

82ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

MARCH 24, 1981

1. PRESIDENT:

2. The hour of noon having arrived the Senate will please  
3. come to order. Will the members please be at their desks.  
4. Will our guests in the gallery please rise. Prayer this after-  
5. noon by the Reverend Anthony Tzortzis, St. Anthony's Hellenic  
6. Orthodox Church, Springfield, Illinois.

7. REVEREND ANTHONY TZORTZIS:

8. ( Prayer given by Reverend Tzortzis )

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Shapiro, for what purpose do you arise Sir?

11. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

12. I think you all know that this little ceremony is to swear  
13. in the new State Senator from Quincy, and we'll proceed.

14. ( Senator Shapiro administers oath of office to Laura Kent )  
15. Congratulations.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Reading of the Journal. Senator Johns.

18. SECRETARY:

19. Wednesday, January the 14th, 1981; Thursday, January the 15th,  
20. 1981; Tuesday, February the 3rd, 1981; Wednesday, February the 4th,  
21. 1981; and Tuesday, February the 17th, 1981.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Senator Johns.

24. SENATOR JOHNS:

25. Mr. President, I move that the Journals just read by the  
26. Secretary be approved unless some Senator has additions or  
27. corrections to offer.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. All right, you've heard the motion as placed by Senator  
30. Johns. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying  
31. Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The motion carries. So  
32. ordered. Senator Johns.

33. SENATOR JOHNS:

*Introduction of  
Pineville basketball team  
by Sen. Rupp  
3-24-81*

1. Thank you, Mr. President. I move that reading and approval  
2. of the Journals of Wednesday, February the 18th; Wednesday, February  
3. the 25th; Thursday, February the 26th; Wednesday, March the 4th;  
4. Thursday, March the 5th; Tuesday, March the 10th; Wednesday, March  
5. the 18th, in the year of 1981 be postponed pending arrival of  
6. the printed Journals.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. You've heard the motion as placed by Senator Johns. Any  
9. discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All  
10. opposed. The Ayes have it. So ordered. Committee reports.

11. SECRETARY:

12. Senator Donnewald...Senator Donnewald, Chairman of Committee  
13. on Assignment of Bills assigns the following Senate Bills to...Senate  
14. and House Bills to committee.

- 15. Agriculture, Conservation, and Energy; Senate Bill 378.
- 16. Appropriations I; Senate Bills 374 and 381.
- 17. Higher Education; Senate Bill 373.
- 18. Elections and Reapportionments; Senate Bills 365 and 366.
- 19. Executive; Senate Bills 369, 379, and 382.
- 20. Finance and Credit Regulations; Senate Bills 375 and 376.
- 21. Insurance and Licensed Activities; Senate Bills 351, 380 and 384.
- 22. Judiciary I; Senate Bills 352, 353, 355, 357, 358, 361, 362,
- 23. 363, 364, 370, 372, and 377.
- 24. Judiciary II; Senate Bills 356, 359, 360, and 385.
- 25. Labor and Commerce; Senate Bills 354 and 383, and House Bill 99.
- 26. Local Government; Senate Bills 350 and 386.
- 27. Revenue; Senate Bills 349 and 371.
- 28. Transportation; Senate Bills 367 and 368.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. If the Chair can have your attention please. We have some  
31. distinguished visitors, and the Chair will yield to Senator James  
32. Rupp.

33. SENATOR RUPP:

1. Thank you, Mr. President. I would like to introduce to  
2. the members of the Senate, the basketball team from Kincaid,  
3. Illinois. I do have a resolution offered by Senator Rupp and  
4. Senator Rock, and all the members of the Illinois Senate.

5. ( Senator Rupp reads resolution to team )

6. I would like to introduce Coach Riva for a few words but before  
7. I do that, you know this isn't the only thing for which Kincaid  
8. is famous. I'd like to call attention to the gallery up there,  
9. and I think you'll see Norma Jean Boulard up there. Norma, stand  
10. up. You see that's...that's really what we've heard about  
11. Kincaid is...is about her, and then the parents of Coach Riva,  
12. would they please stand too. Coach.

13. COACH RIVA:

14. ( Remarks by Coach Riva )

15. SENATOR RUPP:

16. Thank you, Coach. Do any of the boys...you have something  
17. to say.

18. LARRY SAPETTI:

19. ( Remarks by Larry Sapetti )

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Geo-Karis, for what purpose do you arise?

22. SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

23. Your Honor...Mr. President, I mean, and Ladies and Gentlemen  
24. of the Senate. I would like to add as immediate co-sponsors to  
25. my Senate Joint Resolution 19, Senators Laura Kent and Senators  
26. ...Senator Randy Thomas.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. You've heard the request. Is leave granted? Leave is granted.  
29. So ordered. Messages from the House.

