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CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, as the duly appointed committee on Revision of the Senate Journal for the Second Special Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Utah, do hereby certify that herein contained is a full, true and correct record of the proceedings of the session commencing June 12, 1952, and continuing for three legislative days.

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Secretary of the Senate.

HENDRIK ROMEYN,
Docket Clerk.

Second Special Session

OF THE

TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST DAY

SENATE CHAMBER,

State Capitol,

Salt Lake City, Utah, June 12, 1952

Pursuant to a proclamation by His Excellency, Governor J. Bracken Lee, the Senate of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Utah met in the Second Special Session in the Senate Chambers at the State Capitol at 10:00 A. M.

The Senate was called to order by President Fowles.

Roll Call—All Senators present.

Prayer by Senator Burns.

Secretary of State Heber Bennion, Jr. read the following proclamation:

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF UTAH

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Utah Legislative Council has been conducting a study of public retirement problems in Utah, with particular emphasis upon the cost of liquidating the Public Employees' Retirement System, pursuant to the provisions of the Retirement Repeal Act, H.B. 14, Chapter 21, Laws of Utah, 1951, First Special Session, in favor of Federal Social Security, and

WHEREAS, after a careful study of this problem, the Utah Legislative Council has concluded that the cost of liquidation under the terms of the Repeal Act is prohibitive, that an equitable plan proposed by the Council would materially reduce the cost of such liquidation, and that a special session will be necessary prior to the effective date of the Repeal Act if the proposed plan is to be adopted, and

WHEREAS, Chapter 43, Laws of Utah, 1945, which was passed by the 1945 session of the Legislature to facilitate voting of persons in the military services, expired by its own terms July 1, 1947, making it difficult, if not impossible, for Utah citizens serving with the Armed Forces to exercise their voting franchise, and

WHEREAS, these voting deficiencies have been brought to the attention of the State of Utah by the American Political Science Association, and the Attorney General has concluded that corrective legislation is necessary to facilitate voting by Utah citizens serving with the Armed Forces, and

WHEREAS, these extraordinary conditions make the calling of a special session of the Legislature of the State of Utah necessary and advisable,

NOW THEREFOR, I, J. BRACKEN LEE, Governor of the State of Utah, by virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 6 of Article VII of the Constitution of Utah, do, by this proclamation, call the Legislature of the State of Utah into special session at the Capitol on the 12th day of June, 1952, at 10 a.m. for the following purposes:

First, to enact amendments to the retirement Repeal Act, H. B. 14, Chapter 21, Laws of Utah, 1951, First Special Session, to terminate and liquidate the retirement system in favor of Federal Social Security, and

Second, to enact legislation to facilitate voting by Utah citizens in the Armed Forces, and

Third, to consider claims against the State reported by the Board of Examiners and to make appropriations for the payment of such claims, and

Fourth, to make appropriations to cover the expenses of this special session, and

Fifth, to consider whatever other matters are presented to this special session by the Governor.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Utah.

(Seal)

Done at the State Capitol, this twenty-fourth day of May, 1952 in Salt Lake City, Utah.

BY THE GOVERNOR:

J. BRACKEN LEE,
GOVERNOR OF UTAH

HEBER BENNION, JR.
Secretary of State
by- Wayne Christoffersen, Deputy.

I, HEBER BENNION, JR. Secretary of State of the State of Utah, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Proclamation made by the Governor of the State, May 4, 1952, calling the Legislature of the State of Utah, to meet in special session at and upon the date herein specified.

As appears of record in my office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Utah, at Salt Lake City, this 12th day of June, 1952.

(Seal)

HEBER BENNION, JR.
Secretary of State

By Wayne Christoffersen,
Deputy.

Senator Hopkin moved that the President and officers of the Twenty-ninth Regular Session of the Legislature be the officers for the Second Special Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature.

Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the Senate Rules and the Joint Rules of the Twenty-ninth Regular Session were adopted as the rules for the Second Special Session.

On motion of Senator Reese the Standing and Special Committees of the Senate for the Twenty-ninth Regular Session were appointed for the Second Special Session.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the Committee on Patronage and Employees was empowered to engage the necessary staff for the Second Special Session.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Patronage and Employees recommends the following appointments for the Second Special Session of the Twenty-Ninth Legislature:

Quentin L. R. Alston, Secretary
Robert R. Fitts, Sergeant-at-Arms
Hendrik Romeyn, Docket Clerk
Brigitta Bodenheimer, Reference Attorney

Hazel Wyrick, Supervising Clerk
Catherine K. Nalder, Messenger
Mrs. Jos. E. Rees, Messenger
G. Gwen Kelsey, Messenger
Jack Lynch, Asst. Sergeant-at-Arms
Hans Lund, Doorman
Lewis Jenkins, Doorman
Abner Howell, Doorman
Hyrum Felt, Doorman
Theodore Christiansen, Elevator Operator

Respectfully,

J. HAROLD REESE,
Chairman

Committee report read and adopted.

On motion of Senator Gibson the President appointed a committee consisting of Senators Jenkins, Adams and Day to notify the House that the Senate is organized and ready for business.

The President appointed a committee consisting of Senators Jenkins, Adams and Day to act with a like committee from the House to wait upon the Governor and notify him that the Second Special Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature is organized and ready to receive any communications he may wish to send.

The President recognized Col. Max E. Rich of the Utah National Guard who extended an invitation to attend Governor's day at the Guard's encampment, Camp Williams, today.

On motion of Senator Marthakis Col. Rich' invitation was accepted.

The President recognized President H. A. Dixon, of Weber College.

On motion of Senator Hopkins, the President was requested to extend an invitation to Hon. W. Averell Harriman to address the Senate during his visit to Utah.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE

June 12, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Second Special Session of the Twenty-Ninth Session of the House of Representatives of the State of Utah has this day organized, and the Speaker has appointed

Representatives Lester Taylor, Russell and Mrs. Cazier to advise the Senate that it is ready to do business, and to act with a like committee from the Senate to notify the Governor that the Legislature is duly organized and ready to receive any communications from him.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

A committee from the House consisting of Representatives Lester Taylor, Russell and Mrs. Cazier appeared and reported that the House is organized and ready for business.

The committee consisting of Senators Jenkins, Adams and Day reported that it had notified the House and with a like committee from the House had waited upon the Governor and informed him that the Legislature was organized and ready to receive communications from him and that they had been advised that the Governor will deliver his message to the Joint Convention at 10:30 A.M. today.

The President thanked and discharged the Committee.

On motion of Senator Marthakis the Senate recessed and proceeded to the House chambers to meet in Joint Convention.

JOINT CONVENTION

Roll call showed a quorum of both Senate and House members present.

The President of the Senate in the Chair.

Prayer by Representative Bagnall.

The President of the Senate requested the Joint Committee consisting of Senators Jenkins, Adams and Day and Representatives Lester Taylor, Russell and Cazier to notify the Governor that the Legislature is in Joint Session and ready to hear his message.

The Joint Committee returned, escorting His Excellency, Governor J. Bracken Lee, who was presented to the Joint Convention by President Fowles.

The Governor delivered the following message:

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Legislature:

I have called this special session of the 29th Legislature to consider several matters of vital importance to the State. Two of these matters were enumerated in my proclamation convening this session; the others I shall touch upon briefly in this message.

Of over-riding importance is the public retirement problem. At the time I announced the special session, I acknowledged my error in approving the bill which has created the present dilemma. Members of the Legislature who helped enact this bill likewise have acknowledged their mistake. There should be no cause, therefore, for accusations and recriminations with reference to this matter. The business at hand is to solve the problem in a manner that is fair and equitable both to the public and the public employees.

