

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

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

Reverend Krueger: "In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost. Amen. O Lord, bless Thy House with this service this day. It was Adlai Stevenson who said, 'We must look forward to great tomorrows'. Let us pray. Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, we bow our heads before Thee this day in fervent hope that as we begin this 80th General Assembly of the House of Representatives, Thou will be with us in a very special way. The task of doing what lies before us as Legislators is tedious, yet with Thy Holy Assistance it is not insurmountable. We plead Thee for Thy blessing to be with us always; to show us the way that we may affect a better tomorrow for the people of this great State of Illinois thereby set an example of mercy, justice and truth for others to follow through Christ, Our Lord. Amen."

Speaker Redmond: "Roll Call for attendance. Introduction and First Reading. Oh, we can't take it on the board so we'll hold a Roll Call for attendance, then Introduction First Reading. Representative Ryan."

Ryan: "Let the record show that Representative Campbell is absent due to illness, Mr. Speaker, if you would, please. And I would like to make another announcement, if I may."

Speaker Redmond: "First things first. Are there any objections to the record showing that Representative Campbell is ill? Hearing none, the record will so show."

Ryan: "We have with us this morning, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, the newly elected Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Illinois, Lieutenant-Governor Dave O'Neal, is right here with me."

Speaker Redmond: "Are there any excused absences on the Democratic side? We don't know yet. Introduction First Reading. Intro-



duction First Reading."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 1. Kosinski. A Bill for an Act to require mandatory life sentences for persons convicted three or more times of the commission of certain felonies. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 2. Kelly. No, House Bill 2, Hanahan. A Bill for an Act and license settlement between public employees and public employers. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 3, Kelly. A Bill for an Act concerning violation of certain penal laws. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 4, Kelly. A Bill for an Act to regulate purchase and repair of citizen band radios. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 5, Epton. A Bill for an Act in relation to the right to refuse medical treatment administered solely to prolong human life. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 6, Younge. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act to provide insurance for employees who have been rejected by carriers. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 7, Bradley. A Bill for an Act in relation to regulation of supervisory personnel in food service establishments. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 8, Bradley. A Bill for an Act in relation to the certification of supervisory personnel in food service establishments. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 9, Hanahan. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Personnel Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 10, Kosinski. A Bill for an Act to authorize imposition of a death penalty for the commission of certain crimes involving murder. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 11, McMaster. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 12, Griesheimer, Daniels, Anderson. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Vehicle Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 13, Capparelli. A Bill for an Act in relation to....Saving First Aid Procedures, Choke Saving, that is. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 14, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to add sections to the Administrative Procedure Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 15, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Illinois Administrative



Procedure Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 16, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 17, Kelly. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Criminal Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 18, Kelly. A Bill for an Act to require legible price markings on food products. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 19, Kelly. A Bill for an Act relating to the right for teachers and other educational workers to join unions. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 20, Flinn. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Abandoned Mines Land Reclamation Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 21, Hanahan. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act in relation to state police. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 22, Katz. A Bill for an Act to protect people of the State of Illinois from the dangers inherent in the depletion of the world's ozone layer. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 23, Hudson. A Bill for an Act authorizing the Capital Development Board to dedicate certain real properties in DuPage County. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 24, Carmisa. A Bill for an Act making an appropriation to the Department of Transportation. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 25, C. M. Stiehl. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 26, Ebbesen. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 27, Ebbesen. A Bill for an Act to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 28, Mudd. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act creating the Legislative Council. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 29, Cunningham. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Plumbing License Law. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 30, Cunningham. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Civil Practice Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 31, Cunningham. A Bill for an Act to amend sections to an Act relating to investment of public funds by public agencies. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 32, Cunningham. A Bill for an



