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AUSTIN, TEXAS

OF THE

# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OF THE

## THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE OF TEXAS

### *FIRST CALLED SESSION*

CONVENED AT THE CITY OF AUSTIN, JULY 31, 1911

AND

ADJOURNED WITHOUT DAY, AUGUST 29, 1911

VOLUME I

Cranke.  
Cureton.  
Fountain.

Rowell.  
Smith of Atascosa.  
Stamps.

Rogers.  
Ross.  
Rucks.

Stevenson.  
Stone.  
Tarver.



## SIXTH DAY.

Hall of the House of Representatives,  
Austin, Texas,  
Saturday, Aug. 5, 1911.  
The House met at 9:30 o'clock a.

Tarver.

Teel.

Terrell of Bexar.

Terrell

of Cherokee.

Wahrmund.

Williams

of Dallas.

Williams

of McLennan.

Witcher.

Wood.

It is also charged that in different counties and localities individuals and county officials violated the law regulating the payment of poll taxes. The Constitution of the State makes it the duty of the Governor

PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS.

\$50.00 Reward.

To All to Whom These Presents Shall

FOURTEENTH DAY.

Williams  
of McLennan,Woods.  
Wortham.

3. Providing for the appointment of a commission of five competent lawyers, who shall sit at Austin, for the purpose of reforming and revis-

House bill No. 13, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the adoption of a system of uniform text-books in this State, and the appoint-

HamiltonPharr.

the bar of the House. and. being



frauds and impositions now being No. 1. Bowie. Cass. Marion. Mor-

Dotson, V Vortham,

[2 requesting the Governor to return





probably \$20,000.00. and the money corporation within the State to re-

the following proviso at the end of  
Section 2:

Randolph.  
Rogers.

Stone.  
Tayver.

## MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. J. T. Bowman, private secretary to the Governor, appeared at the bar of the House, and, being duly announced, presented the following message from the Governor, which was read to the House:

Governor's Office,  
Austin, Texas, August 17, 1911.  
To the Texas Legislature:

As provided in Section 40, Article 3 of the State Constitution, I present

assessors of the various counties of this State, approved April 15, 1907, as amended by Chapter 13 of the General Laws of the First Called Session of the Thirtieth Legislature, entitled An Act to amend an Act passed at the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature entitled An Act to provide for a board to calculate the ad valorem rate of tax for State purposes each year, and to prescribe the duties of such board and certain duties of the tax assessors of the various counties of this State. provid-

		Absent—Excused.	
Brooks.	Leach.	Bagby.	Mikeska.
Brookshire.	Lee.	Brown.	Nickels of Hill.
Brownlee.	Logan.	Burns.	Parker.
Buffington.	Mangum.	Cureton.	Rowell.
Eyrne.	Martin.	Highsmith.	Savage.
Cable.	Maxwell.	Hunt.	Stead.
Camp.	McDaniel.	Kennedy.	Williams
Cathey.	McDowra.		



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roads that they should be allowed pended in the execution of this Act

The Clerk was directed to call the  
roll, and the bill was passed by the

Absent—Excused.

counties where such cases are now corporation, when the maker thereof

Relation-

struction in Western Texas for the last several years has been by independent companies and largely on donations and subscriptions by the people living in territory adjacent to the railways proposed and constructed. Many of these roads are cheaply

Texas on the 28th day of March, 1905, by adding thereto an article to be known as "Article 4a," providing for the improvement of highways in the city of Houston by filling, grading, raising, paving or repaving the same with any permanent

Lake, or any other waters in the bonds, certificates and other evidence

the people of Texas a right to know

REASON FOR NOT VOTING.



Mr. Gilmore submitted the following  
motion in writing, which was read to  
the House:

I move that the report of the Free

Crisp.  
Dotson.  
Dunn.  
Fountain.

Nichols of Hunt.  
Pharr.  
Ross.  
Savage

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| 1. The creation of an independent | "No. 87. The Eighty-seventh Dis- |
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