

JUVENILE COURT.

Chapter 780 (Senate Bill 290). This Bill provides for the detention and commitment of juvenile offenders and seeks to repeal Chapter 807 of the laws of 1941.

At the recent session of the General Assembly, a comprehensive Juvenile Delinquency program was adopted through the enactment of several measures proposed by the Commission appointed by me and which has functioned during the past two years.

The Attorney-General points out that this Bill would be in conflict with the new laws and inasmuch as these latter enactments are considered to be of great importance, I feel that I should veto the Bill.

MILK.

Chapter 540 (House Bill 509). The State Department of Health suggests the veto of this measure which relates to the authority of the Counties to enact milk ordinances.

Under the existing laws, the State Director of Health advises that there is sufficient authority to insure sanitary conditions and he approved the practices in the dairying business. The Health Department is of the opinion that this enactment would complicate matters and because of the possible hazards, I am vetoing the Bill.

MOTOR VEHICLES.

Chapter 617 (House Bill 677). In his opinion to me on this Bill, the Attorney-General states:

"This Bill excludes from the width restrictions in the State-wide Motor Vehicle Code 'any load of forage crops in connection with farming operations when said crops are being harvested.' The Committee that drafted the new code suggests that the width provision were adopted as an aid to public safety, and that it is unwise to grant a broad exemption such as is contained in this Bill. That Committee has suggested that in cases of necessity, a special permit may be obtained under the provisions of Section 249 of Chapter 1007."

The Commission for the Revision of Motor Vehicle Laws also points out that this Bill might permit practices which are inimical to safety. Furthermore, the Commission feels that the Bill is unnecessary because of the fact that the State Roads Commission is authorized to issue special permits for particular cases.

I therefore am vetoing this enactment.