The State Retirement System has had a brief but eventful history. It was created in 1947, extensively revised in 1949, and terminated in 1951, in each instance without benefit of an actuarial study. The lack of such study has been a common failing with all but one of Utah's eighteen separate retirement systems for public employees. Two actuarial studies of the State retirement system have been made but neither of these formed the basis for the major action taken in the years 1947, 1949, and 1951. The first study was completed in November of 1950, and disclosed a net accrued liability of $4,644,000 in the fund, the major portion of which was for service rendered prior to the adoption of the retirement act. The second study, which was completed two months ago, dealt particularly with the cost of liquidating the retirement system. It disclosed a potential liquidation cost of $8,698,000 to the State and its political subdivisions, which amount includes the prior service liability.

The Utah Legislative Council in conjunction with the actuary, has been conducting a special study of the State retirement system, and has concluded that the cost of liquidating the retirement system as contemplated in the Repeal Act, is prohibitive. The Council has studied several proposals that would reduce the liquidation cost, and has agreed upon a plan that, to quote its motion, "more nearly solves the retirement problem at hand in an equitable way." The plan would eliminate the new benefits created by the Repeal Act, would make the remaining benefits consistent with the existing retirement law, and would supplement Social Security in the payment of benefits. The combined Social Security and State retirement benefits contemplated in the plan would in no case be less than the benefits earned under the State retirement system, but would, in most cases, be more. Duplicating benefits from both the retirement system and Social Security would be largely eliminated.

The plan proposed by the Legislative Council is unique, as I already have indicated, in that it is rooted in an actuarial study. The Council knows with reasonable accuracy what the cost of its plan will be, which is something that previously has been lacking. Adoption of this plan would reduce the cost of liquidating the retirement system from $8,698,000 to an estimated $2,452,000, a savings of $6,246,000. More than that, the adoption of the plan would complete the job of placing State employees under the coverage of Social Security, thus assuring employees such advantages as lower contribution rates, more liberal benefits, continuous coverage, whether in government service or private industry and survivor benefits in case of the employees' death.

The Council plan has been studied by legal consultants conversant with the problem and by regional officials of the Social Security Admini-

stration, and in each instance it has met with approval. There is good assurance on every hand that the plan is sound both from the legal and actuarial standpoints, and that is equitable both to the public and public employees.

There has been some speculation as to the probable courses of action the Legislature could follow with reference to the retirement problem, the speculation ranging from adopting the Council plan, which is the action I strongly recommend, to that of doing nothing. The action that is taken, in view of the painful experience of the past, most certainly should be based on an actuarial study. Such studies have been made both of the Repeal Act and the proposed Council plan, and the course indicated is clear cut.

It would be unthinkable for this special session to do nothing about resolving the public retirement problem. Should the 1951 Repeal Act become effective, the State and political subdivisions affiliated with the retirement system would be faced with an immediate financial burden that has been properly described as prohibitive. The settlements of so-called vested rights that have been provided in the act are beyond reason. For example, in one instance, it is possible for a member of the retirement system, with a total contribution to the fund of only $531, to obtain an immediate cash settlement of an estimated $17,000. I am confident it was not the intention of the Legislature, and I assure you it was not my intention, to authorize such unrealistic settlements. Unless some action is taken before June 30, however, these settlements and the burden they will create will become a reality.

It has been suggested that the Repeal Act itself be repealed, thus leaving the State Retirement System intact. This action would be better than nothing, but far less satisfactory than properly liquidating the retirement system and affiliating with Social Security. The repeal of the Repeal Act would thwart the desires of the overwhelming majority of public employees now affiliated with the State system who have voted in favor of the changeover to Social Security. It also would deny these employees the opportunity of obtaining retroactive Social Security coverage to January 1, 1951, which now is possible provided State contracts with the Social Security Administration are concluded prior to January 1, 1953. And as I have pointed out previously, it would deny these employees the advantages of Social Security coverage as compared with State retirement.

Much, if not all, of the information I have tried to summarize in these few words has been supplied each of you by the Legislative Council in order to thoroughly familiarize you with the problem before us. I have reviewed these facts only to emphasize the need for positive action in this session and the desirability of taking the action that has been recommended by the Council. The bills necessary to implement the Council's proposal have been prepared for immediate introduction in both houses of the Legislature, and I strongly urge that you give them your favorable consideration.

The remaining items on the agenda of this special session, while not as urgent as the retirement problem, were important enough in themselves to warrant consideration at this time. The first of these also was enumerated in my proclamation convening this session, namely, the proposal to enact legislation to facilitate voting by Utah citizens in the Armed Forces. Such legislation was enacted by the Legislature in 1945, but expired by its own terms in 1947. Legislation similar to this should be re-enacted at this time to make certain that the men subject to military service will not be denied the right to vote. The re-enactment of the provisions of the 1945 Soldier Voting Law, with certain minor changes, will adequately meet the deficiencies in our present laws. The changes that have been incorporated in the new legislation were suggested by county clerks who had experience in administering the former law. I recommend that you give this legislation your favorable consideration.

There are three additional matters I would like to add to the agenda of this special session,namely:

1. To appropriate sufficient funds from the Reserve Building Fund to enable the Board of Corrections to complete the industrial building at the State Prison, and move present equipment into it.

2. To adopt a concurrent resolution authorizing and directing the Legislative Council to make a study of the problems created by this year's unprecedented floods and to recommend amendments to existing laws or new legislation that will improve flood fighting and control efforts of the State and its political subdivisions, and

3. To enact legislation permitting the State Department of Engineering to dispose of buildings and other property improvements at the THIS IS THE PLACE monument park which have been purchased by the State.

The completion of the prison industrial building is a must. There has been unanimous agreement on this point in editorials in our leading State newspapers. There are funds now available in the Reserve Building Fund to permit the recommended appropriation, provided the Legislature gives top priority to the prison project.

The worst floods in Utah's 105-year history caused extensive damage to private and public lands and property, created financial problems both in fighting the floods and rehabilitating the flooded areas, and exposed certain weaknesses in our existing statutes pertaining to flood fighting and control. The many ramifications and complexities embodied in this general problem are such that a thorough study of the situation by the Legislative Council appears to be the proper course of action at this time. Accordingly, I have recommended the enactment of a concurrent resolution authorizing and directing the Legislative Council to make such a study which is to include a report to the 30th Legislature together with recommendations for amendments to existing laws or new legislation that will enable the State and its political subdivisions to better cope with all flood problems.

The third of the new items I am adding to the agenda of this special session is the recommendation to enact legislation permitting the State Department of Engineering to dispose of buildings and other property improvements at the THIS IS THE PLACE monument park which have been purchased by the State. Several residences have been acquired by the State and are now unoccupied and untended. These homes are subject to vandalism and deterioration. Inasmuch as the plans for the improvement of the park call for their removal, provision should be made to permit the State to dispose of them before excessive loss occurs.

The bills and resolution necessary to implement the foregoing recommendations have been prepared and are ready for introduction in both houses of the Legislature.

I have received requests to add additional items to the agenda of this special session. There is much to be said in favor of all these requests. The fact that I have not included them on this agenda does not necessarily reflect a lack of sympathy on my part for the objectives of any of these requests. It only means that I have considered them less urgent than the items I have included. Legislation of this nature can well be deferred until the 30th Utah Legislature convenes six months from now.

It was my intention to be brief in my message, but the necessity of adequately covering each item on the agenda has dictated otherwise. I shall endeavor to do everything possible, however, to assure a brief but productive legislative session.

The Joint Committee then escorted Governor Lee to his chambers.

On motion of Senator Gibson the Joint Convention was dissolved.

On motion of Senator Gibson, the assembled Legislators, as a Committee of the Whole, invited:

Lewis H. Lloyd, director of Utah Legislative Council,

Mrs. Brigitte Bodenheimer, attorney and

Walter S. Green, consulting actuary,

to explain the Utah Legislative Council proposal and recommendations on "Public Retirement."

On motion of Senator Marthakis the Committee of the Whole was adjourned.

