

77TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

SENATE FLOOR DEBATE

JUNE 30, 1972

1. PRESIDENT:

2. If I may have your attention, we'll call the Senate to  
3. order. Our Chaplain has to be over in Court to testify in  
4. Court, and in order to let him get out of here and take care  
5. of his duties, we'll have our prayer now and then we'll probably  
6. recess until we get more members present. Our chaplain is  
7. Reverend Rudolph S. Schultz, Pastor of the Union Baptist  
8. Church of Springfield. Pastor Schultz.

9. PASTOR SCHULTZ:

10. (Prayer)

11. SENATOR GRAHAM:

12. I said to the good Padre this morning when we came in,  
13. that I hope his prayer today has as much effect as the one  
14. yesterday, because we got along pretty well.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Maybe we should have prayed for an early departure  
17. here today too. The . . . we will take . . . Senator  
18. Kosinski moves that the reading of the Journal be dispensed  
19. with. All in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary minded.  
20. And then we'll just stay in an informal recess until we  
21. get a few more members here. The . . . for those of you  
22. who just got here, the . . . we formally convened the  
23. Senate here about 15-20 minutes ago. We're gonna . . . we're  
24. gonna try and move ahead. The Chair is going to presume  
25. that nothing on the Calendar is to be called unless some  
26. Senator indicates to me that he wishes to call something.  
27. Senator Dougherty we have a conference committee report on  
28. House Bill 3648. Senator Dougherty.

29. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

30. I move to concur in the House Committee Report on  
31. 3648. Here's what happened.. On that bill I had put an  
32. amendment on there that provided, the same as in the other,  
33. that the president of the county board or the county having

1. the largest area, any county having a larger area than  
2. another county, in the same district, would have to appoint  
3. one member. I have receded from that amendment and there  
4. are only one other changes. In the letter of the word or.  
5. And that matters in the terms two, four or six years. I  
6. suggest the adoption of the committee report.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Is there any discussion? Senator Knuepfer.

9. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

10. Senator Dougherty, will you explain that to me again  
11. please. I'm sorry.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. And again, gentlemen, we're going to be having conference  
14. committees all day. The place for conference committees is  
15. not on the Floor of the Senate. My office is available. I'm  
16. sure the office of Senator Partee and Senator Clarke and  
17. all the other offices are available for conference committees.  
18. Let's take 'em off the Floor. Senator Dougherty.

19. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

20. This bill is a water . . . water district bill. And  
21. I had put an amendment on it and it provided that in addition  
22. to the mayors of the municipalities or the presidents of  
23. the villages, in addition thereto would be one appointment  
24. would be made by the president of the county board of the county  
25. wherein the largest area that this was allegated. I have  
26. withdrawn that amendment.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. The Secretary will call the roll. Motion is to adopt the  
29. conference committee report on House Bill 3648.

30. SECRETARY:

31. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
32. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson,  
33. Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall,

1. Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,  
2. Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt,  
3. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
4. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
5. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Before we call the absentees, I know that some Senators  
8. are in their offices. If we can send word to them to get down  
9. here, and Joey, why don't you ring that bell again, please.  
10. Call the absentees.

11. SECRETARY:

12. Arrington, Bidwill, Carpentier, Cherry, Chew, Dougherty,  
13. Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Hall, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Lyons,  
14. McBroom, McCarthy, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, O'Brien, Partee,  
15. Rosander, Soper, Sours, Walker.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. On that question the yeas are 33; the nays are none.  
18. The conference committee report is accepted. Senator Carroll?  
19. Senator Carroll, we have a message from the House on Senate  
20. Bill 1130. The House of Representatives refuses to recede  
21. and requests a conference committee. You move to accede to  
22. their request? Motion by Senator Carroll that the Senate  
23. accede to their request for a conference committee on Senate  
24. Bill 1130. All in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary  
25. minded. Motion prevails. Is Senator Merritt? Senator Merritt,  
26. we have a message from the House that the House has refused  
27. to adopt the conference committee report on Senate Bill 1329  
28. and they request the appointment of a second conference committee.  
29. Do you move to accede to their request?

30. SENATOR MERRITT:

31. Yes. I so move.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Merritt moves to accede to their request on Senate

1. Bill 1329. All in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary  
2. minded. Motion prevails. Is Senator Gilbert here? Okay.  
3. Senator Laughlin, on Senate Bill 889, we have . . .  
4. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:  
5. Is that the Appellate Defender?  
6. PRESIDENT:  
7. That is correct.  
8. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:  
9. Wait 'til I . . . I've got some notes here.  
10. PRESIDENT:  
11. We'll give you a minute.  
12. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:  
13. Uh . . . yeh.  
14. PRESIDENT:  
15. Just a moment. Please, gentlemen. Let's . . . We're not  
16. going anywhere until we settle down. Let's . . . Senators  
17. Baltz and Bruce, Senator Carroll, Senator Smith, Senator  
18. Graham, the staff meeting back there, Pat, Bob, and others,  
19. let's get these conferences off the Floor. Senator O'Keefe.  
20. Gentlemen, please, let's get that conference . . . We're trying  
21. to keep conferences off the Floor. Please, gentlemen. Senator  
22. Laughlin is recognized.  
23. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:  
24. Yes, Mr. President and members, I don't know whether we're  
25. still clearing this with leadership, but I'll explain what the  
26. amendments adopted in the House do and what I've been asked to  
27. do is to make a motion to concur in the House . . . with the  
28. House amendments and that will be my motion. There are two  
29. amendments attached in the House. Number one changes the structure  
30. of the commission established in the bill. The amendment lowers  
31. the number of the members of the commission from 11 to 9 removing  
32. the two that were appointed by the House and Senate. It was  
33. thought that politics would be taken out of the process of

1. selection to a greater extent if these were removed. "B", it  
2. also deletes the provisions for allowing two members and one  
3. appointed by the Public Defender Association and the other appointed  
4. by the Illinois State Bar Association. Instead it substitutes  
5. two appointments: one by the Supreme Court chosen from a panel  
6. of three nominated by the Bar Association and the second by  
7. the Governor from a panel of three nominated by the Illinois  
8. Public Defender Association. It was thought by the House that  
9. the State could not give the Bar Association and the Public  
10. Defenders' Association such decision making power although it  
11. could seek its recommendations for a choice made by State  
12. office holders. "C", the amendment also provides for suggested  
13. terms to allow for continuity on the commission, and "D", the  
14. amendment limits the number of terms that may be served to one  
15. so as to allow for, quote, new blood, unquote. These were committee  
16. amendments in the House. Frankly I find nothing to quarrel with  
17. in Amendment No. 1. House Amendment 2 was offered and adopted . . .  
18. offered by Representative Shea, and I'm going to move to concur  
19. in it even though I don't think it's really desirable. It takes  
20. the power of appointment of the State Appellate Defender, the  
21. Director of the Agency, away from the Commission and gives it  
22. to the Supreme Court. Then the Appellate Defenders still may  
23. appoint the Deputy Defender . . . Deputy Defenders, one in  
24. each of the five appellate districts, but with approval of a  
25. majority of the Appellate Court judges in the judicial district.  
26. Now I've explained these amendments as best I know. If there  
27. are questions, I'll try and answer them. If you want me to  
28. hold it, I'll hold it. My motion is to concur in the House  
29. amendments.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Is there any discussion? Senator Clarke.

32. SENATOR CLARKE:

33. Mr. President, it's been brought to my attention that

1. yesterday afternoon and again, in this case, we're considering  
2. an amendment which hasn't been considered by the staffs and  
3. initialed, and I want to say that we're putting at least  
4. as many as necessary, 4 or 5 members of our staff on amendments.  
5. But I think that we should insist, in this case, for your  
6. protection on the other side that we do have a chance to look  
7. at these amendments and have them analyzed so that before we  
8. okay them and consider them so that the other side has a  
9. chance to know rather than just an explanation on the Floor.  
10. And I think if it takes a little longer today, so be it, but  
11. in this way we'll get done knowing what we've done.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Now . . . Now . . . The Chair will be happy to comply  
14. with your request. We are in a situation where we're not going  
15. to be able to hold off action on some of these things until  
16. we've had the chance for everybody to look at them. In this . . .  
17. In all of these cases, you have had for some time, a chance  
18. . . . someone's had a chance to look at them. We're not bringing  
19. them up without copies, but we're going to have to be moving  
20. rather expeditiously here today, so . . . Senator Clarke.

21. SENATOR CLARKE:

22. Well, Mr. President, I beg to differ that we don't have  
23. to move so fast that we don't know what we're doing. That's  
24. when bad legislation gets passed. You know it as well as I  
25. do, and we can take the 15 to 20 minutes necessary and we'll  
26. put enough people on it to get it done in that length of time,  
27. and I think for the protection of both sides.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Well, it will be withdrawn. I'm not suggesting that we  
30. move so rapidly that we can't know what we're doing. Senator  
31. Partee.

32. SENATOR PARTEE:

33. Yes, I agree with Senator Clarke. We at least want to

1. see them. We try to initial each one so that we'll make certain  
2. that we've seen it and the staff has had a chance to look at it  
3. so we don't do anything rash.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Well, the . . . the . . .

6. SENATOR PARTEE:

7. Well, here. Could we do this? When they come in, could  
8. the Secretary give a copy to them and to us?

9. PRESIDENT:

10. That has been done. That has been done. This has been . . .  
11. Each side has had these for several hours.

12. SENATOR PARTEE:

13. Well, I don't think we've had this one for example. I don't  
14. know why, but I don't think we have it.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Well, then, in this case, these were just . . . In this  
17. particular bill, this was put on the desk this morning, early  
18. this morning.

19. SENATOR PARTEE:

20. Oh, I see. That's why we haven't seen it, you see. We  
21. haven't seen of copy of it yet.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. A copy was put on your desk and on Senator Clarke's early  
24. this morning.

25. SENATOR PARTEE:

26. Oh?

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Now, that's what I'm advised.

29. SENATOR PARTEE:

30. You're right. It's lost here. We have it.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. All right. What I'm going to do is . . . We're going to  
33. proceed and whenever, if there's some question on either side



1. we're going to hold off acting on it, but I think we're, you  
2. know, going to have to move ahead. We have a second conference  
3. committee report on House Bill 1954. I think, is that Senator  
4. Dougherty, that is your bill? Senator Dougherty.

5. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

6. Mr. President, members in the Senate, House Bill 1954 . . .  
7. The original amendments that were put on it we concurred in;  
8. however, the House was going . . . recessed for the reason that they  
9. wished to add another amendment. The other amendment provides  
10. simply this, that it gives to municipalities, certain municipalities,  
11. the right to increase their interest rate on revenue bonds up  
12. to and not to exceed 7 percent, up to and including July 1, 1973.  
13. I move to concur in the House . . . in the conference committee  
14. report.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Senator Weaver indicates the same. Senator Rock?

17. SENATOR ROCK:

18. Yes, Mr. President, I would rise in support of that motion  
19. and ask all the members on this side to support the adoption of  
20. this conference committee report.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Is there further discussion? The Secretary will call the  
23. roll. Question is the adoption of the second conference  
24. committee report on House Bill 1954.

25. SECRETARY:

26. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
27. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson,  
28. Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall,  
29. Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,  
30. Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt,  
31. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
32. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
33. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Nihill aye. Johns aye. On that question the yeas are 32;  
3. the nays are 1. The conference committee report is adopted.  
4. The . . . Senator Gilbert is recognized in connection with  
5. House Bill 4465. Senator Gilbert.

6. SENATOR GILBERT:

7. House Bill 4465 is the School Formula. It's the part that  
8. the State pays to the local school districts, and I move that  
9. we refuse to recede from our amendment and ask for a conference  
10. committee.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Motion is that the Senate refuse to recede from our amendment  
13. and request a conference committee. All in favor signify by  
14. saying aye. Contrary minded. Motion prevails. Senator Rock.

15. SENATOR ROCK:

16. I just wanted to let you know you can begin now. Senator  
17. Neistein is here.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Thank you very much. We welcome you back here, Senator  
20. Neistein. For Senator Clarke and Senator Partee and your  
21. staffs, the other bills that we have here now that we have  
22. to act on are: Senator Horsley, it's Senate Bill 1370; Senator  
23. Latherow, Senate Bill 1389; Senator Ozinga, Senate Bill 1504;  
24. Senator Rosander, Senate Bill 1534, and I assume someone is  
25. handling that for Senator Rosander; and Senator Partee,  
26. Senate Bill 1604. Senator Partee.

27. SENATOR PARTEE:

28. Yes, there's one in that group that I think there'd be no  
29. difficulty--15 . . . House . . . Senate Bill 1534. What the  
30. . . the word "Joliet", the city, Joliet, was misspelled. It  
31. had two "l's" instead of one, and they simply corrected the  
32. spelling on four separate places, and I think that's the only  
33. difference and I don't . . . I assume we'll want to concur on that.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Well, we can concur. It's interesting that in reality,  
3. if the Chair may make one observation, it is to commemorate  
4. Jolliet the person, who spelled his name with two "l's", so  
5. that the original Senate version was correct, but we might as  
6. well . . . Rather than study the thing . . .

7. SENATOR PARTEE:

8. I move we would not concur, then . . .

9. PRESIDENT:

10. No, no, we don't need to. We might as well concur and . . .

11. SENATOR PARTEE:

12. Well, I wouldn't want to spell a person's name incorrectly, par-  
13. ticularly when we knew, you know, what the correct spelling was.  
14. Maybe if we send it back they'll recede if they had that information.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Well, it could . . . The original bill was correct.

17. I don't think we need to get hung up . . . Whatever motion you  
18. wish to make, Senator Partee.

19. SENATOR PARTEE:

20. Well, I don't want to get in a hassle about it. I guess  
21. we can just go ahead.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Is Senator . . . Senator Clarke.

24. SENATOR CLARKE:

25. Well, I think with that information at hand, really, it's  
26. important that it be spelled right. We ought to non-concur and  
27. let them recede and point out the error of their ways.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. All right. Is that your motion, Senator Partee?

30. SENATOR CLARKE:

31. Mr. President, can I ask one further question, though?  
32. Isn't this a technical matter that could be done in Enrolling  
33. and Engrossing?

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1. PRESIDENT:

2. Yes, the...I am advised by Mr. Fernandes that could be done.  
3. Why don't we go ahead and concur in the House amendment and then  
4. the bill will be corrected.

5. SENATOR CLARKE:

6. Right.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. The motion is that the Senate concur in the House amendment  
9. on Senate Bill 1534 and on that question the Secretary will call  
10. the roll.

11. SECRETARY:

12. 1324. Is it 15? Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce,  
13. Carpentier, Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course,  
14. Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen,  
15. Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,  
16. Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt,  
17. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
18. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
19. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Merritt aye. Vadalabene aye. Rock aye. ...aye. Palmer aye.  
22. On that question, the yeas are 35. The nays are none. The  
23. Senate concurs in the House amendment and the error will be taken  
24. care of by the Enrolling and Engrossing. Now, Senator Clarke or  
25. Senator Partee, are we ready on any of the others? Have you had  
26. a chance to examine...Senator Partee.

27. SENATOR PARTEE:

28. I think we're ready on 1370. Have you had a chance to see  
29. that, Senator Clarke?

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Senator Clarke. 1370.

32. SENATOR PARTEE:

33. 1370. There's a House amendment on Senator Horsley's bill

1. on the add-ons, the one, I think, embraces our agreement. Is  
2. Senator Horsley here?

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Senator Horsley was...

5. SENATOR PARTEE:

6. There he is. He's here.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. There he is. Yes. Are we ready to move on that one,  
9. Senator Clarke? Senator Clarke, are we ready to move on that  
10. one?

11. SENATOR CLARKE:

12. No.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Horsley.

15. SENATOR HORSLEY:

16. Well, Mr. President and members of the Senate, I want to  
17. move to concur with Amendment No. 1 but I want to move to non-  
18. concur with Amendment No. 2 because I've had that researched  
19. and it makes the bill unconstitutional and unworkable and for  
20. that reason we just simply can't live with it. So I move to  
21. concur with Amendment No. 1 and nonconcur with Amendment No.  
22. 2.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. We'll take the motions one at a time. Motion is to concur  
25. in Amendment No. 1 and on that question the Secretary will call  
26. the roll.

27. SECRETARY:

28. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
29. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson,  
30. Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall,  
31. Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,  
32. Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt,  
33. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,

1. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
2. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Graham aye. ...the yeas are 36. The nays are none. The  
5. Senate concurs in House Amendment No. 1. Senator Horsley moves  
6. that the Senate nonconcur in Amendment No. 2 and request a  
7. conference committee.

8. SENATOR HORSLEY:

9. That is correct.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Is there any discussion? All in favor signify by saying  
12. aye. Contrary minded. Motion prevails. Right. Are we ready  
13. to move...Senators Clarke and Partee, Senator Ozinga indicates  
14. we're ready on 1504 to move. He's going to...

15. SENATOR CLARKE:

16. That's a nonconcurrence so let's go ahead.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. All right.

19. SENATOR OZINGA:

20. On Senate Bill 1504, there has been an amendment hung on  
21. by the House which does not quite meet our approval. So we  
22. would refuse to concur and ask that a conference committee...

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Motion that the Senate nonconcur in the House amendment  
25. to Senate Bill 1504. Is there any discussion? All in favor signify  
26. by saying aye. Contrary minded. Motion prevails. I was inquired  
27. ...asked by Senator Berning whether this is a lull. We're waiting  
28. now for the chance for the staffs on both sides to look at three  
29. more bills here. It is a lull. Senator Berning.

