

77th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

SENATE FLOOR DEBATE

MAY 3, 1972

1. CHAPLAIN: Reverend Lee C. Moorehead, Carbondale, Illinois,  
2. Pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Carbondale.  
3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

4. Reading of the Journal. S...Senator Kosinski moves that  
5. the reading of the Journal be dispensed with. All in favor  
6. say aye. Preliminary reports.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Senator Romano, chairman of Labor an Commerce Committee  
9. reports out the following bills. Senate Bill No. 635, 1126,  
10. 1127, 1423, 1460 an 1461 with the recommendation Do Pass. Senate  
11. Bills 1462 an 1475 with the recommendation Do Pass as amended.  
12. Senate Bill No. 1510 with the recommendation Do Not Pass.  
13. Senator Smith, chairman of Welfare Committee reports out Senate  
14. Bills 1494 an 1530 with the recommendation Do Pass. Senate  
15. Bill 1350 with the recommendation Do Not Pass. House Bill 3559  
16. with the recommendation Do Pass. Senator Knuppel, chairman  
17. of Agriculture an Conservation, reports out Senate Bill 1335  
18. with the remec...recommendation Do Pass an rerefer to Appropriations.  
19. Senate Bill No. 1446 with the recommendation Do Pass as amended.  
20. Senate Bills No. 1420, 1447, 1448 an 1501 with the recommendation  
21. Do Pass. Senator Course, chairman of Revenue Division..Revenue  
22. Committee reports out Senate Bills 1334, an 1339 with the recommen-  
23. dation Do Pass. Senate Bill 1340 with the recommendation Do  
24. Pass as amended. Senate Bill 104 with the recommendation Do  
25. Not Pass. House Bill 1115 with the recommendation Do Not Pass.  
26. Senator Swinarski, chairman of Elections Commiss...Committee,  
27. reports out Senate Bill 1409 with the recommendation Do Pass.  
28. House Bills 192, 193, an 2575 with the recommendation Do Pass.  
29. House Bill 3681 with the recommendation Do Pass as Amended.  
30. House Bills 701, 1396 an 1399 with the recommendation Do Not  
31. Pass. Senator Lyons, chairman of the Appropriation Division  
32. of Committee on Public Finance reports out Senate Bills 1321,  
33. 1337, 1338, 1373, 1476, 1477, an 1527 with the recommendation  
Do Pass. Senate Bill No. 1429 with the recommendation

Do Pass as Amended.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

For what purpose does Senator Soper arise?

SENATOR SOPER:

1. Ah...ah...Mr. President, I'd like to...ah...discharge the  
2. Committee on Elections from Senate Bill 1341 for purposes of  
3. tabling the bill.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

5. What was the number of the bill?

6. SENATOR SOPER:

7. 1341, Senate Bill.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

9. Senator Soper moves to discharge Elections Commission...Com-  
10. mittee of Senate Bill 1741 for the purpose of tabling the bill.

11. SENATOR SOPER:

12. 1341.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

14. 1341 Is any objection? The bill is tabled. Senator Knuepfer.

15. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

16. Ah...I've got a discharge request too from the Committee  
17. on Local Government, House Bills 15 er Senator Bills rather  
18. 153, 154, 155, 1291, 504 for the purpose of tabling.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

20. Senator Knuepfer moves that Senate Bills 153, 154, 155,  
21. 1291, an 504 be discharged from the Committee on Local Government  
22. for the purpose of tabling. Any objections? Those bills are  
23. tabled. Messages from the House.

24. SECRETARY:

25. A Message from the House, by Mr. Selcke, Clerk:

26. Mr. President--I am directed to inform the Senate that  
27. the House of Representatives has adopted the following preamble  
28. an Joint Resolution in the adoption of which I am instructed  
29. to ask the concurrence of the Senate to-wit: House Joint Resolu-  
30. tion 127. It's ...ah...congratulating...ah...William E. Bolt,  
31. director of News an Public Affairs.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

33. Consent Calendar.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

For what purpose does S...Senator Latherov arise?

1. SENATOR LATHEROW:

2. Mr. President, Senator Sours is absent today because of  
3. a medical appointment...ah...he'd like for that to be recorded  
4. but he also wanted me to inform the members of the Senate even  
5. though he is absent he did expect to be a pallbearer for everyone  
6. of us.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

8. Let the record show Senator Sours' absence due to a doctor's  
9. appointment an let the record also show that Senator Harris is  
10. absent this morning because of a doctor's appointment. Senator  
11. Laughlin.

12. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

13. He was here earlier, Senator, but he had to leave.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER:: (Senator Partee)

15. Let the record so show. For what purpose does Senator  
16. Rock arise?

17. SENATOR ROCK:

18. Yes, Mr. President, on a point of personal privilege an  
19. also for the purpose of making a motion. There was this morning  
20. a meeting of the Senate Committee on Financial Institutions. There  
21. were four bills in that Committee, two of which were sponsored  
22. by myself. I was in attendance at a meeting at the caucus room  
23. which began at 8 o'clock concerning the payment of property taxes  
24. throughout the state. I did not attend the meeting on Financial  
25. Institutions, I understand there was some consternation. The reason  
26. I did not was one because a the other meeting an secondly last  
27. week you will recall that Senator Laughlin made a motion to  
28. exempt from the May 5th deadline Senate Bills 1505 an 1528 because  
29. they deal with the Uniform Commercial Code. One a the things  
30. that we overlooked was that Senate Bill 1459 also deals with the  
31. same subject an was also to be exempted an I had just assumed  
32. that all three of these bills would be exempted an would not  
33. necessarily be heard in committee. Ah...I would ask at this time that

1. Senate Bill 1459 be considered along with S...Senate Bill 1505  
2. an 1528 in order not to have another meeting of f...the Committee  
3. on Financial Institutions prior to Friday. I would ask consent  
4. of the Senate.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

6. Is there objection? Senator Groen.

7. SENATOR GROEN:

8. Ah...well...Mr. President, I apologize to Senator Rock.  
9. I was doing two things, one I was looking at some papers here  
10. an at the Calendar an I did not hear this. Ah...w...wow...ah...ah  
11. ...beg your indulgence, would you be kind enough to repeat it  
12. Senator?

13. SENATOR ROCK:

14. Last week you will recall that Senate Bill 1505 which is  
15. a substantial amendment to the Uniform Commercial Code was along  
16. with Senate Bill 1528 exempted by consent of this Body from  
17. the May 5th deadline for getting Senate Bills out of committee.  
18. What was overlooked was Senate Bill 1459 which is a companion  
19. bill an also amends the Uniform Commercial Code an these three  
20. bills were to be considered together. Now they were scheduled  
21. for a meeting this morning in the committee on Financial Insti-  
22. tutions at which I did not attend an rather than have another  
23. meeting say this afternoon or tomorrow morning for the purpose  
24. of getting these bills out I would ask that Senate Bill 1459  
25. be included in the exemption already granted to Senate Bill  
26. 1505 an 1528. They should be heard together.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

28. Senator Groen.

29. SENATOR GROEN:

30. Well what is the nature of the exemption granted to the  
31. other two bills? Are they not to be heard in committee?

32. SENATOR ROCK:

33. My understanding an I'll..., subject to Senator Laughlin's  
correction, is that Senator Arrington was going to request that

1. there be a committee of the whole, that we all sit an listen  
2. to th...whoever Senator Arrington happens to bring down as witnesses.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

4. Senator Groen.

5. SENATOR GROEN:

6. ...to me that the committee of the whole meets. Is the  
7. committee of the whole going to take a vote an determine whether  
8. the bills...ah...get on the Calendar or not?

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

10. Senator Rock.

11. SENATOR ROCK:

12. Well, I...I'll defer to Senator Laughlin. I don't know  
13. what the plan of action is frankly.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

15. Senator Laughlin.

16. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

17. Well, Mr. President I don't know what the plan of action  
18. is except to this extent. I made this motion last week an I  
19. included in that motion two bills, the one that I am handling  
20. an wh...an... which...ah...Senator Arrington is the chief sponsor,  
21. which is a bill...ah... prepared by the Commissioners on Uniform  
22. Laws an addresses itself to the a...amendment. I think it's...ah...  
23. Article 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code an all I did at that  
24. time I thought was to have it exempted from the rules that would've  
25. killed it an so that it's still there an it's in committee an  
26. as of the date Senator Groen, I still don't know what the plan  
27. of action is except that we have bills alive in that committee.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

29. Senator Groen.

30. SENATOR GROEN:

31. Well, Mr. Chairman, I would have no objection to this bill  
32. being kept alive but I...I would object to its being brought  
33. out of committee for the purpose of having it heard...ah...by  
the Senate sitting

1. as a committee of the whole with a vote then by the Senate to  
2. be determine...to determine whether or not the bill gets on  
3. the Calendar. I do not want to bypass committee in the case  
4. of...o...of these three bills because they are of extreme importance,  
5. of extreme complexity an I think should be heard.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

7. Well Senator, there are three things as I understand it  
8. which you are discussing; one is whether the bill should die,  
9. you are not op...you're not...you do not desire that to happen;  
10. the next thing is whether it should be in the same posture as  
11. the other two bills, that you do not object to;

12. SENATOR GROEN:

13. No.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

15. the third thing is whether or not this bill along with  
16. the other two bills should be heard by committee of the whole,  
17. now that's what you're addressing yourself to is it?

18. SENATOR GROEN:

19. Right, an I have no objection to their being heard by the  
20. Senate sitting as a...sitting as a committee of the whole...

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

22. But you do not desire that...

23. SENATOR GROEN:

24. ...but as far as its purposes...

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

26. But you do not desire that...

27. SENATOR GROEN:

28. ...but I want...I want committee action to determine whether  
29. their not are recommended Do Pass an whether they get on the  
30. Calendar.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

32. Senator Rock, is that...ah...what you want done? In other  
33. words what we're sayin now is, you were talken for a moment

1. so let me bring you up to date, that the bills will....the  
2. bill will be placed in the same posture as the other two  
3. bills, that if there is to be a committee of the whole  
4. hearing there will be a committee of the whole hearing on  
5. all three bills but that the committee of the whole will  
6. have no obligation, duty, or opportunity to vote for it.  
7. It'll be merely to edify the Body as to the contents of  
8. the bill. Is that what you seek to accomplish?

9. SENATOR ROCK:

10. I...I have no objection to the latter part. I  
11. didn't bring up the committee on the whole at all. All  
12. I want is this bill in the same posture as the other  
13. two which was my understanding an it w...it was suppose  
14. to be there an if that is all right than I have no...no  
15. problem with the other end of it.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

17. The motion then is to exempt that bill from the  
18. cutoff date and to place it in the same posture as the  
19. other two bills. Ah...is there objection? So ordered.  
20. Senate Bills on 2nd reading. 841 Senator Palmer. 1288  
21. Senator Knuepfer, hold. Twelve....oh....any....amen...  
22. any amendments from the committee? For what purpose  
23. does Senator Palmer arise?

24. SENATOR PALMER:

25. Call...ah...841..ah...

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

27. I'll get right back to it Senator. On 1288...

28. SECRETARY:

29. S....Senate Bill...

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

31. Any committee amendments?

32. SECRETARY:

33. Senate Bill No. 1288, 2nd reading of the bill one



1. committee amendment from Labor and Commerce...Local Govern-  
2. ment rather.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: ( Senator Partee)

4. .. Senator Knuepfer. Senator Knuepfer move...moves the  
5. adoption of the co...amendment. Any objections? Amend-  
6. ment's adopted. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.  
7. 841 Senator Palmer.