The Senate re-assembled and on motion of Senator Day recessed until 2:00 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 2:00 P. M.

All Senators present except Senator Brockbank, excused.

Senator Marthakis moved that none of the Senate Bills introduced during the Second Special Session be printed and that mimeographed copies be used.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

June 12, 1952

Dear Mr. President and
Members of the Senate:

In compliance with State Laws, I am submitting the following appointments to your Honorable Body for advice and consent:

COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE:

Ariel M. Jorgensen, Amalga, Cache County, for unexpired term ending March 1, 1953.

MEMBER, UTAH STATE FAIR ASSOCIATION:

T. K. Voyer, Tooele, for unexpired term ending July 1, 1953.

COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:

Jay C. Newman, Salt Lake City, for unexpired term ending July 1, 1955.

MEMBER, ADVISORY COUNCIL, DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING:

Ray O. Kirkland, Bountiful, for six-year term ending March 1, 1958.

MEMBER, UTAH BOARD OF HEALTH:

J. R. Bachman, Ogden, for seven-year term ending March 1, 1959.

MEMBER, UTAH ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR THE STATE SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND:

Stanley Robins, Ogden, for five-year term ending March 1, 1957.

MEMBER, HIGHWAY PATROL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION:

Oral J. Wilkinson, Murray, for unexpired term ending January 1, 1953.

COMMISSIONER, STATE BANKING DEPARTMENT:

Louis S. Leatham, Salt Lake City, for unexpired term ending April 1, 1953.

MEMBER, UTAH STATE INSTITUTE OF FINE ARTS:

David Lawrence McKay, Salt Lake City, for unexpired term ending June 30, 1953.

COMMISSIONER, STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT:

Dr. George A. Spendlove, to hold office as provided by law.

COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION:

Donald Hacking, Price, for unexpired term ending March 1, 1953.

Sincerely yours,

J. BRACKEN LEE,
Governor

Communication referred to the Committee on Appointments.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

S. B. No. 1 By Messrs. Milliman, Marthakis, Ashton, Clegg, Elggren, Tippetts, Burns, Adams, and Mrs. Jensen

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AND AUTHORIZING THE REGISTRATION AND VOTING OF ELECTORS OF THE STATE OF UTAH IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES IN COUNTY, STATE AND NATIONAL ELECTIONS DURING THEIR ABSENCE BY REASON OF SUCH SERVICE; DEFINING THE TERMS "BALLOT" AND "ELECTORS IN THE MILITARY SERVICE"; PRESCRIBING A FORM OF REGISTRATION AND VOTING CERTIFICATES; PRESCRIBING THE DUTIES OF THE COUNTY CLERK, JUDGES OF ELECTION, AND STATE AND COUNTY OFFICIALS IN CARRYING OUT THE INTENT AND PURPOSES OF THIS ACT; MODIFYING THE ELECTION LAWS OF THE STATE OF UTAH WHICH MIGHT OTHERWISE PREVENT ELECTORS OF UTAH IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES FROM PARTICIPATING IN SAID ELECTIONS; PROVIDING FOR DISABLED ELECTORS' BALLOTS; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE EXPENSES OF FURNISHING BALLOTS, FORMS, ENVELOPES, POSTAGE, AND OTHER SUPPLIES; THE APPOINTMENT AND DUTIES OF REGISTRATION AGENTS FOR SUCH PURPOSES, was read the first time and placed on the Second Reading Calendar.

S. B. No. 2 By Messrs. Hopkin, Day, Larsen and Marthakis

AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION AND ADMINISTRATION OF THE STATE PARK IN THE VICINITY OF "THIS IS THE PLACE" MONUMENT AND APPROVING AND RATIFYING THE ACTION OF THE ENGINEERING COMMISSION WITH REFERENCE THERETO, was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Municipal Affairs.

S. B. No. 3 By Messrs. Clegg, Larsen, Ashton, Jenkins, Reese, Thorn, Beal, Marthakis and Mrs. Jensen

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO THE UTAH STATE PRISON FROM THE RESERVE BUILDING FUND, was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Claims.

Senator Hopkin moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate do now consider *S. B. No. 1.*

Motion carried.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS ON SECOND READING

On motion of Senator Hopkin the rules were suspended and *S. B. No. 1* was read the second and third times and placed on its final passage.

S. B. No. 1 then passed on the following roll call:

Ayes, 22; Nos, 0; Absent 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Senators Adams, Ashton, Beal, Burns, Cannon, Clegg, Day, Elggren, Gibson, Hopkin, Jenkins, Jensen, Larsen, Marthakis, Milliman, Muir, Paxton, Reese, Tippetts, Thorn, Watson and Mr. President.

Absent and not voting: Senator Brockbank.

S. B. No. 1 was transmitted to the House.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

S. B. No. 4 By Committee on Appropriations and Claims

AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE, SECOND SPECIAL SESSION, was read the first time.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the rules were suspended and *S. B. No. 4* was placed before the Senate for its consideration.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the rules were suspended and *S. B. No. 4* was read the second and third times and placed on its final passage.

S. B. No. 4 then passed on the following roll call:

Ayes, 22; Nos, 0; Absent, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Senators Adams Ashton, Beal, Burns, Cannon, Clegg, Day, Elggren, Gibson, Hopkin, Jenkins, Jensen, Larsen, Marthakis, Milliman, Muir, Paxton, Reese, Tippetts, Thorn, Watson and Mr. President.

Absent and not voting: Senator Brockbank.

S. B. No. 4 was transmitted to the House.

The President recognized Durham Morris, County Attorney of Iron County.

On motion of Senator Marthakis *S. B. No. 2* was lifted from the Committee on State and Municipal Affairs and placed on the Calendar as a Special Order of Business for Friday, June 13, at 10:15 A. M.

Senator Marthakis moved that when the Senate adjourns today, it stand adjourned until Friday, June 13, at 10:00 A. M.

Motion carried.

Upon motion of Senator Hopkin, the Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to hear Warden Marcell Graham comment briefly on the administration of the State Prison.

Upon motion of Senator Marthakis, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved.

Upon motion of Senator Elggren, the Senate adjourned.

SECOND DAY

June 13, 1952

The Senate was called to order at 10:00 A.M. President Fowles in the chair.

Roll Call—All Senators present.

Prayer by Senator Tippetts.

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Revision of the Journal respectfully reports that we have read the Journal for the first day and find it correct with minor corrections noted on the final copy.

Respectfully,

A. I. TIPPETTS,
Chairman

Report adopted and filed.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the members of the House are desirous of meeting with your Honorable Body to hear Chairman Whittenburg explain *H. B. No. 3* regarding "This is the Place" monument.

Please advise if this meets with your approval.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the Senate voted to accept the invitation, meet with the House as a Committee of the Whole at 10:30 A.M. today and so notify the House.

June 13, 1952

Mr President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the House has this day passed, as amended by the House and under suspension of the rules, *H. B. No. 2* by Elections Committee, entitled:

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AND AUTHORIZING THE REGISTRATION AND VOTING OF ELECTORS OF THE STATE OF UTAH IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES IN COUNTY, STATE AND NATIONAL ELECTIONS DURING THEIR ABSENCE BY REASON OF SUCH SERVICE: DEFINING THE TERMS "BALLOT" AND "ELECTORS IN THE MILITARY SERVICE"; PRESCRIBING A FORM OF REGISTRATION AND VOTING CERTIFICATES: PRESCRIBING THE DUTIES OF THE COUNTY CLERK, JUDGES OF ELECTION, AND STATE AND COUNTY OFFICIALS IN CARRYING OUT THE INTENT AND PURPOSES OF THIS ACT; MODIFYING THE ELECTION LAWS OF THE STATE OF

UTAH WHICH MIGHT OTHERWISE PREVENT ELECTORS OF UTAH IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES FROM PARTICIPATING IN SAID ELECTIONS; PROVIDING FOR DISABLED ELECTORS' BALLOTS; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE EXPENSES OF FURNISHING BALLOTS, FORMS, ENVELOPES, POSTAGE, AND OTHER SUPPLIES; THE APPOINTMENT AND DUTIES OF REGISTRATION AGENTS FOR SUCH PURPOSES, and the same is transmitted herewith for your action.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

H. B. No. 2 was read the first time.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the rules were suspended and *H. B. No. 2* was placed before the Senate for its consideration.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the rules were suspended and *H. B. No. 2* was read the second and third times and placed on its final passage.