30. SENATOR BERNING:

31. Thank you, Mr. President. If I might have the attention  
32. of the Body, I would like to ask first that these copies of a  
33. letter I received from the Health Department and a copy of a letter

1. received by the Health Department from one of our citizens.  
2. And the reason I'm passing this out for the edification of  
3. our members is that all too infrequently are we, the members  
4. of the Legislature, apprised of quick and positive benefits  
5. of legislation that we pass. Every member of the Legislature  
6. can take great pride in the passage of Senate Bill 199, im-  
7. plementation of which has caused some of you some second thoughts  
8. as there was some complaints registered by those who prefer not  
9. to have any controls over their activities. But as was re-  
10. ported here a few weeks ago, a serious outbreak occurred at  
11. Pere Marquette State Park among a group of young people who  
12. were there on an outing and drank from a contaminated water  
13. source. At least one of those young people is still being  
14. treated and is bedridden. But equally as important is the dis-  
15. covery now through the authority that has been granted under  
16. Senate Bill 199, the discovery of serious infestations of a  
17. kind of worm in the bathing beach waters of many of our lakes.  
18. I have with me here, furnished by the Department of Public  
19. Health, photographs of a young boy, pictures of a young boy,  
20. and I'm sorry that they weren't able to be duplicated so that  
21. you could all see these more readily. I would invite your  
22. attention to these pictures which illustrate graphically an  
23. actual case of infestation of the human body by these worms  
24. that have been discovered now in waters particularly in the  
25. northeast part of Illinois in Lake Kilkarney and Lake McCullon  
26. in McHenry County among others. I thought it just would be of  
27. interest to this Body to know that our actions in passing  
28. Senate Bill 199 has given the Health Department the tool it  
29. needed to go in, make inspections and take corrective action.  
30. Again, I invite your inspection of these pictures. They are  
31. disturbing.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

33. Senator Graham. Conference committee report, Senate Bill 1535.

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1. Senator Graham.

2. SENATOR GRAHAM:

3. Yes, Mr. President. The conference committee of which  
4. you were a member met on this. This is the appropriation,  
5. annual appropriation, for the Department of Corrections. Our  
6. differences have been solved, at least, negotiated. And I  
7. thank the gentlemen of the commission, of this conference  
8. committee, that dedicated themselves to it and I move the  
9. adoption of the conference committee report.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

11. Senator Bruce.

12. SENATOR BRUCE:

13. Yes, I concur in Senator Graham's comments. It's a good  
14. compromise and we should adopt it.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

16. Any further discussion? Secretary will call the roll.

17. SECRETARY:

18. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
19. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson,  
20. Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall,  
21. Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,  
22. Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt,  
23. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
24. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
25. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

27. Palmer aye. Egan aye. Collins aye. Neistein aye.

28. On that question, the yeas are 42. The nays are none. The  
29. Senate has adopted the conference committee report. Senator  
30. Latherow, are you ready on Senate Bill 1389?

31. SENATOR LATHEROW:

32. Yes, Mr. President and members, Senate Bill 1389 two years  
33. ago when we amended this taking care of the Boy Scouts, Girl



1. Scouts and many other religious organizations, it was felt  
2. by the Secretary in this that we had removed from that the  
3. eligibility of such organizations as the Salvation Army and  
4. so forth. And we...that amendment was put in over in the  
5. House and also the Secretary has at present been licensing  
6. motor vehicle dealers. Now in this particular amendment also  
7. we struck "motor". Now this gives him the privilege which he  
8. has been doing of licensing trailer dealers and so forth.  
9. The feeling is that if strike "motor" this definitely puts  
10. him in the position where he can do it legally and this in-  
11. sures the proper payment of sales tax and so forth to the  
12. State of Illinois. And I move we concur in those amendments.  
13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

14. Senator Latherow has moved that we concur in House  
15. Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1389. Is there any discussion?  
16. Secretary will call the roll. No, Senator Horsley.

17. SENATOR HORSLEY:

18. I'd like to join with Senator Latherow and I'd like to  
19. point out to many members on the Floor that when you get home  
20. Monday, you may have a lot of phone calls from the Salvation  
21. Army people and other groups who were turned down on their  
22. five dollar plates for their vans and so on. That's how the  
23. thing came about last week because locally it would have cost  
24. \$1780 just for the Salvation Army alone to get their vans  
25. licensed here. And this has an effective date of July 1 in it  
26. so they can immediately apply and get their plates at five  
27. dollars.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

29. Is there any further discussion? Senator Latherow has  
30. moved that we concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill  
31. 1389. On that question, the Secretary will call the roll.

32. SECRETARY:

33. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,

1. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, David-  
2. son, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen,  
3. Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,  
4. Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt,  
5. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
6. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
7. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.  
8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

9. Newhouse aye. McBroom aye. On that question, the yeas  
10. are 38. The nays are none. The Senate concurs in the House  
11. amendment. If I may have your attention, Senator Bruce has  
12. requested that we go to the Calendar, the Order of House  
13. Bills on 3rd Reading. House Bill 4674, Senator Bruce.

14. SENATOR BRUCE:

15. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Body, I would alert  
16. your attention to the bill that I have now called which is  
17. 4674 which will create the new office of the State Comptroller.  
18. Let me preface my remarks by saying that both Mr. Barringer  
19. and Representative Lindbergh have reached agreement that this  
20. is the bill that should be passed this Session. Five bills are  
21. on the Calendar; four of those bills will be held. The two  
22. major bills being held are the bills that would transfer functions  
23. between and among the Comptroller and the Auditor and the State  
24. Treasurer. Because the transfer bills are none in proper form,  
25. it has been the opinion of all that we hold those transfer bills  
26. until November; however, we did want to proceed with the State  
27. Comptroller Act and define his duties and functions this day.  
28. Now, if I am lengthy it is because both the Auditor, the State  
29. Treasurer and the new Comptrollers want to make sure that there's  
30. absolutely no question on what his duties will be. At some  
31. later point I'm going to read a statement that the State Treasurer  
32. has prepared relating to funds but let's just go very quickly  
33. through what the State Comptroller Act will do. First of all,

1. it enacts the three articles of the Constitution that relate  
2. to the Comptroller. Those being Article V, Section 17 which  
3. says a State Comptroller is designated as officer to maintain  
4. the State's central, fiscal accounts and to order payments  
5. into and out of funds held by the Treasurer. In Article VIII,  
6. Section 1c in the new Constitution, the reports and records of  
7. obligation, receipt and use of public funds of the State are  
8. public records available for inspection by the public according  
9. to law and in Article VIII, Section 4, the General Assembly  
10. by law shall provide systems of accounting and reporting of  
11. the obligation, receipt and use of public funds. The role of  
12. the Comptroller is diverse. He will become the chief fiscal  
13. control officer and chief payroll officer of Illinois. He will  
14. have an increased pre-audit responsibility through an expenditure  
15. of State funds handled through a voucher warrant system. He also  
16. by the bill will institute an encumbrance system of financing  
17. and is authorized to establish a uniform system of accounting.  
18. As a general measure, we have followed the recommendations of  
19. the Citizen Advisory Committee on implementation of the Comp-  
20. troller's office under the 1970 Constitution. I would point  
21. out these omissions and departure from the Commission recommen-  
22. dations. First of all, the bill calls for an encumbrance system  
23. of accounting and reporting, not a full accrual system. That is  
24. a decision that has been made because of State government. It may  
25. not be quite adequate to have an accrual system of accounting.  
26. Secondly, the lapse period is not affected. The 60-day lapse will  
27. still be in effect because instead of adopting the full accrual  
28. system which would have meant the abolishment of the lapse period  
29. we now have the encumbrance system which will still allow a  
30. lapse. The bill does not address the issues of financing Capitol  
31. improvements. I believe that has been handled not by the Comp-  
32. troller's bill but by the Capitol Improvement Bond Act which we  
33. passed some days ago. Now, also, the bill does not affect the

1. special funds now in the State Treasury pursuant to law.  
2. Specifically, the Comptroller is designated as chief fiscal  
3. officer, he will adopt a uniform state accounting system, all  
4. contracts over \$500 will be filed in the Comptroller's office,  
5. all contracts for personal, profession, technical and artistic  
6. skills over \$1500 will be filed with the Comptroller. There  
7. will be a pre-audit of all transaction, a monthly fiscal report  
8. from every State agency, every record held by the Comptroller  
9. will be open to the public. He will publish a record of out-  
10. standing bonded indebtedness of the State, file a monthly  
11. fiscal report by the Comptroller to this Body and to the Go-  
12. vernor. He will revise and codify the State law governing  
13. State warrants. Now, he will take over in January 7th of 1973  
14. and will have from that time until July 1, 1974 to put all the  
15. recommendations of this bill into effect. For all purposes  
16. he will take office in January. All State functions will stay  
17. and remain the same, subject to temporary rules and regulations  
18. as adopted by the Comptroller until such time as all the func-  
19. tions are transferred to the Comptroller. Now, this statement  
20. that I am about to read is prepared in joint with the State  
21. Treasurer and the Auditor, the Illinois Bankers' Association  
22. and it relates to funds, gentlemen, and just because we are  
23. taping, I'd like to make this clear. The bill uses the word  
24. "accounts" and it's come into question as exactly what do accounts  
25. mean in relation to the accounts held by the State Treasurer.  
26. The issue raised concerns the use of the expression "main-  
27. tain accounts" in Section 34 of the State Finance Act which  
28. is amended by this bill. The term "accounts" has now be-  
29. come a constitutional term under Article V in which the  
30. words "central fiscal accounts" are used. Throughout  
31. the bill, House Bill 4674, it is the legislative intent that  
32. the term "accounts is used in the accounting sense parallel to  
33. the constitutional use and without any indication whatsoever that

1. it is intended to mean or refer to "bank accounts" or "depository  
2. accounts" or anything similar thereto. Now, the sentence in  
3. question is in page 29, line 23 of the Senate version of the  
4. bill in which it is stated: the Comptroller shall set up and  
5. maintain accounts for such funds as would be appropriate in  
6. conformity with the State Comptroller Act and the rules and  
7. regulations adopted under that Act. The State Comptroller Act  
8. of course provides no authority whatsoever for any interference  
9. with the Treasurer's powers or duties. Section 18 of the new  
10. Constitution clarifies the problem in which it states and set  
11. forth, in the Executive Article, the duties of the treasurer.  
12. "The Treasurer, in accordance with law, shall be responsible for  
13. the safe-keeping and investment of monies and securities deposited  
14. with him and for their disbursement upon order of the Comptroller."  
15. The sentence in 4674, House bill, which has been questioned is  
16. not intended to be a delegation of authority of the Treasurer's  
17. duties nor in its context does it even appear to be such a  
18. delegation of authority. Read together with this express limitation  
19. to end the Comptroller's powers as set forth in the State Comp-  
20. troller Act, there is no way to imply any delegation of authority  
21. to the Comptroller to interfere in any way with the powers and  
22. duties of the Treasurer in depositing and holding State funds. That  
23. statement is affirmed in Article V, Section 17 of the new Con-  
24. stitution and in the bill, House Bill 3674, on page 1, line 15  
25. in which it says the Comptroller shall serve as chief fiscal  
26. control officer of the State of Illinois and shall maintain  
27. the State's central fiscal accounts and shall order all payments  
28. into and out of funds held by the State Treasurer. That same  
29. language appears on page 5 in which it also states on lines 26  
30. and 27 that they shall be on warrant, on funds, held by the  
31. State Treasurer and on page 5, line 1 and on page 6, lines 26  
32. and 27. The point is, gentlemen, that the word "accounts" as  
33. used in House Bill 4674 relates to books of accounts and records

1. of accounts not to funds or in any way take from the State  
2. Treasurer the duty and obligation to invest and control State  
3. funds, not accounts. Now, with that explanation and problem  
4. solving of the funds and accounts question, I would now move  
5. that the Senate adopt House Bill 4674 which would now create  
6. the new office of State Comptroller.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

8. Senator Graham.

9. SENATOR GRAHAM:

10. Mr. President, some of the members have asked me as I am  
11. the Senate sponsor of the so-called Lindbergh bills if I'm in  
12. agreement with this. I'm in agreement with this due to the  
13. fact that Representative Lindbergh is in agreement with it and  
14. with my great legal talent Senator Bruce was able to determine  
15. that there was a possible ambiguity even in the bill that he's  
16. asking us to consider. The legislative intent is exactly what  
17. he read into the record and in the event there should be some  
18. problem in the future we're hoping the taped recordings of his  
19. report just read into the record would suffice. And with that  
20. thought in mind, with agreement of the House sponsor of the bills  
21. that I have over here, I too support the position of Senator  
22. Bruce.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

24. Senator Knuepfer.

25. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

26. Well, I want to say this bill has to pass. I think it's a  
27. good bill. I frankly question the university exemption on the  
28. grounds that basically they are a, if not a state institution,  
29. at least a quasi-state institution and I think constitutionally  
30. they probably come under this. In any case, I would urge every-  
31. one on this side of the aisle to support this bill. It's got  
32. to pass; we've got to have this defined prior to the election.

33.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)  
2. Senator Horsley.  
3. SENATOR HORSLEY:  
4. Well, I think Senator Knuepfer hit on the very point, the  
5. crux of this and I have checked the amendment. But, Senator Bruce,  
6. why were the universities taken out of this bill?  
7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)  
8. Senator Bruce.  
9. SENATOR BRUCE:  
10. Well, to clarify the problem, the universities are in this  
11. bill in Sections 21 and in Sections...Well, you'll have to look on  
12. page 20 because we amend the State Finance Act. All funds held  
13. by universities shall be under the control of the Comptroller.  
14. They will have, we abolished the \$200,000 impressed funds held  
15. by universities, but we also allow the Comptroller the ability  
16. to transfer to the universities into their income fund the sum  
17. of \$200,000 on a day-to-day basis. And that transfer can come  
18. at any time upon request of the universities if the Comptroller  
19. deems it appropriate.  
20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)  
21. Senator Horsley.  
22. SENATOR HORSLEY:  
23. But the pre-audit and all of those things for universities  
24. have been taken out. Now, this money goes into the State  
25. Treasury, that I agree. But as far as the Comptroller auditing  
26. the books and the pre-audit and other, the universities have  
27. been taken out of that completely, haven't they?  
28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)  
29. Senator Bruce.  
30. SENATOR BRUCE:  
31. Well, Senator Horsley, here is the situation. All the  
32. public funds that State universities will have will be subject  
33. to the control of the Comptroller. Any...now wait a minute, let

1. me get that straight. Right. They will be subject to the  
2. uniform accounting procedures as established by the Comptroller,  
3. so that they can be audited in a fashion similar to every other  
4. State agency.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

6. Senator Horsley.

7. SENATOR HORSLEY:

8. Well, I was reading the bill as originally introduced in  
9. the House, and as originally introduced in the House, these  
10. universities were treated the same as all other State agencies.  
11. But by Amendment No. 1 and 2, and it really was Amendment 2  
12. that was adopted in the House, the State universities were left  
13. out of these strict requirements because on page 13 of that  
14. amendment, they're allowed to maintain these funds and they're  
15. exempt from paragraph 3 whereas other organizations and state  
16. agencies are subject to them. But that amendment specifically  
17. exempted the State universities from these regulations and I think  
18. it's wrong. I certainly favor this bill but I think it ought  
19. to be applicable to the stState universities the same as with  
20. the Secretary of State, Auditor of Public Accounts and all other  
21. agencies of the State of Illinois. Now, we had this up and you were  
22. in committee, Senator Bruce, when we had the bills up down there  
23. to do this very thing. And you know the objections and how they  
24. came in and screamed like stuck pigs and how they couldn't  
25. live with it and it would ruin them and it would do everything  
26. else. Now, you come along and in the House you have the same  
27. type of bill which was a good bill and I wanted to be for it, but  
28. their same screaming has resulted in their being taken out from un-  
29. der it. Now, I know how Rendleman and the boys operate and I know  
30. the way, the influence they have on the committees and getting this  
31. thing done and I think it's wrong. And I think the time is here  
32. now, today, while you've got time to take an amendment to this bill  
33. and put them back in like the bill was originally introduced and let's



1. pass it that way.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

3. Senator Bruce.

4. SENATOR BRUCE:

5. Well, Senator Horsley, as you know, all things are not  
6. possible. The university systems have been accomodated to  
7. this degree that they still can have their own treasury. But  
8. let's make it very clear that there is a significant change in  
9. that all public funds expended by any university or college in  
10. Illinois will have to be accounted to the Comptroller. Every  
11. fund that they have, they will now have to make an accounting  
12. of and tell this state what they've done with it. Now, I'm  
13. enough of a realist to know that this bill may not be in per-  
14. fect form as it relates to universities. In the fall if you  
15. so desire we can begin to discuss the problems of university  
16. financing and auditing. But this bill goes a long way toward  
17. bringing the universities into conformity with every other State  
18. agency. For example, they will now have to file on the uniform  
19. forms prepared by the Comptroller. They will have to make a  
20. monthly report to the Comptroller on expenditures. They will  
21. be audited in the same fashion as every other State agency.  
22. Every amount of money that they expend that is public money,  
23. not endowments or grants will have to be accounted for to the  
24. Comptroller. Now, they are excluded somewhat, but the minor  
25. exclusion is well worth what we get in uniform accounting pro-  
26. cedures and uniform reporting procedures of expenditures. They  
27. are going to go under the encumbrant system as every other State  
28. agency, a new program for those universities and colleges. If  
29. in the future we find that this is not a workable system, we  
30. must realize that we have millions of dollars expended by uni-  
31. versities and this is a transitional area. Between now and July 1  
32. of 1974 we can make alterations. But it was the feeling in the  
33. House that the Comptroller is going to have sufficient problems

1. in getting the Auditor, the Auditor General, the State Treasurer  
2. and all the other State agencies into conforming with the new  
3. accounting procedures that the universities who are fairly well  
4. regulated and fairly well audited that they can remain outside  
5. on the pre-audit, not on the post-audit.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

7. Is there any further discussion? Senator Bruce, do you  
8. wish to close the debate? Secretary will call the roll.

9. SECRETARY:

10. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
11. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, David-  
12. son, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen,  
13. Hall, Harris, Horsley...