Act to provide for the full amount of the salary of Circuit Court Judges, Associate Judges be paid by the State. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 33, Cunningham. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 34, Cunningham. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act concerning public utilities. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 35, Klosak. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 36, McMaster. A Bill for an Act authorizing the establishment of metropolitan enforcement groups to provide cooperation and increase efficiency and enforcement of drug laws. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 37, McMaster. A Bill for an Act making an appropriation to the Department of Law Enforcement. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 38, Kempiners. A Bill for an Act concerning violation of certain penal laws relating to drugs, trafficking. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 39, McCourt. A Bill for an Act in relation to the definition of licensing and regulation of community currency exchanges. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 40, Griesheimer. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act after establishing Military and Naval Code of the State of Illinois. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 41, Caldwell. A Bill for an Act authorizing the creation of business to operate policy number games. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 42, Mautino. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Horse Racing Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 43, Mautino. A Bill for an Act making appropriation to the Department of Agriculture. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 44, Skinner. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Senior Citizens and Disabled Persons Property Tax Relief Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 45, Mautino. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act provided by law in relation to sheriffs. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 46, Mautino. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 47, Mautino. A Bill for an Act creating Agriculture, Economic Fair



Commission. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 48, Mautino. A Bill for an Act making an appropriation to Agriculture, Economic Fair Commission. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 49, Lucco. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 50, Caldwell. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act to regulate, define and license community currency exchanges. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 51, Winchester. A Bill for an Act to amend the Civil Administrative Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 52, Deuster. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Parental Responsibility Law. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 53, Walsh, Catania. A Bill for an Act concerning the hours of employment of families in certain occupations. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 54, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend sections to provide insurance for employees who have been rejected by carriers. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 55, Ebbesen. A Bill for an Act in relation to the management, control, operation, maintenance of Northern Illinois University. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 56, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 57, Yourell. A Bill for an Act relating to solicitation of residential real estate sales in certain areas. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 58, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Environmental Section Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 59, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Environmental Protection Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 60, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to require persons giving medical treatment to inform their parents of major potential harm and the possibility of cure which such treatment provides. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 61, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to require the imposition of a mandatory prison sentence conviction... commission of certain criminal offenses for the use of a firearm. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 62, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend the Environmental Protection Act. First Reading



of the Bill. House Bill 63, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend the State Revenue Sharing Local Governmental Entities. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 64, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend Election Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 65, Greiman. A Bill for an Act to amend the Fair Employment Practices Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 66, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 67, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend the Criminal Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 68, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act relating to alcoholic liquors. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 69, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act relating to the acquisition, possession and transfer of firearms and firearm ammunition. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 70, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Real Estate Brokers and Salesman License Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 71, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to control the sale and transfer of handguns in the state. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 72, John Dunn. A Bill for an Act in relation to the operation and self-service motor fuel distribution devices. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 73, Wolf, Collins. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Municipal Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 74, Huskey. A Bill for an Act to create the death penalty and establish procedures therefore.. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 75, Skinner. A Bill for an Act to amend the Sanitary District Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 76, Deuster. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act concerning fees and salaries, classify several counties. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 77, Deuster. A Bill for an Act making an appropriation to Jack Stone. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 78, Deuster. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Criminal Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 79, Mautino. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of Park District Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 80, Deuster. A Bill for an



Act to amend sections of the Illinois Highway Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 81, Deuster. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Collection Agency Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 82, Deuster. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Illinois Plumbing License Law. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 83, Marovitz, Lechowicz, Darrow. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act concerning public utilities. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 84, Willer. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 85, Kane. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act to tax gifts, legacies, inheritance, transfer appointments and interest in certain cases. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 86, Friedland. A Bill for an Act in relation to Fire Protection District. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 87, Deuster. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 88, Deuster. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Boat Registration and Safety Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 89, Deuster. A Bill for an Act to prohibit minors under 18 years of age from smoking, possessing smoking materials while in the public elementary or high school within the state. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 90, Deuster. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Dental Service Plan Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 91, Deuster. A Bill for an Act authorizing the county boards in several counties in Illinois to establish and operate programs of public service employment. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 92, Deuster. A Bill for an Act to authorize the Circuit Courts of several counties of the state to offer public service employment to persons under the age of 18. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 93, Deuster. A Bill for an Act relating to the regulation of boats. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 94, Stanley. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act in relation to the fire protection districts. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 95, Lucco. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act in



relation to simultaneous tenure in certain public offices.

First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 96, Lucco. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

House Bill 97, Lucco. A Bill for an Act making an appropriation to the Capital Development Board. First Reading of the Bill.

House Bill 98, Robinson, Mulcahey. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 99, Mautino, Lauer. A Bill for an Act making a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities. First Reading of the Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Roll Call for attendance."