H. B. No. 2 then passed on the following roll call:

Ayes, 21; Nos, 0; Absent, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Senators Adams, Ashton, Beal, Brockbank, Burns, Cannon, Clegg, Day, Elggren, Gibson, Hopkin, Jenkins, Jensen, Larsen, Marthakis, Milliman, Muir, Paxton, Tippetts, Thorn and Mr. President.

Absent and not voting: Senators Reese and Watson.

H. B. No. 2 was returned to the House.

On motion of Senator Day the Senate recessed and proceeded to the House chambers to meet as a Committee of the Whole to hear reports from D. H. Whittenburg, Chairman of the Engineering Commission, and Mr. John D. Giles, re: THIS IS THE PLACE monument State Park.

On motion of Representative Davis the Committee of the Whole was adjourned.

The Senate re-assembled.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the House has this day passed, under suspension of the rules, *H. C. R. No. 1*, by Messers. Edward C. Larsen, E. Vance, S. A. Elswood, Frank M. Openshaw, W. J.

Lowe, LeRoy White, Mrs. Gerald Cazier, Messrs. W. G. Larsen, John H. Johnson, Wm. Brotherson, Geo. A. Hurst, L. B. Johnson, LeGrand Jarman, Mrs. Sunday Anderson and Mr. W. L. Russell, entitled:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE UTAH LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF FLOOD CONTROL IN THE STATE OF UTAH AND SUBMIT A REPORT OF ITS FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE 30TH UTAH STATE LEGISLATURE, and the same is transmitted herewith for your action.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

H. C. R. No. 1 was read the first time.

On motion of Senator Clegg the rules were suspended and *H. C. R. No. 1* was placed before the Senate for its consideration.

On motion of Senator Clegg, *H. C. R. No. 1* was amended as follows:

Page 1, line 21, after the word "adequately" insert "meet".

Page 1, line 21, change the period to a comma and insert "including legislation requiring the enclosure and covering of any open canals and other water courses which are a menace to the children of our State."

On motion of Senator Marthakis the rules were suspended and *H. C. R. No. 1* was read the second and third times and placed in its final passage.

H. C. R. No. 1 then passed on the following roll call:

Ayes, 23; Nos, 0; Absent, 0.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Senators Adams, Ashton, Beal, Brockbank, Burns, Cannon, Clegg, Day, Elggren, Gibson, Hopkin, Jenkins, Jensen, Larsen, Marthakis, Milliman, Muir, Paxton, Reese, Tippetts, Thorn, Watson and Mr. President.

H. C. R. No. 1 was returned to the House.

On motion of Senator Day *S. B. No. 2* was made a Special Order of Business for to-day at 3:30 P. M.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the House has this day passed, as amended by the House and under suspension of the rules, *H. B. No. 1*, by State Prison Committee, entitled:

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO THE UTAH STATE PRISON FROM THE RESERVE BUILDING FUND, and the same is transmitted herewith for your action.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

H. B. No. 1 was read the first time.

On motion of Senator Day the rules were suspended and *H. B. No. 1* was placed before the Senate for its consideration.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the rules were suspended and *H. B. No. 1* was read the second and third times and placed in its final passage.

On motion of Senator Gibson, the Senate recessed until 2:00 P. M.

AFTERNOON

The Senate reconvened at 2:00 P. M.

All Senators present.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

H. B. No. 1, being unfinished business, was before the Senate.

H. B. No. 1 then passed on the following roll call:

Ayes, 21; Nos, 0; Absent, 2.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Senators Adams, Ashton, Beal, Brockbank, Burns, Cannon, Clegg, Day, Elggren (explained vote), Gibson, Jenkins, Jensen, Larsen, Marthakis, Milliman, Muir, Paxton, Reese, Tippetts, Thorn and Mr. President.

Absent and not voting: Senators Hopkin and Watson.

H. B. No. 1 was returned to the House.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the House has this day rejected *S. B. No. 1*, by Messrs. Milliman, Marthakis, Ashton, Clegg, Elggren, Tippetts, Burns, Adams and Mrs. Jensen, entitled:

"AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AND AUTHORIZING THE REGISTRATION AND VOTING OF ELECTORS OF THE STATE OF UTAH IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES IN COUNTY, STATE AND NATIONAL ELECTIONS DURING THEIR ABSENCE BY REASON OF SUCH SERVICE; DEFINING THE TERMS "BALLOT" AND "ELECTORS IN THE MILITARY SERVICE"; PRESCRIBING A FORM OF REGISTRATION AND VOTING CERTIFICATES; PRESCRIBING THE DUTIES OF THE COUNTY CLERK, JUDGES OF ELECTION, AND STATE AND COUNTY OFFICIALS IN CARRYING OUT THE INTENT AND PURPOSES OF THIS ACT; MODIFYING THE ELECTION LAWS OF THE STATE OF UTAH WHICH MIGHT OTHERWISE PREVENT ELECTORS OF UTAH IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES FROM PARTICIPATING IN SAID ELECTIONS; PROVIDING FOR DISABLED ELECTORS' BALLOTS; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE EXPENSES OF FURNISHING BALLOTS, FORMS, ENVELOPES, POSTAGE, AND OTHER SUPPLIES; THE APPOINTMENT AND DUTIES OF REGISTRATION AGENTS FOR SUCH PURPOSES." and the same is returned herewith for your further action.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

S. B. No. 1 was filed.

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the House has this day passed, under suspension of the rules, *S. B. No. 4* by the Committee on Appropriations and Claims, entitled:

"AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE, SECOND SPECIAL SESSION", and the same is returned herewith for your further action.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

S. B. No. 4 was referred to the Committee on Revision and Enrolling to be enrolled and engrossed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

S. B. No. 5 By Messrs. Hopkin, Gibson, Jenkins, Muir and Thorn

AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 13, 16, 17, 20, 23 and 24, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, RELATING TO THE TERMINATION OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; DEFINING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES; DEFINING RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR SERVICE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1952; PROVIDING FOR THE REPAYMENT OF EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT FUND; PROVIDING FOR CONTRIBUTIONS AND APPROPRIATIONS FROM EMPLOYERS TO FINANCE LIQUIDATION COSTS; SPECIFYING EFFECTIVE DATE; AND ENACTING NEW SECTIONS TO BE KNOWN AS SECTIONS 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 AND 34, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, RELATING TO COMPUTATION OF RETIREMENT BENEFITS; REFUNDS AT DEATH; CONDITIONS OF RE-EMPLOYMENT; COURT REVIEW; AND DEFINITIONS; AND REPEALING SECTIONS 18 AND 22, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, was read the first time.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the rules were suspended and *S. B. No. 5* was placed before the Senate for its consideration.

On motion of Senator Larsen the rules were suspended and *S. B. No. 5* was read the second and third times and placed on its final passage.

On motion of Senator Hopkin, the Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to hear Lewis H. Lloyd, director of Utah Legislative Council, with reference to *S. B. No. 5.*

On motion of Senator Larsen the Committee of the Whole adjourned.

The Senate re-assembled.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Revision and Enrolling, to which has been referred *S. B. No. 4*, by the Committee on Appropriations and Claims, entitled:

AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE, SECOND SPECIAL SESSION, has carefully compared the bill as passed with the enrolled and engrossed copy and finds it correct and returns the same for the signature of the President.