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

15. Senator Horsley.

16. SENATOR HORSLEY:

17. Mr, President, briefly in explaining my vote, I'm going to  
18. vote aye. But I hope you gentlemen who are here next time send the  
19. message to God and tell these universities that it's time for  
20. them to get in line with the rest of the people because the  
21. taxpayers are sick and tired of them spending their income funds  
22. and all of their outside funds that are not subject to our ap-  
23. propriation. And if we had control of them and could appropriate  
24. them, I think we could save millions of dollars and might not  
25. have to increase a lot of the tuition at these universities and  
26. could see that they're properly spent. So I just hope that  
27. next Session you'll amend this law that we're now passing today  
28. and put these universities in where they belong and put your  
29. evil eye on them and keep them there. I'm going to vote aye for  
30. that reason.

31. SECRETARY:

32. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow,  
33. Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neis-

1. tein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock,  
2. Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours,  
3. Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

5. Collins aye. Carroll aye. On that question, the yeas  
6. are 36. The nays are none. This bill having received a con-  
7. stitutional majority is declared passed. Senator Graham.

8. SENATOR GRAHAM:

9. Mr. President, on the Order of Consideration Postponed,  
10. we have a House bill there, 4116, that reduces to 7 days the  
11. minimum time for filing a budget hearing notice for special  
12. districts only. I talked to Senator Partee. I think this is  
13. really a Mickey Mouse bill that only relates to a few sanitary  
14. districts and others but it does put them in conformity with  
15. the municipal budgeting law. The Taxpayers' Federation is  
16. for it. I don't think there's anything bad about it and I'd  
17. like to have a favorable roll call.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

19. Senator Graham has asked that we have leave of this Body  
20. to go to the Order of Consideration Postponed to consider House  
21. Bill 4116. Is there any discussion? Senator Merritt.

22. SENATOR MERRITT:

23. Mr. President, just before that, on 4674, I didn't hear  
24. your announcement. Were those two bills taken? Just the one.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

26. 4674. The other bills, Representative Lindbergh's bills  
27. and the other bill, will be held.

28. SENATOR MERRITT:

29. Thank you. I meant 4675.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

31. 75 is held. We passed 74, Senator.

32. SENATOR MERRITT:

33. Thank you.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

2. Senator Knuepfer.

3. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

4. I just want to say that this bill got on Consideration  
5. Postponed in part because I had some problems with it. I have  
6. since discovered that it simply conforms this bill to all of the  
7. other requirements for other special districts, so I've totally  
8. changed my position. I think it's a good bill and I would  
9. encourage support for it.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

11. Is there any further discussion? Secretary will call the  
12. roll.

13. SECRETARY:

14. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
15. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke...

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR ROCK)

17. We're on roll call on the Order of Consideration Postponed  
18. considering House Bill 4116 sponsored by Senator Graham. Senator  
19. Graham. Continue the roll call.

20. SECRETARY:

21. Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
22. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris,  
23. Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab,  
24. Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler,  
25. Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee,  
26. Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours,  
27. Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. On that question, the yeas are 36. The nays are none.  
30. (Tape is bad between reels) ...Clarke, we have a message on  
31. Senate Bill 1494 which is a bill of Senator Mohr's in relation  
32. to exemption on public aid. I don't know what you're inclination  
33. is on that but I'll just hold until Senator...

1. SENATOR CLARKE:

2. Can we wait a minute. We think we'll take it. Yea.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Sure. I am advised by...that Senator Dougherty wants to  
5. call 4558, House Bill on 3rd Reading. Senator Dougherty.

6. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

7. Mr. President, members of the Senate, I'm sure every member  
8. of the Body will recall the amendment that was put on this bill yes-  
9. terday and the rejection of another amendment. However, I  
10. think all doubts have been resolved about this bill. House Bill  
11. 4558, in its present form, provides that an absolute guarantee  
12. to downstate transit districts. They will be allocated up to  
13. and including 10 percent of all allocated sums which amount to  
14. about \$20 million. In addition to that, they can by adding  
15. one-third, they're up to about \$60 million available to them  
16. through the adoption of this bill. It also provides that equip-  
17. ment transfer by a private carrier or a municipality are also  
18. eligible. The bill in its present form, I believe, is acceptable  
19. to all and I would ask a favorable vote.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Is there any discussion? Secretary will call the roll.

22. SECRETARY:

23. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
24. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke...

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senator Clarke.

27. SENATOR CLARKE:

28. Mr. President, Senator Dougherty has indicated to us that  
29. he is not going to call 4557 so we won't have to fight that  
30. battle over again in terms of parking lots for the CTA. We  
31. feel that this is a poor substitute for what the downstate and out-  
32. lying areas should get. We feel that the 10 percent restriction  
33. of not more than 10 percent is an unfair amount. We feel it's

1. too bad that they, in the light of the agreement, the accomodation  
2. on the other packages that have already passed to the Governor's  
3. desk, that in this amount they would not see fit to adopt our  
4. amendment. But even so, I feel that it's something that has  
5. to pass and I vote aye.

6. SECRETARY:

7. ...Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty,  
8. Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley,  
9. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow,  
10. Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler...

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Senator Mitchler.

13. SENATOR MITCHLER:

14. I just want to make a comment on this. When we had this  
15. \$900 million bond issue for mass transportation and included  
16. in that was an allocation of \$200 million for mass transpor-  
17. tation in various sections of the State, and I voted for this,  
18. it would be my understanding that the \$200 million would be  
19. allocated throughout the State on a somewhat of a fair manner of  
20. apportion. And I thought that the basis to start on that would  
21. be at least a 100 million for the City of Chicago and Cook  
22. County, mainly thinking of the CTA, which would leave about  
23. 100 million to be used as necessary and upon application by  
24. what you'd say downstate transit authorities and transit dis-  
25. tricts and particularly emphasizing the fact that some of the  
26. transit districts downstate had not yet been formed. To be  
27. specific, the area in DuPage, Kane, Will County where the  
28. DuPage, the DuKane Council in working to attempt to establish a  
29. transit authority and this would have been a vehicle by which they  
30. could have acquired money on a matching basis--they put up a dollar  
31. the state would put up two and it would be a good program.  
32. But I guess I didn't quite understand what I was doing when I  
33. cast that affirmative vote for that \$900 million bond issue

1. and supported the proposal by the Governor, because now I  
2. find, just one year later, the \$200,000,000 portion of that  
3. bond issue, \$900,000,000, is being allocated by \$180,000,000  
4. it looks like, according to this vote, is going to the  
5. Chicago Transit Authority without any dollar from the CTA  
6. and \$2 from the State, but on a soft match and a flukey . . .  
7. and a flukey type of arrangement that's been made after . . .  
8. after the votes have been cast for the bond issue. Now  
9. this will leave only about \$20,000,000 for downstate, which  
10. is really something to go home and talk about. Now I  
11. had a call from Mayor Richard Lindholm of Geneva and he  
12. inquired about that. He said, is this true, is it true what  
13. I've been reading in the papers? And I said, yes, it must  
14. be true because you're, you're not getting your share at  
15. all. Now the people are distrubed, but I guess the deal  
16. has been made. There's nothing more we can do about it  
17. but put through House Bill 5 . . . 4558 which at least  
18. assures that we're going to get the 10% and the whole  
19. \$200,000,000 is not going to go to the CTA with that . . .  
20. I don't know what that is, that soft match program that  
21. they worked out is some place other than by my desk. So,  
22. I'm going to vote aye for 4558, but I am disturbed and I've  
23. learned a lesson.

24. SECRETARY:

25. Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
26. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein,  
27. Savickas . . .

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Savickas.

30. SENATOR SAVICKAS:

31. There seems to be some misunderstanding, Mr. President  
32. and members of the Senate, about the downstate participation.  
33. By this \$20,000,000 that is an outright grant from the

1. State, they would be eligible for two-thirds participation  
2. by the federal government, which would bring this monies  
3. up to about 60 million dollars. Then if they decide to  
4. contribute locally one-third of the money, this 60 million . . .

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Just . . . just a moment. Please, let's . . . let's  
7. maintain some order. Senator Savickas is entitled to be  
8. heard.

9. SENATOR SAVICKAS:

10. As I said, Mr. President, if they decide then to  
11. participate locally with one-third of the monies, this  
12. will entitle them to more, more than the 60 million dollars  
13. that they can accumulate under this plan. Chicago is the  
14. only transit district, the only one in the State, that  
15. would first have to come up with the one-third monies.  
16. No other district in the State of Illinois would have to  
17. be restricted by this type of restriction. Chicago is  
18. the only one. So I think that this is what Senator  
19. Knuepfer was looking for previously. That a guarantee  
20. that downstate districts would receive this money for  
21. their transit system, a guarantee of a minimum, a minimum  
22. of 20 million and with participation with the federal  
23. government, would be increased to a minimum of 60 million  
24. without dime one from the local entities. This is good  
25. legislation for all of the State of Illinois and I think  
26. it should be passed. I vote aye.

27. SECRETARY:

28. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,  
29. Weaver.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Senator Merritt.

32. SENATOR MERRITT:

33. . . . recorded there?



1. PRESIDENT:

2. Is Senator Merritt recorded? You are not.

3. SENATOR MERRITT:

4. Well, Mr. President, just very briefly. It's just  
5. about like throwing a very small morsel or bone to a  
6. hungry dog, but I don't see how in the best interests of  
7. our downstate systems that we could afford to vote anything  
8. but aye. I vote a very reluctant aye.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Laughlin, aye. Berning, aye. On that question the  
11. yeas are 35, the nays are 1. The bill having received  
12. the constitutional majority is declared passed. Senator  
13. Rock moves to reconsider. Senator Dougherty moves to  
14. Table. All in favor of the motion to Table signify by  
15. saying aye. Contrary minded. The Motion to Table prevails.  
16. Senator Hall has a resolution.

17. SENATOR HALL:

18. Thank you, Mr. President and members of the Senate. There's  
19. a crisis existent in the city that I . . . where I'm from and  
20. I represent. I know many of you have read it in the papers,  
21. that City Hall has been taken over, so at this time I would like  
22. to ask that this resolution be adopted and I'll read it. (Senator  
23. Hall read Senate Resolution No. 415.) Gentlemen, I most earnestly  
24. ask and plead that this be adopted.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Is there any discussion? Senator Clarke.

27. SENATOR CLARKE:

28. Mr. President, I'd just like it read into the record  
29. that it's my understanding that such types of discussions  
30. are under way between the federal officials and between the  
31. Governor and the Executive of this State and I think this  
32. is a worthwhile resolution, but it's already underway. I  
33. think that point should be made.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. All in favor of the adoption of the resolution  
3. indicate by saying aye. Contrary minded. The resolution  
4. is adopted. We have, for the staffs on both sides, a  
5. Senate Bill 970 and Senate Bill 1494, also whenever . . .  
6. we have four messages from the House and two conference  
7. committee reports. We're going hold off now, until we  
8. get word from the leadership on both sides on these. Is Senator  
9. Mohr here? Senator Mohr is here and we have the . . . a  
10. bill of his. Senate Bill 1494, that the leadership on  
11. both sides has examined. The a . . . we have an amendment  
12. from the House. Senator Mohr, what is your wish?

13. SENATOR MOHR:

14. I move we concur with the House amendment. This . . .  
15. this amendment was requested by the Department of Public  
16. Aid and it limits the exemption increase to what is  
17. permitted under current Federal standards, rather than  
18. automatically tying it to whatever increases the Federal  
19. government may elect to permit. I think it's agreed by  
20. both sides.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Is there any discussion? The Secretary will call  
23. the roll, and Joey will you ring that bell.

24. SECRETARY:

25. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
26. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course,  
27. Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert,  
28. Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns,  
29. Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
30. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr,  
31. Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer,  
32. Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
33. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Davidson, aye. Horsley, aye. Ozinga, aye. Request  
3. for a call of the absentees.

4. SECRETARY:

5. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carroll,  
6. Chew, Collins, Fawell, Groen, Harris, Knuepfer, Kosinski,  
7. Kusibab, Latherow, Lyons, McCarthy, Palmer, Romano,  
8. Rosander, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski,  
9. Walker.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. On that question the yeas are 33, the nays are none.  
12. The Senate concurs in the House amendment. Senator  
13. Laughlin, do you know if they are making any progress on  
14. your 889? Senator Hynes. Senator Hynes, on Senate Bill  
15. 970 are . . . I think if the sponsors can pursue . . . we're  
16. not . . . I don't have any indication that the leadership  
17. on both sides has looked at it yet, Senator Hynes.

18. SENATOR HYNES:

19. Senate Bill 970, we're trying to see if it's agreeable.  
20. So if we could just hold it for a moment.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. All right. We're going to hold it for quite a few  
23. moments, and we'll continue to. Senator Partee. Sena . . .  
24. Senator Partee, one of the bills is your bill, Senate  
25. Bill 1604, too, that we've had the House amendment. In the  
26. meantime, we have a conference committee report on Senate  
27. Bill 1369. Is Senator Baltz here? Senator Graham, do  
28. you know if Senator Baltz . . . all right, we'll just  
29. hold this off until he's here again. Is Senator Gilbert  
30. on the Floor? Senator Gilbert, we have a message from the  
31. House on Senate Bill 1372. The House has refused to recede  
32. from their amendment, and they're requesting a conference  
33. committee. Do you want to move to accede to their request?

1. Senator Gilbert moves that we accede to this House request  
2. for a conference committee on Senate Bill 1372. All in  
3. favor signify by saying aye. Contrary minded. Motion  
4. prevails. For what purpose does Senator Horsley arise?  
5. SENATOR HORSLEY:

6. Well I think because of the lateness of the hour, we  
7. better start the ball rolling on 4201, or 4102, I don't  
8. which it is.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Well, just . . . just a moment. We're interested  
11. in getting the ball rolling on as many of these things  
12. as we can. Now Senator Partee and Senator Clarke . . .  
13. is Senator Clarke on the Floor? Sena . . . Senator Partee.

14. SENATOR PARTEE:

15. The first thing we'll do, I think, because of the  
16. lateness of the hour, we've gotten into a little disruptive  
17. state. We'd like first, to clear the Floor of persons  
18. who do not belong on the Floor and let's have their  
19. members in the seats so that we can have an orderly  
20. procedure. We only have a few more things to do.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Those not entitled to the Floor, please leave the  
23. Floor. The Sergeant-at-Arms will enforce the rules and  
24. the Senators be in their seats. House members are  
25. welcome, Representative Madigan. The . . . Senator  
26. Horsley has requested that on . . . that we proceed on  
27. House Bill 4102, I believe it is. 410 . . . is it . . .  
28. 4102. Now, the question is, are we ready to . . .  
29. Senator Clarke and Senator Partee, are we ready to proceed  
30. on the Senator's motion? Senator Partee.

31. SENATOR PARTEE:

32. Well, let's hear Senator Horsley's explanation first.

33. PRESIDENT:

1. Senator Horsley.

2. SENATOR HORSLEY:

3. Well, I . . . The House has refused to concur in Amendments  
4. 1 and 2, so I think we have no choice but to go to a conference  
5. committee on it regardless of how we get there. So in order to  
6. get the show on the road, I'll move that the Senate recede from  
7. Amendment No. 1 and No. 2.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator . . . Senator, Senator Bruce.

10. SENATOR BRUCE:

11. Perhaps, Senator Horsley phrased that motion improperly,  
12. that the Senate refuse to recede from the Senate amendments  
13. and a conference committee be appointed.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Well, that's not what the Senator moved. I . . . I think  
16. we better let him make his own motion here. Senator Horsley.  
17. Did you hear Senator Bruce's comments?

18. SENATOR HORSLEY:

19. I certainly did, but I still stick with my original  
20. motion that we recede from Amendments 1 and 2.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Senator Bruce.

23. SENATOR BRUCE:

24. Well, then, Mr. President, I stand in opposition to  
25. Senator Horsley's motion to recede from the Senate amendment.  
26. We're talking about the Medichek program in which the Senate  
27. amendment removes that from Public Health. The House has  
28. now concurred in our action by putting the Medichek program  
29. in the Public Aid budget. If we do not refuse to recede  
30. we will find that we have the money in both budgets. I'm  
31. sure that Senator Horsley knows the pressure that's on the  
32. budget. To have a 7 million item twice, is just . . . just  
33. not appropriate and I will oppose his motion that we

1. recede to the House request.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Senator Horsley may be heard on his motion.