8. SECRETARY:

9. Senate Bill No. 841, 2nd reading of the bill, one  
10. committee amendment from Local Government.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

12. Do you move the adoption of the committee amendment?  
13. Any objection? The amenes...the amendment is adopted. Any  
14. amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 1289 Senator  
15. Berning, any committee amendments?

16. SECRETARY:

17. 2nd reading of the bill, no committee amendments.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

19. Any amendments from the floor? 3rd reading.  
20. 1515 through 1520 Senator Walker, Senator Rock.

21. SENATOR ROCK:

22. I wonder, Mr. President...ah...I'm...I'm...thing  
23. that Senator Walker may have

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an amendment...ah...clarifying amendment for these bills. I  
1. wonder if we could just pass em by an perhaps come back to them.  
2. For the purpose of adding an amendment.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

4. It will be so done. Senate Bills on 3rd reading. 488,  
5. 491, 1062, Senator O'Brien, hold 1091 Senator Knuppel ...Knuppel,  
6. hold. 1171 Senator Clarke. 1267 Senator Coulson.

7. SENATOR COULSON:

8. Yes sir, Mr. President let's give this one a try, briefly.  
9. Ah...I expect there will be a request that I put it over but  
10. I would like to explain it. This is perhaps the only bill we'll  
11. see in this Session which makes more money available for public  
12. purposes without costing the tax payer a cent. It arises from  
13. the fact that at almost every race track licensed by the state,  
14. given its date by the state, with the proceeds audited by the  
15. state, conducts 6 or 7 or 4 days for charity for various private  
16. purposes. The touchy part of the bill is that these private  
17. purposes include the Chicago Daily News Charity Fund, the Chicago  
18. Sun Times Charity Fund, Chicago Today's Fund, Chicago Tribune's  
19. Fund, Chicago Defender's Fund an a new one. I think all of  
20. you receive this...ah...book put out by the...ah...Illinois...th...  
21. the Illinois Thoroughbred it's called. It reports that another  
22. charity has applied for dates an received dates. The article  
23. is titled...it's the last one you received last Wednesday, the  
24. article is entitled Charity Begins at Home an it reports that  
25. the Truf Breeders Protective Association is going to run two  
26. charity meetings at Kahokia and at Fairmont, the southern Illinois  
27. tracks. Now in total here's what we have, the Sun Times Daily  
28. News Charity Trust runs a meeting operated by the Fox Valley  
29. Trotting Association at Sportman's Park from February 23rd to  
30. 29th, Sun Times Daily News Charity Trust runs another meeting  
31. at Washington Park operated by the Egyptian Association from  
32. December 1st to 7th. Chicago Defender's Charity has two meetings  
33. at Bell Moral from December 8th to the 11th an from February  
19th to 21st. Chicago Tri-

bune has one, Chicago Today has one, an the Horseman's Benevo-  
1. lent Protection Association has two more. The total proceeds  
2. of this are difficult to calculate. I don't know how many millions  
3. of dollars we're talking about. These associations are very  
4. reluctant...ah...an private in their disclosure of just how  
5. much they receive. I can tell you frankly this is not a partisan  
6. bill, it does not have...ah...the approval of the Governor.  
7. I don't know if he'll sign it. It does not have the approval  
8. of the...ah...racing board. It's simply an idea which will  
9. produce revenue, it will produce X dollars, it won't cost us  
10. a cent. The objections to it which I have heard are basicly  
11. the objections that the state doesn't know how to run a race  
12. track meeting an the answer to that is that neither does the  
13. Chicago Daily News or the Sun Times or the Tribune or Today.  
14. When the Chicago Daily News runs its 6 days for charity, all  
15. they do is permit one race to be named after their editor an  
16. show up at the end of the week to receive their check for their  
17. cut in the proceeds. Henry Hanson doesn't punch out the tickets  
18. an Mike Royko doesn't park the cars. The regular race track  
19. association conducts the entire meeting, slices the roast beef,  
20. pours the beer, an simply gives the newspaper their share of  
21. the net proceeds from the meeting an this is easy money. Now  
22. I have no particular quarrel with the Chicago newspapers or  
23. with any of the organizations running these meetings but I think  
24. it's extremely improper for a tax supported, tax enforced, state  
25. collected revenue to be turned over to any charity for its private  
26. purposes. I see no reason why if we do not...ah...take some  
27. action like this that next year NBC won't apply for money for  
28. its charity an the Cancer Fund apply for money for its charity.  
29. Meanwhile the State of Illinois for its legitimate purposes  
30. is starving for money. So here we have a very cheap, inexpensive  
31. way for the state to produce X millions of dollars in revenue...a...  
32. with no increase in taxes an all it takes is the simple candor  
33. to say to the Chicago newspapers we think it's wonderful for  
you to send these boys to summer camp, raise

1. your own charitable money the way everybody else does. Ah...I  
2. don't know if you're prepared to ask questions upon this now  
3. or to vote upon it. I don't wish to rush you. This has not  
4. received much attention from the Chicago newspapers as you might  
5. gather. It has...ah...ah...rather anonymously progressed thus  
6. far. I mean no unkindness to anyone in suggesting it. It is  
7. th...the sort of thing which you ought to be considering an  
8. since I will not be here in the next Session to pursue it further  
9. in case it's defeated in this Session I simply offer it to you,  
10. if there should ever come a day when you wanna know where can  
11. the state find another couple a million dollars without hurting  
12. anybody, here's a way it could be done. Now Mr. President,  
13. perhaps I could respond to questions and in keeping with the  
14. a...a general desire of mine not to high pressure you atal...ah...  
15. if there's any desire at all I'll hold it for a week or hold  
16. it until the first of next week but the only way to get you  
17. to look at it an consider it is to cal it upon this stage at  
18. 3rd reading an have you test it against the...the crucible of  
19. your cross examination an your objections, what is wrong with  
20. doing it this way other than the fact that it's never been tried.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

22. Any further debate? Senator Fawell.

23. SENATOR FAWELL:

24. Ah...Senator Coulson, the...the idea a...appeals to me.  
25. I think it has alot of merit an I wondering would...ah...would  
26. this mean that the existing...ah... dates that are presently  
27. evidently handed out by the racing board to vari<sup>i</sup>ous...ah...charitable  
28. entities...ah...those would be eliminated an this...ah... th...the...  
29. this entity would...would operate those charitable...ah...dates?

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: ( Senator Partee)

31. Senator Coulson.

32. SENATOR COULSON:

33. The answer, so far as I can gather, is no. This would  
create a group which could apply for dates in competition with  
the Chicago

1. Daily News, the Tribune, the Sun Times charity meets. The racing  
2. board might say well we don't choose to give you those dates.  
3. They have already given dates for all of ne...this year so it  
4. can't be done this year. The racing board could say we'll give  
5. you six days in addition an the tracks, I think, would be very  
6. happy to grant such a request because that would enable them  
7. to amortize their cost of annual taxes, annual maintenance,  
8. over a 60 day period instead of a 54 day period. I'm not necessarily  
9. trying to injure anybody elses racket. I'm simply trying to  
10. get the state taxpayer to participate in it.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

12. Any further debate? Senator Coulson, I think probably  
13. if you're going to ask for a roll call you're gonna have to  
14. move it back to 2nd for an amendment with reference to the effec-  
15. tive date. It's now set forth as January 1, 1972

16. SENATOR COULSON:

17. I...I will then hold the bill, Mr. President, offer an  
18. amendment...ah...changing the ef...er...establishing the effective  
19. date an call it for passage next...ah...next week if I may.  
20. I do want the members to be informed of it an to be braced for  
21. it because it may turn out to be controversial. Thank you very  
22. much, Mr. President.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

24. Yes, sir. Senator Carroll. For what purpose does Senator  
25. Carroll arise.

26. SENATOR CARROLL:

27. Ah...matter of personal privilege, Mr. President.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

29. Senator Carroll, proceed.

30. SENATOR CARROLL:

31. Mr. President an Senators, sitting behind me I have the  
32. distinguished superintendent of schools of Main township an  
33. his lovely daughter, Dr. Short an his daughter Chris Short,  
I'd like to present to the Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

1. Would they please stand and be recognized by the Senate.  
2. Dr. Short and his daughter Chris. Thank you for coming. House  
3. Bills on 3rd reading. 219, 260 Senator Mohr. 266 Senator Sours...  
4. oh... 311 Senator Bruce. 493 Senator Dougherty. Senator Dougherty.  
5. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

6. Mr. President, and members of the Senate, House Bill 493  
7. has been on the Calendar for along time. In the past months  
8. I have amended it had the partic...had the particular amendment  
9. tabled an amended it a second time to put in the positions that  
10. I feel is more applicable to the situation as it is. Briefly,  
11. now I know there's gonna be some opposition to this bill. House  
12. Bill 493 provides simply this, it sets up the Illinois Hospital  
13. Facilities Act. It sets up a (incoherent mumbling)...quasi  
14. municipal corporation that will provide the sums necessary to  
15. rehabilitate, to reconstruct, to construct, to acquire land  
16. to construct not for profit hospitals and nursing homes. Through  
17. this facility th...th...these hospitals and not for profit nursing  
18. homes will be able to provide better services to the public,  
19. provide it at a cheaper rate to the public and...ah...particularly  
20. to the Public Aid Commission for the reason that they will  
21. issue bonds, it shall be non ex...be tax exempt which will be  
22. an incentive to large investors and it comes under the...the  
23. purview of the Internal Revenue Act which provides for this.  
24. It provides that no fa...no facility may make application for  
25. this loan or what it is is that it's the purchase lend lease  
26. back problem such as the Illinois Building Commission. It provides  
27. that before any hospital or facility of this type may make application  
28. or have loan approved of until it has been submitted to the  
29. Comprehensive Health Planning Agency. They in turn must approve  
30. of this before the facility can issue these bonds. This bill  
31. passed in similar form last Session but was vetoed by the Governor  
32. for that particular reason that there was no overseeing agency.  
33. We now have that in the Illinois Hospital Pla... the Illinois  
Health Planning Commission. In its present form I

1. think this is a good bill. It will provides...an we know that  
2. the hospital situation in Illinois, particularly in the not  
3. for profit area are in a bad way for the reason of financing.  
4. They must have a finance to the open market, they must bid for  
5. money, they must pay a higher interest rates. This provides  
6. a lower interest rate, the full faith an the credit of the State  
7. of Illinois is not in any way behind this. It is stated specifcly  
8. but it lend the fact that it's a State Facility gives color  
9. to it for the reason that it is advocated by the members of  
10. the...of this facilities who are the appointees of the Governor.  
11. There are 7 member board, it is contained on the provision for  
12. minority appointment an it provides that these must be submitted  
13. to this board, approvemnt by the Comprehensive Health Planning  
14. Agency an then the necessary bonds are sold, the facilities  
15. are leased back to the hospital who will amortize their loan  
16. an the bonds by virtue of rent paybacks with the necessary cost  
17. to operate an maintain the facility. It's simply...that's what  
18. it does. I would ask favorable consideration of the bill.  
19. Senator Groen asked me to wait one more day. There...one more  
20. day means nothing, this bill is gonna rise or fall on its merits.  
21. I think it's a particularly good bill. I have had many, many  
22. letters from these institutions, not for profit institutions,  
23. the various church groups, the Chicago Daily Tribune's editorialized  
24. on sometime ago...they favor the measure...I ask a favorable  
25. consideration by this Body of this bill.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

27. Is there any further debate? Senator Laughlin.

28. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

29. I...m...

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

31. Senator Laughlin.

32. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

33. Mr. President, I...I simply have a couple questions. I've

1. facility under the provisions of this bill and then pro-  
2. ceeded to practice in that facility...ah...ah..to earn  
3. a living and...and to make money which is perfectly  
4. legitimate.

5. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

6. ...under this bill.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

8. Pardon me Senator Dougherty, I didn't hear the  
9. answer.

10. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

11. I said I do not believe that possible under the  
12. bill, however, under the...that could be taken care of  
13. to provide against that measure by the bylaws of the  
14. commission.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

16. Senator Laughlin.

17. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

18. Well, I'd simply respond by saying and I'm not  
19. sure either...I...I'm not sure that your're right or  
20. wrong Senator Dougherty, bu...but I wouldn't want that  
21. somehow or another to happen and I'm not at  
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1. been trying to read this bill an I didn't get my work  
2. done ahead a time.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

4. Senator Dougherty....

5. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

6. Senator Dougherty would you yield to a question  
7. or two? Ah..oh I think it's on page 2, we're taling  
8. about a...a...amo...among the projects that can be  
9. funded are...is a physician's facility. Now this  
10. intrigues me, a hospital I understand, a  
11. physician's facility I'm not sure I do an if you tell me how  
12. important that is and how this is gonna work I'd appreciate  
13. it.

14. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

15. Very frankly it...the words intrigue me but I  
16. will tell you this, it...it is my opinion that it would  
17. pro-provide for shall we say lounging quarters or quarters  
18. where the physicians when shall we say off duty may  
19. simply take advantage of the space provided for their  
20. comfort. Now that's about the way that I would understand  
21. it. I think that what you feel is that should hospital  
22. having a ...some territory...ah...ah...land near  
23. by could build a facility that the...the ...physicians could  
24. use for their private use. I do not think that is p...  
25. true, possible under the bill. Is the right, your  
26. question?

27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

28. Senator Laughlin.

29. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

30. Well Mr. President, Senator Dougherty, what I'm  
31. concerned about is whether or not this would apply if  
32. a group of physicians formed a non profit corporation  
33. and then applied for...to construct a physicians's

all sure it couldn't happen under this bill as it's drafted.

1. Next question...ah...on page 10, I think it's section 414...ah...  
2. there's some language which I didn't realize was in here. Wha...yo  
3. ...bonds can be issued an make loans to a participating Health  
4. Institution to refinance indebtedness incurred by such participating  
5. Health Institution an projects undertaken an completed or for  
6. other facilities quired prior to or after the enactment of this  
7. act. Now why in the world should this be retroactive an why  
8. should the opportunity be given to refinance. Wh...wh...why  
9. is the retroactive provision in here?

10. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

11. Mr. President, frankly I can't answer that but I would  
12. say this, completed prior to the enactment of this act when  
13. the authority finds it's just about refinancing is in the public  
14. interest. Now there would have to be a finding by the authority  
15. of whether or not that would be in the public interest. In  
16. other words, assuming that X hospital had put a 4 or 5 story  
17. addition on to the hospital an then the public needed...a demonstra-  
18. ted a public need required they en...further enlarge the hospital  
19. that in to build another ad...addition to it they could...ah...fi...  
20. refinance the whole subject. That's the...that's the way I  
21. understand an I think that's the way you understand it.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

23. Senator Laughlin.

24. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

25. Yes, I do understand that, or I believe I understand that  
26. if one of these facilities had not for fofit...not for profit  
27. organizations had 5 years ago, 10 years ago, or whenever it  
28. was, ah...constructed...ah...a larger...ah...institution an  
29. added to it or something like that an financed it that now if  
30. this bill passes that institution can come to this facility  
31. an say well refinance this will you an if they're paying...ah...6%  
32. an they think they can get it lower here, I suspect then you'd  
33. decide that something that was done 10 years ago is now in the  
public interest to reduce the interest rate. Is...is that so?

SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

...would not

PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

Senator Dougherty.

1. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

2. be my decision sir...that would not be my decision but  
3. I would assume an I...I think you are correct in asserting  
4. that, th...that the authority could find that within the public  
5. interest. I don't...can't disagree with you if I do not know  
6. what they would attempt to do in setting up their bylaws or  
7. their operating agenda. That's what th...th...that's contained  
8. therein. You can't make it too restrictly, Senator, in other  
9. words.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

11. Senator Laughlin.

12. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

13. I'd love to ask you more questions but I've only gotten  
14. through page 10. Thank you very much.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

16. Senator Groen.

17. SENATOR GROEN:

18. Well Mr. President, an members of the Senate, all of you  
19. will recall that when this bill was here last June, the House  
20. sponsor was here for two days trying to get votes for this bill.  
21. At that time I discussed it with her in detail , pleaded with  
22. her for some amendments to clear up what I thought constituted  
23. some real bad language an some real fears on my part about the  
24. affect of this bill an I got nowhere. It's also been my experi-  
25. ence in requesting that same thing with Senator Dougherty.  
26. Apparently he is locked in on this bill as it is with no changes.  
27. Now I'd just like to point out to the Senate some of my fears  
28. about this bill, an I think Senator Laughlin is quite correct.  
29. There is no question that under the terms of this bill the authority  
30. in its judgment could build for private doctors who operated  
31. not for profit a facility as it is really not defined here because  
32. it's so broad it includes anything and in effect subsidize doctors  
33. in that effort. The second point raised by Senator Laughlin  
is in my judgment also valid. There is no question that this  
authority could issue bonds an use the proceeds of those bonds  
to bail

1. out any facility that they deemed to be in trouble financially.  
2. Now let's look at some of the other things. It only applies  
3. first of all to non profit organizations an you an I know generally  
4. how non profit organizations operate, an in many cases they  
5. are simply corporate entities for the purpose of milking the  
6. profits off of the operation an in this case it would be a most  
7. desirable thing to do when you have absolute blanket guar<sup>ante</sup>tee  
8. under this bill that if you are in financial trouble this agency  
9. or...or...a...authority can bail you out. If you read the language  
10. it is absolutely unlimited in its application. Section 205  
11. of the bill attempts to define cost. I don't know why they  
12. included the definition because again if you'll read that section  
13. you'll find that it is absolutely unlimited in its application  
14. and applies to e...absolutely everything that might be involved  
15. present, past, or future. Now one of the things that disturbs  
16. me the most an I wish everyone would take your bill book an  
17. look at section 407 which is on paragraph 8 of the bill and  
18. this is how it reads an I want you to listen carefully. To  
19. fix and revise from time to time an charge an collect rates,  
20. rents, fees, an charges for the use of an for services furnished  
21. to or to be furnished by a project or any portion thereof an  
22. to contract with any person, partnership, association, corporation,  
23. or other body, public or private in respect thereto, to coordinate  
24. its policies an procedures an cooperate with recognized health  
25. facility rate setting mechanisms which may now or here after  
26. be established. Now gentlemen, that can only mean one thing .  
27. If any facility which is a non profit institution be it a hospital,  
28. nursing home, shelter care, or what...a...a...a...a health sp...  
29. for example if they deem that in the public interest. Whatever  
30. it maybe, if they get nickel one from this authority that gives  
31. the authority the right to go into that institution an literally  
32. run it and operate it, set its rates, set its fees, do everything  
33. that the local board of trustees of my local hospital for example  
now has the authority to do. I do not want that to

1. happen in Illinois an I don't think the majority of the members  
2. of this body want that to happen in Illinois. I pleaded with  
3. the sponsor to eliminated that or to restrict it an again I  
4. got nowhere. Section 408, to establish rules an regulations  
5. for the use of a project or any portion thereof an to designate  
6. a participating health facility as its agent to establish rules  
7. an regulations for the use of a project for that participating  
8. health facility. Now what does that mean, that means...that  
9. simply means that if they don't like the way you're operating  
10. your project they come in and establish your rules an your regula-  
11. tions an again tell you how to operate. 411, to establish or  
12. contract with others to carry out on its behalf a health facility  
13. project cost estimating service an so on. It goes on an on.  
14. To make loans to a participating health facility, to refund  
15. outstanding obligations or advances issued, made or given by  
16. such participating health facility for the cost of the project  
17. including the function to issue bonds an make loans to a participa-  
18. ting health facility, to refinance indebtedness incurred. Now  
19. what does that mean, that means that there is an ongoing obligation  
20. on the part of the authority to continue to bail out such an  
21. agency or facility at any time they get in financial trouble.  
22. They have the right to mortgage all or any portion of any health  
23. facility an a site thereof. This means that if the facility...author-  
24. ity so desires an so determines they can come come into your  
25. local hospital an mortgage it if you please to raise money.  
26. Now I say to you I don't want that to happen to Pekin Memorial  
27. Hospital an I don't think you want it to happen to the hospital  
28. in your home community. Section 4.19, to do all things necessary  
29. or convenient to carry out the purposes of this act. Again  
30. I would say to you that this bill is absolutely the worst drafted  
31. bill I have ever seen. The authority may from time to time  
32. an I'm reading from section 9. The authority may from time  
33. to time issue bonds for any corporate purpose. Again an absolutely  
unlimited blanket

1. authority to do whatever they please and all such bonds or other  
2. obligations of the authority issued pursuant to this act shall  
3. be and are hereby to be declared negotiable for all purposes.  
4. We go on. The bonds shall be sold in such manner as the author-  
5. ity shall determine. I asked that they include a provision  
6. that would make these bonds subject to public advertisement  
7. for bids, again it was turned down, why, I don't know. Now  
8. section 12, an this is a very tricky an very complex section  
9. if you'll read it. The State of Illinois pledges to and agrees  
10. with the holders of any obligations issued under this act and  
11. with those parties who may enter into contracts with the authority  
12. pursuant to the provisions of this act that the State will not  
13. limit or alter the rights hereby vested in the authority. Now  
14. that means, once you give the authority the powers vested in  
15. it in this act you contract and agree, whether it's constitutional  
16. or not I don't know, but without passing on the constitutionality  
17. it binds the General Assembly not to change that authority.  
18. It says that the state will, an I'm quoting, that the state  
19. will not limit or alter the rights hereby vested in the authority  
20. until such obligations together with the interest thereon are  
21. fully met an discharged an such contracts are fully performed  
22. on the part of the authority an it says also the authority is  
23. agent for the state...as agent for the state is authorized to  
24. include this pledge an undertaking for the state in such obliga-  
25. tions or contracts. Now gentlemen, I don't know what is ...ladies  
26. ....ah...gentlemen an lady of the Senate, I don't know what  
27. is so earthshaking. I asked for one more day on this because  
28. I went home last evening for a doctor's an hospital appointment  
29. for X-ray on a knee that I injured. I took the file home with  
30. me intending to study it an review it an did look at it an reviewed  
31. it an this morning an it went in a hurry because I had to go  
32. back to the hospital to have fluid drawn from the knee, in my  
33. hurry to get to the hospital an get here for an 8:30 committee  
meeting I inadver -

1. tently did not place the file in my briefcase an do not have  
2. the file with me this morning. I can't understand...I can't  
3. understand what the urgency was that this could not have waited  
4. ti...till tomorrow. I asked for that permission, that I was  
5. going home again this evening to see the doctor an that I would  
6. bring the file with me tomorrow an agreed that I would h...h...have  
7. no objection to its being called tomorrow. I say to you if  
8. you have not read this bill, I urge you to do it, I urge you  
9. to at least thumb through it now .because I sincerely do not  
10. believe that you want to give the kind of power and authority  
11. that is vested that you are giving an vesting in this facilities  
12. authority, over your local hospital, nursing home, shelter care  
13. homes, and other health facilities. Also those facilities that  
14. might be deemed to be in the public interest an there is no  
15. limitation in this bill as to the power of the authority to  
16. determine what is a health facility in the public interest.  
17. Whatever the future might hold in this and it's full of that  
18. kind of phraseology past, present, or future, I say to you that  
19. this bill needs cleaning up. It should be held, it should be  
20. revised, it should be revamped, it should... restrictions should  
21. be placed on the power of this authority, an we should not act  
22. in haste on this bill and I would plead with you to look carefully  
23. at it an to vote no.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

25. For what purpose does Senator Dougherty arise?

26. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

27. Well I...ah...wanna answer Senator Groen in one respect...

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

29. Ah...Senator, Senator, you'll get a chance to answer em  
30. all...ah...when you close it. All right...all right. Go right  
31. ahead Senator Dougherty.