Respectfully,

EDWIN B. CANNON,
Chairman

Report filed.

S. B. No. 4 was signed by the President in the presence of the Senate and was tranmitted to the House for the Signature of the Speaker.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the House has this day passed, under suspension of the rules, *H. B. No. 5*, by Public Buildings and Grounds Committee, entitled:

AN ACT RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE STATE PARK IN THE VICINITY OF "THIS IS THE PLACE" MONUMENT AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION THEREFOR, and the same is transmitted herewith for your action.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

H. B. No. 5 was read the first time.

On motion of Senator Larsen the rules were suspended and *H. B. No. 5* was placed before the Senate for its consideration.

On motion of Senator Larsen the rules were suspended and *H. B. No. 5* was read the second and third times and placed on its final passage.

On motion of Senator Gibson the bill was amended as follows:

Page 1, Line 7, strike the word "for".

Page 1, Line 8, after the word "Utah," insert "1951,",

On motion of Senator Hopkin the bill was amended as follows:

Page 1, Line 14, add "Proceeds from the sale or other disposition of the houses shall be deposited with the State Treasurer and placed to the credit of the reserve building fund."

Page 1, Line 25, strike the word "general" and insert in lieu thereof "emergency relief".

H. B. No. 5 then passed on the following roll call:

Ayes, 22; Nays, 0; Absent, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Senators Adams, Ashton, Beal, Brockbank, Burns, Cannon, Clegg, Day, Elggren, Gibson, Hopkin, Jenkins, Jensen, Larsen, Marthakis, Milliman, Muir, Paxton, Reese, Tippetts, Thorn and Watson.

Absent and not voting: Senator Fowles.

H. B. No. 5 was returned to the House.

On motion of Senator Marthakis the enacting clause in *S. B. No. 2* was struck.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

June 13, 1952

Dear Mr. President and Members of the Senate:

I am adding to the agenda of this Special Session a bill to change the opening of the deer hunting season from October 20 to the first Saturday following October 16. This action has been recommended by the Utah Wildlife Federation for two worthwhile purposes:

1. It will enable working people to participate in the opening day's hunt when the deer harvest is greatest, and by so doing

2. It will provide a maximum harvest of deer and keep the size of the deer herd within the carrying capacity of the range.

By referring to the 100 year calendar on page 1035, Vol. 6, Utah Code Annotated, 1943, you will find that in the next 38 years the opening of deer season would never be earlier than October 17 or later than October 23. This, of course, would apply forever.

In view of the widespread support this measure has, I am submitting it for consideration at this time.

Sincerely yours,

J. BRACKEN LEE,
Governor

Comunication filed.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the House has this day passed, under suspension of the rules, *H. B. No. 6*, by Messrs. Bonacci, Hopkins, Crofts, A. O. Gardner, Lee W. Dalebout, Edw. C. Larsen, Albrecht, Reed Gammell, Jack Swenson, Merrill Wood, Lester Taylor, V. L. Bunderson, Rowberry, Wayne Hinton, T. M. Rees, W. G. Larson, Dilworth S. Woolley, Ralph Sheffield, entitled:

AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 13, 16, 17, 20, 23 and 24, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, RELATING TO THE TERMINATION OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; DEFINING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES; DEFINING RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR SERVICE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1952; PROVIDING FOR THE REPAYMENT OF EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT FUND; PROVIDING FOR CONTRIBUTIONS AND APPROPRIATIONS FROM EMPLOYERS TO FINANCE LIQUIDATION COSTS; SPECIFYING EFFECTIVE DATE; AND ENACTING NEW SECTIONS TO BE KNOWN AS SECTIONS 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, RELATING TO COMPUTATION OF RETIREMENT BENEFITS; REFUNDS AT DEATH; CONDITIONS OF REEMPLOYMENT; COURT REVIEW; AND DEFINITIONS; AND REPEALING SECTIONS 18 AND 22, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, and the same is transmitted herewith for your action.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

H. B. No. 6 was read the first time.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the rules were suspended and *H. B. No. 6* was placed before the Senate for its consideration.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the rules were suspended and *H. B. No. 6* was read the second and third times and placed on its final passage.

H. B. No. 6 then passed on the following roll call:

Ayes, 21; Nos, 2; Absent, 0.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Senators Adams, Ashton, Beal, Brockbank, Burns, Cannon, Clegg, Day, Gibson, Hopkin, Jenkins, Jensen, Larsen, Marthakis, Milliman, Muir, Paxton, Reese, Tippetts, Thorn and Mr. President.

Those voting in the negative: Senators Elggren and Watson.

H. B. No. 6 was returned to the House.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

S. B. No. 5 was before the Senate.

On motion of Senator Hopkin the enacting clause in *S. B. No. 5* was struck.

On motion of Senator Marthakis the Senate voted that when it adjourns today, it stand adjourned until Saturday, June 14, at 9:30 A.M.

On motion of Senator Day the Senate adjourned.

THIRD DAY

June 14, 1952

The Senate was called to order at 9:30 A.M. President Fowles in the chair.

Roll Call—All Senators present.

Prayer by Senator Day.

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Revision of the Journal respectfully reports that we have read the Journal for the second day and find it correct with minor corrections noted on the final copy.

Respectfully,

A. I. TIPPETTS,
Chairman

Report adopted and filed.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the House has this day concurred in Senate amendments to *H. C. R. No. 1*, by Edward C. Larsen, E. Vance, S. A. Elswood, Openshaw, W. J. Lowe, LeRoy White, Mrs. Gerald Cazier, W. G. Larson, John J. Johnson, Wm. Brotherson, Geo. A. Hurst, L. B. Johnson, Jarman, Sunday Anderson, and Russell, entitled:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE UTAH LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF FLOOD CONTROL IN THE STATE OF UTAH AND SUBMIT A REPORT OF ITS FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE 30TH UTAH STATE LEGISLATURE.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the House has this day concurred in Senate amendments to *H. B. No. 5*, by Public Buildings and Grounds Committee entitled:

AN ACT RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE STATE PARK IN THE VICINITY OF "THIS IS THE PLACE" MONUMENT AND MAKING APPROPRIATION THEREFOR.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Speaker of the House has this day signed in open session, in the presence of the House, *S. B. No. 4*, by the Committee on Appropriations and Claims, entitled:

AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE, SECOND SPECIAL SESSION, and the same is transmitted herewith for your action.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

S. B. No. 4 was transmitted to the Governor.

In observance of Flag day Senator Burns moved that the members of the Senate stand and recite the pledge of allegiance to our flag.

Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Marthakis the Secretary was instructed to write to the Secretary of State, inviting his attention to the Senate furniture.

On motion of Senator Muir the Senate expressed its appreciation of our newspapers' co-operation and fairness in editorial comment and in particular thanked Mr. O. N. Malmquist representing the Salt Lake Tribune.

June 13, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Speaker of the House has this day signed, in open session, in the presence of the House, *H. C. R. No. 1*, by Edward C. Larsen, E. Vance, S. A. Elswood, Openshaw, W. J. Lowe, LeRoy White, Mrs. Gerald Cazier, W. G. Larson, John J. Johnson, Wm. Brotherson, Geo. A. Hurst, L. B. Johnson, Jarman, Sunday Anderson, Russell, entitled:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE UTAH LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF FLOOD CONTROL IN THE STATE OF UTAH AND SUBMIT A REPORT OF ITS FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE 30TH UTAH STATE LEGISLATURE, and the same is transmitted herewith for the signature of the President.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

H. C. R. No. 1 was signed by the President in open session in the presence of the Senate and was returned to the House for transmission to the Governor.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

June 14, 1952

Dear Mr. President and Members of the Senate:

I would appreciate the privilege of addressing a joint session of the Legislature this morning, just as soon as it is practicable.

Would you kindly advise me of the time that this could be arranged?