4. SENATOR HORSLEY:

5. Well now . . . as this bill now stands, and my motion  
6. has nothing to do with the \$1,700,000 that has been added  
7. to the budget for local health grants. That's in the bill  
8. and that would remain in the bill, so the total would be  
9. \$3,000,000. And the conference committee are receding  
10. neither one, would probably have anything to do with  
11. that. Although if you go to a conference committee, I'm  
12. going to urge that they cut it back to \$1,300,000. The  
13. question of the MTS, the Municipal Tuberculosis Sanatorium,  
14. which you added, or the House added, of \$1,500,000 remains  
15. in the bill. Now there's a possibility a Conference  
16. Committee could take that out of the bill. You've got  
17. \$64,000 that you've taken away from the Department by way  
18. of the Environmental Protection Enforcement of the Public  
19. Health, which is a very necessary thing and all the  
20. evidence points towards that. And by what I'm doing here,  
21. would actually only affect two things. By receding, we  
22. would restore that \$64,000 to the Department. We would  
23. allow the matter of Medichek to go to the Governor in  
24. two bills. Public Aid has told you they do not want it.  
25. Director Weaver has written a letter to you stating that  
26. it belongs in Public Health. The Medical Society has said  
27. that it belongs in Public Health. And yet there are those,  
28. who for some reason, and I do not know the reasons and I  
29. don't question anybody's motives, who want to say this  
30. is going to be in Public Aid or else. Well, I've got  
31. no choice but to simply play the thing right on down to  
32. the wire. And so in order to make the first motion and  
33. try to get this bill to the Governor, I renew my motion

1. that we recede from Senate Amendments 1 and 2 and if  
2. that motion succeeds, the bill will then be on its way  
3. to the Governor and it'll have your \$1,500,000 in it  
4. for your Chicago MTS, Municipal Tuberculosis Sanatorium.  
5. It will have the additional \$1,700,000 for local health  
6. departments in it. The only thing that will be different  
7. about it will be that we'll be restoring the 64 thousand  
8. dollar cut to the Department which the Task Force made,  
9. and a very vital move when we mandated the Department to do  
10. these things by other law, and I think since then some of  
11. your people have had a chance to look at the mandates we've  
12. given the Department, but you come along and take the money  
13. away from them to follow out the mandate we've given them.  
14. So actually what we're doing is giving them back that money,  
15. leaving Medichesk in, and one of them will have to be vetoed  
16. by the Governor, and I think that's his prerogative from the  
17. administrative standpoint. We're giving him the money to do  
18. it and it's up to him to decide which Department should have  
19. it. So I would urge everybody to vote aye on a motion to  
20. recede. I ask for a roll call.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Is there further discussion? The Secretary will call the  
23. roll.

24. SECRETARY:

25. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
26. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course,  
27. Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham,  
28. Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel,  
29. Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy,  
30. Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien,  
31. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein,  
32. Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,  
33. Weaver.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Clarke.

3. SENATOR CLARKE:

4. Now that we've had an attendance roll of the Republicans,  
5. let's have the Sergeant-at-Arms ring the bell and call the absentee  
6. members, please.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Well, the only person who can request the absentees is  
9. Senator Horsley, and I assume he will make that request.

10. SENATOR HORSLEY:

11. I was waiting to see if you would call the . . . I'd like  
12. to have a verification of the absentees if I might.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. A request for a call of the absentees. Secretary will  
15. call the roll.

16. SECRETARY:

17. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carroll, Cherry,  
18. Chew, Collins, Course, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Groen, Hall,  
19. Harris, Johns, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Lyons, McCarthy, Merritt,  
20. Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano,  
21. Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski,  
22. Vadalabene, Walker.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. On that question the yeas are 17; the nays are 1. The  
25. Senate refuses to recede from its amendments. Senator Bruce,  
26. I assume you will now make a motion that the Senate refuse to  
27. recede and request a conference committee. All in favor signify  
28. by saying aye. Contrary minded. The motion prevails. Senator . . .  
29. Senator Knuepfer on 4449, you have a motion? We have a message  
30. from the House on that.

31. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

32. The House refused to concur in the Senate amendment, and I  
33. would simply move that a conference committee be appointed.



1. PRESIDENT:

2. Motion is that the Senate refuse to recede and appoint . . .  
3. request the appointment of a conference committee. All in  
4. favor signify by saying aye. Contrary minded. The motion  
5. prevails. On 1604, Senator Partee, are we ready on that one,  
6. or are we not?

7. SENATOR PARTEE:

8. Senator Clarke isn't quite ready on that, so we'll  
9. have to hold that for a few minutes.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. All right. What about on conference committee reports  
12. on 247 . . . House Bills 247 and 248, are we . . . Senator  
13. Neistein here? 247 and 248 are not initialed, no. Well,  
14. they're signed by the . . . The conference committee report  
15. is signed, but they have not been initialed by either side.  
16. That's why I'm . . . On those conference committee reports . . .  
17. Senator Clarke, are you ready on your side on 247 and 248?  
18. I'm ad . . . Now, the problem is, the Senate sponsor is not  
19. here right now. Senator . . . Someone know where Senator  
20. Neistein is? Let's just hold this until . . . Okay. Senator  
21. Neistein is here. Now on . . . Conference committee report on  
22. House Bills 247 and 248. Senator Neistein is recognized.

23. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

24. House Bill 247 and 248 by Representative Hart deals with  
25. inheriting property by adopted children. Now this thing has  
26. been in Judiciary. We've had Austin Fleming, we've had the  
27. Chicago Bar, and the Illinois Bar, and we've amended it a few  
28. times and now it's in the position that the sponsor wants it,  
29. and I understand Austin Fleming approves this position. However,  
30. Senator Horsley and . . . Who's the other one that . . .  
31. Senator Fawell had some questions yet on this, but evidently,  
32. all that this does now, an adopted child inherits from his new  
33. parents. This says that in case of the natural parent or

1. grandparents want to leave any property to the adopted child,  
2. that he can still get it from the natural lineal line by will.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. The . . . Incidentally, the language is the same in  
5. both conference committee reports so that if we . . .

6. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

7. Right. It's the same thing.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. . . . so we can have the same roll call on both if that's  
10. acceptable.

11. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

12. All right.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Fawell.

15. SENATOR FAWELL:

16. Well, as a member of the conference committee, and as I  
17. explained to Representative Hart, I didn't sign the conference  
18. report, because, frankly I cannot understand the reason why, in  
19. the conference report, there is a difference, uh, classification  
20. made that any child who is adopted after the death of either or  
21. both of his natural or adopted parents, or any child who is  
22. adopted after the divorce of his natural or adopted parents,  
23. those children upon being adopted, nevertheless, can still inherit  
24. from their parents, and yet all other children cannot. And I  
25. put the question to Representative Hart, on what basis is this  
26. classification made, unless there is some rational basis, it  
27. is, I think, clearly unconstitutional to classify one set of  
28. children in one category and the rest in another. And Representative  
29. Hart honestly said he did not know why the Bar Association evidently  
30. put that amendment on and nobody's been able to ascertain why.  
31. I've got some reservation as to whether or not it is the best  
32. policy to necessarily cut off rights of inheritance of adopted  
33. children, but when you compound that question with this classification

1. which I find to be unexplained, I simply said to Representative  
2. Hart, who I know feels very deeply about this bill, that I simply  
3. am not going to take a position either in regard to the conference  
4. report, and not be able to vote for the bill. And I did want to  
5. explain this to the Body.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Horsley.

8. SENATOR HORSLEY:

9. Well, this bill was introduced a year ago last January.  
10. January the 26th, to be exact, 1971. I was notified many  
11. months ago that I had been appointed, I think, by Senator Neistein  
12. on a committee to study this bil., but the committee never  
13. had a meeting, and I never heard another word about the matter  
14. until yesterday when a conference report was put under my  
15. nose and I was asked to sign it. And I read it and I said to  
16. Representative Hart, this is very discriminatory, this thing.  
17. And he said, I'll have to agree with you. It isn't what I  
18. really want. Now, I think we're in a situation where you're  
19. going to hurt some people here. I really couldn't understand  
20. the import behind his original bill of prohibiting an adopted  
21. child from inheriting from its natural parents, because if  
22. the natural parents wanted to disinherit that child they  
23. certainly could do so by a will. But if they saw fit not to have  
24. a will and allow it to go to that child, that's their prerogative.  
25. But to say by law that just because a child is adopted he cannot  
26. inherit from his natural parents, I just can't understand. And  
27. then you come down and say a child who is adopted after the death  
28. of either . . . now not both, but of either or both of his natural  
29. or adoptive parents after the divorce. I just don't get the dis-  
30. crimination, and I think this bill ought to at least have a  
31. subcommittee study it until November. They've been working  
32. on it almost two years now and haven't done anything. Maybe  
33. between now and November they'll do something, and I'd like to

1. see the matter just remain until then, and if it can't be  
2. cleared up I'd rather see it defeated than to see it passed  
3. in this discriminatory manner.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Senator Laughlin.

6. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

7. Yes, Mr. President, I simply can't resist. Senator  
8. Neistein, into which of the four categories does this  
9. legislation fall?

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Senator Neistein.

12. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

13. Senator Laughlin, in all candor, you are 100 percent  
14. right. But this was given to me, and I suppose it was given  
15. to me because I have a daughter that I adopted, and I have a  
16. certain empathy that once I have her, I wouldn't want any  
17. natural parents to have any knowledge or control or anything  
18. else, and I think my daughter who's now 16, doesn't know who  
19. the natural born parents are, and wouldn't want to inherit or anything  
20. else from the natural parents. However, Senator Horsley, you're  
21. right. You were appointed on a subcommittee to study this and  
22. the original bill contained what you stated. Now it's been amended.  
23. There were problems. There were different philosophies involved  
24. here. I don't know if it ever can be resolved, but I don't think  
25. this is so earth-shaking either way, whether we put it through  
26. in the condition it's in or if we hold it up, but I'd say that  
27. I support the bill.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Laughlin.

30. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

31. Well, I simply wanted to say that on something like this,  
32. this is something that shouldn't be considered at this time. The  
33. last day of an even-numbered Session of a bill that was introduced

1. in January, 1971, and which could be of some questionable legal  
2. significance. So for that reason, I trust we don't approve  
3. this report.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Senator Cherry.

6. SENATOR CHERRY:

7. This is as earth-shaking as licensing . . . uh . . . Who did  
8. we license the other day? I think we licensed some collection  
9. agencies of some kind. I move the previous question.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Motion for the previous question. All in favor signify  
12. by saying aye. Contrary minded. The motion prevails. Senator  
13. Neistein, it would appear that you're not going to get 30 votes  
14. for the adoption of the conference committee report. Would one . . .  
15. Would Senator Horsley or Senator Fawell want to make a motion  
16. that the Senate not accept, and then we can avoid the roll  
17. call? Unless you would prefer the roll call, Senator Neistein?

18. SENATOR HORSLEY:

19. Well, would it be more simple to move to postpone until . . .  
20. just to postpone, and then the matter could just lay here until  
21. November.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Senator Laughlin.

24. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

25. May I make a suggestion in that event. As Senator Neistein  
26. well knows, if there's nonconcurrence here, there's the appoint-  
27. ment of a second conference committee, as you well know from  
28. implied consent last year. And meanwhile, that second conference  
29. committee does not have to report until November, and during  
30. that period of time, work could be done on this bill. I think  
31. that's an alternative that's available.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. That would appear to the Chair to make some sense. Senator

1. Neistein?

2. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

3. Correct. We did this the same thing with implied consent  
4. 'til we could work it out. We had a second conference committee  
5. repor . . . appointed. I think Senator Laughlin's a hundred  
6. percent correct. Let's put it in another conference committee  
7. and we can work on it in November then, when we get back.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Horsley moves that the Senate do not accept the  
10. conference committee reports on House Bills 247 and 248, and  
11. requests the appointment of a second conference committee. All  
12. in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary minded. Motion prevails.  
13. Senator Cherry.

14. SENATOR CHERRY:

15. I want to take this opportunity in explaining my vote by  
16. introducing Girl Scout group 1730 from Chicago, led by a  
17. great leader, Helen Prop. And they're sitting in the gallery.  
18. Would they stand and be recognized?

19. PRESIDENT:

20. I understand from the . . . Senator Laughlin, I understand  
21. we are now ready to act on Senate Bill 889.

22. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

23. Well, Mr. President, members of the Senate, I made an  
24. explanation this morning in some detail. In fact, I'd only  
25. say this, that Amendment No. 1 appeals to me; Amendment No. 2  
26. doesn't appeal to me, but I'm moving for concurrence in the  
27. House amendments rather than go to a conference committee on  
28. this bill. I think a future Legislature can work out any of  
29. the problems that arise from the adoption of Amendment No. 2.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Secretary will call the roll.

32. SECRETARY:

33. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,

1. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson,  
2. Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen,  
3. Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,  
4. Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt,  
5. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
6. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
7. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Egan, aye. Weaver, aye. Donnewald aye. Horsley . . .  
10. On that question the yeas are 31; the nays are none. The  
11. Senate concurs in the House amendment. Senator Baltz has not  
12. shown up by any chance? I think he's just stepped off the Floor.  
13. Can you grab him there? When he gets here, we have a message  
14. from the House on Senate Bill 1504. They have refused to  
15. recede from their amendment and request a conference committee.  
16. All right. Senator Ozinga moves that we accede to their request  
17. on a conference committee. All in favor signify by saying aye.  
18. Contrary minded. The motion prevails. Senator Graham? We  
19. have this conference committee report on Senate Bill 1369. It's  
20. Senator Baltz's bill, and he has signed the conference committee  
21. and I think we're all set. If you want to move that we accept  
22. the conference committee report, I think we can move . . .  
23. Senator Graham? This is a comprehensive planning.

24. SENATOR GRAHAM:

25. For my wayward seatmate.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. All right. Senator Graham moves that the conference  
28. committee report on Senate Bill 1369 be accepted by the  
29. Senate. This has been signed by people on both sides of the  
30. aisle, and I assume is acceptable. The Secretary will call  
31. the roll.

32. SECRETARY:

33. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,

1. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson,  
2. Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen,  
3. Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel,  
4. Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy,  
5. Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
6. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
7. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Hynes aye. Rock aye. Latherow aye. McBroom aye.  
10. Carpentier aye. Horsley aye. Bruce aye. On that question,  
11. the yeas are 32; the nays are none. The conference committee  
12. report is adopted. Senator Horsley has a congratulatory  
13. resolution here. All in favor of the adoption of the resolution  
14. indicate by saying aye. Contrary minded. Resolution is adopted.  
15. We have . . . We have some new bills, for the information of  
16. leadership and the Senators. Senator Donnewald, we have  
17. Senate Bill 1449 over here with House amendments. Senator  
18. Knuepfer, we have 1467 with House amendments and 1468 with  
19. House amendments; however, I don't have any indication that  
20. these have been looked at by the leadership on both sides, but  
21. I just wanted you to know it. Senator Donnewald?

22. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

23. Senate Bill 1449, what that amendment did in the House . . .  
24. That's this Water Authority Bill. There's one in existence  
25. in the entire State of Illinois and the House saw fit to  
26. leave it up to the people as to whether the trustees should  
27. be elected or appointed, so rather than let the bill go down,  
28. I accept the amendment subject to the approval of the Senate.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Well, why don't you check it out with Senator Clarke over  
31. here first.

32. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

33. Oh. All right.



1. PRESIDENT:

2. I have no indication that either side has seen it amended.  
3. Senator Knuepfer?

4. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

5. 1467 and 1468 are the Leasing Bills. The only significance  
6. of the amendment was to delay the effective date until February 1st,  
7. 1973. I have no objection to that, if the other side has no  
8. objection. I don't think that it's highly significant. It just  
9. changes the effective date, so if you have no objections, I'll  
10. move concurrence. If you have a problem, we can talk about it,  
11. but it's just a delay in the effective date.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Is . . . We do have an indication that has been looked at.  
14. Is there objection to the use of the same roll call on both  
15. bills?

16. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

17. No. No, they're a pair.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Secretary will call the roll.

20. SECRETARY:

21. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
22. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
23. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley,  
24. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Laherow, Laughlin,  
25. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse,  
26. Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander,  
27. Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene,  
28. Walker, Weaver.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Donnewald):

30. The yeas are 34; the nays are nothing. The amendments . . .  
31. The two amendments are adopted. The amendments to the two bills,  
32. and the number of those bills are Senate Bill 1449 . . . 1467 and  
33. 1468. Senator Berning.

1. SENATOR BERNING:

2. Yes, Mr. President, since there's no agreement on House  
3. amendment to 1290, I move we nonconcur.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Donnewald):

5. The motion is, by Senator Berning, that we nonconcur concerning  
6. the amendment to Senate Bill 1290. Is there debate? So ordered.  
7. Senator Clarke, have you . . . has your staff reviewed the amendment  
8. to Senate Bill 1449? On Senate Bill 1449, Amendment No. . . .  
9. House Amendment No. 1 to that bill, I happen to be the principal  
10. sponsor, and I agree with the amendment, and I would therefore  
11. move that the amendment be adopted. If there's no debate, the  
12. Secretary will call the roll.

13. SECRETARY:

14. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
15. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course,  
16. Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen,  
17. Hall, Harris, Horsley, . . .

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Donnewald):

19. Senator Horsley.

20. SENATOR HORSLEY:

21. Well, Senator, with all due respect to you, I would like  
22. to know what we're voting on. Would somebody explain what the  
23. amendment is to the bill?

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Donnewald):

25. Well, I did a while ago, but I'm sure that you were out of  
26. the Chamber.

27. SENATOR HORSLEY:

28. No, I've been here all the time.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Donnewald):

30. Well, then, you weren't listening. But the amendment, very  
31. briefly, that the House saw to . . . chose to adopt, made it for  
32. a referendum to determine whether the trustees shall be appointed  
33. or elected.