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1. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

2. I would like to make clear to the members of this Body  
3. that no a...approach has been made to me to amend this bill  
4. until this morning, by Senator Groen, that no time an further  
5. more we have lying on our desk a motion by Senator Groen to  
6. kill all bills . It...comen un...this bill comes under that  
7. purview. That's why I would not delay another day. That's  
8. why. What he...w...w...what he read from the bill is true.  
9. He read from the bill I can not deny it, it's c...contained  
10. therein but I believe that there's safeguards in the facilities  
11. the...ah...the Governor's appoin...appointees will make sure  
12. that there's no broad extention of this act. I'll listen to  
13. anyone else.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

15. Senator Gilbert.

16. SENATOR GILBERT:

17. Senator Dougherty are there not some amendments to this  
18. bill? Are there amendments to this bill? N...No further amendments,  
19. all right, thank...

20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

21. So that the Body can be edified, would you turn on Senator  
22. Dougherty's light so he can answer that question again so everybody  
23. can hear it. Senator Dougherty.

24. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

25. The bill that I presented this morning contains the amend-  
26. ments that were put on last November an there've been no fur-  
27. ther amendments offered since this time an I've heard no re-  
28. quest for amendments until this morning an you all have lying  
29. on your desk a motion by the same Sentor to strike all bills  
30. that were on the Calendar prior to July 1st. That's my me...me...  
31. method of...my...why I'm moving the bill at this time.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

33. Senator Horsley asks recognition.

SENATOR HORSLEY:

Well Mr. President an members of the Senate, I rise to echo



1. pretty much what Senator Groen has said, an I think maybe Senator  
2. Dougherty, we should be maybe critized for not having read this  
3. bill prior to yesterday but I think you should realize that  
4. there are literally thousands of bills here that will never  
5. even be heard an to read them before they are near passage stage  
6. would certainly be a waste of alot of time, so I...I apologize  
7. if...if we seem to be reading this bill at the last minute but  
8. knowing when it's going to be called, I think then is the time  
9. when we have to read them. I'm very concerned in here about  
10. the definition of a not for profit, private facility. Now if  
11. these were not for profit public facilities I could understand  
12. it but I have seen too many not for profit private institutions  
13. operated for the greatest profit there is an you know an I know  
14. an your seat mate there Senator Cherry knows that when you wanna  
15. form a not for profit corporation, do a little good with it,  
16. you just pay the salaries of an it's still not for profit cause  
17. you're not paying dividends to any shareholders. I'd like to  
18. see this bill cleaned up, I agree with what Senator Groen has  
19. said, I think there's a need for this bill an certainly if there's  
20. any doubt about cleaning it up I would urge Senator Groen or  
21. whoever made the motion to strike all bills that this be one  
22. exempted so that you would not be caught in the switches because  
23. of the study an detail that's been made on this bill in the  
24. last 48 hours. So for that reason if the bill is going to proceed  
25. the way it is now, I for one can not vote for it an I would  
26. like to see the amendments prepared to take ob...these objections  
27. out of the bill an I don't want to say that we're trying to  
28. kill the bill an I'd like to see it exempted from the motion  
29. if that were to have that effect.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

31. If the Chair could be excused for a moment, we'd like to  
32. break into the debate to introduce to you a very fine an well-  
33. known gentleman who's returns to Illinois after 17 years, he

is President Dave...David Durge, President of Southern Illinois University. Dr. Durge.

DR. DURGE:

1. Thank you Senator, distinguished Senators of this Body,  
2. it's a...it's a memorable occasion for me to return to the State  
3. after 17 years and to deliver the official greetings of Southern  
4. Illinois University, Carbondale, to this august Body. Ah...we're  
5. very proud of the great University which this legislature created  
6. and has supported over the years, and...ah...it's a real pleasure  
7. to be here and to meet so many of you, Thank you.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

9. Thank you Dr. Durge, and I'll have his administrative assist-  
10. ant stand, Mr. Dan R. Cannon. The other gentleman is well  
11. known to us, Representative Clyde Choate. Senator O'Brien.

12. SENATOR O'BRIEN:

13. Just briefly Mr. President and members of the Senate, some  
14. of the objections that have raised this morning with...ah...members  
15. of the Senate thumbing through the bill I think quite evidently  
16. showed that many of us haven't had the opportunity to...

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

18. Will the members be in their seats? Go right ahead Senator.

19. SENATOR O'BRIEN:

20. ...to read the bill, also by the admittance of the sponsor  
21. there are a lot of things that are written in this bill that  
22. are very vague right now. In relation to the amendments, I...I'm  
23. not sure just exactly what...what amendment is on the bill.

24. I have Amendment 2 on my desk and I'm not sure if that's the  
25. only amendment that is adopted, I...

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

27. Senator Dougherty, will you turn his light on please?

28. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

29. Senator...

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

31. Senator Dougherty.

32. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

33. Amendment No. 1 was tabled and Amendment No. 2 is the only  
amendment on the bill at this particular time.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

2. Senator O'Brien.

3. SENATOR O'BRIEN:

4. That Amendment No. 2 which is about 9 pages long is the  
5. only amendment that's on the bill, the bill is some 26 pages  
6. long. Ah...in addition to some of the questions that were raised  
7. by Senator Laughlin an Senator Groen an Senator Horsley, I have  
8. one too an that's as to whether or not the bill would be constitutional  
9. under Article 9 of the new constitution, the Revenue Article.  
10. Ah...this bill sets up bonds an quite frankly I...I don't know  
11. of any taxing power or any body that is gonna be obliged to  
12. meet the expenses of these bonds if someone defaults. Ah...I...I  
13. think that there's...ah...ah...surely a constitutional question  
14. in relation to this bill an I would just urge...ah...Senator  
15. Dougherty to hold the bill one day if Senator Groen would agree  
16. as Senator Horsley suggested to exempt this from the bills that  
17. were put in prior to July 1st, of 1971. That way we could sit  
18. down an get the opportunity to go through this 50 page bill,  
19. which is rather vague which is autonomous, which has the backing  
20. of the Chicago Tribune, which is enough reason not to vote for  
21. it right there because I'm not sure they're so knowledgeable  
22. of the health problems in the State of Illinois. Now Senator  
23. Dougherty that's j...just briefly my statement at this point,  
24. I'd have to vote against the bill right now.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

26. Senator Oh...Senator Dougherty.

27. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

28. If I have the promise of these gentlemen who have been  
29. so assiduous in their opposition to the bill if they would apply  
30. the same studies over night to the bill I'd be perfectly willing  
31. to hold it up one day. I ju...but I might remind them that  
32. they...they passed this same bill last Session an it was vetoed  
33. by the Governor only because it did not have the saving factor  
of a...a Comprehensive Health Planning Agency which has been  
established by this same

1. Body, either yo...either you do or you don't, I will be perfectly  
2. happy to hold it up one day.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

4. The Chair would like to inform you that there have been  
5. three other gentlemen who desire to speak on it but if the S...Sen-  
6. ator wants to hold it for a day with the understanding that  
7. it would be exempted from any rule passed then we could hold  
8. it. ...Taughlin.

9. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

10. Well, I don't have...ah...Amendment No. 2 in my book an  
11. I think it would be desirable. Now I appreciate that someone  
12. interested in this bill gave me a copy written in so that I'm  
13. not completely lost but I don't think the other members have  
14. that opportunity Senator Dougherty an maybe everybody else has  
15. got Amendment No. 2 in their billbook but if it were made available,  
16. I think this would help too in the consideration.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

18. Senator Dougherty.

19. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

20. All right then, I'll ask the the sergeant-at-arms see that  
21. every member of this Body's provided with a copy of Amendment  
22. No. 2, today.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

24. S...Senator Groen.

25. SENATOR GROEN:

26. I...I would...I...I would appreciate, Senator Dougherty,  
27. an in making this comment I would remind the Body that when  
28. I announced the motion that I was going to make I said that  
29. the motion would be made just prior to adjournment for the week.  
30. That presumably means tomorrow afternoon an Senator Dougherty  
31. should've known that he could've called this bill tomorrow,  
32. that it would not have been stricken or nor...no effort would  
33. be made to strike it prior to tomorrow afternoon. Now I would  
like to have this bill reprinted with Amendment No. 2 interpolated  
in the bill

1. so that we can read this complex, very complex, bill in its  
2. entirety and know where these amended portions, it is a long  
3. amendment, it is 10 pages long...ah...I don't know how many  
4. sections, how many...a...actual amendments are in it but if  
5. this could be done we could then address ourselves and distribute  
6. it...we could then address ourselves to the bill as it is actually  
7. before us and would be very helpful. Do you have any objection  
8. to that Senator?

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

10. Senator Dougherty.

11. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

12. No, but you asked for one more day I don't know whether  
13. this can be done or not.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

15. Senator Groen.

16. SENATOR GROEN:

17. Well Mr. Chairman...ah...or Mr. President, I...I apologize,  
18. I have no objection to the leader on this side and if the President  
19. pro tempore agrees that this be one of the exempted bills, if  
20. this be the wisdom o...o...of ...ah...these two people under  
21. the motion...a...assuming that the motion passes of course.  
22. Ah...nobody's trying to kill this bill but we want a bill that's  
23. decent, that's workable, that's in the public interest, and doesn't  
24. tie the hands of the legislature and obligate the state as I  
25. think this bill does.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

27. The clerk informs the Chair that it would take probably  
28. until next week to get this bill in the form in which you've  
29. indicated and on that basis...ah...I think Senator Clarke and  
30. I would...could agree that this bill could be exempted from the  
31. rule which are going to strike the rest of them. Does that  
32. satisfy Senator Dougherty? 515 Senator McCarthy.

33. SENATOR MCCARTHY:

Yes...ah...Mr. President, members of the Body...ah...House  
Bill 515

is an appropriation to the Department of Conservation of 50 thousand dollars for the purchase of the former home of thrice Governor Richard J. Oglesby in Decatur. The bill further gives the Department of Conservation authority after acquisition to lease the property to any local political subdivision in Macon County. Now members...ah...what this is is the acquisition...ah... of Governor Ogilvie's home. Ah...the state will not necessarily be stuck with the business of...ah...maintaining the home after it's purchased an...ah...the bill passed in the House. They can lease it to some of the local historical societies who are evidenced an interest in this an I would...ah...say that the purchase price is 23 thousand dollars an that this bill is...ah... one that was introduced by Representative Borchers an I would ask your favorable consideration of it.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

12. Any further debate. S...Senator Knuepfer.

13. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

14. Ah...Senator McCarthy, last year this didn't make the Governor's budget...ah...has the Governor had a change of heart in the interum an decided that this is a laudable an worthy...ah...program of rehabilitation?

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

19. Senator McCarthy;

20. SENATOR McCARTHY:

21. I talked to...ah...Mr. Hanley of the Governor's staff last week and...ah...he didn't get a final decision as to whether...eh... it wasn't a budgetary consideration Senator. Ah...the...ah...ques-  
24. tion was whether or not perhaps they may wish to...ah...transfer  
25. it over to the State Historical Society as opposed to the Department  
26. of Confra...Conservation, but no budgetary consideration was  
27. raised.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

29. Senator Knuepfer.

30. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

31. The...the...the follow up question to that is...ah...tha...the  
32. ...since it has been held up for a year...ah...I would assume  
33. that i...i...if...ah...Representative Borchers...ah...had

been able to make a case in the Governor's office this might be included in the Governor's budget. I take it that is not so.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

2. Senator McCarthy.

3. SENATOR McCARTHY:

4. Ah...ah..do you mean to say that i...if...ah...Representative  
5. Borchers had been able to make a case it might be included in  
6. the Governor's budget for the coming year?