Sincerely yours,

J. BRACKEN LEE,
Governor

Communication filed.

On motion of Senator Day the Senate voted to comply with the Governor's request and meet with the House in Joint Session today.

On motion of Senator Marthakis the Senate recessed to meet in the House in Joint Convention to hear Honorable W. Averell Harriman and at the close of the address, remain in convention to hear His Excellency, Governor J. Bracken Lee.

Honorable W. Averell Harriman addressed the Legislators on "World Affairs".

On motion of Representative Davis the convention recessed after Mr. Harriman's address.

The Joint Convention re-assembled.

President Fowles appointed Senator Marthakis, Representatives Vance and Davis as a Committee to notify the Governor that the Joint Convention was in session and ready to hear his message.

The Joint Committee returned, escorting His Excellency, Governor J. Bracken Lee, who was presented to the Joint Convention by President Fowles.

The Governor delivered the following message:

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Legislature:

I have asked for the privilege of again addressing the Legislature in joint session for two purposes. To begin with, I wish to congratulate you for what you have accomplished here. The record of this special session is outstanding. Legislation to properly dispose of the matters brought before you has been enacted in a prompt, efficient, and statesman-like manner.

The action you have taken with reference to the knotty public retirement problem is of particular significance. You have resolved this issue in the best interests of both the public and the public employees. This action has saved the State millions of dollars and has provided the public employees concerned with a better coverage plan under Social Security than was obtainable under State retirement. The near unanimous vote with which this action was taken is a tribute to the work of the Legislative Council and its director. It represents an expression of confidence in the Council in which I heartily concur. We owe this group a vote of thanks for their contribution to this special session.

As outstanding as is the record of this special session, I believe it could be improved upon if legislation were enacted to provide a tax reduction for all the people of this State. Since the 1946 fiscal year, tax collections from the various forms of special State taxes, including sales and income taxes, have increased from $25 million to 48 million dollars.

It has been established during the past three and one-half years during which time the operating costs of government have been reduced or otherwise stablized, that the increased collections are well above operating needs. Substantial surpluses have been the inevitable result, but without provision for a tax rebate, these surpluses have been channeled into other spending programs.

Most of the surplus that has accumulated has been channeled into a public buildings program. How substantial the surplus has been is shown in the fact that during the past three years, more funds have been appropriated and allocated for new construction and remodeling of public buildings than was done in the previous twenty years. Many critical needs were taken care of in this program, including the virtual completetion of the long-delayed State prison. Practically every State welfare and educational institution shared in these funds.

The money now on hand in the Reserve Building Fund, coupled with the predicted spillover of additional surplus on October first is more than sufficient to provide for the entire building program as outlined in Chapter 106, Laws of Utah, 1951, and by this special session, as well as to provide for the purchase of remaining property at THIS IS THE PLACE monument. It is obvious that additional surpluses will accumulate during the next fiscal year, just as they have in the past year. Unless some tax reduction measure is adopted, however, some means will be found to spend this money, as has always been the case in the past.

I believe that the present tax burden is so great that it is our duty and obligation as public officials to reduce it wherever possible. There is little if anything we can do with reference to the national situation but certainly there is something we can do at the State level. It was my sincere intention to hold to a minimum the subjects to be brought before this special session, but I would be remiss in my obligation to the people of this State if I failed to recommend a tax reduction at this time. Accordingly I am submitting for your consideration at this time two specific recommendations for reducing State taxes.

First, I am recommending that sales tax be eliminated from prescription medicines and all food products for human consumption. Such action would provide immediate tax relief to every person in this State and would be particulary beneficial to those persons living on low or fixed incomes. It is estimated by the Tax Commission that enactment of a bill implementing this recommendation would reduce sales tax revenues by 25 per cent. Applied to present sales tax collections, the reduction would amount to $4,250,000 in a year's time.

Secondly, I am recommending that existing exemptions allowed as credits against net income be increased from the present level of $600 for single persons, $1200 for married couples, and $300 for each dependent, to somewhat more realistic figures of $750 for single persons, $1500 for married couples, and $500 for each dependent. It is predicted that this would reduce income tax revenues by about twenty-eight per cent. Applied to present tax collections, this would mean a reduction of about $2,000,000 per year.

In my initial message to this session I said I would limit the subjects suggested to you so that the session could be brief and productive and devoid of partisan dispute. I am sure you will agree with me that reducing the tax burden upon our people certainly would be productive, and further that the question of lower taxes is not the property of any political party but one upon which all should agree.

I am recommending these tax reduction measures to you because I keenly feel it to be my duty to all of the people to take what steps I can to decrease the tax load. I, therefore, earnestly request your favorable consideration for these measures. While action on them may prolong your session, it is nonetheless true that when you accepted the honored positions you now hold you became the servants of the people and, if necessary, it is encumbent upon you to make some sacrifice, if it is in the interest of the general welfare of our people.

I, therefore, earnestly urge that you act upon these measures in the same prompt and statesman-like manner in which you have acted upon the rest of the session agenda.

The Joint Committee then escorted Governor Lee to his chambers.

On motion of Senator Day the Joint Convention was dissolved.

The Senate re-assembled.

On motion of Senator Milliman the Senate resolved itself into Executive Session.

On motion of Senator Milliman the Senate resolved itself into Regular Session.

On motion of Senator Milliman the Senate did advise and consent to the following appointments:

COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE:

Ariel M. Jorgensen, Amalga, Cache County, for unexpired term ending March 1, 1953.

MEMBER, UTAH STATE FAIR ASSOCIATION:

T. K. Voyer, Tooele, for unexpired term ending July 1, 1953.

COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:

Jay C. Newman, Salt Lake City, for unexpired term ending July 1, 1955.

MEMBER, ADVISORY COUNCIL, DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING:

Ray O. Kirkland, Bountiful, for six-year term ending March 1, 1958.

MEMBER, UTAH BOARD OF HEALTH:

J. R. Bachman, Ogden, for seven-year term ending March 1, 1959.

MEMBER, UTAH ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR THE STATE SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND:

Stanley Robins, Ogden, for five-year term ending March 1, 1957.

MEMBER, HIGHWAY PATROL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION:

Oral J. Wilkinson, Murray, for unexpired term ending January 1, 1953.

COMMISSIONER, STATE BANKING DEPARTMENT:

Louis S. Leatham, Salt Lake City, for unexpired term ending April 1, 1953.

MEMBER, UTAH STATE INSTITUTE OF FINE ARTS:

David Lawrence McKay, Salt Lake City, for unexpired term ending June 30, 1953.

COMMISSIONER, STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT:

Dr. George A. Spendlove, to hold office as provided by law.

COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION:

Donald Hacking, Price, for unexpired term ending March 1, 1953.

On motion of Senator Burns the Senate recessed until 2 P.M.

AFTERNOON

The Senate reconvened at 2 P.M.

All Senators present except Senator Brockbank, excused.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Speaker of the House has this day signed, in open session, in the presence of the House, *H. B. No. 1*, by State Prison Committee, entitled:

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO THE UTAH STATE PRISON FROM THE RESERVE BUILDING FUND, and the same is transmitted herewith for the signature of the President.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

H. B. No. 1 was signed by the President in open session in the presence of the Senate and was returned to the House for transmission to the Governor.