1. SECRETARY:

2. ...Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab,  
3. Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt,  
4. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien,  
5. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein,  
6. Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene,  
7. Walker, Weaver.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

9. Graham aye. Knuppel aye. Carroll aye. The  
10. ayes are 35, the nays are 0. The amendment is adopted.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR O'BRIEN)

12. The colors are green and red and white. Next month  
13. it'll be in red and white. Nothing better to do, Senator. Senator  
14. Mitchler requests that Senator Neistein play his Stradivarius.

15. ...Romano.

16. SENATOR ROMANO:

17. I wanna compliment you, Mr. President, on the fine  
18. job you're doing as our presiding officer.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR O'BRIEN)

20. I didn't realize that you were on the Floor. We  
21. have a conference committee report on House Bill 4465.  
22. The Chair recognizes Senator Gilbert.

23. SENATOR GILBERT:

24. Would you ring the bell so we can get some people  
25. here. I don't think we have . . . House Bill 4465 in  
26. the conference committee report which has been placed  
27. on the Secretary's Desk, is the foundation support for  
28. the common schools. This amendment changes the bill as  
29. it was passed to make the application of the qualifying  
30. rate apply to all dual districts from 100 and up. The  
31. bill as it left here applied to schools of 500 and 1,000,  
32. elementary 1,000, the high school 500, and this will  
33. add some 2 million dollars more for the support of the

1. duel districts throughout the State. I move the adoption  
2. of the conference committee report.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR O'BRIEN)

4. Any further discussion? Senator Hynes, did you  
5. wish to comment?

6. SENATOR HYNES:

7. No. I would simply ask that all members support  
8. the conference committee report.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR O'BRIEN)

10. Roll call. The Secretary will call the roll.

11. SECRETARY:

12. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
13. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course,  
14. Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert,  
15. Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns,  
16. Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
17. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr,  
18. Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill . . . Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
19. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
20. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,  
21. Weaver.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR O'BRIEN)

23. Knuepfer aye. Rock aye. Carroll aye. Newhouse  
24. aye. The yeas are 36; the nays are none. Having received  
25. the votes for a constitutional majority the conference  
26. committee on House Bill 4465 is adopted. Hynes on the  
27. Floor? Senator, we have an amendment to Senate Bill 970.  
28. Hold.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

30. Senator Neistein, will you break up that caucus over  
31. there. Senator Romano.

32. SENATOR ROMANO:

33. You, too, Mr. President, are doing a splendid job as

1. presiding officer, and I want to compliment you.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

3. Thank you. Any unofficial business? Senator  
4. Vadalabene.

5. SENATOR VADALABENE:

6. Yes, Mr. President, in the way of an announcement.  
7. On the windshield of my car is, "Call me at 9:30. J.A.B."  
8. Now, if anybody knows who J.A.B. is, they've put the  
9. note on the wrong car and they would like for you to  
10. call them at 9:30 this evening 'cause they'd like to see  
11. you. Whoever J.A.B. is.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

13. Senator Knuepfer, you have some unofficial business  
14. you'd like to talk about? You stand ready.

15. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

16. Senator Vadalabene, I . . . I would hesitate if I  
17. were you to call that number at 9:30, she might have some  
18. bad news for you.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

20. Senator McBroom.

21. SENATOR MCBROOM:

22. Just like to comment to Senator Vadalabene. It's  
23. nice to see him smile again.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

25. Senator Gilbert, we . . . we just received an okay  
26. on a conference committee for House Bill 1372.

27. SENATOR GILBERT:

28. Lady and members of the Senate, House Bill . . . Senate  
29. Bill 13 . . . isn't it?

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

31. Yes, you're right.

32. SENATOR GILBERT:

33. Senate Bill 1372.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

2. That's correct. Senate Bill 1372.

3. SENATOR GILBERT:

4. . . . uh, is the School Building Commission. When  
5. the bill was passed out of here, the . . . certain  
6. amendments were put on it which reduced some of the contractual  
7. services and also reduced from 20 million to 10 million  
8. the amount of money available for the vocational schools.  
9. In the House, they placed an amendment on it replacing  
10. the 10 million, making it 20 million as the bill was  
11. originally drawn, restoring the cuts that had been made  
12. in contractual services and adding \$1,270,000 for IBA  
13. rentals. The conference committee report leaves the  
14. 20 million dollars in for the vocational schools, which  
15. primarily helps the metropolitan areas in Cook County  
16. and in the suburban counties adjoining. One-half of the  
17. cut was restored in the contractual services of the IBA  
18. rentals were left in. This bill is now acceptable to,  
19. I'm sure, all, including the Building Commission itself.  
20. We did leave out some items, a small amount of money that  
21. they had requested for supplies and all, but we have not  
22. put that back in. I move the adoption of the conference  
23. committee report.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

25. Any . . . any further comment? All those in favor . . .  
26. roll call, Mr. Secretary.

27. SECRETARY:

28. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
29. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course,  
30. Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert,  
31. Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns,  
32. Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
33. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr,

1. Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer,  
2. Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
3. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,  
4. Weaver.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

6. Carpentier, aye. Senator Egan, aye. Johns, aye.  
7. Vadalabene, aye. Col . . . Collins, aye. Knuppel, aye.  
8. Roll call is 31 ay . . . yeas, no . . . no nays. The  
9. conference committee report is adopted. An announcement.  
10. There's a telephone call for Senator Vadalabene in the  
11. front office. Senator Latherow. I have a conference  
12. committee report on House Bill 4293 ready to be considered.

13. SENATOR LATHEROW:

14. Yes, I'm ready now, Senator.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

16. Senator Latherow.

17. SENATOR LATHEROW:

18. The conference committee report on the Department  
19. of Conservation, the House concurred in Senate Amendment  
20. 2 and the Senate receded from Senate Amendment 1, the  
21. amendment that had many different changes in substance  
22. of the amounts throughout the bill. Now in this particular  
23. one in their request that they had for 30 new employees,  
24. there had been \$150,000 stricken from that and this we  
25. agreed on \$100,000 but this funds, instead of being  
26. taken from General Revenue, would be taken from the Game  
27. and Fish Fund. In . . . in the contractual services,  
28. 46,000 had been cut out from that and we restored 20,000.  
29. And in travel, there was a cut of 34,700 and we restored  
30. 10,000. Then in automobile operation, there was a  
31. restoration there of 10,000 of it, in that . . . a  
32. restoration of 40 . . . where 40 had been taken out. In  
33. the Division of Parks and Memorials, there was \$31,000

1. restored to this that had to do with the increase of  
2. possibly men to staff seven additional new parks that are  
3. being opened and plan to work on to be used this summer.  
4. Then in the Equipment Division, there was a restoration  
5. of \$100,000 in this, and much of this had no expenditure  
6. last year and a lot of their equipment was in bad state  
7. of condition and we did feel that this was necessary there,  
8. and had that agreement. Then on the new Capital Development  
9. Bond Acts, the decision of that saying that expenditures  
10. under \$100,000 will no longer be under the bonding privileges.  
11. And that then we restored almost 4 million dollars, 3,900,000,  
12. to the Department of Parks and Conversation areas for use  
13. in restoration of roads the utilities, maintenance, sewage  
14. treatment plants, and so forth, to that area. In the  
15. General Development Bond Program, there was a restoration  
16. of 17 million dollars into that program. This, Mr.  
17. President and members, is the work of this Task Force  
18. which spent considerable time and probably gave this  
19. Department as good of review as has happened to any  
20. Department on any budget that I've been on and I move  
21. the adoption of the conference committee report.  
22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

23. Is there any further discussion? There is none.  
24. The Secretary will call the roll.

25. SECRETARY:

26. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
27. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course,  
28. Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert,  
29. Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns,  
30. Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
31. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr,  
32. Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer,  
33. Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,



1. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,  
2. Weaver.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

4. Carpentier, aye. Egan, aye. Ozinga, aye. Kosinski,  
5. aye. Carroll, aye. Palmer, aye. Romano, aye. The vote  
6. on House Bill 4293, conference committee report, 32 yeas,  
7. no nays. The conference committee report on House Bill 4293  
8. has been adopted. Senator Carpentier, will you please approach  
9. the podium please. Are . . . are you on House Bill 4452?  
10. There's a conference report on that. Senator Carpentier.

11. SENATOR CARPENTIER:

12. Yes, Mr. President, we have the agreed conference  
13. reports signed by members of the House and the Senate and  
14. I move for the adoption of the conference committee  
15. report.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

17. Any further discussion on . . . on this report of  
18. House Bill 4452? No further discussion. The Secretary  
19. will proceed with the roll call.

20. PRESIDING SECRETARY: (MR. FERNANDES)

21. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
22. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course,  
23. Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert,  
24. Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns,  
25. Knuepfer, Knuupel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
26. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr,  
27. Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer,  
28. Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
29. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,  
30. Weaver.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

32. Coulson, aye. Kosinski, are you recorded? Kosinski,  
33. aye. Vadalabene, aye. O'Brien, aye. Davidson, aye.

1. Johns, aye. Romano, aye. The . . . the Clerk will  
2. call the absentees. I didn't hear that last one.

3. PRESIDING SECRETARY: (MR. FERNANDES)

4. Arrington, Bidwill, Bruce, Carroll, Cherry, Chew,  
5. Clarke, Course, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Groen,  
6. Harris, Horsley, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy,  
7. Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Rock, Rosander, Savickas,  
8. Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Walker.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

10. Carroll, aye. Ozinga, what about . . . Saperstein,  
11. aye. Newhouse, aye. The vote on conference report,  
12. House Bill 4452, 31 yeas, no nays. The conference  
13. report is adopted.

14. SENATOR GILBERT:

15. I'd like to ask Senator Romano a question.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

17. Senator Gilbert, Senator Romano . . .

18. SENATOR GILBERT:

19. Would you yield?

20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

21. . . . would you yield to answer a question of Senator  
22. Gilbert?

23. SENATOR GILBERT:

24. Which do you think did a better job there, O'Brien  
25. or Palmer?

26. SENATOR ROMANO:

27. They both do a real fine job.

28. SENATOR GILBERT:

29. I just wanted to know. O'Brien almost fell out of  
30. the chair. I think Palmer is sitting up a little better.

31. SENATOR ROMANO:

32. Palmer's doing very good.

33.

1. SENATOR GILBERT:

2. Yeah.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

4. Thank you both, gentlemen. Any further unofficial  
5. business? Senator Graham.

6. SENATOR GRAHAM:

7. Mr. President, for your information, I'd like to  
8. ask you a question? When do we get out of here?

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

10. Well, I . . . I will take that under advisement  
11. with . . . I see the leadership has changed sides. We  
12. might change the time. Where . . . I thought I saw  
13. Clarke sitting . . . Senator Clarke over there. Is there  
14. a conference?

15. SENATOR KOSINSKI:

16. Mr. Chairman.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

18. Senator Kosinski.

19. SENATOR KOSINSKI:

20. After we resolve the business of the House and the  
21. Senate, I would move for adjournment.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

23. That's a very good motion. After we conclude the  
24. business, we will entertain a motion to adjourn.

25. SENATOR KOSINSKI:

26. Monkey business?

27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

28. Senator Swanson, do you have a motion? Senator  
29. Kosinski.

30. SENATOR KOSINSKI:

31. Mr. President, I'd like to say a few words in Polish.

32. (Polish spoken here.)

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

1. Now will you please give the translation. Senator  
2. Romano, your translation did not get recorded on the tape.  
3. Will you do it again? Senator Knuppel, do you have a  
4. few chosen words on the Constitutional Convention and  
5. its everlasting results and accomplishments? You . . .  
6. you have . . . Senators, I have a conference report on  
7. Senate Bill 1555. Senator Saperstein, do you have a  
8. copy of that report?  
9. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

10. Mr. President and gentlemen, the conference committee  
11. recommends that the Senate concur in House Amendment No.  
12. 2. This is the . . . this is the . . . the . . . if you  
13. recall, we reported that the Bill had been reduced from  
14. 179 to 1 . . . 169 in the total amount for the downstate  
15. Teachers' Retirement Fund and the Chicago Retirement Fund.  
16. I so move.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

18. Any further discussion on . . . Senator Knuppel.

19. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

20. Oh, Oh, he said Senator Knuppel. I thought . . .  
21. he was looking the other way. This is Senator Knuepfer.

22. SENATOR KNUPPEL:

23. Esther Saperstein, Senator Saperstein, how does this  
24. change from what we refused to accept on the first conference  
25. committee report?

26. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

27. It is a reduction. We are accepting the House  
28. Amendment, which is a reduction of . . . of 2 . . . 52  
29. million dollars in both the funds.

30. SENATOR KNUPPEL:

31. Well, then we're right back where we started, which  
32. is what Senator Groen said that he was unwilling to accept.  
33. Senator Bruce and I both said that we were unwilling to

1. accept. Is that correct? Well, I just . . . I just wanted  
2. to make sure that we knew what we were voting on here. I  
3. still feel exactly the same as I have always felt on this  
4. matter and I don't care if we have to go to five conference  
5. committee reports. I don't believe that this is fair,  
6. nor is it correct, nor does it meet the . . . the mandate  
7. of the Illinois State Constitution nor the rights of the  
8. teachers involved, whom we promised to fund this at much  
9. more even than what we are suggesting.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

11. Senator . . . Senator Gilbert.

12. SENATOR GILBERT:

13. I think that this matter has been fully discussed.  
14. I urge your support of this Conference Committee report.  
15. By this action, we are giving 40 million dollars more to  
16. the teach . . . downstate Teachers' Retirement and we're  
17. giving 20 some odd million more to the Chicago Teachers'  
18. Retirement System than we gave last year. Senator Groen  
19. was opposed to this, but before Senator Groen left, and  
20. the members of the Conference Committee that he was on  
21. know that he had said that he would not sign the conference  
22. committee report, but that he thought that this was the best  
23. that we can do. We talked to Mr. Roy Baker. This  
24. has the . . . they are satisfied with this. In fact,  
25. they are pleased that we have added the 8 million dollars  
26. more than was in the School Problems Commission recommendation  
27. which was based on that. And although the law says that  
28. we should give more and the Constitution says that, the  
29. Constitution also says that we should not appropriate  
30. money that we do not have. And this is the best agreement  
31. that we can work out. It does . . . it's a turn around,  
32. and we are now going in the right direction to help the  
33. Teachers' Pension Fund. And I urge an aye vote for

1. everyone on this side of the aisle.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

3. Senator Knuepfer.

4. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

5. I'm not going to make a big pitch about this, I discussed  
6. it the other day. I've seen this for eight years that  
7. I've been in this Legislative Bodies, where both Governors  
8. on both sides of the aisle, and the Legislature in both  
9. parties refuse to face up to their Constitutional mandate.  
10. I'm gonna vote no and that's the end of it.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

12. Senator Laughlin.

13. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

14. Yes, Mr. President and members, I voted with Senator  
15. Groen both times. I did it because I thought that it  
16. was the right vote. I'm also a practical Legislator, and  
17. if we don't approve of this conference committee report,  
18. it's gonna get worse. It isn't gonna get better. And  
19. I think I've gone as far as I can to try and help  
20. downstate teachers, and now I've got to approve of this.  
21. So I intend to support it.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

23. Any further discussion? Senator Partee.

24. SENATOR PARTEE:

25. Well, the other day we took the position that this  
26. money could be funded. You can count the number of  
27. persons here now. This thing is winding down to its  
28. close and the amount of money here is 90 million dollars.  
29. I think there are those of us who know that if we  
30. went back to that original figure, the money simply  
31. isn't available and it wouldn't be paid, and I, for one,  
32. don't want to leave here unless this matter is absolutely  
33. finalized as far as the downstate Teachers' Retirement

1. Fund is concerned. And I think we have no rational course  
2. to pursue, except to vote for this conference committee  
3. report.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

5. Bruce, you wanted to . . . Any further discussion?  
6. Senator Saperstein, do you wish to close the . . . the  
7. Secretary will call the roll.

8. SECRETARY:

9. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce . . .

10. SENATOR BRUCE:

11. Yes, Senator Laughlin . . .

12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

13. Senator . . . Senator . . .

14. SENATOR BRUCE:

15. . . . and I are now being inconsistently consistent.  
16. I will vote no this time as I have in the last two times.  
17. The State of Illinois has the money; it's a question of  
18. whether or not they're gonna pay it. They persist  
19. in beginning new programs. Until we stop beginning  
20. new programs, and paying the current obligations, this  
21. is the very kind of problem we're going to run into. It's  
22. a good time to face the issue. Fund the system, that's  
23. what we say by statute, or change the statute. I vote  
24. no.

25. SECRETARY:

26. Carpentier, Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins,  
27. Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan,  
28. Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley,  
29. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel . . .

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR PALMER)

31. Senator Knuppel.

32. SENATOR KNUPPEL:

33. I just don't understand, why, when we have conference

1. committee reports the purpose is to work something out,  
2. that we always give up. It's an admon . . . admonition . . .  
3. what you call an abomination to me. I don't understand  
4. why. And I watched it here. The longer they go and the  
5. harder they work, the later it gets, the softer people  
6. get on these things and this is what's wrong with a  
7. bicameral system. This is why we never get anything  
8. solved. And I . . . I just don't see any reason that  
9. the Senate should give into the House on this thing.  
10. If there's one thing . . . somebody asked me this morning  
11. how much mail I had gotten. And I get about four letters  
12. a day. I guess the people of my district either think  
13. they can't influence me or else they're well satisfied  
14. with the way I'm doing my job and I don't know which. But  
15. of all the mail I've received, I've received more on  
16. this single issue. The more . . . I've had more concerned  
17. expressions from retired teachers and teachers, than on  
18. any other subject. Including abortion, the women's rights  
19. movement or any other single thing, the lottery or  
20. anything else. And I would be remiss to those people  
21. who have written me if I didn't stand up here and say  
22. that I had to vote no and that I wish that when they  
23. make these conference committee reports . . . I've  
24. been on one conference committee, and I assume the  
25. reason I don't get on conference committees is because  
26. I would be a hell of a lot tougher than some of these  
27. people are. I don't get on any of them. I didn't get  
28. on Implied Consent. I didn't get on this one that I  
29. feel strongly about, and some others. And I just can't  
30. understand the submissive nature of these people who  
31. get on them and come back here and say we ought to approve  
32. what the House has told us. I'm not that way, and I  
33. don't think that we should be. If we're going to have a



1. bicameral legislature, we ought not let the House run us on  
2. these issues. I vote no.

