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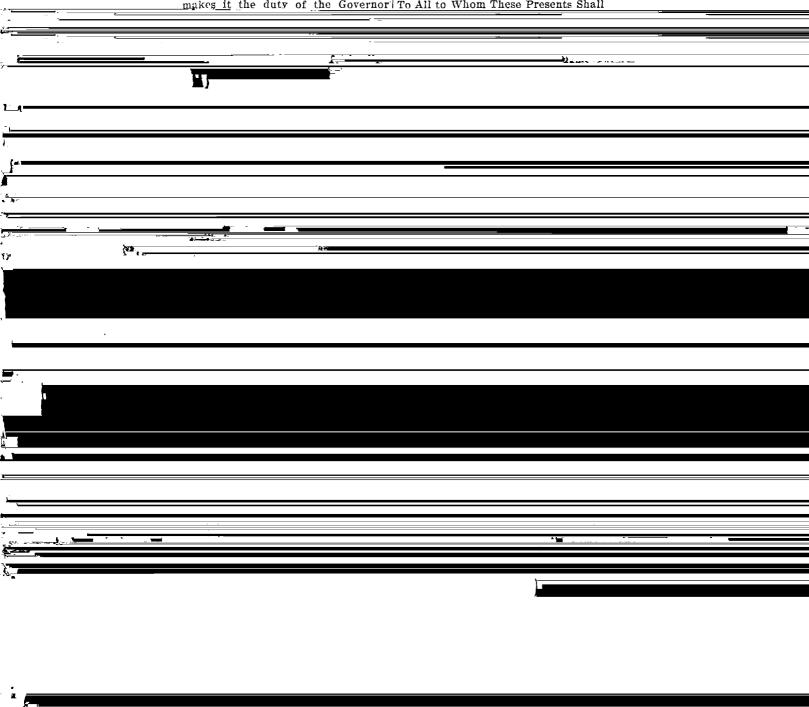
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Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas,
Saturday, Aug. 5, 1911.
The House met at 9:30 o'clock a.

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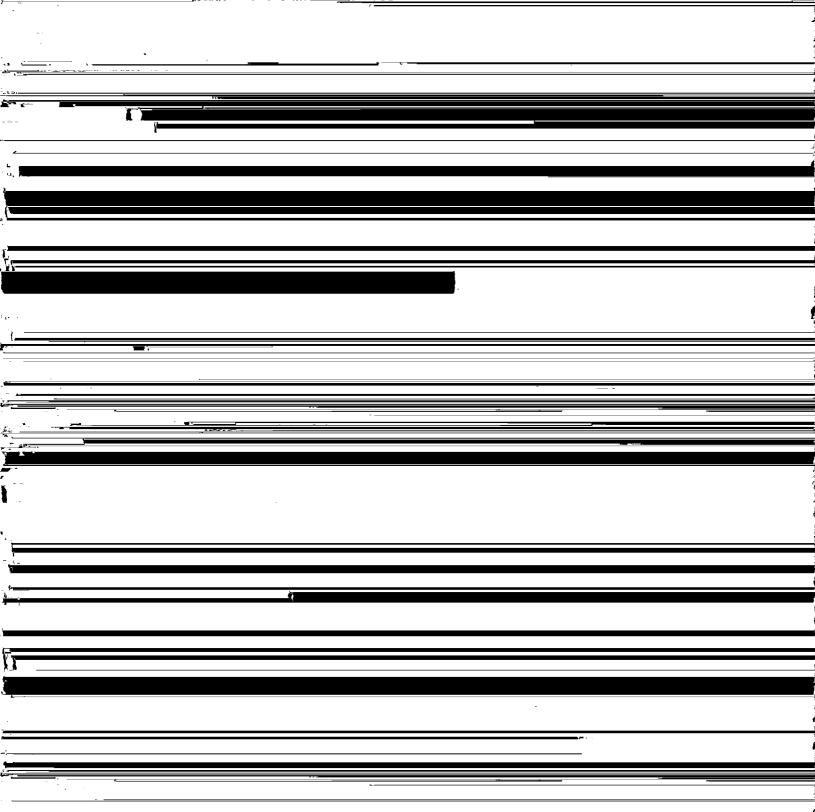
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MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

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

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

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 As provided in Section 40, Article duties of the tax assessors of the va-3 of the State Constitution. I present rious counties of this State, provid-

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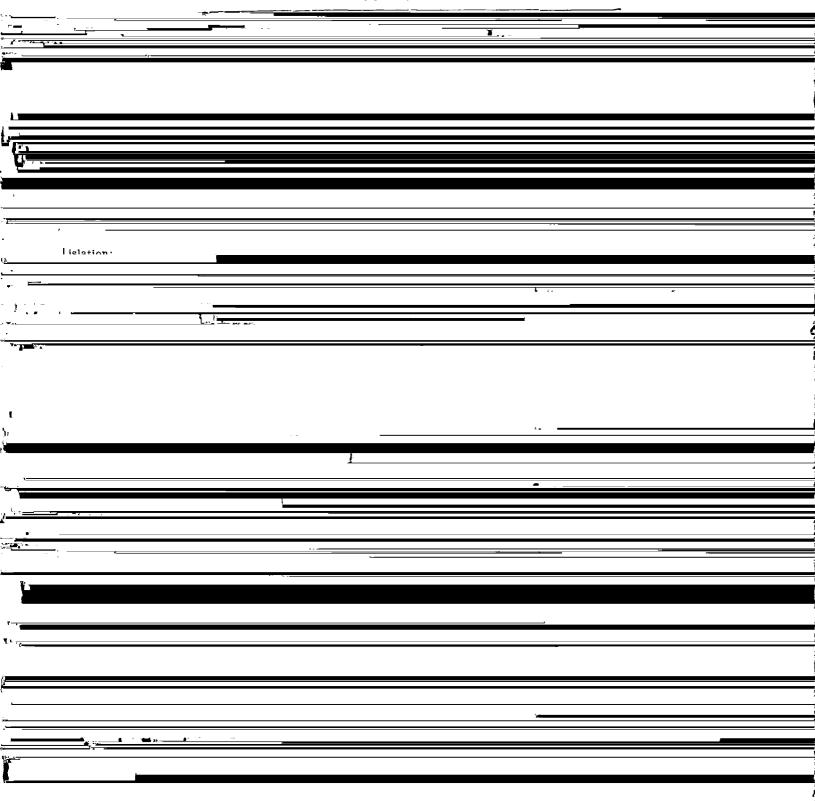
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struction in Western Texas for the last several years has been by independent companies and largely on donations and subscriptions by the people living in territory adjacent to the railways proposed and constructing, grading, raising, paving or red, Many of these roads are cheaply

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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 Fountain.

Nichols of Hunt, Pharr, Ross, Savaga 1. The creation of an independent "No, 87. The Eighty-seventh Dis-