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

8. Senator Knuepfer.

9. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

10. Tha...tha...that's exactly what I was asking, ya.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

12. Senator McCarthy.

13. SENATOR McCARTHY:

14. I haven't seen his budget yet for the year but I talked  
15. to the Governor's staff, Mr. Hanley last week an it wasn't...th...  
16. the budgetary consideration...ah...didn't appear to have any  
17. particular problems... problem of...ah...which department perhaps  
18. should ultimately end up with the building.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

20. Senator Walker.

21. SENATOR WALKER:

22. I have a question of Senator McCarthy.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

24. Will Senator McCarthy yield to a question?

25. SENATOR WALKER:

26. Bob...ah...up north of...ah...Williamsburg, as I recall  
27. it, on the road to Lincoln where I used...where you used to  
28. live an where I used to live is there...who was the former Governor  
29. has that home on the hill up there, wasn't that Ogl...Olgesby's  
30. former home also?

31. SENATOR McCARTHY:

32. Yes...ah...Senator...ah...the...the Governor Oglesby...ah...o-  
33. riginally came from Elkhart

there upon the hill. Ah...ah...one of thsoe houses burnt down but this is a...a house that he owned in the City of Decatur. Ah...I', not an expert on hi...the history of Governor...ah... Oglesby except to the point that...ah...ah...he did come from central Illinois an the Counties of Macon an...ah...Logan and...ah ...was thrice elected Governor.

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4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

5. Senator Berning.

6. SENATOR BERNING:

7. Th...a...Mr. Chairman, I...I also would like to direct a question to the sponsor.

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9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

10. Will the sponsor yield? He will. Senator Berning.

11. SENATOR BERNING:

12. This...this really is a nominal sum particularly if this is a legitimate a...an valuable historical building. My question then is, has there been any designation by any recongized historical association indicating that this is a structure that ought to be saved?

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17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

18. Senator McCarthy.

19. SENATOR McCARTHY:

20. Well this...this bill was initiated by the Macon County Historical Society...ah...which is...ah...ah...group of...ah...not large in numbers in terms of...ah... hundreds but...ah...there are...ah...I think over a hundred...ah...ah...members an one of the members of it has wrote a book that involves this home an that is the only Historical Society of Macon County an they're the ones that want the bill.

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27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

28. Senator Berning.

29. SENATOR BERNING:

30. Then...then I am safe in assuming that this is a...an example of early American architecture and is a bona fide historical building that ought to be...ah...s...be res...retained an reserved in additional to the fact

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that it was a Governor's residence. Is that correct?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

Senator McCarthy.

SENATOR McCARTHY:

1. Well I...I've seen the building an it's in its original  
2. form an it's...ah... it's...it's a nice appearing building an  
3. is...ah...the...the people that are in the Macon County Historical  
4. Society have researched this an have assured me this is...ah...the  
5. type of a...ah...building that they would like to have saved  
6. rather than torn down.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

8. Senator...

9. SENATOR BERNING:

10. Ju...one comment, I...I...I wish they had taken the trouble  
11. to communicate with us because...ah...we would be better able  
12. to evaluate such a request.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

14. Senator Mitchler.

15. SENATOR MITCHLER:

16. Ah...Mr. President, members of the Senate, I would rise  
17. in support of this legislation. I think that Illinois is rich  
18. in its history and certainly the first Governor ...ah...ah...to  
19. have his home dedicated an preserved by the Department a Conservation  
20. for this nominal sum, I believe the children an the historical  
21. significance to that area would be enhanced an I think that  
22. throughout the entire state that...ah...we would be wise in  
23. retaining these historical...ah...sites an I would...ah...rise  
24. in support and I think that we should vote on the question an...  
25. an get this bill passed.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

27. Senator Groen.

28. SENATOR GROEN:

29. Would...would Senator McCarthy yield to a question? Senator...  
30. ah...the matter of the home of for...former Governor Oglesby...ah...  
31. which is at Elkhart. I'm no expert either as an...as an historian  
32. on him an I wish Senator Sours were here he probably could answer  
33. the question that I'm going to ask you. It's my recollection  
that he was born an lived

an raised in Elkhart. I also happen to know that that house on the hill is and of itself a museum piece an a museum location.

1. It houses,...ah...among other things the original furniture.  
2. I...I am advised that it has the gowns worn at the inauguration  
3. ball, that it is and of itself a real...his...ah...ah...of great  
4. historical value. Now I don't believe that Governor Ogilvie  
5. ever lived in the house you're talking about, it could be that  
6. he did but I doubt that he did. It's my understanding that  
7. he spent his entire lifetime in Elkhart, that he died there  
8. and...ah...ah...I...I...I...I...I have no objection to memorializing  
9. an to having some historical monument to his memory...ah...for  
10. the...ah...people of this state but I think we've got the wrong  
11. building. I think we should be buying the one at Elkhart...ah...which  
12. is in fact an which is in reality an was his home, where he  
13. lived, where he was born, where he lived, where he died...ah...ah...  
14. to the place...ah...from which he ascended to the governorship  
15. an where he went back...ah...an which to my knowledge has been  
16. preserved...those things which he used, which he wore...ah...have  
17. been preserved an...and are in...ah...an unusually fine state  
18. an unusually fine condition. It just seem to me that the idea  
19. is good but the place is wrong. I think it oughta be the one  
20. on the hill in Elkhart an not the one in Decatur.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

22. Any further debate? Senator Soper.

23. SENATOR SOPER:

24. Senator...ah...McCarthy would you yield to a few questions?

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

26. Senator McCarthy. Oh you said you would yield, Senator...

27. SENATOR SOPER:

28. You're asking for i...23 thousand dollars to buy a house.

29. SENATOR MCCARTHY:

30. Appropriation of 50 thousand dollars. I thought I would  
31. explain to you that 23 thousand dollars is an option price that's  
32. been offered...ah...to the historical society an...ah...t...to  
33. the where the owners intend to offer that to the Department  
of Con

1. servation but the remainder...ah...would authorize the maintenance  
2. ...ah...m...would authorize the operation...would authorize  
3. the rehabilitation, excuse me, 27 thousand for rehabilitation,  
4. 23 thousand for the purchase.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

6. Senator Soper.

7. SENATOR SOPER:

8. Would you leave me on? Ah...One more question, is there  
9. anybody living in the house at this time?

10. SENATOR McCARTHY:

11. Ah...it's my understanding the the Evan's Grain Company  
12. has the house. Ah...they...ah...deal as grain brokers but they're  
13. the family that owns it. They don't have people living in it  
14. but I talked to the president of the historical society last  
15. week an what he envisions is to have a room or an apartment  
16. upstairs...ah...constructed so that a couple can live in it  
17. as caretakers.

18. SENATOR SOPER:

19. Well I was very curious about what Senator Groen asked,  
20. now if it's not established that the fellow ever lived there  
21. for any amount a time or was ever his home as he said maybe  
22. it's the wrong house. I think we oughta look into that before  
23. we...we...ah...we take a piece of property off some grain outfits  
24. hands that they can... maybe can't sell at this time.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

26. Senator McCarthy.

27. SENATOR McCARTHY:

28. W...this question about...ah...what beds George Washington  
29. slept in ...ah...or what home Richard J. Oglesby lived in I  
30. think is answered by the bill itself. Ah...the question of  
31. whether the man...ah...ah...lived there an whether or not he  
32. was the owner, I think has been documented by a book written  
33. by Otto Kile. I've seen his book...ah...where he was one of  
the persons that...ah...is in the...his...his...historical society  
that is in favor of the bill an in his opinion he's had a book  
published...ah...

1. this is a home of Governor Oglesby an if it was not the home  
2. of Governor Oglesby, if...if it...ah...would be a fact that  
3. it was not then the bill would fail because within the bill  
4. itself it refers to this fact an if it would turn out to be  
5. that he had never lived there or never owned it the bill would  
6. be a nullity. I don't think that's a fair objection. I don't  
7. think that we need to bring in credentials an warr<sup>a</sup>nty deeds.  
8. I...I give that to you based upon a conversation with this Otto  
9. Kile, a newspaper publisher, who has written a book an he's  
10. one of em, one of the individuals in the historical society  
11. that...ah...vouched to this fact, an I take his word for it  
12. an pass it on to you.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

13. Senator McBroom.

14. SENATOR McBROOM:

15. Previous question.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

17. Senator McBroom moves the previous question. All in favor.  
18. Opposed. Previous question prevails. Senator McCarthy may  
19. close this sparkling debate.

20. SENATOR MCCARTHY:

21. Well there's a character in...ah...Dick Tracy called Sparkle  
22. Plenty an I'll try to be the antithesis of that an sparkle little  
23. except to just say that I think this is a bill that...ah...ah...you  
24. ...you...men...ah...can show your judgment on I would...ah...en...  
25. I would encourage 38 members of the Body to vote for it.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

27. Secretary will call the roll.

28. SECRETARY:

29. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
30. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, David-  
31. son, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gil...Gilbert, Graham,  
32. Goren, Hall, Harris, Horsley; Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel,  
33. Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy,  
Merritt,

1. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein.  
2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)  
3. Senator Neistein.  
4. SENATOR NEISTEIN:  
5. Senator McCarthy, I wonder if I can ask you a question  
6. so I'm out of...ah...I haven't got a copy of the bill, this  
7. 50 thousand is to purchase the home, is that right?  
8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)  
9. Senator McCarthy.  
10. SENATOR McCARTHY:  
11. Yes, it's purchase an rehabilitation.  
12. SENATOR NEISTEIN:  
13. How much more will it take after we purchase it to...ah...main-  
14. tain it an to...ah...refurbish it an all.  
15. SENATOR McCARTHY:  
16. Well that, that of course is the...ah...would o...only  
17. be whatever might come up in the future but there's a provision  
18. where this building can be leased to a political sub-division  
19. Macon County where there wouldn't be any cost to the taxpayers.  
20. SENATOR NEISTEIN:  
21. Do you favor this bill?  
22. SENATOR McCARTHY:  
23. I favor the bill.  
24. SENATOR NEISTEIN:  
25. I'll vote aye.  
26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)  
27. Continue with the roll call.  
28. SECRETARY:  
29. Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock,  
30. Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours,  
31. Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker.  
32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)  
33. Senator Walker.

1. SENATOR WALKER:

2. Ah...thank you Mr. President, members of the Senate, I  
3. remember back a few years ago when we were appropriating money  
4. for the restoration of the old capitol here in Springfield which  
5. I supported. I think time has proven that it was a good idea.  
6. It's brought more tourists down here, they're spending more  
7. money coming in from out of state. I think it's a good bill,  
8. after all we stand here on the floor an we appropriate millions  
9. of dollars for other things an this is a drop in the bucket.  
10. I think it's a good bill an think we should support it an I  
11. vote aye.

12. SECRETARY:

13. Weaver.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

15. McBroom aye. Have all voted who wished. Who? Graham  
16. aye. Take the record. On this question the yeas are 37 the  
17. nays are 3. The bill having received a constitutional majority  
18. is declared passed. 567, you wanna pass on that one? 567 Senator  
19. Newhouse, you passing? Oh that's Senator Carroll, alright.  
20. 604 Senator Mohr. 612 Senator Latherow. 728 Senator Newhouse.

21. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

22. Pass it.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

24. 730 Senator Newhouse. 774 Senator Neistein.

25. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

26. Would ya hold that one minute till I get this...5 bills  
27. involved.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

29. All right we'll be back. Senator...I mean 810 an 11 Senator  
30. Newhouse.

31. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

32. Ah...Mr. President I wanna call those bills but we wanna  
33. wait until the amendments are printed up...ah...so that the

1. Body will be able to see the amendments.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

3. Very well. 1129 Senator Johns. Senator Johns.

4. SENATOR JOHNS:

5. I'd like to have ... ah... House Bill 1129 brought  
6. back to 2nd an amended. Ah...the...ah....two amendments on  
7. the secretary's desk an then advanced back to 3rd reading  
8. please.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

10. Senator Johns moves that the bill be moved back to  
11. 2nd reading. Any objections? 2nd reading. Are you ready  
12. with the amendments? Perhaps, Senator you could explain  
13. the amendments. How many are there?

14. SENATOR JOHNS:

15. There are two amendments, Mr. President.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

17. Amendment No. 1. Senator Weaver...I understand  
18. they're your amendments, would you give us an explanation,  
19. sir?

20. SENATOR WEAVER:

21. Mr. President an members of the Senate, these two  
22. amendments are the product of the Director of the University  
23. non-academic personnel. Amendment No. 1, may I ask the  
24. secretary if Amendment No. 1 is a short one?

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1. SECRETARY:

2. Right.

3. SENATOR WEAVER:

4. On page two it deletes line 8, 9, an 10 an inserts  
5. lie...in lieu thereof equitable. Any rates or ranges...if  
6. you'll relate to the bill there is a striking of rates on  
7. rages agreed upon in negotiation an approved by the Merit  
8. Board become effective on the expiration of the old  
9. agreement. This is the change that this amendment relates  
10. to an I would move adoption.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

12. Any objection to the adoption of this amendment?  
13. Ah...Senator Knuepfer.

14. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

15. Do...do we have copies of those amendments? I  
16. can't find it in mv book, do the rest of you have em?  
17. O...I beg your your pardo n...okayv that answers it...

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

19. Are the copies are there now? Any objection to  
20. the adoption of Amendment No. 1? Amendment's adopted.  
21. Amendment No. 2. Senator Weaver.

22. SENATOR WEAVER:

23. Mr. President, Amendment No. 2 also on page two  
24. by inserting after line 13 the following: as used in  
25. this sub-section union secur...surity means the require-  
26. ment of membership in exclusive organized emply organization  
27. on or after the 13th day following the beginning of  
28. an employment provided that such membership re-

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quirements may be met if the employee tenders the periodic dues  
1. an initiation fees uniformly required as a condition of acquiring  
2. or retaining membership. As used in this subsection checkoff  
3. means that if there is a recognized exclusive bargaining represen-  
4. tative an agreement may be made for the employer to deduct uniform  
5. membership dues an assessments from the wages of an employee  
6. for the benefit of an exclusive recognized employee organization.  
7. Only if an so long as the employee gives his consent in writing  
8. for such deduction. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 2.  
9. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

10. Senator Gilbert.

11. SENATOR GILBERT:

12. Ah..Senator Weaver..ah..in other words at the present time  
13. then if the State Institutions, such as...ah...Illinois an Carbondale  
14. an the others throughout the State...ah...are these people required  
15. to belong to the union to be a maintenance employee?

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

17. Senator Weaver.

18. SENATOR WEAVER:

19. I don't think...ah...they are...a...at the present time,  
20. Senator.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

22. Senator Gilbert.

23. SENATOR GILBERT:

24. Then the effect of this amendment would be to have closed  
25. shop.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

27. Senator Weaver.

28. SENATOR WEAVER:

29. Let me..ah...relate...the proposed definition of union  
30. security which is attached is consistent,...ah...I'm speaking,  
31. I'm reading from a letter from...ah...Director Smith. He feels  
32. that if this amendment is not adopted it could be construed  
33. to re-

1. quire a closed shipped EI union membership in advance of hiring,  
2. which is contrary to public policy as enunciated by the Federal  
3. Congress and would likely conflict with the University Civil  
4. Service System...Statutes. I'm not sure that that actually  
5. answers your question but...ah...decisions under the Taft-Hartley  
6. Act contemplate the obligation of union membership is met if  
7. an employee is willing to tender the periodic dues  
8. and initiation fees as required on union membership ...an...S...SB  
9. 1112 includes specific language to this effect. These...ah...amend-  
10. ments answer all the objections that have been raised in the  
11. past by the Administration of the Universities aca...ac...non-academ-  
12. ic personnel department directors. I think many of these contracts  
13. are negotiated in various ways on various campuses, Senator,  
14. and I would ask and I've asked the sponsor of this bill to hold  
15. this bill until tomorrow, but I feel these amendments are necessary  
16. and we'd like to put them both on today.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

18. Th...the persons in the gallery to...who are now speaking  
19. with the Doorman, the Rules of the Senate do not permit taping  
20. or recording of the Senate per...sessions, except by the Senate  
21. itself. Would you please remove those articles from the gallery,  
22. or remove yourselves. Senator Johns.

23. SENATOR JOHNS:

24. I have agreed with Senator Weaver that we would hold this  
25. bill until tomorrow, Mr. President.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

27. Very well. Senator Latherow.

28. SENATOR LATHEROW:

29. Mr. President, one question, did we adopt Amendment No  
30. 2?

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

32. No, it was not adopted...Sen...ah...Amendment No. 1 was  
33. adopted No. 2 has not been adopted...see where were we next...Se...fo

1. what purpose does Senator Weaver arise?

2. SENATOR WEAVER:

3. Mr. President, I move adoption of Amendment No. 2 to SB1129.  
4. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

5. Well..alright...you wanna move the adoption of it now an  
6. then hold the entire situation until tomorrow. Senator Weaver  
7. moves adoption of Amendment No. 2. Any objections? Senator  
8. Latherow.

9. SENATOR LATHEROW:

10. Mr. President, I..I want ta be in opposition to a...Amendment  
11. No. 2., be recorded as an opposition, if possible?

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

13. Roll call on the amendment. We're voting on the adoption  
14. of Amendment No. 2 to HB1129. Secretary will call the roll.

15. SECRETARY:

16. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
17. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson,  
18. Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

20. Senator Gilbert:

21. SENATOR GILBERT:

22. I...I...don't quite under...I don't quite understand ex-  
23. actly what this amendment does...ah...I don't think that it  
24. makes it any better bill than it was...ah...under the circum-  
25. stances I'm going to vote no on this, an then I'll take a look  
26. at the bill again to determine my final vote. I vote no on  
27. the amendment.

28. SECRETARY:

29. Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer,  
30. Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom,  
31. McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill,  
32. O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee,

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1. SENATOR PARTEE:

2. I'm gonna vote aye on the amendment with the understanding  
3. that after we look at it as it is in the bill I reserve the  
4. right of course to not vote for the bill, with the understand-  
5. ing it's gonna be held until tomorrow we'll get a chance to  
6. see it. I vote aye. Continue with the roll call.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper,  
9. Sours, Swinar...

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

11. Will the young man in the gallery remove his...foot from  
12. over the rail...please...take your foot back on your side, sir.  
13. Thank you. Continue with the roll call.

14. SECRETARY:

15. Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

17. Senator Horsley votes aye. Senator Groen votes aye. Have  
18. all voted who wished? On this question the yeas are 36, the  
19. nays are 8. The amendment's adopted. 3rd reading. 1318 Sena-  
20. tor Latherow...Oh pardon me...ah...for what purpose does Senator  
21. Nihill arise?

22. SENATOR NIHILL:

23. Mr. President, I arise on...ah..rise on a point of person-  
24. al privilege to introduce some people from my district the Thir-  
25. tyone Mother Clubs from Back a the Yards Council. They are  
26. visitin Springfield, here, today an they were here yesterday  
27. an I'd like to have em rise to be recognized. Will ya rise  
28. please?

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

30. Senator Latherow...1318...1462 Senator Carpentier, 1467  
31. Senator Rock, 1473 Senator McCarthy, 1475 Senator McCarthy,  
32. 1476 Senator McCarthy, 1493 Senator Johns, 1548 Senator Lath-  
33. erow, 1555 Senator Rock. Senator Rock is recognized.

1. SENATOR ROCK:

2. Yes, Mr. President an members of the Senate, I'd like to  
3. call HB1555 back to 2nd reading for the the purpose of offer-  
4. ing an amendment.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

6. Any objection? It...it's now on 2nd reading...is the amend-  
7. ment down..here?

8. SENATOR ROCK:

9. No, could I get a page...

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

11. Will the Page come down please an get the amendment?

12. SENATOR ROCK:

13. I have not, Mr. President...ah...because...ah...this was  
14. just typed about two minutes ago. I have not provided a copy  
15. for everybody. If everybody will look at the bill all it does  
16. is change the date from 1971 until 1972, so that if in fact  
17. this bill is passed into law, it will become effective June  
18. 30, 1972, instead of what was formerly June 30, 1971. I move  
19. the adoption of amendment, I believe it's Amendment No. 1...2...  
20. No. 2.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

22. Senator Rock, the Clerk points out to me that there is  
23. a Committee Amendment, which has not yet been adopted, so can  
24. we proceed with the Committee Amendment first as c...as Amendment  
25. No. 1 prior to the one you're just offering. Senator Rock...  
26. Senator Rock moves the adoption of commit...committee amend-  
27. ment No. 1. Please give us the explanation on that, sir.

28. SENATOR ROCK:

29. Yes, the Committee Amendment as I recall merely says that  
30. the Act will become effective immediately upon approval by the  
31. Governor.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

33. Well now...let's just check this...let's...jus slow down

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moment because the Calendar shows that this bill went to 2nd reading without reference to a committee, hence, under that set of circumstances there could not be a committee amendment.

1. I would suggest then that we...to clear the record, offer this  
2. amendment as an amendment from the Floor, as Amendment No. 1  
3. using the explanation which you have just given on the question  
4. now is on the adoption of this amendment. Is there any objection  
5. to it's adoption? Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Now, Amendment  
6. No. 2.

7. SENATOR ROCK:

8. Amendment No. 2, again, if you'll look at the bill on page  
9. 2, it says for taxable years ending after June 30, 1971. Amendment  
10. No. 2 changes 1971 to 1972 and I move the adoption of that amendment.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

12. Any objection to the adoption of the amendment? Amendment's  
13. adopted. Any further amendments...from the Floor? 3rd reading.

14. Now, the Chair is gonna ask for leave to move to the order of  
15. House Bills on 2nd reading. There're only five or six of them  
16. so that we can...ah...deal with those and then come back to 3rd  
17. reading because we are definitely gonna leave at 1:25 for the  
18. committee hearings at 1:30. Now, House Bills on 2nd reading.

19. 2444 Senator Bruce, 2...2716 Senator Carroll...Senator Carroll  
20. on the Floor, 2868 Senator Harris is not here. Under the circumstance  
21. I don't know...if he wants it now...but he isn't here today...he's  
22. ill...ah...we could move it to 3rd reading and bring it back  
23. if he desires it. 3rd reading.

24. SECRETARY:

25. Ah...

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

27. 2869 Senator Harris, same...same thing...3rd reading.  
28. Now any amendments from the Floor on either those  
29. bills? 3rd reading on both. 3030 Senator Coulson.

30. SENATOR COULSON:

31. Yes Sir, move it, Mr. President.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

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1. Any committee amendments? Any amendments from...wait a  
2. minute 3030...any committee amendments?