3. SECRETARY:

4. . . . Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom,  
5. McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, Mohr,  
6. O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein,  
7. Savickas, . . .

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Saperstein.

10. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

11. Mr. President and gentlemen, I don't want anyone in this  
12. Chamber to forget that this is still for over 41 million dollars  
13. more than we gave the Retirement Fund in 1971. I vote aye.

14. SECRETARY:

15. . . . Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene,  
16. Walker, Weaver.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. On that question the yeas are 33; the nays are 6. The  
19. conference committee report is adopted. Senator Graham?

20. SENATOR GRAHAM:

21. On a point of personal privilege, I would like to suggest  
22. to whomever has control of the maintenance of the Senate Chambers,  
23. that should Senator Knuppel be re-elected this year, that we put a  
24. sign on his desk which says: I was a member of the Constitutional  
25. Convention, and I support a unicameral legislature.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. All right. I think we'll proceed to other business. Senate  
28. Bill 1581. We have a conference committee report. Senator  
29. Merritt? Senate Bill 1581 is yours. Is that correct? Senator  
30. Merritt?

31. SENATOR MERRITT:

32. Yes, Mr. President, I know of no objection to this, and  
33. now this is the Department of Transportation, Division of

1. Water Resources appropriation. The differences have been  
2. completely adjusted between both sides of the aisle and the  
3. House and the Senate. I think everybody is in complete  
4. agreement. The report is signed by all members. I move the  
5. adoption of the conference committee report.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Egan.

8. SENATOR EGAN:

9. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate, I was on  
10. the conference committee. I signed the report. It is satisfactory  
11. to everyone that I know of, and I'd like to say this, Senator  
12. Merritt, the itch is gone.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. The 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, Graham, Groen, Hall,  
19. Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,  
20. Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt,  
21. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
22. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
23. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Partee, aye. Ozinga, aye. Laughlin, aye. On that question  
26. the yeas are 34; the nays are none. The conference committee  
27. report is accepted. On Senate Bill 970, Senator Hynes is  
28. recognized.

29. SENATOR HYNES:

30. Senate Bill 970 provides for an educational bonus for  
31. policemen who complete the necessary courses as prescribed in  
32. the bill which are related to their police work, and provides  
33. for a \$200 a year annual supplement if they meet the requirements

1. of the bill. The House amendment tightened the bill, strictly  
2. limited it to police related courses and also reduced the number  
3. of hours involved, and I would urge that we concur in the House  
4. amendment and I so move.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Is there any discussion? Secretary will call the roll.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
9. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
10. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris,  
11. Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab,  
12. Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler,  
13. Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee,  
14. Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours,  
15. Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Horsley, aye. Carpentier, aye. On that question the yeas  
18. are 32; the nays are none. The Senate concurs in the House  
19. amendment. The only other matter remaining here that the  
20. Chair has right now is 1604, Senator Partee's bill on . . .  
21. I don't know if the Republican staff has had a chance to look  
22. at that yet. 1604. 1604. Senate Bill 1604 is . . . Have you  
23. had a chance to look at that? Senator Carpen . . . Yes. Senator  
24. Berning?

25. SENATOR BERNING:

26. Mr. President, having voted on the prevailing side yesterday  
27. on House Bill 4408, I move to reconsider the vote by which the  
28. bill was defeated.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Berning, having voted on the prevailing side yesterday  
31. on House Bill 4408 . . . Now what is . . . Is that your bill,  
32. Senator Baltz? Is there any discussion? The Secretary will  
33. call the roll. The motion is to reconsider the vote by which

1. House Bill 4408, a bill that Senator Baltz had yesterday, a  
2. motion to reconsider that vote by which it was defeated. Is  
3. there any discussion? Senator Palmer?

4. SENATOR PALMER:

5. Mr. President and members of the Senate, when this bill  
6. was deliberated, I believe yesterday, I raised an objection  
7. that was really not an objection. I asked for time to clarify  
8. something that had to be clarified. I have done so and it's  
9. in full accord with the county officials in Cook County and  
10. other counties in the State of Illinois. There is no objection  
11. to this bill. It's in complete compliance with the Constitution  
12. of the State of Illinois.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Is there further discussion? The Secretary will call  
15. the roll. Senator Bruce.

16. SENATOR BRUCE:

17. Yes, now on Senator Berning's bill, we did this once  
18. before and you left before I could ask the question. That is  
19. on a motion to reconsider you then applied that same roll call  
20. to the passage of the bill. I don't believe we can do that unless  
21. we do that prospectively. If we're going to apply the same roll  
22. call then we should make it clear that we're voting not just  
23. on the reconsideration but then on the eventual passage.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. This is correct. The . . . Is there objection to, as we  
26. consider the motion to reconsider, is there objection to applying  
27. that same roll call to passage then? Leave is granted. The  
28. Secretary will call the roll.

29. SECRETARY:

30. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
31. Cherry, Chew, . . .

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Just a moment. Please. We have to have order if the

1. Secretary is going to hear the roll call. Proceed.

2. SECRETARY:

3. . . . Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
4. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris,  
5. Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab,  
6. Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler,  
7. Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee,  
8. Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours,  
9. Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Horsley, aye. The motion . . . both the motion to reconsider  
12. and then the motion to pass the bill, on that question, the  
13. yeas are 33; the nays are none. House Bill 4408 having received  
14. a constitutional majority has passed. Senator Partee is recog-  
15. nized.

16. SENATOR PARTEE:

17. Mr. President, on Senate Bill 1604, Senator Clarke and I  
18. have been working on an approach to it, so we are now moving  
19. to nonconcur with the House amendment and asking that a conference  
20. committee be appointed thereafter.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Motion to nonconcur in the House amendment. All in favor  
23. signify by saying aye. Contrary minded. Motion prevails.

24. Senator Partee.

25. SENATOR PARTEE:

26. Well, Mr. President and members of the Senate, Senator  
27. Vadalabene included, I have a reso . . . couple of resolutions  
28. which I won't bother read but one of at the moment, that we  
29. might do while this is . . . while we're waiting. (Senator  
30. Partee reads the congratulatory resolution for Senator Smith's  
31. birthday.)

32. PRESIDENT:

33. All members will be shown as sponsors. Senator, the only

1. thing that's a surprise about that is that figure in that . . .

2. SENATOR SMITH:

3. I consider it . . .

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Senator Laughlin suggests that it was a typographical  
6. error. It should be 37.

7. SENATOR SMITH:

8. That it is not, Senator. It is not. The probable retirement  
9. of . . .

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Just a moment.

12. SENATOR SMITH:

13. It's better to not. I was about to say that with the  
14. probable retirement of Senator Bidwill, this, your humble  
15. servant, will become the senior Senator of this Body in more  
16. ways than one. You mistake not the year. I was born in the  
17. year 1893, and that makes me, well I won't say how old or how  
18. young. I will be much like . . . What is that man that plays  
19. the . . . What's his name? 39 years of age. Uh, Jack Benny.  
20. No, I'm 73 years of age. God and man have both been good to  
21. the good wife and to me. I feel, perhaps, as good as any man  
22. here on the Floor of this Senate and I hope to live to be the  
23. age to challenge Methuselah, who, according to the Bible, lived  
24. to have been 949 years of age and left to me, I assure you, if  
25. it's left to me, I'll challenge him with the reference to the time  
26. that life will have been mine. I'm grateful for the fact of the  
27. many and numerous experiences that I've had here, working in  
28. cooperation with the membership of this Body. Some of the  
29. most joyful days of my life have been spent here listening  
30. and garnering the wisdom of the many, many, many, many, may I  
31. say too many, speeches that have been made here on the Floor  
32. of the Senate. I thank you for the recognition of the humble  
33. birth of this your humble servant.

1. PRESIDENT:  
2. Senator Partee.  
3. SENATOR PARTEE:  
4. Now for the second one, Mr. President, I'd like the attention  
5. of the Body . . .  
6. PRESIDENT:  
7. Well, let's adopt the first one.  
8. SENATOR PARTEE:  
9. Oh, I'm sorry.  
10. PRESIDENT:  
11. All in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary minded.  
12. It is adopted. Senator Partee.  
13. SENATOR PARTEE:  
14. I like the way you take care of attention to business.  
15. The second one says: (Senator Partee reads the congratulatory  
16. resolution for Senator Arrington's birthday.) I move the  
17. suspension of the rules and the immediate adoption of this  
18. resolution, and of course ask that all Senate members be listed  
19. as co-sponsors.  
20. PRESIDENT:  
21. All Senators will be listed as co-sponsors. All in favor  
22. of the adoption of the resolution indicate by saying aye.  
23. Contrary minded. The resolution is adopted. If anyone has  
24. any . . . Senator Horsley? All right. We . . . We have . . .  
25. Senator Horsley is recognized in connection with Senate Joint  
26. Resolution 79.  
27. SENATOR HORSLEY:  
28. Mr. President and members of the Senate, this has been  
29. languishing over in the House for quite a while, and for some  
30. unexplainable reason they changed six years to 12 years. I  
31. have tried, I've wracked my brain, I've tried to find out why,  
32. but because of the lateness of the hour and the mood and temper  
33. of the things over there, I would appreciate it, because I can

1. see no harm in the figure of 12 years. This is the resolution  
2. that allows the Investigation Commission to go into the matter  
3. of add-ons and architectural things and going back into these  
4. contracts. So I would appreciate it if you would adopt the  
5. amendment, concur in it and let it go at that.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Is there any discussion? Senator Partee?

8. SENATOR PARTEE:

9. There's something here probably that I don't understand  
10. really. Senator Horsley has expressed to me privately that he  
11. doesn't understand it either. When this resolution went over,  
12. it contained a provision that there should be a look backward  
13. for six years at the items that he's alluded to, and it was  
14. amended there to go back 12 years. Now that to me seems like  
15. sheer foolishness. I can't understand why we would go back  
16. 12 years where there would probably be a lack of records, where  
17. there would be no people, in many instances, people who either moved  
18. left town, or died, that you would need to talk to, and I think  
19. it's just sort of foolhardy to pass it, and it just makes me feel just  
20. a little bit puerile and childish to support it, because it just  
21. is a difficult thing to explain to anybody how you could go  
22. for something that goes, first of all, beyond the Statute of  
23. Limitations that was a part of the motivation, and goes into  
24. an area where we know already that there are not records and  
25. the people are unavailable. I wish that this could be worked  
26. out in some other sensible, rational way, but apparently it  
27. can't be, so I just don't know.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. The motion is to accept the House amendment to the resolution.

30. Is that correct?

31. SENATOR HORSLEY:

32. That is correct, and I . . . Senator Partee, I will have  
33. to say that I agree with what you have said, but I cannot seem



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1. to work anything out, and as every hour that goes on and we  
2. serve on conference committees and get into these hassles, it  
3. gets worse. Those of you who have been over there in the last  
4. few minutes know what I'm talking about, and I can see no harm in  
5. this. If there are no records or anything, why no harm can come of  
6. it. So I would appreciate concurring in this amendment.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. The motion is for the acceptance of the House amendment.  
9. Do you want a roll call on that? Anyone? All in favor of  
10. accepting the House amendment indicate by saying aye. Contrary  
11. minded. The amendment is accepted. As of right now, we have  
12. a clean desk. We have some more messages which obviously, and  
13. conference committee reports which will be coming. We're just  
14. going to have to stand at ease for a little while unless someone  
15. has resolutions or feels like making a speech. Is Senator  
16. Horsley on the Floor? Senator Horsley, we have a message  
17. from the House refusing to recede from their amendment on 1370,  
18. requesting a conference committee. Do you move to accede to  
19. their request? Motion by Senator Horsley to accede to the  
20. House request for a conference committee. All in favor  
21. signify by saying aye. Contrary minded. Motion prevails.  
22. Is Senator Rock on the Floor? Senator Collins, on Senate  
23. Bill 1319, we have the message from the House now. As soon  
24. as you can get the leadership on both sides to look at it, we  
25. can move on that. Senator Latherow, we have a conference  
26. committee report on Senate Bill 1320. It has not been . . .  
27. I don't have a note that it's been looked at by leadership  
28. on both sides, but it's been . . . Oh, Senator Davidson is  
29. handling that? 1320? All right. As soon as we have an  
30. indication that leadership on both sides has looked at it, we're  
31. ready to act on it. Senator Davidson, we have . . . we're  
32. ready to act on the conference committee report on Senate  
33. Bill 1320.

1. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

2. Mr. President and members of the Senate, I would like to  
3. have the Senate concur in the Conference Committee Report on  
4. Senate Bill 1320 . . .

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Just . . . just a moment. For what purpose does Senator  
7. Bruce arise?

8. SENATOR BRUCE:

9. Well, I just wondered is this the State Fair appropriation,  
10. Senator Davidson?

11. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

12. This is the State Fair appropriation, Senator Bruce.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Davidson may continue.

15. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

16. All right. The original appropriation for the State Fair  
17. was 2 million...no, \$5,724,300. The cut out of that was  
18. 2,208,500. Now, today after in our conference we restored  
19. \$146,500 under the capitol improvement which will come out  
20. of the Agricultural Premium Fund which is to take care of the  
21. asphalt, the new concession area, demolition of one of the  
22. buildings, some roof repairs, windows and exhaust fans, gutters  
23. and curbs. Then we also put back in 455,000 under capital  
24. bonding, which is to take care of the supply building which  
25. was badly needed out there. \$87,000 for the comfort station  
26. which made a total \$542,000. Then under the capital improve-  
27. ment part of the budget, they put back \$200,000 of the electrical  
28. and plumbing improvements, and also, planning for the textile  
29. building which was sorely needed, \$45,000 and the seed money  
30. for that. Making a total of \$391,500 which was restored to  
31. this budget.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Is there any discussion? The Secretary will call the roll.

1. Motion is to adopt the Conference Committee Report on Senate Bill  
2. 1320. Senator Bruce.

3. SENATOR BRUCE:

4. I would concur on Senator Davidson's comments. The Conference  
5. Committee restoration is a compromise between the Senate and House  
6. cuts restoring two buildings and allowing planning on one new  
7. building rather than three next year and I would move along with  
8. Senator Davidson that we adopt the Conference Committee report.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. The Secretary will call the roll.

11. SECRETARY:

12. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
13. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
14. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley,  
15. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
16. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse,  
17. Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander,  
18. Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene,  
19. Walker, Weaver.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. McBroom aye. Vadalabene aye. Weaver aye. Ozinga aye.  
22. Dougherty aye. Cherry no. On that question the yeas are 33; the  
23. nays are one. The Conference Committee report is adopted. Senator  
24. Rock is not here. We have two matters where we're going to have to  
25. have a second Conference Committee. The one is Senate Bill 1566.  
26. Senate Bill 1566 is a...Senator Harris is the sponsor. Senator  
27. Clarke are you handling that? Senator Laughlin, do you want to...  
28. we have a Conference Committee report just saying they can't agree  
29. and recommending that a second Conference Committee be appointed.

30. SENATOR LAUGHLIN:

31. I would simply move that a second Conference Committee be  
32. reported, be appointed. Jesus, I'm getting tired.

33. PRESIDENT:

1. All in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary minded. The  
2. next one is Senate Bill 1560. This is also a bill of Senator  
3. Harris...is your's? Same motion by Senator Laughlin. All in  
4. favor signify by saying aye. Contrary minded. Second Conference  
5. Committee will be appointed. We have a...Senator Coulson, we have  
6. a message from the House on Senate Bill 1393. The House has  
7. refused to recede from their amendment and they wish an appointment  
8. of a Conference Committee. Do you wish to move to accede to their  
9. request?

10. SENATOR COULSON:

11. I suppose so. I haven't any great faith in the bill. I don't  
12. care if we lose the bill in this stage of the game. It's simply  
13. an effort to patch up that automobile and household property, personal  
14. property tax exemption. And they attach to it a great complicated  
15. an income tax refund program and everything. They've got it so  
16. balled up now that I'd say let the bill go. But I suppose there's  
17. no way I can do that, is there?

18. PRESIDENT:

19. You can just not make any motion and the bill will die.

20. SENATOR COULSON:

21. Why don't we just make no motion at all?

22. PRESIDENT:

23. All right. For what purpose does Senator Bruce arise?

24. SENATOR BRUCE:

25. Well, to ask a question of Senator Coulson. This came up in  
26. my own mind today. I know what they've amended and added and changed  
27. and altered and all that. This is on the one household and an  
28. automobile and they've played around with the automobile. The question  
29. becomes, although we've passed that in the Nowlan bill, what will I  
30. do for this year's assessment? And I understood that this bill  
31. would cover this year and if it dies then they will have to be assessed  
32. on this year for a car and a household full of furniture. I'm not  
33. sure about that. My question is, will it have that effect?