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Speaker of the House has this day signed, in open session, in the presence of the House, *H. B. No. 2*, by Election Committee, entitled:

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AND AUTHORIZING THE REGISTRATION AND VOTING OF ELECTORS OF THE STATE OF UTAH IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES IN COUNTY, STATE AND NATIONAL ELECTIONS DURING THEIR ABSENCE BY REASON OF SUCH SERVICE; DEFINING THE TERMS "BALLOT" AND "ELECTORS IN THE MILITARY SERVICE"; PRESCRIBING A FORM OF REGISTRATION AND VOTING CERTIFICATES; PRESCRIBING THE DUTIES OF THE COUNTY CLERK, JUDGES OF ELECTION, AND STATE AND COUNTY OFFICIALS IN CARRYING OUT THE INTENT AND PURPOSES OF THIS ACT; MODIFYING THE ELECTION LAWS OF THE STATE OF UTAH WHICH MIGHT OTHERWISE PREVENT ELECTORS OF UTAH IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES FROM PARTICIPATING IN SAID ELECTIONS; PROVIDING FOR DISABLED ELECTORS' BALLOTS; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE EXPENSES OF FURNISHING BALLOTS, FORMS, ENVELOPES, POSTAGE, AND OTHER SUPPLIES; THE APPOINTMENT AND DUTIES OF REGISTRATION AGENTS FOR SUCH PURPOSES and the same is transmitted herewith for the signature of the President.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

H. B. No. 2 was signed by the President in open session in the presence of the Senate and was returned to the House for transmission to the Governor.

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Speaker of the House has this day signed, in open session, in the presence of the House, *H. B. No. 5*, by Public Buildings and Grounds Committee, entitled:

AN ACT RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE STATE PARK IN THE VICINITY OF "THIS IS THE PLACE" MONUMENT AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION THEREFOR, and the same is transmitted herewith for the signature of the President.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

H. B. No. 5 was signed by the President in open session in the presence of the Senate and was returned to the House for transmission to the Governor.

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Speaker of the House has this day signed, in open session, in the presence of the House, *H. B. No. 6*, by Mr. Bonacci and others, entitled:

AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 13, 16, 17, 20, 23 AND 24, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, RELATING TO THE TERMINATION OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; DEFINING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES; DEFINING RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR SERVICE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1952; PROVIDING FOR THE REPAYMENT OF EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT FUND; PROVIDING FOR CONTRIBUTIONS AND APPROPRIATIONS FROM EMPLOYERS TO FINANCE LIQUIDATION COSTS; SPECIFYING EFFECTIVE DATE; AND ENACTING NEW SECTIONS TO BE KNOWN AS SECTIONS 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 AND 34, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, RELATING TO COMPUTATION OF RETIREMENT BENEFITS; REFUNDS AT DEATH; CONDITIONS OF REEMPLOYMENT; COURT REVIEW; AND DEFINITIONS; AND REPEALING SECTIONS 18 AND 22, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, and the same is transmitted herewith for the signature of the President.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

H. B. No. 6 was signed by the President in open session in the presence of the Senate and was returned to the House for transmission to the Governor.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

S. B. No. 6 By Messrs. Day, Muir, Brockbank and Tippetts

AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 30-0-47, UTAH CODE ANNOTATED 1943, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 44 LAWS OF UTAH 1949, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 45, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, RELATING TO GAME ANIMALS, SPECIFYING HUNTING SEASON FOR DEER AND FURTHER PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF THIS ACT, was read the first time.

On motion of Senator Day the rules were suspended and *S. B. No. 6* was placed before the Senate for its consideration.

On motion of Senator Day the rules were suspended and *S. B. No. 6* was read the second and third times and placed on its final passage.

S. B. No. 6 then passed on the following roll call:

Ayes, 12; Nos, 10; Absent, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Senators Beal, Cannon, Clegg (explained vote), Day, Jensen, Larsen, Marthakis, Milliman, Muir, Paxton, Tippetts and Thorn.

Those voting in the negative were: Senators Adams, Ashton, Burns, Elggren, Gibson, Hopkin (explained vote), Jenkins, Reese, Watson and Mr. President.

Absent and not voting were: Senator Brockbank.

S. B. No. 6 was transmitted to the House.

S. B. No. 7 By Messrs. Day, Larsen, Cannon and Beal.

AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 80-15-4, UTAH CODE ANNOTATED 1943, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 93, LAWS OF UTAH 1943, RELATING TO THE IMPOSITION OF A TAX UPON CERTAIN SALES AND SERVICES AND PROVIDING, IN ADDITION TO CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS THEREIN, FOR AN EXEMPTION OF SALES OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS AND ALL FOOD PRODUCTS FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION, was read the first time.

On motion of Senator Day the rules were suspended and *S. B. No. 7* was placed before the Senate for its consideration.

Senator Gibson moved that *S. B. No. 7* be tabled.

Senator Paxton, with the aid of four Senators, requested a roll call vote on the motion.

The motion then passed on the following roll call:

Ayes, 16; Nos, 6, Absent, 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Senators Adams, Ashton, Burns, Clegg, Elggren, Gibson, Hopkin (explained vote), Jenkins, Jensen, Marthakis (explained vote), Milliman, Reese, Tippetts, Thorn, Watson and Mr. President.

Those voting in the negative were: Senators Beal, Cannon (explained vote), Day (explained vote), Larsen (explained vote), Muir (explained vote), and Paxton (explained vote.)

Absent and not voting: Senator Brockbank.

S. B. No. 7 was tabled.

On motion of Senator Marthakis the subject matter of *S. B. No. 7* was referred to the Utah Legislative Council for study and report not later than December 1, 1952.

S. B. No. 8 By Messrs. Day, Muir, Cannon, Larson and Paxton

AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 80-14-7, UTAH CODE ANNOTATED 1943, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 117, LAWS OF UTAH 1947, AND AMENDING SECTIONS 80-14-16, 80-14-46, AND 80-14-52, UTAH CODE ANNOTATED 1943, RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX; PROVIDING FOR AN INCREASE IN PERSONAL EXEMPTION AND EXEMPTIONS FOR DEPENDENTS, FOR CREDITS AGAINST NET INCOME, AND THAT ANY INCOME TAX RETURN REQUIRED TO BE UNDER OATH MAY, IN LIEU THEREOF, BE SIGNED BY THE TAXPAYER UNDER A DECLARATION THAT IS MADE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY, was read the first time.

On motion of Senator Day the rules were suspended and *S. B. No. 8* was placed before the Senate for its consideration.

Senator Marthakis moved that *S. B. No. 8* be tabled.

Senator Paxton, with the aid of four Senators, requested a roll call vote on the motion.

The motion then passed on the following roll call:

Ayes, 17; Nos, 5; Absent 1.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Senators Adams, Ashton (explained vote), Beal (explained vote), Burns, (explained vote), Clegg (explained vote), Elggren (explained vote), Gibson, Hopkin, Jenkins, Jensen, Marthakis (explained vote), Milliman, Reese, Tippetts, Thorn (explained vote), Watson and Mr. President.

Those voting in the negative were: Senators Cannon, Day (explained vote), Larsen (explained vote), Muir (explained vote) and Paxton (explained vote).

Absent and not voting: Senator Brockbank.

S. B. No. 8 was tabled.

On motion of Senator Marthakis the subject matter of *S. B. No. 8* was referred to the Utah Legislative Council for study and report not later than December 1, 1952.

On motion of Senator Milliman the enacting clause in *S. B. No. 7* was struck.

On motion of Senator Milliman the enacting clause in *S. B. No. 8* was struck.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE HOUSE

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the House has this day rejected *S. B. No. 6* by Messrs. Day, Muir, Brockbank and Tippetts, entitled:

AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 30-0-47, UTAH CODE ANNOTATED 1943, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 44 LAWS OF UTAH 1949, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 45, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, RELATING TO GAME ANIMALS, SPECIFYING HUNTING SEASON FOR DEER AND FURTHER PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF THIS ACT, and the same is returned herewith for your further action.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

S. B. No. 6 was filed.

On motion of Senator Hopkin *S. B. No. 3* was lifted from the Committee on Appropriations and Claims and the enacting clause in *S. B. No. 3* was struck.

On motion of Senator Gibson the Senate voted to defer action on Miscellaneous Claims against the State of Utah until the regular Session of the 30th Legislature.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

June 14, 1952

Dear Mr. President and Members of the Senate:

This it to advise you I have this day signed and transmitted to the Secretary of State, *S. B. No. 4* by the Committee on Appropriations and Claims, entitled:

AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE, SECOND SPECIAL SESSION.

