p. 102; adopted, p. 101; signed, p. 122; approved, p. 158.

**HCR 5**—"An Appropriation for Postage Stamps and Other Supplies for the 116th General Assembly." Introduced, p. 105; adopted, p. 183; concurred in, p. 183; signed, p. 192; delivered to Gov., p. 202; approved, p. 261.

**HCR 6**—"Relative to General of the Army Douglas MacArthur." Introduced, p. 216; concurred in, p. 260; adopted, p. 216; signed, p. 270; delivered to Gov., p. 270; approved, p. 416.

**HCR 7**—"Permitting the Introduction of New Bills." Introduced, p. 314; adopted, p. 314; concurred in, p. 316; approved, p. 416.

**HCR 8**—"Permitting the Introduction of New Bills." Introduced, May 16; signed, p. 430; adopted, May 16; concurred in, p. 400; delivered to Gov., p. 415.

**HCR 9**—"Appropriation for Postage Stamps and Other Supplies for the 116th General Assembly." Introduced, p. 401; adopted, p. 401; concurred in, p. 403; signed, p. 416; delivered to Gov., p. 430.

**HCR 10**—"Relative to Staff Sergeant Howard Linwood Krantz." Introduced, p. 427; signed, p. 452; adopted, p. 427; concurred in, p. 428.

**HCR 11**—"With Reference to Legislative Telephones." Introduced, p. 429; adopted, p. 429; concurred in, p. 428; signed, p. 452.

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

**HJR 1**—"Appointing a Bill Clerk for the House of Representatives and a Bill Clerk for the Senate to Serve During the 116th Session of the General Assembly." Introduced, p. 28; reported, p. 33; adopted, p. 36; concurred in, p. 47; signed, p. 52; delivered to Gov., p. 64; approved, p. 107.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

**SCR 1**—"Authorizing the Adjournment of the Senate and House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly Until Tuesday, January 9, 1951 at 12:00 Noon." Presented, p. 7; adopted, p. 7; signed, p. 86.

**SCR 2**—"That the Two Houses Meet in Joint Session to Hear the Message of the Governor." Presented, p. 8; adopted, p. 8; signed, p. 86.

**SCR 3**—"Authorizing the Adjournment of the Senate and House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly Until Monday, January 15, 1951, at 11:00 O'clock A. M." Presented, p. 33; adopted, p. 33; signed, p. 86.

**SCR 4**—"In Opposition to Any Form of World Government." Presented, p. 79; reported, p. 142; signed, p. 219.

**SCR 5**—"Providing for a Joint Session to Attend the Exercises Arranged in Commemoration of the Birthday Anniversary of Abraham Lincoln." Presented, p. 70; adopted, p. 70.

**SCR 6**—"Authorizing the Board of Game and Fish Commissioners of the State of Delaware to Communicate with the Secretary of the Interior of the United States of America Requesting the Extension of the Open Season on Migratory Fowl." Presented, p. 72; adopted, p. 269; introduced, p. 79; reported, p. 102; signed, p. 281.

**SCR 7**—"Extending Greetings to the Honorable Elbert N. Carvel, Governor of the State of Delaware upon His Birthday Anniversary." Presented, p. 72; signed, p. 86; adopted, p. 72.

**SCR 8**—"Expressing Appreciation to Those Who Assisted in the Program Commemorating the Birthday of Abraham Lincoln." Presented, p. 76; signed, p. 86; adopted, p. 76.

**SCR 9**—"Providing for a Joint Session to Hear the Presentation of the Incodel Project." Presented, p. 81; signed, p. 86; adopted, p. 81.

**SCR 10**—"Providing for a Joint Session to Hear an Address by Honorable Charles C. Ralls, National Commander-in-Chief, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States of America." Presented, p. 86; signed, p. 128; adopted, p. 86.

**SCR 11**—"Authorizing the Adjournment of the Senate and House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly Until Tuesday, February 20, 1951, at 1:00 O'clock in the Afternoon." Presented, p. 86; signed, p. 128; adopted, p. 86.

**SCR 12**—"Extending the Sympathy of the Senate and House of Representatives Unto Honorable Edwin R. Powell Upon the Death of His Mother, Jennie E. Powell." Presented, p. 86; signed, p. 128; adopted, p. 86.