30. SECRETARY:

31. A Message from the House by Mr. Leone, Clerk.

32. Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate the  
33. House of Representatives has passed bills with the following titles

1. in the passage of which I am instructed to ask concurrence of  
2. the Senate, to-wit:

3. House Bills 137 and 165.

4. A Message from the House by Mr. Leone, Clerk.

5. Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate the  
6. House of Representatives has adopted the following joint re-  
7. solution in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask con-  
8. currence of the Senate, to-wit:

9. House Joint Resolution 14.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Executive. Messages from the House.

12. SECRETARY:

13. A Message from the House by Mr. Leone, Clerk.

14. Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate the  
15. House of Representatives has adopted the following joint resolution  
16. in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask concurrence of  
17. the Senate, to-wit:

18. House Joint Resolution 15.

19. ( Secretary reads HJR 15 )

20. PRESIDENT:

21. HJR 15 is the request of the House that we meet in joint  
22. Session in ten minutes, at the hour of twelve-thirty, for the  
23. purpose of hearing the Governor's address. Senator Savickas  
24. moves for the suspension of the rules and the immediate consid-  
25. eration and adoption of House Joint Resolution 15. Is there  
26. any discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye.  
27. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The rules are suspended. Senator  
28. Savickas now moves the adoption of House Joint Resolution 15.  
29. All in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have  
30. it. The resolution is adopted. If I can have your attention.  
31. We will, at twelve-thirty, meet at the front door of the House.  
32. The Committee on Escort...the Committee on Escort is Senators  
33. Degnan, Gitz, and Netsch, and Senator Davidson, and Senator Mahar.

1. And if the Committee on Escort...they will meet the Governor,
2. I presume, at the front door of the Chamber, also. Why don't
3. you complain to Congressman Savage. Introduction of bills.

4. SECRETARY:

5. Senate Bill 390. The name is missing on 390, it'll be
6. read in just a moment.

7. Senate Bill 391, introduced by Senator Simms.

8. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

9. Senate Bill 392, by Senators Simms, Nimrod, and others.

10. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

11. Senate Bill 393, by the same sponsors.

12. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

13. Senate Bill 394, introduced by the same sponsors.

14. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

15. Senate Bill 395, by the same sponsors.

16. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

17. Senate Bill 396, introduced by Senator Jeremiah Joyce.

18. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

19. Senate Bill 390, was introduced by Senator Vadalabene.

20. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

21. Senate Bill 397, introduced by Senator Jeremiah Joyce.

22. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

23. Senate Bill 398, introduced by Senators Grotberg and Schaffer.

24. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

25. Senate Bill 399, introduced by Senator Geo-Karis.

26. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

27. Senate Bill 400, introduced by Senators Nimrod, Keats,  
28. Friedland, and Simms.

29. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

30. Senate Bill 387...Senate Bill 387, introduced by Senators  
31. Bruce, Keats, and Demuzio.

32. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

33. Senate Bill 388, by Senator Lemke.

1. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

2. Senate Bill 389, introduced by Senator Lemke.

3. ( Secretary reads title of bill )

4. 1st reading of the bills.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

6. Resolutions.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Senate Resolution 70. Senate Resolution 70, offered by  
9. Senator Nimrod, it's congratulatory.

10. Senate Resolution 71, offered by Senators Etheredge, Bowers,  
11. Berning, and others, it's congratulatory.

12. Senate Resolution 72, by Senators Davidson and all Senators,  
13. it's congratulatory.

14. And Senate Resolution 73, by Senators Nimrod, Vadalabene,  
15. and all Senators, and it's a death resolution.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

17. Consent Calendar. Any further business to come before the  
18. Senate? Senator Rock.

19. SENATOR ROCK:

20. Thank you, Mr. President. We previously had been in a  
21. position to, at least, work part of the Calendar today,  
22. however, the Governor has requested our presence in the House  
23. Chamber at twelve-thirty. We will be here tomorrow, and we will  
24. be here on Thursday, so I think whatever bills that are on the Calendar  
25. can best wait till tomorrow. I would just remind you, and if the  
26. committee chairmen don't, that we do have committee meetings  
27. scheduled this afternoon at the hour of one-thirty, and I would  
28. expect that the Governor will be finished long before then.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

30. Senator Nash, for what purpose do you arise?

31. SENATOR NASH:

32. The purpose of an announcement, Mr. President. The Committee  
33. on Public Health, Welfare, and Corrections will not meet today,

1. all the sponsors cancelled out.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

3. Senator Kenneth Hall.

4. SENATOR HALL:

5. Thank you, Mr. President. I'd just like to announce that  
6. Senator Newhouse, because of illness, is delayed, but he will  
7. be here later on.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

9. Senator Savickas.

10. SENATOR SAVICKAS:

11. Yes, Mr. President. Senator Dawson, due to illness, will  
12. not be in Session today...attending Session today.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

14. Further announcements? Senator Rock has moved that the  
15. Senate...Senator Geo-Karis, do you have announcement?

16. SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

17. Yes. Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.  
18. I would like to have as my immediate co-sponsor, Senator Walter  
19. Nega on House...Senate Bill 147, and I would like to be the  
20. immediate co-sponsor to Senator Nega's bill of 150. I have  
21. the permission...

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

23. Is there leave? Leave is granted. Senator Rock has moved  
24. that the Senate stand adjourned until twelve o'clock tomorrow.  
25. On the motion to adjourn. Discussion? All in favor say Aye.  
26. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. The Senate stands adjourned until  
27. twelve o'clock tomorrow.

28. SENATOR NEDZA:

29. Yes, thank you, Mr. President. For purposes of an announcement.  
30. Immediately after the Governor's message, the Committee on Local  
31. Government will convene in Room A-1 in the Stratton Building.

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