Clerk O'Brien: "Abrahamson, Adams, Anderson, Antonovych, E. M. Barnes, Jane Barnes, Bartulis, Beatty, Bennett, Birchler, Bluthardt, Boucek, Bowman, Bowman, Bradley, Brady, Brandt, Breslin, Rich Brummer, Don Brummet, Byers, Caldwell, Campbell, Capparelli, Catania, Chapman, Christensen, Collins, Conti, Cunningham, Daniels, Darrow, Corneal Davis, Jack Davis, Dawson, Deavers, Deuster, DiPrima, Domico, Doyle, John Dunn, Ralph Dunn, Dyer, Ebbesen, Edgar, Epton, Ewell, Ewing, ...Ewing, Farley, Flinn, Friedland, Friedrich, Gaines, Garmisa, Geo-Karis, Getty, Giglio, Giorgi, Greiman, Griesheimer, Hanahan, Harris, Hart, Hoffman, Holewinski, Dan Houlihan, Jim Houlihan, Hoxsey, Hudson, Huff, Huskey, Jacobs, Jaffe, Johnson, Dave Jones, Emil Jones, Kane, Katz, Keats, Kelly, Kempiners, Kent, Klosak, ...Klosak, Kornowicz, Kosinski, Kozubowski, Kucharski, Lauer, Laurino, Lechowicz, Leinenweber, Leverenz, Levin, Lucco, Luft, Macdonald, Madigan, Madison, Mahar, Mann, Marovitz, Lynn Martin, ...Lynn Martin, here? Peggy Martin, Matejek, Matijevich, Mautino, McAuliffe, McAvoy, McBroom, McClain, McCourt, McGrew, ...McGrew, McLendon, McMaster, McPike, Meyer, Miller, Molloy, Mudd, Mugalian, Mulcahey, Murphy, Nardulli, Neff, O'Brien, O'Daniel, Pechous, ...Pechous, Peters, Pierce, Polk, Porter, Pouncey, Pullen, Redmond, Reed, Reilly, Richmond, ...Richmond, Rigney, Robinson, Ryan, Sandquist, Satterthwaite, Schisler, Schlickman, Schneider, Schoeberlein, Schuneman, ...Schuneman, Sevcik, Sharp, Shumpert, Simms, Skinner, Stanley, Stearney, ...Stearney, Steczo, E. G. Steele, C. M. Stiehl,



Stuffle, Sumner, Taylor, Telcser, Terzich, Tipsword, Totten, Tuerk, . . . Tuerk, Van Duyn, Vitek, VonBoeckman, Waddell, Wall, Walsh, Wikoff, Willer, Williams, Winchester, Wolf, Younge, . . . Mrs. Younge, Yourell."

Speaker Redmond: "Call of the absentees by the Clerk."

Clerk O'Brien: "Campbell,..."

Speaker Redmond: "He was excused."

Clerk O'Brien: "Ralph...Ralph Dunn, Ewing, Hoffman, Holewinski, Klosak, Kucharski, Peggy Martin, McGrew, Pechous, Richmond, Schlickman, Sharp, Stearney, Tuerk, Walsh, and Younge."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Lechowicz for the purpose of an announcement. Representative Lechowicz. This is very important.

Lechowicz: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, one of the unfortunate things, as you know that transpired today is the change in the weather. And in checking with the state police only about a half an hour ago, they're recommending that if it's at all possible that you delay your trips to your respective homes if it's at all possible. The weather conditions throughout the state are extremely hazardous and they're not improving. So I would strongly recommend that before you proceed to go home make sure that the respective routes in your area is in halfway decent shape. According to them, all the main and secondary roads are hazardous in the state at this time."

Speaker Redmond: "What do you know about air transportation?"

Lechowicz: "Ozark cancelled their flights. Air Illinois is still in operation. From our understanding there was one plane crash this afternoon at Midway. I would strongly recommend that you stay here."

Speaker Redmond: "How about trains, have you got any information on the trains?"

Lechowicz: "Bill, I don't think you really want me to give a report because last night's train arrived in Chicago at 2:30 this morning and...and I think Representative Deuster can attest to the fact of the efficiency of the Amtrack situation because he was one of the principle movers for Amtrack while he was



on the Hill."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Deuster, is there any truth to the rumor that you really were the architect of the Amtrack structure?"