**SCR 13**—"Providing for a Joint Session to Attend the Exercises Arranged in Commemoration of the Birthday Anniversary of George Washington." Presented, p. 95; signed, p. 128; adopted, p. 95.

**SCR 14**—"Fixing the Time After Which No New Bills or Joint Resolutions Shall Be Received by Either House of the 116th General Assembly of the State of Delaware, Excepting General Appropriation Bills." Presented, p. 140; passed, p. 152; reported, p. 142; signed, p. 210.

**SCR 15**—"Inviting the Boys' State to Be the Guest of the One Hundred and Sixteenth General Assembly." Presented, p. 140; adopted, p. 158; reported, p. 142; signed, p. 210.

**SCR 16**—"Objecting to the Proposal by the Federal Government to Increase the Federal Gasoline Tax." Presented, p. 205; reported, p. 216; signed, p. 251.

**SCR 17**—"Extending the Sympathy of the Senate and House of Representatives in Respect of the Death of Edward Hart, Sr." Presented, p. 187; adopted, p. 187; signed, p. 210.

**SCR 18**—"Requesting the Delaware Bar Association to Examine the Codification of the Statute Laws of the State of Delaware to Be Prepared in Accordance with the Provisions of Chapter 377, Volume 47, Laws of Delaware, upon the Completion of Said Codification, and to Submit a Report with Reference Thereto to the Next Biennial Session of the General Assembly." Presented, p. 183.

**SCR 19**—"Authorizing the Adjournment of the Senate and House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly Until Tuesday, March 27, 1951, at Eleven O'clock in the Forenoon." Presented, p. 164; adopted, p. 164; signed, p. 210.

**SCR 20**—"Providing for a Study of the Advisability of Replacing the Woodland Ferry with a Draw Bridge Across the Nanticoke River in Sussex County." Presented, p. 183; reported, p. 367; adopted, p. 390; signed, p. 400.

**SCR 21**—"Appropriating Money to Reimburse the Secretary of the State, Multigraph Department, for Certain Monies Expended for Certain Labor and Supplies Needed, Furnished to and Used by the Senate and House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly." Presented, p. 205; reported, p. 367; adopted, p. 389; signed, p. 402.

**SCR 22**—"Making an Appropriation for Expense in Connection with the Work of the General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 219.

**SCR 23**—"In Reference to Adjournment Sine Die." Presented, p. 235; reported, p. 261; adopted, p. 261; signed, p. 281.

**SCR 24**—"With Respect to the Death of the Late Arthur H. Vandenburg." Presented, p. 274; adopted, p. 274; signed, p. 362.

**SCR 25**—"Appropriating Money to Reimburse the Secretary of the State, Multigraph Department, for Certain Monies Expended for Certain Labor and Supplies Needed, Furnished to and Used by the Senate and House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly." Presented, p. 278; reported, p. 367; adopted, p. 390; signed, p. 402.

**SCR 27**—"Appropriating Money to Reimburse Harris B. McDowell, Jr., Secretary of the State, for Certain Monies Expended for Certain Telephone Services Paid Out, Needed, Furnished to and Used by the Senate and House of Representatives of the 116th General Assembly." Presented, p. 321; reported, p. 367; adopted, p. 389; signed, p. 402.

**SCR 28**—"Extending Greetings to the Honorable Harry S. Truman, President of the United States of America, Upon His Birthday Anniversary." Presented, p. 321; adopted, p. 321; signed, p. 368.

**SCR 29**—"In Respect of a New Castle Tercentenary Session of the Members and Officers of the General Assembly of the State of Delaware." Presented, p. 402; adopted, p. 402; signed, p. 430.

**SCR 30**—"Making an Appropriation for Expense in Connection with the Work of the General Assembly of the State of Delaware."

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**SJR 1**—"Authorizing the Governor to Appoint Additional Members to the New Castle Tercentenary Commission to Aid in Completing and Executing Plans for the Celebration of the Three Hundredth Anniversary of Dutch Settlement at New Castle, Colonial Capital on the Delaware River and First Capital of the First State." Presented, p. 35; reported, p. 38; adopted, p. 40; signed, p. 47.

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