

78th General Assembly

June 23, 1973

1. PRESIDENT:

2. The Senate will come to order. Senator Davidson.

3. (Prayer by Senator Davidson)

4. Reading of the Journal, Senator Don Moore. Reading of
5. the Journal.

6. SECRETARY:

7. Thursday, June 14, 1973.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Moore.

10. SENATOR MOORE:

11. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I move we approve
12. the reading of the Journal of July 14, 1973.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Moore has moved for approval of the Journal
15. of July 14. All in favor, is there discussion?

16. SENATOR MOORE:

17. That's June 14.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. June 14. Is there discussion? All in favor, signify
20. by saying aye. Contrary no. The motion carries. The
21. Journal is approved.

22. SECRETARY:

23. Friday, June 15, 1973.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Senator Moore.

26. SENATOR MOORE:

27. Mr. President, I move that we approve the reading of the
28. Journal of June 15, 1974....1973.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. You've heard the motion. Is there discussion? All in
31. favor signify by saying aye. Contrary no. The motion
32. carries. The Journal for June 15, is approved. Senator
33. Moore.

1. SENATOR MOORE:

2. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I move that
3. we postpone the reading of the Journal of June 18th, 19th,
4. 20th, 21st and 22nd, 1973 pending the arrival of the printed
5. Journal.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. You've heard the motion. Is there discussion? All in
8. favor of the motion signify by saying aye. Contrary no.
9. The motion carries. Committee reports.

10. SECRETARY:

11. (Secretary reads committee reports)

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Partee...Could you come to the podium, please?
14. Resolutions.

15. SECRETARY:

16. Senate Joint Resolution 45 by Senators Harris, Partee
17. and all the Members of the Senate.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. This is a congratulatory resolution, acknowledging and
20. commemorating the activities of the 1923-24 graduating
21. class of East St. Louis High. It is Senator Arrington's
22. high school graduating class. It is a Joint Resolution.
23. Senator Partee and I have joined in the co-sponsorship of
24. it. They'd like to have it for next week-end for the ...
25. I guess it's well I don't know which anniversary. I guess
26. it relates to the once in a lifetime reunion. ...It will
27. be sponsored by Senators Harris, Partee, Hall and all
28. Senators. Senator Hall. Senator Hall. Ok. ...Chair
29. moves to suspend the Rules for the immediate consideration
30. of the adoption. All in favor signify by saying aye.
31. Contrary no. The to suspend carries. On the motion to
32. adopt, all in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary no.
33. The motion carries, the resolution is adopted. Is there

1. leave to journalize the Messages from the House relating to
2. House concurrence..House Amendments to Senate Bills? Is
3. there leave? They will go to the Secretary's office for
4. journalizing. Senator Moore you have a motion you have
5. a motion I believe.

6. SENATOR DON MOORE:

7. ...Thank you Mr. President, Members of the Senate,
8. appearing on the Senate Calendar under House Bills
9. 3rd reading is House Bill 213. Amendments No. 1, 2 and
10. 3 were adopted. Amendment No. 3 was adopted and should
11. not have been adopted. So at this time, Mr. President
12. having voted on the prevailing side, I move to recon-
13. sider the vote by which Amendment No. 3 was adopted.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. ...Senator Moore moves to recall from 3rd to 2nd
16. reading House Bill 213 for purposes of reconsidering an
17. amendment. Is there leave? There...so ordered. HB
18. 213 is recalled to 2nd reading. Senator Moore.

19. SENATOR MOORE:

20. I now move, Mr. President, having voted on the pre-
21. vailing side to reconsider the vote by which amendment
22. No. 3 was adopted.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Moore, moves to reconsider the vote by which
25. Amendment No. 3 was adopted. All in favor signify by saying
26. aye. Contrary no. The motion carries. Amendment No. 3
27. is before the Senate. Senator Moore.

28. SENATOR MOORE:

29. ... Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 3 was
30. adopted inadvertently. It should not have been adopted
31. and therefore I move to Table Amendment No. 3 to HB 213.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Moore moves to Table Amendment No. 3 to HB
212...I sorry, 213. Is it 213 or 212. 213...213. All in

HB 678
Recall
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1. favor of the motion to Table signify by saying aye. Contrary
2. no. The motion carries. Amendment No. 3 is Tabled. Senator
3. Moore...all right. Are there further amendments to HB 213?
4. 3rd reading. Senator Vadalabene.

