MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Mr. Pat Dougherty, secretary to the Governor, appeared at the bar of the House, and being announced, presented the following message from the Governor, which was read to the House, as follows:

Executive Office, July 2, 1929.

To the Honorable House of Representatives of Texas.

I return herewith House bills No. 207, 151, 186, 173, 152, and 48.

Each bill intended to raise the salary of some public officer or officers. Each bill, with the exception of one, is written in general terms and contains a provision limiting its application to the named officers of counties or districts of certain given descriptions. Most of these counties or districts are described by population. It may, therefore, be said that the bills, with one exception, are general bills, but of local application. They are all salary increase bills. I do not believe these salaries should be increased in this manner, and I hereby veto these bills, and return them herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
DAN MOODY,
Governor of Texas.