Sincerely yours,

J. BRACKEN LEE,
Governor

Communication filed and the House notified.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE HOUSE

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Governor did on the 14th day of June, 1952, approve and transmit to the Secretary of State, *H. B. No. 2*, by the Committee on Elections, entitled:

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AND AUTHORIZING THE REGISTRATION AND VOTING OF ELECTORS OF THE STATE OF UTAH IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES IN COUNTY, STATE, AND NATIONAL ELECTIONS DURING THEIR ABSENCE BY REASON OF SUCH SERVICE; DEFINING THE TERMS "BALLOT" AND "ELECTORS IN THE MILITARY SERVICE"; PRESCRIBING A FORM OF REGISTRATION AND VOTING CERTIFICATES; PRESCRIBING THE DUTIES OF THE COUNTY CLERK, JUDGES OF ELECTION, AND STATE AND COUNTY OFFICIALS IN CARRYING OUT THE INTENT AND PURPOSES OF THIS ACT; MODIFYING THE ELECTION LAWS OF THE STATE OF UTAH WHICH MIGHT OTHERWISE PREVENT ELECTORS OF UTAH IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES FROM PARTICIPATING IN SAID ELECTIONS; PROVIDING FOR DISABLED ELECTORS' BALLOTS; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE EXPENSES OF FURNISHING BALLOTS, FORMS, ENVELOPES, POSTAGE, AND OTHER SUPPLIES; THE APPOINTMENT AND DUTIES OF REGISTRATION AGENTS FOR SUCH PURPOSES.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Governor did on the 14th day of June, 1952, approve and transmit to the Secretary of State, *H. C. R. No. 1*, by Messrs. Edward C. Larsen, Elswood, Openshaw, Lowe, White, W. G. Larsen, John H. Johnson, Brotherson, Hurst, L. B. Johnson, Jarman, Russell, and Mesdames Vance, Cazier, and Anderson, entitled:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE UTAH LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF FLOOD CONTROL IN THE STATE OF UTAH AND SUBMIT A REPORT OF ITS FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE 30TH UTAH STATE LEGISLATURE.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Governor did on the 14th day of June, 1952, approve and transmit to the Secretary of State, *H. B. No. 1*, by the State Prison Committee, entitled:

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO THE UTAH STATE PRISON FROM THE RESERVE BUILDING FUND.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Governor did on the 14th day of June, 1952, approve and transmit to the Secretary of State, *H. B. No. 5*, by Public Buildings and Grounds Committee, entitled:

AN ACT RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE STATE PARK IN THE VICINITY OF "THIS IS THE PLACE" MONUMENT AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION THEREFOR.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

June 14, 1952

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform your Honorable Body that the Governor did on the 14th day of June, 1952, approve and transmit to the Secretary of State, *H. B. No. 6*, by Messrs. Bonacci, Hopkins, Croft, A. O. Gardner, Lee W. Dalebout, Edw. C. Larsen, Albrecht, Reed Gammell, Jack Swenson, Merrill Wood, Lester Taylor, V. L. Bunderson, Rowberry, Wayne Hinton, T. M. Rees, W. G. Larson, Dilworth S. Woolley, Ralph Sheffield, entitled:

AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 13, 16, 17, 20, 23, and 24, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, RELATINC TO THE TERMINATION OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; DEFINING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES; DEFINING RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR SERVICE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1952; PROVIDING FOR THE REPAYMENT OF EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT FUND; PROVIDING FOR CONTRIBUTIONS AND APPROPRIATIONS FROM EMPLOYERS TO FINANCE LIQUIDATION COSTS; SPECIFYING EFFECTIVE DATE; AND ENACTING NEW SECTIONS TO BE KNOWN AS SECTIONS 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, AND 34, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, RELATING TO COMPUTATION OF RETIREMENT BENEFITS; REFUNDS AT DEATH; CONDITIONS OF RE-EMPLOYMENT; COURT REVIEW; AND DEFINITIONS; AND REPEALING SECTIONS 18 AND 22, CHAPTER 21, LAWS OF UTAH 1951, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION.

Respectfully,

QUAYLE CANNON, JR.
Chief Clerk

Communication filed.

On motion of Senator Clegg the Senate expressed its appreciation of the work performed by the Utah Legislative Council and its personnel.

On motion of Senator Marthakis the President appointed Senators Jensen, Clegg and Elggren as a committee to notify the House that the Senate has concluded its business and is ready to adjourn sine die, and also, with a committee from the House, to wait upon the Governor and ascertain whether he has any further business to bring before the Legislature.

A committee from the House appeared and notified the Senate that the House had concluded its business and was ready to adjourn sine die.

Senator Jensen reported that the committee appointed to wait upon the Governor had notified His Excellency that the Senate had concluded its business and was ready to adjourn sine die, and brought the following message:

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR

June 14, 1952

Dear Mr. President and Members of the Senate:

I wish to congratulate you for what you have accomplished here. The record of this special session is outstanding. Legislation to properly dispose of the matters brought before you has been enacted in a prompt, efficient, and statesman-like manner.

The action you have taken with reference to the knotty public retirement problem is of particular significance. You have resolved this issue in the best interests of both the public and the public employees. This action has saved the State millions of dollars and has provided the public employees concerned with a better coverage plan under Social Security than was obtainable under State retirement. The near unanimous vote with which this action was taken is a tribute to the work of the Legislative Council and its director. It represents an expression of confidence in the Council in which I heartily concur. We owe this group a vote of thanks for their contribution to this special session.

I naturally am sorry that a tax reduction measure was not enacted at this session. I am willing, however, to abide by your decision. Again, let me thank you for your other actions.

I have no further business to present to your Honorable Body.

Sincerely yours,

J. BRACKEN LEE,
Governor

Communication filed.

On motion of Senator Milliman the Second Special Session, Twenty-Ninth Legislature, of the Utah State Senate adjourned sine die.

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Burns	+						+				+				+	C
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Clegg			+	+					+	+						+
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Hopkin		C			+									C		
Jenkins		+		C								+				
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Milliman		+				+			C	+	+				+	
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Paxton	+	+			+		+					+				
Reese		+			+		C					+				
Thorn		+					+				+	+				+
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1	Milliman et al—Soldiers Voting	15	16	16	16	22				22 failed
2	Hopkin et al—"This is the Place" monument	16								17X-20X-25F
3	Clegg et al—Utah State Prison fund	16								38F
4	Comm. on Appropriations and Claims—Approp. 2nd Special Session	16	17	17	17	22	24	28	39	
5	Hopkin et al—Public Retirement System	23	23	23						27F
6	Day et al—Deer Hunting Season	36	36	36	36	38				38 failed
7	Day et al—Sales Tax Exemptions	36								37T-38F
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Number	AUTHOR — TITLE (Abbrev.)	Received from House Read First Time	Read Second Time	Read Third Time	Transmitted to House	Received from House	Signed by President		Signed by Governor	References X — Special Order F — Enacting Clause Struck T — Tabled
1	State Prison Committee—Utah State Prison fund	21	21	21	22	33	34		40	
2	Elections Committee—Soldiers Voting	18	19	19	19	34	34		39	
5	Public Buildings and Grounds Comm.—"This is the Place" monument	24	24	24	25	35	35		40	28 concur
6	Bonacci et al—Public Retirement System	26	26	26	27	35	36		41	

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Number	AUTHOR — TITLE (Abbrev.)	Received from House Read First Time	Read Second Time	Read Third Time	Transmitted to House	Received from House	Signed by President		Signed by Governor	References X — Special Order F — Enacting Clause Struck T — Tabled
1	Larsen et al—Flood Control	19	20	20	20	29	29		40	28 concur