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Coulson.

3. SENATOR COULSON:

4. My guess would be not, because the existing law recites it as  
5. an exemption. This is an attempt to reenact it as a classification  
6. just to guard it against possible constitutional assault and it  
7. certainly isn't worth the complications that the House are attaching  
8. to it. It's already off the books as far as I am concerned and  
9. maybe it doesn't need the additional safeguard.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. No motion is made. Senator Rock, on Senate Bill 1590,  
12. we . . . yes. Right. Senator Rock is recognized.

13. SENATOR ROCK:

14. Yes, Mr. President, Senate Bill 1590 was an amendment to the  
15. Illinois Legislative Investigating Commission Act and provided that the  
16. Commission may involve itself in an investigation in one of three  
17. different ways. Either a resolution of the Senate, a resolution of the  
18. House or obviously a resolution of both Bodies. In addition, it may  
19. initiate investigations by resolution of the Commission itself, if  
20. a majority of the Commissioners prove it and both co-chairmen sign  
21. it. As you know this is a bi-partisan legislative commission, the  
22. co-chairman being one from each respective party, one from each  
23. respective House. The House put an amendment on this bill. It  
24. said that if the Commission decides to act by its own resolution,  
25. a copy of that resolution shall be mailed to all members of the  
26. General Assembly within 10 days of adoption of that resolution. I  
27. think this is a good amendment and I would ask that the Senate  
28. concur with this amendment.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Is there any discussion? The Secretary will call the roll.

31. SECRETARY:

32. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier,  
33. Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson,

1. Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall,  
2. Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,  
3. Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt,  
4. Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihillk O'Brien, Ozinga,  
5. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas,  
6. Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Knuepfer aye. Request for call of the absenttes; the ab-  
9. sentees will be called.

10. SECRETARY:

11. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Carroll, Chew, Collins,  
12. Coulson, Course, Fawell, Groen, Harris, Knuppel, Lyons, Mitchler,  
13. Mohr, Newhouse, Nihill...

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Newhouse aye. Nihill aye.

16. SECRETARY:

17. Romano, Rosander, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski,  
18. Badalabene, Walker, Weaver.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Weaver aye. Nihill aye. Mitchler aye. On that question the  
21. yeas are 34; the nays are none. The Senate concurs in the House  
22. amendment. We have a Conference Committee report on Senate Bill  
23. 1504. The Chair received to request from Senator Saperstein who  
24. wanted to be here on this bill but she has signed the report so I  
25. assume she would be in accord with the Motion by Senator Ozinga.  
26. Senator Ozinga.

27. SENATOR OZINGA:

28. Is Senator Hynes on the Floor?

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Hynes is on the Floor, yes.

31. SENATOR OZINGA:

32. 1504. Yeah, he's here; it's okay as long as he's here. I  
33. didn't want to around him. 1504. Mr. President and members of the

1. Senate, this is the School Discipline Bill which we refused to  
2. recede from the amendment that was put on by the House. The  
3. amendment that was put on by the House made it real broad as far  
4. as who could suspend children. We have now gotten them to recede  
5. from their amendment by just retaining the one additional or three  
6. additional words, "Dean of Students". The only think that is left  
7. other than the way the bill was finally adopted here in the House,  
8. in the Senate, and I would appreciate a favorable roll call on the  
9. concurrence in the Committee report.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Motion is to accept the Conference Committee report on Senate  
12. Bill 1504. And on that question the Secretary will call the roll.

13. SECRETARY: (ASSISTANT SECRETARY MR. FERNANDES)

14. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
15. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
16. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris,  
17. Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow,  
18. Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein,  
19. Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano,  
20. Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski,  
21. Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Johns aye. Egan aye. Saperstein aye. Collins aye. Mitchler  
24. aye. On that question the yeas are 34; the nays are none. The  
25. Conference Committee report is accepted. Senator Horsley, Senator  
26. Horsley. All right. Senator Horsley is recognized.

27. SENATOR HORSLEY:

28. I like to have about five minutes delay in preparing the  
29. report on the last Conference Committee because of a statement made  
30. and I want to verify that, and I want to make sure.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Are you talking about Senate Bill 1370?

33. SENATOR HORSLEY:

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1. No sir, I'm talking about 4102.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Well now we have the Conference Committee report here on  
4. 1370. Do you want to make a motion on that?

5. SENATOR HORSLEY:

6. I'd like to move to adopt that report. That, that represents  
7. a compromise reached with members of the House and it is a unanimous  
8. report signed all members of the Conference Committee, both Demo-  
9. crats and Republicans, and it takes out the Attorney General and puts  
10. the power on the matter of checking contracts with Capitol Develop-  
11. ment Board and sets a percentage standard so that add-ons need not  
12. be...need not be approved if they're nine, less than nine per cent in  
13. 75 thousand contracts, under 200 thousand seven, under 500 hundred  
14. thousand five percent, and over 500 thousand 3 per cent. And for  
15. those of you who were in Committee and heard the matter, this re-  
16. presents the desire of the Board of Higher Education people who were  
17. there and has been agreed to by Allan Lucas of the Mechanical Con-  
18. tractors and as far as I know, it's...there's no opposition to it  
19. now with these amendments. So I move that we concur in the Confer-  
20. ence Committee report.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Is there any discussion? Senator Neistein.

23. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

24. Senator Horsley, when this bill was up in Executive I made the  
25. recommendation that in Chicago when an add-on is considered or to  
26. be approved, the Corporation Council in Chicago must endorse any  
27. add-on and get the contracts and look them over. Then you put in and  
28. I suggested state-wide we ought to have the Attorney General approve  
29. any add-ons in his office. And you added that in. Now, why are we  
30. taking it out? Is that the only way you can pass the bill or...

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Horsley.

33. SENATOR HORSLEY:



Because the Board of Regents and the educational people and the contractors and the departments and all, thought that it would be too cumbersome to have too many people checking on it, so now it must be approved under the rules and regulations of this Board of Capitol Improvements and it's set by the schedule here and if they run more than this fixed percentage which was suggested by the universities and the other parties, why then it would have to be approved in writing by this Board of Capitol Improvement. I think it gives us plenty of protection. It's a compromise like all legislation. I would have preferred to go the other way, but it still gives us a lot of checking and gives us a responsible board that will be responsible for checking on it. We have all persons under it now. The universities, the Illinois Building Authority, everybody is subject to the same rules, and if the add-ons exceed a certain amount they must be approved by this Board of Capitol Improvements.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Senator Neistein.

17. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

18. I agree with you. I think originally the supervision and the consent of approval of the Attorney General would make it a real workable, strong bill, and it's been watered down in my estimation. And like you say, I suppose that's the camp compromise--the only way to get it through. But the human cry that arose originally about add-ons and especially in the Capitol, or whatever I've been reading...I think that this would be an effective way, but as you say, they've watered it down.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Senator Horsley.

28. SENATOR HORSLEY:

29. I move concurrence.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Motion for concurrence in the report. The Secretary will call the roll.

33. SECRETARY:

Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,

1. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
2. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris,  
3. Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow,  
4. Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein,  
5. Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano,  
6. Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski,  
7. Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Carpentier aye. Davidson aye. Johns aye. Donnewald aye.

10. Request for call of the absentees; the absentees will be called.

11. SECRETARY:

12. Arrington, Bidwill, Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Course, Egan,  
13. Fawell, Groen, Hall, Harris, Knuppel, Laughlin, Lyons, McCarthy,  
14. Mohr, Neistein.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Weaver aye. Neistein aye. Cherry no. Egan aye. O'Brien aye.

17. On that question the yeas are 34; the nays are one. The Conference  
18. Committee report is accepted. Motion to reconsider by Senator  
19. Horsley. Motion by Senator Merritt to Table. All in favor signify  
20. by saying aye. Contrary minded. Motion to table prevails. Senator  
21. Carpentier is recognized on Senate Bill 1399 with a House amendment.  
22. Senator Carpentier.

23. SENATOR CARPENTIER:

24. Yes, Mr. President at this time I move to concur in the House  
25. amendment to 1399.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Can you explain what the amendment does?

28. SENATOR CARPENTIER:

29. It adds part of Senate Bill 1396 passed by the Senate re-  
30. appropriating 5.1 million to the Secretary of State for rehabilitation  
31. of the Capitol, phase two and phase three, involving major work  
32. on Senate side of the Capitol. There's no new money involved. It  
33. adds Senate Bill 1403 which we still have on our Calendar reappropriating

1. 500,000 for elevators involving the Senate side, and that also  
2. is no new money, and it adds 2.2 million in new money from Hous  
3. Bill 1405 for phase three of the Capitol Building rehabilitation,  
4. all in the Senate side of the building. All contracts are subject  
5. to bid requirements, all contracts subject to approval of Space  
6. Needs Commission, okayed by the Secretary of State and is in fact  
7. worked and cooperated with the Commission. And I move for the  
8. adoption of the House amendment.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Is there any discussion? Senator Horsley.

11. SENATOR HORSLEY:

12. Well, Mr. President, if the Senate...House concurs in the amendment  
13. to Senate Bill 1370 I intend to vote for this bill, but I don't  
14. intend to vote for it until the House concurs in the Conference  
15. Committee report on Senate Bill 1370, but to go ahead and amend it  
16. and then have intervening business it may speed up our getting out  
17. of here if that's what you want.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Well, now, there's no amend...this is voting on...

20. SENATOR HORSLEY:

21. Oh, I thought you were amending. Well that could very well  
22. be.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Clarke.

25. SENATOR CLARKE:

26. Well, Mr. President, I think that we have reached the point where  
27. we have really, are ready to take action on this bill. This bill  
28. revolves around this fight and I have spoken several times about  
29. holding up appropriations for reconstruction on the Capitol. Now  
30. we have had a resolution that has been passed. And we have amended it  
31. in the House and we have adopted the amendment here so that is in  
32. effect. The bill that Senator Horsley just referred to, we just took  
33. action on. The add-on bill came back and we have agreed on that and

1. I think with a very thorough amendment to it. The Secretary of  
2. State has indicated that he is going to cancel all contracts  
3. and start out fresh on this reconstruction so that that will help  
4. avoid the add-on problem in the future and furthermore with the  
5. resolution, and I still intend to go the Auditor General so that  
6. we can see what has been done in the past, but I think we have all  
7. the checks that we can get, and I think this is a fair resolution  
8. of this problem. We should support this bill.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Rock.

11. SENATOR ROCK:

12. Yes, Mr. President, very briefly I rise in support of this  
13. because of the dwindling numbers, I would ask that everybody  
14. kind of disregard what Senator Neistein says and vote in favor  
15. of this bill.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Is there further discussion? Senator Neistein.

18. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

19. Senator Carpentier, how much would it cost to build a new  
20. Capitol? It wouldn't cost over ten million, would it?

21. SENATOR CARPENTIER:

22. Well the last estimate, Senator, and I'm very, very, very at loss  
23. for words that you are retiring because I enjoy you so much, but a  
24. cost of a new building would probably cost us about 42 million  
25. dollars so I think this money that we're asking for now to finish  
26. the Senate side in your gracious retirement you can come down and  
27. visit us in our new quarters.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Is there further discussion? Senator Palmer.

30. SENATOR PALMER:

31. Senator Neistein. Senator Neistein, is your bill still  
32. pending to move the Capitol to Chicago? Is that still pending?

33. PRESIDENT:

1. Senator Neistein.

2. SENATOR NEISTEIN:

3. Senator Palmer, unfortunately it isn't but we had followed  
4. what that bill stated in two lines you wouldn't have to spend  
5. two million to renovate a mansion and five million to renovate  
6. this building and to buy buildings to put in offices. For ten  
7. million you'd have the land free in Soldiers Field, and you'd have  
8. a modern up to date beautiful complex.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Palmer.

11. SENATOR PALMER:

12. What happened to that bill, Senator Neistein?

13. PRESIDENT:

14. The Secretary will call the roll.

15. SECRETARY:

16. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
17. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
18. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley,  
19. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
20. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse,  
21. Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saper-  
22. stein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,  
23. Weaver.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Weaver aye. Bruce aye. On that question the yeas are 31; the  
26. nays are none. The Senate concurs on the House amendment. Okay.  
27. We have a message, Senator Partee, from the House on Senate Bill  
28. 1604 requesting a Conference Committee.

29. SENATOR PARTEE:

30. Fine, we'll...

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Partee moves...

33. SENATOR PARTEE:

I think we have received a notice of a conference committee.

1. Move to go into a Conference Committee.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. All in favor signify by saying aye; contrary minded. Motion  
4. prevails. We also have a message from the House with the resolution  
5. that they have adopted and it's in connection with a report by the  
6. temporary Joint Committee on State Finance signed by Senators Partee,  
7. Hynes, Bruce, Knuepfer and Clarke. The resolution reads; "Resolved  
8. by the House of Representatives of the 77th General Assembly, the  
9. State of Illinois, the Senate concurring herein that the public funds  
10. estimated to be available for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1972  
11. will not be exceeded by the total appropriations for all expenditure  
12. of public funds for such fiscal year". Is there a motion to...Senator  
13. Partee?

14. SENATOR PARTEE:

15. I move that it be adopted. This is a report of a commission that  
16. has as its function to make that estimate.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. All in favor signify by saying aye; contrary minded. Now  
19. how many believe that? We have a Conference Committee report on  
20. House Bill 4449. Is Senator Knuepfer...Is that your bill? Senator  
21. Knuepfer is recognized.

22. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

23. The conference Committee, if I could have your attention for  
24. this. The Conference Committee report solved one of what I consider  
25. three problems with the bill. The issue, and this is the junior  
26. college fund, the issue is the question of the prevailing wage which  
27. was added by amendment in the House. There were three problems in,  
28. as far as I am concerned, with that. One was the monetary problem.  
29. This amendment would solve the monetary problem. The second problem  
30. is the issue of what really is a fight between or a disagreement be-  
31. tween the AFL and the CIO and that is embodied in the so-called prevail-  
32. ing wage concept. I'm not going into that issue but it's a whole sub-  
33. stantive issue that would take a half hour to describe. The 3rd issue,

1. I believe to be a very serious one, is the inclusion of this amendment  
2. in this bill may well render it unconstitutional. Under the new  
3. Constitution, appropriations and substantive matter must be segregat-  
4. ed and separated. The way this bill is written, by putting the pre-  
5. vailing wage concept in an appropriation bill, I think may make the  
6. bill unconstitutional. In any case it is the eleventh hour, it is the  
7. best that a Conference Committee was able to come up with, and so  
8. I would simply ask for a roll call on this before everybody dis-  
9. appears and the junior colleges have no funds.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Is there...Senator Partee.

12. SENATOR PARTEE:

13. Our numbers are sparse. I agree very much with Senator Knuepfer  
14. and everybody here, this is probably the only way to handle it. It  
15. does have a severability clause, so if there is any problem with  
16. the constitutionality, the whole thing doesn't go down. I think  
17. this is the only way to handle this.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. The Secretary will call the roll.

20. SECRETARY:

21. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
22. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
23. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall,...

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Senator Graham.

26. SENATOR GRAHAM:

27. Mr. President and members of the Senate, it's a sad day when  
28. we let one union organizer from the House of Representatives black-  
29. jack us into this kind of position. It's a sad, sad day when we let  
30. the AFL and the CIO inject themselves into whether or not we have money  
31. for our junior colleges. This is the saddest vote I've ever made in  
32. my life to have to vote for those characters, but I vote aye.

33. SECRETARY:

1. ...Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel,  
2. Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy,  
3. Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga,  
4. Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith,  
5. Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Rock aye. Merritt aye. Donnewald aye. On that wuestion the  
8. yeas are 32. The nays are none. The Senate accepts the Conference  
9. Committee report. We have a Conference Committee report on Senate  
10. Bills 1604 which is agreed to by the Leadership on both sides.  
11. Senator Partee do you want to...

12. SENATOR PARTEE:

13. That's right; it's agreed to by Leadership on both sides and  
14. we'll just ask for an aye vote.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Ring that bell a little bit more back there if you will, and  
17. the Secretary will call the roll.

18. SECRETARY:

19. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
20. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins,...

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Senator Clarke. Senator Clarke.

23. SENATOR CLARKE:

24. Mr. Pro Tem now this is the...you know, things get so dragged out  
25. here. This is the same report that we agreed to when you got agree-  
26. ment in the House, I understand. Is that right?

27. SENATOR PARTEE:

28. Absolutely.

29. SENATOR CLARKE:

30. Because we, on this bill...this is really the...originally the  
31. Omnibus Bill that we reduced it to try and take out all the verbage  
32. that wasn't necessary so that it would just specifically apply to the  
33. four or five items that we felt were essential, that were not contained



1. anywhere else.

2. SECRETARY:

3. ...Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell,  
4. Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns,  
5. Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons,  
6. McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse,  
7. Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander,  
8. Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene,  
9. Walker, Weaver.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. ...aye. Kosinski aye. Donnewald aye. On that question  
12. the yeas are 33; the nays are none. The Conference Committee report  
13. is adopted. There is a joint resolution on the Secretary's desk. Senator  
14. Bruce is recognized.

15. SENATOR BRUCE:

16. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate, the United States  
17. Supreme Court recently declared the...

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Just a moment.