5. SENATOR VADALABENE.

6. Yes, thank you Mr. President. I would like to have
7. HB 462 returned to 2rd reading for the purpose of an amend-
8. ment.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Vadalabene seeks leave to recall HB 46...462 to
11. the order of 2nd reading. Is there leave? So ordered.
12. The bill is ordered to 2nd reading. Senator Vadalabene.

13. SENATOR VADALABENE:

14. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1 to HB 462
15. would ...the effect of this amendment would be on page 2
16. by deleting lines 8 through 10 and inserting in lieu the
17. following: business under an assumed name. The State of
18. Illinois or another department thereof or any other entity.
19. This would put an impact on the agency and would require the
20. department to regulate the construction and maintenance
21. of private sewage disposal. And, I would move at this time
22. to adopt Amendment No. 1 to HB 462.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Vadalabene move to adopt Amendment No. 1 to
25. HB 462. Is there discussion? Motion is to adopt Amendment
26. No. 1. All in favor, signify by saying aye. Contrary no.
27. The motion carries, Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Are there
28. further amendments from the Floor. 3rd reading. Senator
29. Glass.

30. SENATOR GLASS:

31. ...Thank you, Mr. President. I would ask leave to take
32. HB 678 back to the order of 2nd reading for purposes of amend-
33. ment.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Is there leave? HB 678 is ordered to the order of 2nd
3. reading. Senator Glass.

4. SENATOR GLASS:

5. I would move, Mr. President, Senators, to reconsider the
6. by which Amendment No. 1 to HB 678 was adopted.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Senator Glass, moves to reconsider the vote by which
9. Amendment No. 1 was adopted. All in favor signify by saying
10. aye. Contrary no. The motion carries. The amendment is
11. before us. Senator Glass.

12. SENATOR GLASS:

13. I would now move to Table Amendment No. 1.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Senator Glass moves to Table Amendment No. 1 to HB
16. 678. All in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary no.
17. The motion carries. Amendment is Tabled. Senator Glass.

18. SENATOR GLASS:

19. Mr. President, I would now offer Amendment I believe
20. it would be No. 2 to HB 678. This is the bill that pro-
21. vides for effective date of laws. And, the amendment that
22. I put on yesterday did not have the final concurrence of
23. the staffs of both House and Senate and Representative
24. Day. Now, the amendment that I'm offering at this time
25. has been given to me by Dennis Jacobson of Senator Partee's
26. staff and I'm ... it's been cleared with Representative Day.
27. And I offer it's adoption.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Glass moves the adoption of Amendment No. 2
30. to HB 678. All in favor...Is there further discussion?
31. All in favor, signify by saying aye. Contrary no. The
32. motion carries. Amendment No. 2 is adopted. Senator Glass.
33. Are there further amendments from the Floor to HB 678?

1. 3rd reading. Senator Glass.

2. SENATOR GLASS:

3. Mr. President, Senators, I would move to take HB 757
4. back to the order of 2nd reading for purpose of amendment.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Glass has moved to recall HB 757 from 3rd to
7. 2nd reading for purposes of an amendment. All in favor
8. signify by saying aye. Contrary no. The motion carries.
9. HB 757 is ordered to 2nd reading. Senator Glass.

10. SENATOR GLASS:

11. ...Mr. President, I would now offer ... move the adoption
12. of Amendment No. 3 to HB 757. ...This is an amendment worked
13. out with the Municipal League and it was also cleared with
14. Senator Fawell. It has to do with the 5% interest of per-
15. sons who are required to make disclosure under the...this
16. law which has to do with disclosure beneficiaries of land
17. trusts. And, as I say, I think it ... I'd be glad to ex-
18. plain the amendment in more detail but I have cleared it
19. with the League and with Senator Fawell whose amendment it
20. really affects. And, I would move the adoption of Amendment
21. No. 3 to HB 757.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Senator Glass, moves to adopt Amendment No. 3 to HB
24. 757. Is there discussion. The question is to adopt
25. Amendment No. 3. All in favor signify by saying aye.
26. Contrary no. The motion carries. Amendment No. 3 is
27. adopted. Are there further Amendment No. 3 is adopted. 3rd
28. reading. Senator Regner.

29. SENATOR REGNER:

30. Yes, Mr. President, I'd like to ask leave to return HB
31. 803 to 2nd reading for purposes of an amendment.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Regner has moved to order HB 803 from 3rd to 2nd

1. reading for purposes of an amendment. All in favor signify
2. by saying aye. Contrary no. The motion carries. The bill
3. is ordered to 2nd reading. Senator Regner.

