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1	11:00	Speaker	House to order
		Rev. Krueger	prayer
		Speaker	at ease till 12:00
2	12:00	Washburn	House back in order; at ease
	3:15	Speaker	House to order
		Giorgi	agreed death resolution
3			resolution adopted
	3:30	Speaker	House in order
		Shea	adjournment resolution
		Speaker	
		Geo-Karis	
4		Speaker	
		Washburn	
		Speaker	
		Shea	
5		Speaker	
		O'Brien	reads adjournment resolution
		Speaker	resolution adopted
		O'Brien	death resolution (Dan Teeffy)
6		Speaker	
	3:38	McClain	
		Speaker	resolution adopted
		Shea	move to adjourn
		Speaker	adjournment til Wednesday, perfunct at 10:00 a.m.



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Doorkeeper: "All persons not entitled to the House Floor, please retire to the gallery."

Speaker Redmond: "The House will come to order. Members please be in their seats. We'll be led in prayer this morning by the Reverend Father Krueger, the House Chaplain."

Rev. Krueger: "In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost. Amen. O Lord, bless this House to Thy service this day. Amen. It was Oliver Wendell Holmes who said, 'Most people are willing to take a sermon on the mount as a flag to sail under, but few will ever use it as a rudder by which to steer.' Let us pray an old English prayer. Give us, O Lord, a bit of sun, a bit of work and a bit of fun. Give us in all the struggle and sputter our daily bread and a bit of butter. Give us health, ours to keep to make and a bit to spare for other's sake. Give us, too, a bit of song and a tale and a book to help us along. Give us, Lord, a chance to be our goodly best, brave, wise and free. Our goodly best for ourselves and others till all men learn to live as brothers. Amen."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Washburn, do you seek recognition?"

Washburn: "Wish you a happy, fair day morning, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Redmond: "Did you have some words of advice to Representative Collins?"

Washburn: "...Hoffman, Carroll and Winchester and Dunn and others..."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Collins asked if Father Krueger would say a prayer for Notre Dame. I don't know whether that..."

Washburn: "After last week, I would suggest that he would."

Speaker Redmond: "The Senate has..."

Washburn: "Along those same lines, Mr. Speaker, I appeared at a function the other day where one of our candidate's fund raiser and the Priest during the invocation, first time I'd ever heard an invocation receive applause, but he started off for the benefit of Representative Collins, he started off something like this. 'Dear God, here we are again, praying for the Republicans.' He said, 'The only time that you hear more prayers than you do during a political campaign is when Notre Dame plays Southern Methodist on football'."



Speaker Redmond: "Just to make Representative Collins feel real good, I was offered four box seat tickets to the Notre Dame game today; but I'd rather be here. Here comes the second team. I've been advised we obviously don't have anything to do until the Senate gives us their work product. I've been advised that they are now on House Bill 1 and that the Senate's demonstrating its usual good nature, so I would suggest that we be at ease here until twelve o'clock noon. Yeah, twelve o'clock."

House at ease.

Speaker Redmond: "He stands in the middle there in front of the wells and this is Representative Skinner in case you don't know it. The House will be back in order. I've been advised that the Senate is in caucus and both... parties and they will be in till 12:30 at which time they will return to the Floor and every... all five Bills are in Third Reading and they're going to take them 5, 3, 4, 2, 1. It's the sequence in which they're going to call them, so I would think that we should be at ease at one o'clock. They should know pretty soon after 12:30 what happens, so we'll be at ease until one."

House at ease.

Speaker Redmond: "House will be in order. Members please be in their seats. Roll Call for attendance. What's the Notre Dame score, did anybody hear? In favor of whom? Notre Dame 10, Purdue 0. How about Illinois and Missouri? It was 10 to nothing Illinois at one time. Notre Dame 16 to nothing. Purdue's going home. Wisconsin score, anybody got that? Agreed Resolutions."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Resolution 23, VonBoeckman. House Resolution 24, Grotberg. House Resolution 25, Ryan. House Resolution 27, Kelly. House Resolution 28, Kelly."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Giorgi, to explain the Agreed Resolutions."

Giorgi: "House Resolution 23 by VonBoeckman honors..."

Speaker Redmond: "Please give the Gentleman order."

Giorgi: "...Mr. and Mrs. Johnson on the observation of their 25th



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wedding anniversary. House Resolution 24 by Grotberg honors Mrs. Grace Buxton Fishbaugh who's celebrating her 100th birthday. House Resolution 25 by Ryan notes that Dr. Ray Schale of Kankakee reluctantly acknowledges his 40th birthday. House Resolution 27 by Kelly and Mahar and Ryan honors Assumption Greek Orthodox Church on their service in the home at Illinois area. And House Resolution 28 honors Nancy Zajac of Park Forest, Illinois. And I would move the adoption of the Agreed Resolutions."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Giorgi moves the adoption of the Resolutions. Any discussion? Representative Deavers, do you seek recognition? The question's on the Gentleman's motion. All in favor indicate by saying 'aye', opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The Resolutions are adopted. Death Resolutions."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Resolution 26, DiPrima. Respect to the memory of Mr. W.F. "Bill" Glassform of Elgin, Illinois."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Giorgi."

Giorgi: "I move for the adoption of the Agreed Resolution 26 by DiPrima."

Speaker Redmond: "Any discussion? The question's on the Gentleman's motion for the adoption of the Death Resolution. All those in favor say 'aye', opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The Resolution is adopted. Representative Hanahan, will you step up here a moment, please? House will be in order. House will be in order. Representative Shea."