3. SECRETARY:

4. Yes, one committee amendment offered by Appropriations.  
5. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

6. Senator Coulson.

7. SENATOR COULSON:

8. Mr. President, this amendment simply breaks down into detail  
9. the amounts to general appropriation and reduces the total amount,  
10. so it's now I think 59 thousand. I move the adoption of the  
11. committee amendment.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

13. Senator Coulson moves the adoption of the amendment. Any  
14. objection? Amendment's adopted. 3rd reading. Any amendments  
15. from the Floor? 3rd reading. 3047...

16. SENATOR COULSON:

17. There is an amendment, Mr. President...ah...I think it  
18. will be controversial and will take more time than you wish to  
19. afford to it today. I would urge...that...ah...that be an order  
20. of business for some later date.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

22. Are the amendments printed and on their...member's desk?  
23. Oh, it's comm...fine. Alright, now...ah...Senator Coulson.

24. SENATOR COULSON:

25. Perhaps, Mr. President, it would be wise to offer the amend-  
26. ment and have it printed so that when we do come to it, it will  
27. be on every member's desk.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

29. Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator Coulson to 3047...huh...  
30. Senator Hynes do you have an amendment to 3047? 3047 there  
31. is a committee amendment as I understand it and you want a off...  
32. 3030 is held. We amended 3030 and it went to 3rd reading...didya..  
33. have an amendment for 3030 also?

1. SENATOR HYNES:

2. Yes, I have...no...3047...

3. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

4. Senator Coulson, if I might have your attention...ah...

5. Senator Hynes has just indicated that he was otherwise engaged  
6. when 3030 was called an that he has an amendment to 3030.

7. SENATOR HYNES:

8. No, no, no...

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

10. Oh...only 3047...?

11. SENATOR HYNES:

12. Yes, yes the amendment has been adopted to 3030 an it's  
13. been advanced to 3rd reading, we're in agreement but I do have  
14. an amendment to 3047.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

16. Do you desire to offer that amendment at this time?

17. SENATOR HYNES:

18. Which I would like to offer an by way of explanation...  
19. let me say that this amendment incorporates the recommendation  
20. of the majority report of the subcommittee on the Judicial Inquiry  
21. Board. The subcommittee held two public hearings at which wit-  
22. nesses testified on this matter...

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

24. Ah...Senator, pardon me, for interrupting you, the Clerk  
25. points out an I think correctly that we cannot consider this  
26. amendment until we have considered the first amendment, which  
27. was the committee amendment to 3047...now we have...

28. SENATOR HYNES:

29. Th...this is...

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

31. It has been offered...

32. SENATOR HYNES:

33. This is...



1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

2. ...is...

3. SENATOR HYNES:

4. The committee amendment that I'm discussing.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

6. Well, it hasn't been printed as I understand it. Senator...

7. ah... Senator Hynes, I think what we can do is just leave...leave

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posture...have the amendment printed an consider it tomorrow.

1. We'll have both amendments printed...they'll be in the Bill  
2. Books tomorrow an we'll consider both amendments tomorrow.  
3. We can't consider the second one until we have finalized the  
4. first. An it has not yet been printed so we'll print both amendments..  
5. consider them both tomorrow. Senator Bruce...for what purpose  
6. you...desire recognition?

7. SENATOR BRUCE:

8. I'd like for you to call HB2444. I believe the Secretary  
9. now has the amendment.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

11. HB2444. Senator Bruce.

12. SENATOR BRUCE:

13. W...th...there are no committee amendments. This amendment  
14. we discussed in the committee. It increases...this is the Endan-  
15. gered Species Bill an increases the overview body of that...

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

17. We'll have some order gentlemen.

18. SENATOR BRUCE:

19. ...of endangered species from 6 persons to 9 persons including  
20. 3 persons from the fur industry. One of whom would represent  
21. labor, the rest a the change would be changed the...ah...effective  
22. date from September 1, 71 to January 1, 73 an insure that all  
23. fines collected under the act, I think Senator Clarke would  
24. be interested, this is a suggestion of his, that all fines collected  
25. under the Act will be paid into the game an fish fund. I move  
26. the adoption.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

28. Senator Bruce moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1. Any  
29. objection? The amendment's adopted. 3rd reading. Senator  
30. Newhouse.

31. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

32. Mr. President...I'd like unanimous...ah...ah...consent  
33. of the Body

1. to discharge the committee on ex...executive from consideration  
2. of SB1507 for the purpose of tabling.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

4. Any objection? Senate Bills 1507....

5. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

6. The bill...the bill adds nothing to the powers that already  
7. exist, Mr. President, therefore we wish to have it Tabled.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

9. SB1507 pursuant to that Motion is Tabled. 1586...back  
10. on House Bills on 3rd reading. 1586 Senator Bruce. Oh...pardon  
11. me, for what purpose does Senator Rock arise?

12. SENATOR ROCK:

13. Ha..ha..has there been intervening business, Mr. President,  
14. I'll call 1555 just a...

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

16. Yes, there has been intervening business an Senator Bruce..  
17. will yield...we'll go back to HB1555 on 3rd reading. Senator  
18. Rock.

19. SENATOR ROCK:

20. Yes, Mr. President, members of the Senate, HB1555 passed  
21. the House of Representatives on November 1st an has been on  
22. our Calendar ever since. It is an amendment to the Illinois  
23. Income tax an it provides, just as the Calendar indicates, that  
24. for taxable years beginning after June 30, 1972 the net income  
25. of National Banking Associations in Illinois is taxable as any  
26. other financial organization an dividends an bank stock are  
27. taxable as any corporate stock. By way of explanation, Mr.  
28. President, members of the Senate, I will read from if...with  
29. leave of the Body, I will read from a Commerce Clearing House  
30. Publication called State Tax Review. The paragraph is very  
31. short, but I think it will allay any fears an answer most questions.  
32. Illinois Law provides for a deduction from base income of amounts  
33. that are exempt from taxation by reason of the United

1. States Constitution, treaties, or statutes. A bulletin issued  
2. by the Department of Revenue states that under this provision  
3. income of national banks located in Illinois an dividends of  
4. national banks located in Illinois are exempt from taxation.  
5. A Federal Statute formerly prohibited the imposition of both  
6. a state property tax on shares of national banks located in  
7. a taxing state and a state income tax on the banks an on dividends  
8. received by the shareholders. Since Illinois levels...levies  
9. a personal property tax on bank shares the state could not,  
10. under the former Federal law, levy the income tax on bank's  
11. income or on dividends received by shareholders. Although the  
12. federal law was amended in 1969 public law 91-156 to broaden  
13. the state's authority to t...tax national banks, Illinois has  
14. not yet enacted legislation to subject national banks located  
15. in the state to the income tax or to include national bank dividends  
16. from banks located in the state, an the taxable income of share-  
17. holders. This bill does exactly that...I'm informed by the  
18. House sponsor that revenue will accrue to the State of Illinois  
19. under this bill somewhere in the area of between 10 an 20 million  
20. dollars per year. An I'd ask for a favorable roll call.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

22. Senator Berning.

23. SENATOR BERNING:

24. I'd like to...ah...direct a question to the sponsor, which  
25. is related to this bill only indirectly...but...I'd like to  
26. get your observation. As you indicated, we are assessing personal  
27. property tax on these banks...I assume State as well as National...an  
28. that's probably fine. They are now paying this an very likely  
29. should be subject to an income tax, my question is, one of equity...  
30. it's my understanding as a result of complaints by banks in  
31. my community that we do not impose a personal property tax on  
32. savings an loan associations an thereby create a...an unfair  
33. situation.

1. Is there any intent, so far as you know, to make things fair  
2. and equal by imposing a personal property tax on our savings  
3. an loan associations?

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

5. Senator Rock.

6. SENATOR ROCK:

7. Senator Berning, I have no knowledge of any intent..ah..  
8. express or implied to that effect. No, Sir I do not.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

10. Senator Groen.

11. SENATOR GROEN:

12. Wh....ah...ah...Senator Rock an to the Chamber, generally,  
13. I would announce that I have a very definite conflict of inter-  
14. est here an it's substantial an...ah...I...I would like however,  
15. to clarify one thing. Banks in Illinois are unique in this  
16. respect, they are only...I'll...Illinois is the only State in  
17. the United States, to my knowledge an I have researched it,  
18. where a specific legislative act adopted by the General Assembly  
19. of this State says that personal property tax on bank stock  
20. is a direct liability of the bank. If the shareholder does  
21. not pay personal property tax on his stock the bank is obligated  
22. to pay it for him. Now, from the practical stand point this  
23. is what happens in my county at least. Instead of the county  
24. sending out tax bills to shareholders of banks each bank submits  
25. a list of shareholders to the county officials. They then place  
26. an assessed valuation on the stock of the bank, the figures  
27. are computed an the tax bill is determined not individually,  
28. but for the total number of shares outstanding of that banking  
29. institution. The bill is then sent to the bank, an the bank  
30. sends it's check to the county. Now that doesn't happen with  
31. any other kind of corporate stock in Illinois. That's only  
32. solely an peculiarly the case of bank stock. Now, because of  
33. the conflict that I have, I have never introduced a bill to  
do anything about it, but it certainly seems to me to be fair  
an equitable that if this is

1. good why does this same provision not apply to stock held by  
2. a person in Pekin...an..I have some of Caterpillar Tractor Company  
3. or any other domestic corporation at least in this State. It  
4. would be a sure way of better enforcement of the personal property  
5. tax that is still on the books, but that is not the case. It  
6. only applies to banks. I think Senator Berning has raised a  
7. very fair point here, savings an loans an banks are not treated  
8. the same when it comes to the matter of taxation for personal  
9. property purposes an it seems to me that...ah...that some equity  
10. should be devised..ah..until such time as it is an until such  
11. time as some equity is reached on the matter of assessment of  
12. corporate stock an that banks are not singled out for special  
13. treatment, where local government is assured of it's income  
14. from bank stock, that the assessed value of bank stock an the  
15. tax to be paid on it as compared to other types of domestic  
16. corporate stock or other corporate stock generally, I think  
17. it's an unfair situation an I don't intend to vote either yes  
18. or no on this bill.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

20. S...Senator Clarke.

21. SENATOR CLARKE:

22. Ah...Mr. President...n...Senator Rock...ah...I had a call  
23. and...ah...conversation with the Representative from the Department  
24. of Revenue about a week ago..on..an they..on this bill an I  
25. asked em to give me a memo on it...ah...an they have neglected  
26. to do so, so I'm really not prepared to enunciate their position,  
27. but they did have some trouble with it and...ah...would you  
28. be willing to hold it over until next week an let me get that  
29. i...information from it so that...ah...

30. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

31. Senator Rock.

32. SENATOR CLARKE:

33. ...I can tell what their position is?