4. SENATOR REGNER:

5. Yes, Mr. President, Amendment No. 1 which was adopted
6. had...from the committee had some technical amendments in
7. it. I would to now move, having voted on the prevailing
8. side ... like to reconsider the vote by which Amendment No.
9. 1 was adopted to HB...

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Senator Regner moved to reconsider the vote by which
12. Amendment No. 1 to HB 803 ... was adopted. All in favor
13. signify by saying aye. Contrary no. The motion carries.
14. The amendment is before us. Senator Regner.

15. SENATOR REGNER:

16. I would now like to move to Table Amendment No. 1 to
17. HB 803.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Senator Regner moves to Table Amendment No. 1 to
20. HB 803. All in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary no.
21. The motion carries. The amendment is Tabled. Senator
22. Regner.

23. SENATOR REGNER:

24. I believe the Secretary has another amendment on the
25. desk. And, what this amendment is, it's the same as the
26. one we just Tabled except that it does have the necessary
27. corrections in it to make it the amendment that we wanted
28. in committee. I would like to move the adoption of
29. Amendment No. 2 to HB 803.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Is there further discussion? Senator Regner moves
32. to adopt Amendment No. 2 to HB 803. All in favor signify
33. by saying aye. Contrary no. The motion carries. Amend-
ment No. 2 is adopted. Are there further amendments from

1. the Floor. Senator Rock on HB 1842.

2. SENATOR ROCK:

3. Yes, thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Senate.
4. I'm offering Amendment No. 1 ... I ask leave first to call
5. 1842 back to the order of 2nd reading...

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Rock moves to recall HB 1842 from the order
8. of 3rd reading to 2nd reading. All in favor signify by
9. saying aye. Contrary no. The motion carries. The bill
10. is ordered to 2nd reading. Senator Rock.

11. SENATOR ROCK:

12. Yes, this is an amendment to the Firemen's Pension
13. Code. I've spoken with both Senator Berning and Senator
14. Shapiro. It's an amendment that rose out of HB 1437. It
15. liberalizes a pension formula and I would move it's adoption.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Senator Rock moves to adoption Amendment No. 1 to
18. HB 1842. Is there discussion? All in favor signify by
19. saying aye. Contrary no. The motion carries Amendment No.
20. 1 to HB 1842 is adopted. Are there further amendments
21. from the Floor. 3rd reading. House Bills on 1st reading.
22. House Bills on 1st reading. Senator Latherow.

23. SECRETARY:

24. HB 1324 (Secretary reads title of bill)
25. 1st reading of the bill.

26. SENATOR LATHEROW:

27. Mr. President, this is a HB that has to do with Am-
28. track. I've talked to Senator McBroom this morning and
29. talked with Senator Rock. They both agree that it's all
30. right to move that to 2nd without reference to committee.
31. I so move.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. HB 1324. Secretary will read the bill a 1st time.
You have all right. It...the motion is to have it

1. advanced to 2nd reading without reference. All in favor
2. signify by saying aye. Contrary no. The motion carries.
3. So ordered. HB 1045.
4. SECRETARY:
5. HB 1045, Senator Bruce.
6. (Secretary reads title of bill)
7. 1st reading of the bill.
8. PRESIDENT:
9. Senator Partee.
10. SENATOR PARTEE:
11. Senator Bruce is going to handle it. He has not
12. yet arrived this morning. I was wondering if there would
13. be any objection to moving it to 2nd reading without
14. reference. And, we'll hold it there till Senator McBroom
15. and his staff have had a chance to actually evaluate it.
16. PRESIDENT:
17. ...Senator McBroom.
18. SENATOR MCBROOM:
19. I...if you don't object, Senator Partee, I'd prefer
20. it went to committee.
21. SENATOR PARTEE:
22. All right.
23. PRESIDENT:
24. Sen...HB 1045 will be assigned to Senator Bruce and
25. it will go to committee. Senator McBroom, or Senator
26. Partee, why don't you move that it be referred directly
27. to Appropriations rather than ...
28. SENATOR PARTEE:
29. I so move.
30. PRESIDENT:
31. Senator Partee moves to refer HB 1045 to the Appropria-
32. tions Committee. All in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary
33. no. The motion carries. So ordered. All right. Senator

1. Mitchler, you have a motion?

2. SENATOR MITCHLER:

3. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, HB 716 is on
4. 3rd reading. Senator Rock is the sponsor in the Senate
5. and he has agreed to bring that bill back to 2nd reading
6. for the purpose of putting an amendment.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Senator Rock moves to recall HB 716 from the order
9. of 3rd reading to the order of 2nd reading. All in favor,
10. signify by saying aye. Contrary no. The motion carries.
11. The bill is ordered to 2nd reading. Senator Mitchler.