Deuster: "Well, there were a few holes in the Bill we gotta fill in. We need a little more money and I'm sure all the Members will cooperate in supplying that. Thank you."

Speaker Redmond: "How about the sales tax?"

Deuster: "I think Amtrack is running, that's the beauty of it. It may be a little late but it'll get there if you want to get home."

Lechowicz: "The 5:30 train arrived in Chicago at 2:30 this morning."

Speaker Redmond: "We are now...we are now going to pass out the request for Committee Assignments. ...Order of business is messages. Mr. Clerk, read the message. Representative Bradley, for what purpose do you rise?"

Bradley: "Well, Mr. Speaker, would the Journal please show that John Sharp is excused on the Democratic side for today?"

Speaker Redmond: "Any objections? Hearing none the record will so show. Mr. Clerk."

Clerk O'Brien: "Received of State Board of Elections notice of intent contest of elections of (1) Robert E. Brinkmeier versus Harold J. Adams, Harlan H. Rigney and Richard T. Mulcahey of the 35th Legislative District; and (2) Timothy J. Warren versus Peggy Macdonald Breslin, Thomas W. Ewing and Betty J. Hoxsey and James M. Riccolo of the 38th Legislative District."

Speaker Redmond: "Message will be received and journalized. No further action pending the appointment of the Elections Committee. Introduction, First Reading. Been advised that the Agriculture Committee is a two-hour committee rather than four. So you might make that correction on your sheet, take it into consideration in selecting the Members. We checked with the Comptroller and I believe that the...we will be paid on the last day of each month. Except those months which have 28 days."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 100, Daniels, Telcser. A Bill for an Act to regulate the business of automobile repairs. First Reading



of the Bill. House Bill 101, Kosinski. A Bill for an Act in relation to Executive Orders. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 102, Epton. A Bill for an Act in relation to disclosure of personal interest by Legislators. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 103, Epton. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Hospital Licensing Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 104, Getty. A Bill for an Act to restrict and manufacture sale..."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Chapman reminds me that Human Resources is a four-hour committee rather than a two-hour committee. So if you'll make that change also."

Clerk O'Brien: "An Act to restrict manufacture sale and use of vinyl-chlorinated...what's the second word, Getty? First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 105, Getty. A Bill for an Act to amend ...add Chapter VI entitled Organization of Court Services and Probation to the Unified Code of Corrections. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 106, Hart, E. M. Barnes. A Bill for an Act to provide grant for Family Practices...Practice Residency Programs through the Council for Family Practice Residency Programs. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 107. E. M. Barnes, Hart. A Bill for an Act making an appropriation of the Council for Family Practice Residency Programs. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 108, Bluthardt. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of an Act relating to alcoholic liquors. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 109, Timothy Simms. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Illinois Municipal Code. First Reading of the Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "License plates will not be ready 'til next week. The Secretary of State's Office is closing because of the bad weather so they won't be able to do anything more today. For your information we will be unable to have an Adjournment Resolution until the Senate organizes and we can't adjourn for more than three days without a Joint Resolution. And so we will have to have a Perfunctory Session from day to day until we get that thing straightened out. Resolutions."



Clerk O'Brien: "House Joint Resolution #1, Yourell and Kelly.
House Joint Resolution #2, Epton."

Speaker Redmond: "Committee on Assignments. Representative Schneider
in the Chair."

Clerk O'Brien: "Representative Schneider in the Chair."

Speaker Schneider: "Introduction of First Reading. Do you have any
Bills there, Jack?"

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 110, Johnson. A Bill for an Act to amend
sections of the Criminal Code. First Reading of the Bill. House
Bill 111, Johnson. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois
Public Aid Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 112,
Pierce. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the Public Junior
College. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 113, Pierce.
A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of
the Bill. House Bill 114, DiPrima. A Bill for an Act to repeal
an Act conceding to the United States of America jurisdiction
over certain lands. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 115,
DiPrima. A Bill for an Act to amend the Criminal Code. First
Reading of the Bill. House Bill 116, DiPrima. A Bill for an
Act to repeal an Act concerning property of posts of the Grand
Army of the Republic. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill
117, Satterthwaite. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the
Election Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 118,
Huskey, Yourell. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Municipal
Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 119, Pierce. A
Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of
the Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Madigan, are you seeking recognition?"