SENATOR ROCK:

1. Senator Clarke, this an the other four or five bills that  
2. I have on the Calendar, I would be most willing to hold. Would  
3. Senator Groen agree to hold his motion until next week?  
4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

5. Senator Clarke.

6. SENATOR CLARKE:

7. Ah...i...co...concurrent with my asking to hold this is  
8. that these'll remain alive. I mean I'll certainly agree to  
9. that.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

11. Senator Groen.

12. SENATOR GROEN:

13. Well...I don't...I...I don't believe Senator Rock under  
14. the terms of the motion that I should make that decision. That  
15. will rest with your...with your leader an with mine an I'm perfectly  
16. willing to submit to their judgement in the matter. I personally  
17. have no objection to it's being held but they're making that  
18. decision, not me.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

20. On the basis of the conversation, this bill'll be held.  
21. You won't lose it. 1586, Senator Bruce. 1586.

22. SENATOR BRUCE:

23. Yes...I'd like leave of the Body to move...ah...1586 back  
24. to the order of 2nd reading for purpose of an amendment.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

26. J...any objection? 2nd reading for the purpose of an amendment.

27. SENATOR BRUCE:

28. Yes, there's been...

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

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1. Amendment No. 2

2. SENATOR BRUCE:

3. Amendment No. 2 to HBI586, I'd call the attention of Sena-  
4. tor Laughlin . This is the definition of Death Bill...ah...  
5. A...Amendment No. 2 will strike the entire legislation an...ah...  
6. insert the new definition of death that has been worked out  
7. by the Illinois State Medical Society. I realize full well  
8. that there are still difficulties with the legislation, however  
9. I would like to have this amendment adopted.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

11. Senator Neistein.

12. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

13. If this is gonna be an entirely new bill I'd like to have  
14. that amendment printed an I wanta look at it. I don't think  
15. we should pass a bill out a Judiciary an then come on the Floor  
16. an the whole bill is stricken an in the haste of the moment  
17. an entirely new bill is...ah...submitted an then...ah...moved  
18. to 3rd reading. I'd like ta have the amendments printed an  
19. hang around here awhile till we can study em an digest them.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

21. Any response to that, Senator Bruce?

22. SENATOR BRUCE:

23. Well., I would be very happy to do so. As Senator Neistein  
24. knows on the 23rd of June this bill was passed an on the way  
25. out of this Body an at the objection of Senator Laughlin an  
26. others I brought this bill back an we have worked over the sum-  
27. mer...ah...with both the State Medical Society an the Institute  
28. of Medicine, that is the reason for the amendment...I'm...I  
29. did not expect to call it today...i want to just...ah...offer  
30. it an get it printed for that very reason it's offered today.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

32. Senator Neistein.

33. SENATOR NEISTEIN:



1. But Senator Bruce you're striking the entire bill, is  
2. that right? An you're substituting another bill in it's place.  
3. I think it's not fair to the membership unless the bill is printed  
4. an everyone has a chance to look at it. I don't care about  
5. the Illinois Medical Society. This is a touchy bill. We worked  
6. on it in co...in the Judiciary Committee an even then we had  
7. the..diverts..we had different opinions about what..what the  
8. bill held an whether it was proper. Now you're putting an entirely  
9. new...an entire new bill in an you're saying let's move it to  
10. 3rd reading. I'd ask that..the...the amendment be printed an  
11. s...an it be on the desks of all the Senators.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

13. Senator Bruce has offered Amendment No. 2, which amendment  
14. has been offered an is ordered printed an the bill held. 1636  
15. Senator Bidwill.

16. SENATOR BIDWILL:

17. ....Members of the Senate...

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

19. Senator Bidwill.

20. SENATOR BIDWILL:

21. This is a bill that creates a Commission, Mr. President,  
22. to study the feasibility of defining what public records should  
23. be made available to the public an...oh...an which are...ah...rated  
24. as confidential. This creates a committee of four members of  
25. the Senate, four members of the House appointed by the leaders  
26. of both House an the Senate an...ah...four...ah...public members  
27. report back back sometime next year, July 1st, 1973, appropriation  
28. of 10 thousand dollars.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

30. Now, Senator, did'ja say this bill delineates what public  
31. records should be made available to the public...is that right?

32. SENATOR BIDWILL:

33. Yes, in other words what are private...ah...is defining  
these

1. different...ah...documents that are in the hands of...number  
2. is...ah...1636...

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

4. Would you post the bill number? Thank you.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

6. Senator Latherow...oh excuse me, Senator Lath...Latherow  
7. did you desire recognition? Oh...Any further discussion on  
8. HB 1636? Senator Soper....gotta be the las...

9. SENATOR SOPER:

10. On this...ah...on this bill...s...another...is this...ah...  
11. in the Governor's budget, this 10 thousand dollars...another  
12. Commission Senator Bidwill?...Well, I've got the Floor.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

14. Senator Soper.

15. SENATOR SOPER:

16. Well, a...after you get through with all you're wise remarks  
17. an if you wanta...wanta listen Senator, I'll ask you a couple  
18. a questions. Is this in the Governor's budget, 10 thousand  
19. dollars for this commission?

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

21. Senator Bidwill.

22. SENATOR BIDWILL:

23. I don't know whether it's in the Governor's budget or not.  
24. He doesn't confide in me what's in the budget. 10 thousand  
25. dollars is the cheapest bill I've seen around here in six years.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

27. Senator Soper.

28. SENATOR SOPER:

29. That may be right but...ah...that may be right, but if  
30. you put all the cheap bills together you get one big bill an  
31. its the people of the State of Illinois pay the big bill. Now,  
32. if we're gonna be funny about this thing why don't we just sit  
33. down an we just won't vote for

1. it, that's all as far as I'm concerned.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

3. Senator Saperstein.

4. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

5. I w...Mr. President, I just wanted to...ah...enlighten  
6. Senator Bidwill that his is not the cheapest commission bill.  
7. The Commission on the Status of Women an Mental Health are cheaper.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

9. Senator Horsley.

10. SENATOR HORSLEY:

11. Mr. President, I raise a point of order...with regard to  
12. this bill as being the point of order which I discussed with  
13. you the other day an being a constitutional question that this  
14. bill violates the constitution in that it has substance in it  
15. as well as an appropriation an I think all of those persons  
16. who have studied this since I raised the question the other  
17. day have agreed that appropriations must be a separate bill  
18. by themselves an contain nothing but an appropriation, an I  
19. would suggest that this bill be brought back an amended an that  
20. taken off and a separate appropriation be introduced. Now I've  
21. taken this up...well I took it up with you...ah...Senator Partee  
22. an I took it up with S...Senator Lyons an several others an  
23. I think there's no doubt but what the Constitution says exactly  
24. what it means an I think we're gonna save a lot of red faces  
25. if we'll just simply correct all of the bills that have gone  
26. through by passing separate appropriation bills an this is the  
27. first one that's has come to my knowledge since we raised the  
28. point the other day an I think...I think I'm going to raise  
29. it now an on all appropriations that are attached to substantive  
30. bills an not a separate appropriation bill.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

32. Senator Bidwill.

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1. SENATOR BIDWILL:

2. Mr. President, Senator Horsley's argument makes sense...  
3. an if he will be...ah...I can impose upon him to draw the amendment  
4. I'd be very happy to hold this till the proper time...to advance  
5. it then.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

7. Well...it's ...it's more I think Senator Bidwill than an  
8. amendment...if his position is sound, it takes more than an  
9. amendment it takes another bill an this is a question that we  
10. have wrestled with an there's a great deal of divergence of  
11. view, as to which is right in this situation. I'm not certain  
12. that there's anything we have been able to glean from the con-  
13. stitutional convention hearings, which lets us know which side  
14. is right. It's one of those things where we're either right  
15. or we're wong, I'm not sh...it's one of those things where we're  
16. either...right or we're wrong on this question. Ah...I've had  
17. lawyers on my staff...ah...who give me long opinions on both  
18. sides of the question. You can't hear me ya say...Senator Bidwill.

19. SENATOR BIDWILL:

20. With that in mind I...ah...I will consult with my...ah...  
21. legal advisor on this constitutional o...opinion...Senator Soper,  
22. as I certainly didn't wanto offend him an make him cranky and...  
23. ah...after I consult with him Mr. President, I will decide what  
24. to d...further motion to make on this bill. I will hold it  
25. at the present time.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER:

27. Resolutions.

28. SECRETARY:

29. Resolution No. 315 introduced by Senator Ozinga, Clarke,  
30. Carroll, it's congratulatory.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

32. We'll be out in a minute, gentlemen, may we have your atten-  
33. tion, please...will the members be in their seats. Senator

1. Ozinga.

2. SENATOR OZINGA:

3. My resolution, I'd ask for a suspension of the Rules for  
4. immediate consideration a this resolution, it's a congratu-  
5. latory Resolution for the City of Merrionette Park, which is cele-  
6. brating it's an...25th anniversary on next Sunday an would move  
7. for the adoption, if possible.

8. PRESIDING OFFICE (Senator Partee)

9. Senator Ozinga asks unanimous assent for the immediate a-  
10. doption of this Resolution. Any objection? Resolution's a-  
11. dopted.

12. SECRETARY:

13. Senate Resolution No. 316 introduced by Senator Carpentier  
14. an all Senators...ah...it's congratulatory, also.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

16. Senator Carpentier.

17. SENATOR CARPENTIER:

18. Mr. President, I move to suspend the Rule for the immediate  
19. adoption of this Resolution..it's..ah...ah...ah...congratulatory  
20. Resolution to Louis Bellson, who is from Moline, one of the  
21. world famous drummers an he's married to Pearl Bailey an they're  
22. having... ah...a day for him in Moline on May 9th an I move  
23. for the adoption of this amen...Resolution at this time.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

25. Any objection? The Resolution's adopted. Senator Donnewald.

26. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

27. Sir...ah...Mr. President, members of the Body, I move we  
28. do now adjourn until....

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

30. Ah...one moment there's a me...there's a message from the  
31. House...we'll be right back to you. Senator Dougherty.

32. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

33. Mr. President, I would ask to waiver the six day rule to  
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mit SB1391 an SB1536 to be heard by the Committee on Local Government tomorrow.

PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

Any objection? So ordered. Ah...Senator Bidwill.

1. SENATOR BIDWILL:

2. ...wish to announce a Republican caucus to-  
3. morrow morning at 10:00 o'clock.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

5. Messages from the House.

6. SECRETARY:

7. Message from the House, Mr. Selcke, Clerk:

8. Mr. President---I am directed to inform the Senate that  
9. the House of Representatives has adopted the following Joint  
10. Resolution in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask concurrence  
11. of the Senate to wit: House Joint Resolution 128. Resolved  
12. by the House of Representatives of the 77th General Assembly  
13. of the State of Illinois, the Senate concurring therein, that  
14. when the House adjourns on Friday May the 5th, 1972 it stand  
15. adjourned until Tuesday May the 9th 1972 at 9:30 o'clock a.m.  
16. an when the Senate adjourns on Friday May the 5th 1972, it stand  
17. adjourned until Tuesday, May the 9th, 1972 at 10:00 o'clock  
18. a.m.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

20. Senator Cherry.

21. SENATOR CHERRY:

22. Why do we need 9:30? Can't we have it at...ah...10:00  
23. o'clock as we...

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

25. We do not have 9:30, the House has 9:30

26. SENATOR CHERRY:

27. The House has 9:30

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

29. an the Senate's 10...

30. SENATOR CHERRY:

31. Very good.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

33. An Friday is a perfunctory. Sentor Cherry moves the adop-

1. tion of the Resolution. Any objection? The Resolution's adopted.

2. Senator Clarke.

3. SENATOR CLARKE:

4. I think some of the members may not have heard that last  
5. comment of yours, which is important, that Friday is a Perfunc-  
6. tory meeting, so that they can...you know...act accordingly.

7. Senator Rock.

8. SENATOR ROCK:

9. Yes, Mr. President, members of the Senate, are we now stopping  
10. on the Calendar.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Partee)

12. Yes sir, we were...we're adjourned until tomorrow morning...

13. SENATOR ROCK:

14. An we...

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

16. 10 o'clock.

17. SENATOR ROCK:

18. Only have then as I understand...

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

20. 11 o'clock.

21. SENATOR ROCK:

22. ...it one more day tomorrow to get all these bills off  
23. the Calendar or else they're subject to Senator Groen's Motion?

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (Senator Partee)

25. That's correct...There'll be a meeting of the Rules Committee  
26. in my office, immediately, it'll only take about 5 minutes.  
27. Adjourned until 11 o'clock tomorrow.

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