Shea: "Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, the Senate just passed their Adjournment Resolution calling both Houses back in Wednesday at ten. The House will be perfunct. Now, when we adopted the... after we adopt the Resolution, we have a Death Resolution for a former Member that we are going to have. Then the House will adjourn until Wednesday, at ten o'clock, perfunctory. If the Senate does pass it, we will probably come back on Thursday. If the Senate does not pass it, we will either adjourn then till November 17th or sine die the Special Session. So, Mr. Speaker, I would move on the Adjournment Resolution."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Geo-Karis."

Geo-Karis: "Mr. Speaker, do I understand that the House does not have



to come in Wednesday of next week?"

Speaker Redmond: "That is correct. It's a perfunctory Session.

Representative Shea. The question..."

Shea: "Could he read the Adjournment Resolution?"

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Washburn, for what purpose do you rise?"

Washburn: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. I guess my purpose in arising is to wonder what the House has accomplished here today other than to take a Roll Call and cost the taxpayers somewhere between twelve and fifteen thousand dollars that it takes to operate this House. I'm wondering why this Special Session was called in the first place for what the administration and your Governor called a very urgent matter that could have been handled as everyone else knows, November the 17th or next year and I'm wondering why we're coming back here next week again. I'm wondering if we're going to do anything next week or if we're just coming down here to waste the taxpayers money and our time and your time and everybody else's time. It seems to me that if we're going to have a Special Session, we ought to have a Special Session and do something especially if we're going to be here in Springfield. If not, let's adjourn sine die or adjourn until November the 17th or whatever date it's going to take the Governor to twist a few arms and try to accomplish what should not be accomplished. I think it's a disgrace not only to the Legislature, but to the general public as well, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Shea."

Shea: "Mr. Speaker, perhaps rather than ask us that question he ought to ask the Republican Leadership where the Bills are. We sent them over to them. We have met our obligation at least in part because you didn't give us some votes on certain Bills, but we've met our responsibility to fund the school system of this state. If there are strikes, if there are what I read in this morning's paper in Springfield where they won't be able to go 176 days because they don't have enough money, I place that on the back of your party and your candidate for Governor."



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Speaker Redmond: "The question is on the Gentleman's motion to adopt the Resolution. Representative Shea."

Shea: "Did he read the Adjournment Resolution?"

Speaker Redmond: "Read the Adjournment Resolution, Mr. Clerk."

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Joint Resolution #1. Resolved by the Senate of the 79th General Assembly, the State of Illinois, the House concurring herein, that when the two Houses adjourn on Saturday, September 18, 1976, they stand adjourned until Wednesday, September 22, 1976 at ten o'clock, a.m."

Speaker Redmond: "Question's on the Gentleman's motion for the adoption of the Resolution. Those in favor say 'aye', opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. Resolution is... Death Resolutions, former Member. Mr. Clerk, Death Resolutions. Death Resolutions."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Resolution #8, McClain et al. Whereas, this House has learned with great sadness of the death of our former colleague, Dan Teefey of Mt. Sterling, on Sunday, August 30th while attending races at East Moline with his son, where his son was riding; and Whereas, Dan Teefey served with great distinction and dedication in the Illinois House of Representatives from 1960 through 1966; and Whereas, many who came to this House after his service knew him well as the legislative consultant for the Illinois Banking Association; director of Midwest Illinois Racing Association, and director of the Brown County Fair Board for the past 10 years; and Whereas, Dan Teefey led an active business and civil life as former owner of Teefey Grain in Mt. Sterling; a past president of the Illinois Feed Association; a member of the Illinois Agricultural Advisory Board; past director of the Illinois Horsemen's Association; member of the Mt. Sterling Chamber of Commerce; Knights of Columbus; American Legion; Springfield Association of Executives; owner of Teefey Real Estate and Insurance at Mt. Sterling; and Whereas, he was born in Brown County in November 14, 1923, a son of Edward Leonard and Loretta Mary Geisler Teefey, and attended Quincy College and the University of Illinois before serving his country for three and one-half years as a pilot during World War II; and Whereas, we remember his quiet, but quick, enthusiasm for the words and ideas of friends; his warm understanding, intelligent



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advice and counsel on problems and questions brought to him while a member of this body and afterward; and Whereas, we share the grief and loss of his passing from our daily lives with his family and offer sincere condolences to his wife, Jean; his son, Edward; three daughters: Susan and Sharon Teefey at the home, and Mrs. Jack Hall of Mt. Sterling; two sisters: Mrs. Edward Conway of Williamsville, New York, and Mrs. Marion Newman of Mackinaw; and two grandchildren; therefore be it Resolved by the House of Representatives of the 79th General Assembly, the State of Illinois, that we join with his family and uncounted friends in their bereavement; and be it further Resolved that a suitable copy of this preamble and Resolution be presented to his family as a formal dedication of not only our sorrow, but of our respect and esteem."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative McClain."

McClain: "Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, Dan Teefey as far as I was concerned was a man that came closest to what my dad was all about and it's a special loss to me and to the friends of Dan Teefey and especially his family in the community of Brown County. And I'd ask... before I ask for a passage of this Resolution that leave of the House to add every Member of the General Assembly as Cosponsors."

Speaker Redmond: "Is there any objection? Hearing none, all the Members will be added as Cosponsors."

McClain: "I move for the passage of this Resolution."

Speaker Redmond: "The question is on the Gentleman's motion for the adoption of the Death Resolution. Those in favor indicate by saying 'aye', opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The Resolution's adopted. Representative Shea."

Shea: "Mr. Speaker, out of respect for our colleague, I move that we do now adjourn."

Speaker Redmond: "The question's on the Gentleman's motion. Those in favor say 'aye', opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The House stands adjourned till Wednesday, perfunctory Session."