Madigan: "Mr. Speaker, for purposes of an announcement, would the
Democratic Members upon completing their request form please
return them to me at this location? Thank you."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Madigan is sitting in the side aisle
and all the Democrats please give your requests for Committee
assignments to him before you leave. And Representative Ryan
is seeking the same recognition. Will you stand up and identify



yourself.....Representative Ryan so they'll know you? This is Representative Ryan the Minority Leader. Will you be sure that....Representative Davis on Agreed Resolutions. Representative Davis, wherever you are, Representative Davis. You're not Deacon Davis, are you?"

Clerk O'Brien: "House Resolution 12, Davis, et al."

Davis: "Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House, House Resolution 12 reads as follows, "January 15th is the day set aside for the commemoration of the birthday of a great American, the Reverend Doctor Martin Luther King, Jr. And whereas at this time each year we pause to remember the contributions of Doctor King to the progress of his people to the reconciliation of black and white Americans and to the cause of peace. Whereas it is befitting that the State of Illinois through its Legislature has designated the birthday of Doctor King as a commemorative holiday and that we once again take pleasure in our daily work to remember not only the works of Doctor King but also the social and human problems to which he addressed his efforts. Many of those of social human problems persist to this day; therefore be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the 80th General Assembly of the State of Illinois that on this occasion of the birthday of Reverend Doctor Martin Luther King, Jr., this House salute his memory and his contribution to the cause of progress and peace. And urges that all men and women in this great state remember and honor the teachings of this leader by conducting our lives according to the moral value which Doctor King sought to teach'. And, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, like for all the Membership of the House, if they so desire, to join in this Resolution. And if there are no objections, I move adoption."

Speaker Redmond: "The Gentleman has moved the adoption of the Agreed Resolutions. Those in favor indicate by saying 'aye'; 'aye'; opposed, 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The Resolutions are adopted. Have another announcement. All the new Members are to pick up your mail in the postoffice in the basement of the



New State Office Building. If you have any mail that's where it'll be. Representative DiPrima, you still seek recognition?"

DiPrima: "Yes, Sir. Can I please have your attention, please? Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, with all the bad news we've been getting about the weather I'd like to make an announcement that Bud Washburn, as you know, has retired as a Member of the House and he was unemployed and he was interested in obtaining the job as Director of Veterans Affairs. And I guess he wasn't getting too much approval from the new Governor and I went downstairs yesterday afternoon and I grabbed the Governor and I talked to him and I told him that he was my choice to become the new Director of Veterans Affairs. And he said he would have to contact the Veterans Organizations. I said, 'Well, you tell them that I am endorsing Bud Washburn'. And with that he met Bud Washburn last night, he said, "DiPrima spoke to me, that was good enough for me'. And Bud Washburn will be your new Director of Veteran Affairs. Bud Washburn told me to make that announcement."

Speaker Redmond: "Have you told the Governor yet, Representative..."

DiPrima: "That's the first time I ever went to any Governor since I've been here. And I scored."

Speaker Redmond: "Resolutions."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Joint Resolution #3. Resolved by the House of Representatives of the 80th General Assembly of the State of Illinois, the Senate concurring herein, that when the two Houses adjourn on Thursday, January 13, 1977, they stand adjourned until Monday, January 17, 1977 at 12 o'clock, noon."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Madigan."

Madigan: "Mr. Speaker, the Adjournment Resolution provides for adjournment today until Monday which will be a Perfunctory Session. And, Mr. Speaker, we wish to announce a schedule beyond Monday."

Speaker Redmond: "Well, it will be perfunct here, day by day, until we know what the Senate...we haven't resolved it, I would think, about ten days..."

Madigan: "Will we notify the Members...."



Speaker Redmond: "We'll notify the Members, yeah."

Madigan: "Of the next Regular Session?"

Speaker Redmond: "That's correct. We've done that before, it will be perfunct on Monday and as soon as we...the Senate is organized and we know when we'll be coming back why we'll advise you."

Madigan: "I move the adoption of the Adjournment Resolution."