12. SENATOR MITCHLER:

13. The Secretary has on his desk an amendment. I
14. believe that will be Amendment No. 1 will it not?

15. SECRETARY:

16. Amendment No. 2.

17. SENATOR MITCHLER:

18. Amendment No. 2.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Senator Mitchler.

21. SENATOR MITCHLER:

22. Amendment No. 2 changes the bill to create a Flood
23. and Drainage Control Study Commission to include the
24. membership in the Water Pollution, Water Resources Com-
25. mission which increases the membership from ten to six-
26. teen members. This has the approval of both the sponsor
27. Representative Jack Williams and the leadership and I
28. would appreciate adoption of Amendment No. 2 and so move.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Mitchler moves the adoption of Amendment No. 2
31. HB 716. Is there further discussion? All in favor of the motion
32. to adopt Amendment No. 2 signify by saying aye. Contrary
33. no. The motion carries. Amendment No. 2 is adopted. Are

1. there further amendments from the Floor. 3rd reading.

2. Senator Conolly, you have a motion?

3. SENATOR CONOLLY:

4. Mr. President,...SB 319 I would move concurrence to
5. House Bill...House Amendment No. 1. It actually strengthens
6. the bill. The amendment is designed to eliminate redundant
7. and conflicting language referring to the degree of culpability
8. required for a violation.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. This is a motion to concur in House Amendment No. 1 to
11. Senate Bill 319. Is there further discussion? Mr. Sweeney.
12. The question is Senate concurrence in House Amendment No. 1
13. to SB 319. And on that question the Secretary...Senator
14. Partee.

15. SENATOR PARTEE:

16. Could you give us just a little bit more of an explana-
17. tion, sir?

18. SENATOR CONOLLY:

19. The amendment was designed by the staff over in the House.
20. And...Line 31 the word knowingly deleting the word knowingly.
21. And...page 2 lines 3 and 4 the words with knowledge and reason
22. to be...believe that it and add in lieu of which, basically
23. very technical. And, they are deleting the word knowingly
24. and with knowledge and reason to believe that it...It actually
25. tightens it up. It deletes those words knowingly which are
26. hard to describe. I guess hard to define in court.

27. SENATOR PARTEE:

28. Well, Mr. President, maybe it would be a little easier
29. if we had a copy of the amendment.

30. SENATOR CONOLLY:

31. I would be more than glad to bring you a copy.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Is there further? The question is to adopt

1. House Amendment No. 1 to SB 319 and on that question the
2. Secretary will call the roll.

3. SECRETARY:

4. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
5. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
6. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
7. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
8. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
9. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
10. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
11. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
12. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
13. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. On that question, the yeas are 35 the nays are none.
16. The amendment having received a constitutional majority is
17. declared concurred in. Senator Shapiro, you have a similar
18. motion on 747? Senator Shapiro.

19. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

20. ...Mr. President, Members of the Senate...House
21. Amendment No. 1 to SB 747 changes the definition of
22. allowing a municipality to annex territory where a toll
23. highway crosses through...between the last annexed
24. contiguous territory and the property across the road.
25. And, I would urge that the House concur...that the Senate
26. concur in House Amendment No. 1 to SB 747.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Senator Shapiro has moved that the Senate concur in
29. the House Amendment No. 1 to SB 747. Is there further
30. disucssion? All in favor of the adoption...concurrence
31. in the House Amendment will vote aye. Those opposed vote no.
32. Upon that question the Secretary will call the roll.

SECRETARY:

1. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
2. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
3. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
4. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
5. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
6. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
7. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
8. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
9. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
10. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. On that question, the yeas are 37, the nays are none.
13. The House Amendment is concurred in, having received the
14. constitutional majority. Senator Partee.

15. SENATOR PARTEE:

16. Yes...this is a motion to concur in. House Amendment
17. No. 1 to SB 894. It simply permits municipalities to adopt
18. reference this Act. This is the Safety Code Act for mobile
19. homes. And, municipalities will be able to pursuant to
20. Chapter 24, adopt the statute by reference rather than to have
21. to print it. I think it's a good amendment and I urge a
22. vote of affirmation.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Is there discussion? The question is to concur in
25. House Amendment No. 1 to SB 894 and on that question the
26. Secretary will call the roll.