20. SENATOR BRUCE:

21. Yes, a recent Supreme Court decision in the United States has  
22. declared that an unwed father was denied equal protection by State  
23. Statute that deprived him of the custody of his illegitimate children  
24. without a hearing. Now the Illinois State Supreme Court then declares  
25. that the provisions of the Adoption Act and the Paternity Act of Illinois  
26. are unconstitutional insofar that they conflict with the United  
27. States Supreme Court decision. What House Joint Resolution 145 does  
28. is create a special subcommittee of the House and Senate Judiciary  
29. Committees to study the rights of a father of an illegitimate child  
30. and to analyze the court decisions and to make comments and recommenda-  
31. tions to the next General Assembly. No appropriation is involved. It's  
32. an authorization of the two Judiciary Committees to meet and bring  
33. back a recommendation to this Body on how the, an unwed father, what

1. rights he has in a paternity action and an adoption on an illegitimate  
2. child. We've got to do it. The Supreme Court has decreed that.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Is there any discussion? All in favor of the adoption of the  
5. resolution indicate by saying aye. Contrary minded. The resolution  
6. is adopted. We have a conference committee report on House Bill 3682.  
7. Is Senator Graham...Senator Graham is recognized.

8. SENATOR GRAHAM:

9. Mr. President and members of the Senate, this bill started out  
10. originally under the title of...provides for a legislative commission  
11. in the respective legislative districts. What it does now after  
12. it's amended, in its amended and report form, it continues the election  
13. of the downstate representative committeemen that were elected in  
14. the March 21st primary, makes their elections legal and continues  
15. them officially in office until 1974, after which time the coterminous  
16. make up of the districts and the fact that we will no longer need  
17. them, then their offices will be abolished. So what we're doing is makin  
18. legally what happened 19...in March 21st with respect to the repre-  
19. sentative committeemen in the various districts. That's all it does  
20. and I ask for an acceptance of the report.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Is there any discussion? The Secretary will call the roll.

23. SECRETARY:

24. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
25. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
26. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley,  
27. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
28. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse,  
29. Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander,  
30. Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene,  
31. Walker, Weaver.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. On that question the yeas are 33. The nays are none. The

1. Conference Committee report is adopted. We have a Conference  
2. Committee report on House Bill 4102. Senator Horsley.

3. SENATOR HORSLEY:

4. Mr. President, that's the unanimous agreement and it means  
5. that by that, Medichek will go to Public Aid and not to Public  
6. Health. It restores 64 thousand dollars or 63 thousand or less  
7. into the fund, and that's the only real change in the bill. I  
8. move that we concur in the Conference report.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Bruce.

11. SENATOR BRUCE:

12. I join with Senator Horsley in asking that we concur with  
13. this Conference Committee the amount the Medichek has been put  
14. in Public Aid budget. The amount for the Chicago TB San. is in  
15. there and the additional 3 million dollars for public, local...grants  
16. to local public health agencies is also in the bill, and I would  
17. move, along with Senator Horsley, adoption of the conference Committee  
18. report.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Is there further discussion? The Secretary will call the  
21. roll.

22. SECRETARY:

23. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
24. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
25. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley,  
26. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow,  
27. Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein,  
28. Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano,  
29. Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski,  
30. Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. On that question the yeas are 35. The nays are none. The  
33. Conference Committee report is accepted. Senator Collins is

1. recognized in connection with Senate Bill 1319.

2. SENATOR COLLINS:

3. Mr. President and members of the Senate, it is my understanding  
4. that both sides have agreed on the amendments that were placed  
5. on this bill in the House and I ask for a concurrence.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Is there any discussion? Senator Rock.

8. SENATOR ROCK:

9. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate, this is the  
10. ordinary appropriation for the Department of Agriculture. I would  
11. ask that the members on our side support Senator Collins.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Berning.

14. SENATOR BERNING:

15. I'd just like to ask what the amendments do?

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Senator Collins or Senator Rock?

18. SENATOR ROCK:

19. Senator Berning, the House amendments restored the cuts that  
20. the Senate Democratic Task Force cut. There's...At issue is about  
21. 9 hundred and 90 thousand dollars concerning the wholesale meat  
22. inspection department, and the House felt that our cut was too  
23. deep. They restored that. We have acceded to their wishes and we've  
24. reached an agreement.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Is...Senator Cherry.

27. SENATOR CHERRY:

28. What we did, actually, is restore the grain inspection  
29. program. Many of the downstate farmers who were concerned about  
30. the fact that, if we eliminated the grain inspection program, their  
31. fees would be unreasonably high. Now it appears that some agreement  
32. had been made with a private agency to conduct the grain inspection  
33. program in downstate Illinois and also in Chicago. And what we're

1. doing now is restoring this money. We're going to retain the  
2. grain inspection program, and we are requesting that the Director  
3. of Agriculture, so as not to have this department on a deficit  
4. basis, consider running this inspection program so that it does  
5. not create a deficit in our working of this grain inspection program.  
6. The... We talked to the executor, or rather the administrator, of the  
7. Department of Agriculture, the Director, and he has assured us that  
8. we will do everything possible so that this department will be run  
9. on a proper fiscal basis.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. The Secretary will call the roll.

12. SECRETARY:

13. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
14. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins,

15. SENATOR COLLINS:

16. I want to congratulate Senator Cherry and also the Task Force.  
17. I think that was a wise decision, Senator Cherry, because, after  
18. all, the grain inspection to protect the public should be under  
19. governmental direction and under a state agency. I vote aye.

20. SECRETARY:

21. ...Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell,  
22. Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knupefer,  
23. Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom,  
24. McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill,  
25. O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein,  
26. Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. ...aye. On that question the yeas are 33. The nays are none.  
29. The Senate concurs in the House amendment... Senator Graham.

30. SENATOR GRAHAM:

31. Mr. President....

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Just a moment. Just a moment.

1. SENATOR GRAHAM:

2. I think just in our closing hours, that probably is the last  
3. bill of any magnitude or great importance that'll be passed by  
4. the genial gentleman from DeKALB, Senator Collins, and let's  
5. all give him a big hand for that bill.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. We're going to miss you here, Senator. Senator Knuepfer is  
8. recognized.

9. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

10. I would...I wonder if Leadership is available? I don't see  
11. Senator Clarke around.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Clarke is around.

14. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

15. I don't know whether there is any controversy on this resolution.  
16. I would be hopeful that there is no great controversy, or at least  
17. the discussion will be kept to a minimum after this, but I would like  
18. to read the following resolution, and ask for...I'm prepared to ask,  
19. after that, for suspension of the rules and immediate adoption of  
20. the Resolution.

21. WHEREAS, Senator Terrel E. Clarke has served admirably as Leader  
22. of the Republican members of the Illinois State Senate...

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Just a moment, please. Let's have some order. This is a reso-  
25. lution about one of our colleagues.

26. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

27. And WHEREAS his Leadership, characterized by his conviction  
28. that the rights and well being of the people of this State must  
29. be the first consideration of every legislator and tempered with  
30. the understanding necessary to practice the art of compromise as  
31. resulted in an exemplary record for all seated in this Body of  
32. the Seventy-Seventh General Assembly of the State of Illinois.  
33. And, WHEREAS, Senator Clarke has continued the Academic Page Pro-  
gram which has allowed many of us to learn by practical experience and

1. direct contact how responsible laws are enacted. And, WHEREAS we  
2. are duly pleased to note that the distinguished Senator from Western  
3. Springs would, at the present time, be pleased to be in our sister  
4. state, Michigan, with his lovely wife Katherine and their three  
5. children. Therefore, be it resolved by the pages of the Senate  
6. of the Seventy-seventh General Assembly of the State of Illinois  
7. that we commend our friend and colleague, Senator Terrel E. Clarke,  
8. for his honesty, kindness, sincerity and leadership as well as  
9. his deep and true concern for the people of Illinois, shown to each  
10. and everyone of us, both on and off the Floor of the Senate. And  
11. be it further resolved that a suitable copy of this resolution  
12. and its preamble be presented to Senator Clarke as a memorial  
13. and symbol of our true thanks and appreciation. Signed Rosemarie  
14. Hensey, Mike Daley, Tim Ahlgrim, Charlie Lloyd, and Dan Shaughnessy.  
15. I would therefore move for the suspension of the rules and the  
16. immediate adoption of the resolution.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Senator Clarke.

19. SENATOR CLARKE:

20. Mr. Speaker, I knew we had some pages around and I also knew  
21. that being Republican pages that they were very parsimonious,  
22. so I didn't think that they would do a thing like this and you ought  
23. to just hand me the resolution. Save the money of having anything  
24. else done with it. But I do deeply appreciate it and I'd like to  
25. say this, but I've come back here many a night 'cause I don't have  
26. time to read during the day, and these pages really work hard,  
27. especially in the latter days as witnessed by our books. I don't  
28. think any of us really know the hours they put in and they truly  
29. deserve our thanks. I think it's wonderful that they're here and  
30. I very much appreciate this. Thanks.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Harris was . . . Senator Knuepfer, are you handling that?

33. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

1. The conference committee report recommends that the House  
2. recede from House Amendment No. 2, and I would move that we adopt  
3. the conference committee report.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Is there any discussion? The Secretary will call the roll.

6. SECRETARY:

7. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
8. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
9. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley,  
10. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
11. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse,  
12. Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander,  
13. Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene,  
14. Walker, Weaver.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. McBroom, aye. On that question the yeas are 32; the nays are  
17. none.

18. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

19. Then the second conference committee report is on Senate Bill  
20. 1566 . . .

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Just a second. We don't have that one yet.

23. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

24. Oh. Sorry.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senate Bill 1329. Senator Merritt is recognized.

27. SENATOR MERRITT:

28. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate, after many days  
29. of arduous labor we finally resolved our difficulties, certainly  
30. not entirely to our liking and perhaps maybe not entirely to their  
31. liking over there, but I won't take any more time. I just move the  
32. adoption of the second conference committee report.

33. PRESIDENT:



1. Is there . . . Senator Rock.

2. SENATOR ROCK:

3. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate, I would ask  
4. all the members on my side of the aisle to support this conference  
5. committee report.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. The Secretary will call the roll.

8. SECRETARY:

9. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
10. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
11. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley,  
12. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
13. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse,  
14. Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander,  
15. Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene,  
16. Walker, Weaver.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. On that question the yeas are 31; the nays are none. The  
19. Senate concurs and accepts the conference committee report.  
20. We have a conference committee report on Senate Bill 1566. And  
21. I'm sure Senator Latherow wants to hear all about it, Senator  
22. Knuepfer.

23. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

24. Senator Latherow, shall I go into great detail on this for you?

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senator Latherow.

27. SENATOR LATHEROW:

28. What I had in mind, Mr. President, I just wanted to . . . Senator  
29. Merritt wanted to verify that roll call. That's what was bothering  
30. me a little.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Knuepfer is recognized.

33. SENATOR KNUEPFER:

1. Senate Bill . . . not Senate Bill 15 . . . the conference  
2. committee report on Senate Bill 56 . . . 1566, rather . . . It's a  
3. late hour . . . recommends that the House recede from House Amend-  
4. ment No. 1 and further adds an amendment to Senate Bill No. 1566  
5. which, in essence, provides for the Comptroller's salaries. I  
6. would appreciate a favorable roll call.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Is there any discussion? The Secretary will call the roll.

9. SECRETARY:

10. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
11. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
12. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley,  
13. Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin,  
14. Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse,  
15. Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander,  
16. Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene,  
17. Walker, Weaver.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. On that question the yeas are 33; the nays are none. The  
20. Senate adopts the conference committee report. Senator Gilbert.

21. SENATOR GILBERT:

22. Lady and members of the Senate; a number of people have inquired..

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Just a moment please.

25. SENATOR GILBERT:

26. A number of people have inquired about George Jones who works  
27. for us back in the cloak room. He had a heart attack this morning  
28. about 1:00 o'clock. I just checked recently at St. John's Hospital  
29. where he's a patient. He's in intensive care. The doctor had recently  
30. seen him. They said he was resting well and is doing . . . They are  
31. going to take tests later to determine whether there was any further  
32. heart damage. George had had a heart attack some couple of years  
33. ago and missed one Session with us because he wasn't able to come back.

1. But he is doing well and we wish him Godspeed.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Thank you, Senator. We have a message from the House.  
4. Senate Bill 1361. Department of Transportation. Senator Coulson,  
5. we have three amendments on that . . . or Senator McBroom is it?

6. SENATOR McBROOM:

7. Mr. President; and members of the Senate, on Senate Bill 1361,  
8. Amendments 1 and 2 were Tabled. This involves Amendments 3, 4,  
9. and 5. It adds 238 thousand to Planning, Research and Development  
10. and replaces 200 thousand in transportation development. Amendment  
11. 4 transfers 50 million out of the Road Fund formal contracts into  
12. the Transportation Series A Bond Issue, and Amendment No. 5  
13. involves an addition of \$3,000.00 for the City of Elgin. I move  
14. for concurrence.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. The Secretary will call the roll.

17. SECRETARY:

18. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,  
19. Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course, Davidson, Donnewald,  
20. Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham, Groen, Hall, Harris,  
21. Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Kusibab,  
22. Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler,  
23. Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee,  
24. Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein, Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours,  
25. Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Partee, aye. I might add that we're just waiting for word  
28. from the House on whether they've accepted two conference committee  
29. reports. As soon as we receive affirmative word on that, hopefully  
30. we will receive affirmative word on that, and we will be ready to  
31. adjourn. On that question the yeas are 33; the nays are none. The  
32. Senate concurs in the House amendments. Add Weaver to that last list.  
33. Any word from the House on that? Any word from the House yet on

1. those conference committees on . . . conference committee reports  
2. on 1560 and 1566?

3. SENATOR PARTEE:

4. No word yet. Momentarily, we hope.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Partee.

7. SENATOR PARTEE:

8. Mr. President, and if I might have the attention of the  
9. membership, most of the conference committee reports which we  
10. have dealt with and handled and sent back to the House . . . There  
11. are about five of them that yet have to be concurred in and accepted  
12. by the House. In addition to that, very little remains to be done.  
13. I would appreciate your remaining here until that is finalized.  
14. There's one little problem over there which I am given to under-  
15. stand is being rectified. So I would certainly hope and I would  
16. appreciate your remaining for just a little while longer and I  
17. think we will have concluded our activities here. I know what  
18. everybody's problem is; I share it with you, but we're very close  
19. to the end and if we can just stay, we will get our mission accom-  
20. plished.

21. SENATOR ROCK:

22. Mr. President, members of the Senate, a little earlier this  
23. afternoon we adopted a conference committee report regarding Senate  
24. Bill 1604. At this time, Mr. President, I wish to make a motion to  
25. reconsider the vote by which we adopted that conference committee report.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Motion to reconsider the vote by which the conference committee  
28. report was adopted. Is there objection? Leave is granted.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Rock.

31. SENATOR ROCK:

32. At this point, Mr. President and members of the Senate, I wish...  
33. I would move that we concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill 1604

1. and ask for a roll call.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Motion to concur in the House amendment. Is . . .

4. SENATOR ROCK:

5. Oh. Procedurally I . . . Apparently somebody from the Sec . . .

6. We would have to reconsider the vote by which we refused to concur

7. in the House amendment.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Motion by Senator Rock to reconsider that action by the Senate

10. on House Amendment No. 3 on Senate Bill 1604. All in favor signify

11. by saying aye. Cont . . . Senator Clarke.

12. SENATOR CLARKE:

13. Could we . . . could we have a few minutes, Mr. President?

14. We're just having a little caucus here.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Right. We would like to move along as rapidly as possible,

17. please . . . that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 3 and

18. on that question the Secretary will call the . . . On that question

19. the Secretary will call the roll.

20. SECRETARY:

21. Arrington, Baltz, Berning, Bidwill, Bruce, Carpentier, Carroll,

22. . . .

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Carpentier?

25. SENATOR CARPENTIER:

26. Mr. President, I hope that every Senator on this side votes

27. aye.

28. SECRETARY:

29. . . . Carroll, Cherry, Chew, Clarke, Collins, Coulson, Course,

30. Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty, Egan, Fawell, Gilbert, Graham,

31. Groen, Hall, Harris, Horsley, Hynes, Johns, Knuepfer, Knuppel,

32. Kosinski, Kusibab, Latherow, Laughlin, Lyons, McBroom, McCarthy,

33. Merritt, Mitchler, Mohr, Neistein, Newhouse, Nihill, O'Brien,

1. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Romano, Rosander, Saperstein,  
2. Savickas, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,  
3. Weaver.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. McBroom, aye. Graham, aye. On that question the yeas are  
6. 34; the nays are none. The Senate concurs in the House amendment.  
7. Now we have an adjournment resolution. Move to reconsider by  
8. Senator Partee. Motion by Senator Rock to Table. All in favor of  
9. the motion to Table signify by saying aye. Contrary minded. The  
10. motion to Table prevails. We have an adjournment resolution.

11. SECRETARY:

12. A message from the House by Mr. Selcke, Clerk: Mr. President--  
13. I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives  
14. has adopted the following joint resolution in the adoption of which  
15. I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate to wit: House  
16. Joint Resolution 151. RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of  
17. the Seventy-Seventh General Assembly of the State of Illinois that  
18. the Senate concurring herein that when the two Houses adjourn on  
19. Friday, June 30, 1972, they stand adjourned until Sunday, November 26,  
20. 1972 at 6:00 o'clock p.m. Adopted by the House, June 30th.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Senator Gilbert moves that this resolution be adopted. All  
23. in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary minded. The resolution  
24. is adopted. Senator Gilbert.

25. SENATOR GILBERT:

26. Mr. President, I now move that we adjourn.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Motion to adjourn. All in favor signify by saying aye.  
29. Contrary minded. The Senate Stands adjourned.

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