Speaker Redmond: "Is there any discussion? The Gentleman has moved the adoption of the Adjournment Resolution. Those in favor say 'aye'; 'aye'; opposed, 'no'. The 'ayes' have it and the Resolution is adopted. Representative Madigan."

Madigan: "Mr. Speaker, I move to amend the Adjournment Resolution to read, '2 p.m. Monday rather than 12 noon Monday'. Perfunctory Session. I move to amend the Adjournment Resolution which provides for a Perfunctory Session on Monday. To amend that Resolution from 12 noon to 2 p.m."

Speaker Redmond: "That's at the request of Senator Shapiro of the Senate who is fearful of the weather conditions. So the question's on the Gentleman's motion for the Amendment. All in favor say 'aye'; 'aye'; opposed 'no'. Representative Madigan."

Madigan: "To repeat, Mr. Speaker and Members of the Body, the Membership will be notified by mail of when we will go back into Regular Session. Thank you."

Speaker Redmond: "The 'ayes' have it and the Gentleman's motion is adopted. Further Resolutions?"

Clerk O'Brien: "House Resolution 13, Meyer, et al."

Speaker Redmond: "Committee on Assignments. First Reading and Introductions."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 120, Griesheimer. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Vehicle Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 121, Deavers, Daniel. A Bill for an Act to amend the Revenue Act. First Reading of the Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Announcements. Representative Katz."

Katz: "Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, now that the 80th General Assembly has begun we're very anxious to get the



rules completed and I did want to announce that the views of each Member of this House will be solicited by the Rules Committee. There will be a hearing that will be subsequently announced for Springfield, another hearing in Chicago. You can take your pick but we would welcome the suggestions and proposed changes in House Rules from each Member of this House. And the Speaker would encourage you to participate in that. We make the announcement today so you'll have plenty of time to think about it and to get started on your suggestions. You will also be getting a letter from your . . . from the Speaker when the exact times have been established."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Katz."

Katz: "In addition to that if, in studying this problem you would like to check with the Parliamentarian he is very available. David Epstein will be available to answer any questions you might have regarding House Rules and any staff member that we have will be available. The Speaker is very anxious that the new Members feel part of the 80th General Assembly, participate and the assistance of David Epstein and other staff members is available to each Member of this House."

Speaker Redmond: "If you have any other Bills that you want introduced they can be introduced during the Perfunctory Session. So if you'll leave them with the Clerk why, not that I'm encouraging a proliferation of the Bills to be introduced, but if you do have them why you can leave them with the Clerk and they will be taken care of during the Perfunctory Session. Introduction, First Reading."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 122, Cunningham. A Bill for an Act to amend sections of the School Code. First Reading of the Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Anybody have any announcements, anything else that you want to come before this Body? No further announcements. Don't forget to turn in your requests for Committee Assignments to your respective leaders. And we're ready now to adjourn pursuant to the Adjournment Resolution 'til Monday at 2 o'clock which, in the House, will be Perfunctory Session until the



Senate is organized, we'll have to have Perfunctory Sessions daily and you will be advised when we will go into Regular Session. And my hope and guess is it will be approximately ten days from now. What's that? Ten days or two weeks. And if there are any hearings in the Rules Committee you'll be notified by Chairman of the Rules Committee. Chances are there'll be one in Springfield and one in Chicago. Representative Ryan. Representative Telcser."

Telcser: "Mr. Speaker, Members of the House, a number of our new Members have been asking me about what a Perfunctory Session is. I want to point out to them that they need not be in attendance when we're in a Perfunctory Session."

Speaker Redmond: "That is correct and there is one other distinction in that since you don't get per diem."

Telcser: "If you're not in attendance, no show, no dough."

Speaker Redmond: "Or even if you show. Anything further? I've been advised by the Secretary of State's representative that the license plates, the mailing, they will be mailed first class to you in your home and they will start mailing them Monday. Anything else? Oh, yes, I've been reminded, please leave your key in the voting switch and the keys in the drawers. And that's specifically...you don't have to do that after we get going but leave the key in the voting switch and the keys in the drawers. About ready to adjourn if anything else....? Pursuant to the Adjournment Resolution the House now stands adjourned 'til Monday, 'til 2 o'clock for a Perfunctory Session and you'll be notified of the next Regular Session. House is now adjourned.



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