27. SECRETARY:

28. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
29. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
30. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
31. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
32. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
33. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,

1. Ozinga, Palmer, ParTEE, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
2. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
3. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
4. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Latherow, aye. On that question the yeas are
7. 40, the nays are none. And, the House Amendment to SB 894
8. having received a constitutional majority is concurred in.
9. Senator Knuppel. The question that I had on HB 732 has
10. been satisfactorily answered. We will revert to the order
11. of House Bills on 3rd reading and call HB 732. Senator
12. Knuppel.

13. SENATOR KNUPPEL:

14. As I explained yesterday this is designed to raise the
15. salary of the Director of Mines and Minerals from \$20,000 to
16. \$30,000 to bring it in line with similar states having similar
17. mining activities and to appoint two assistant directors. One
18. conversant with shaft or deep mining and the other with surface
19. mining. I'd ask for a favorable roll call.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. The Secretary will read the bill.

22. SECRETARY:

23. HB 732 (Secretary reads title of bill)
24. 3rd reading of the bill.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Is there further discussion? The question is shall HB
27. 732 pass and on that question, the Secretary will call the
28. roll.

29. SECRETARY:

30. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
31. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
32. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
33. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,

1. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
2. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
3. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
4. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
5. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
6. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. On that question, the yeas are 37 the nays are 2. HB
9. 732 having received the constitutional majority is declared
10. passed. HB 1121, Senator Latherow.

11. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

12. HB 1121 (Secretary reads title of bill)

13. 3rd reading of the bill.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Senator Latherow.

16. SENATOR LATHEROW:

17. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, this bill has to
18. do with two different trucks, namely the double bottom trucks
19. which under present law are allowed to only travel certain
20. routes, four lane highways or those designated by the Depart-
21. ment of Transportation. Under this particular provision, that
22. is removed. Now, this has been recommended by both the
23. Secretary of State and supported by the Secretary of State and
24. also supported by the Division of Law Enforcement. Too, with
25. the bill there is some additional allowance for the movement
26. of combines, particularly. One particular type of com-
27. bine that must either be moved self-propelled on the high-
28. ways or receive this allowance on trucks of about 3 ft extra
29. length on the trailer. This bill will provide for that neces-
30. sity and allow this overlength. It is essential as I say one
31. particular industry has something around 2200 combines that would
32. have to go on the highway as individual self-propelled units
33. at about 15 to 20 miles per hour. This bill corrects that

1. for that one situation. I'd be glad to answer any questions.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Senator Donnewald.

4. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

5. Yes, Mr. President, I would ask the sponsor to yield
6. to a question or two. Well, Senator, does this mean in
7. pure and simple language that a multi-trailer truck can
8. travel on a two lane road?

9. SENATOR LATHEROW:

10. Yes. They do today on many of them, by direction of
11. the State Police. I may have said the Department of Trans-
12. portation. Direction of the State Police they are allowed
13. to travel now on many of them. And it is their suggestion
14. that this bill go in.

15. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

16. That's all.

17. SENATOR LATHEROW:

18. ...Senator. I'll show you a map of what they travel
19. on now.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Is there further discussion? Question is shall HB 1121
22. pass and on that question, the Secretary will call the roll.

23. SECRETARY:

24. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
25. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
26. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
27. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
28. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
29. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
30. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
31. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
32. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
33. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Glass, aye. Knuppel, aye. Buzbee, no. McBroom,

3. aye. Senator Scholl, aye. Kosinski, aye. Senator Latherow.

4. SENATOR LATHEROW:

5. Would you call the absentees, Mr. President?

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Request for the absentees has been made.

8. SECRETARY:

9. Bruce, Carroll, Clarke, Course, Fawell, Graham, Kenneth

10. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, McCarthy, Howard Mohr,

11. Newhouse, Nudelman, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,

12. Saperstein, Savickas, Shapiro, Smith, Sommer, Sours, Walker,

13. Welsh.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Shapiro, aye. Senator Ozinga, aye. Senator Regner, aye.

16. On that question the yeas are 30 and nays are 7. HB 1121

17. having received ...Senator Donnewald has requested a veri-

18. fication. Secretary will ...Now, will the Members be in

19. their seats. The Secretary will verify those voting in the

20. affirmative.

21. SECRETARY:

22. The following voted in the affirmative: Bartulis, Bell,

23. Berning, Chew, Conolly, Daley, Davidson, Glass, Graham,

24. Harber Hall, Knuppel, Kosinski, Latherow, McBroom, Merritt,

25. Mitchler, Don Moore, Nimrod, Ozinga, Regner, Roe, Romano,

26. Shaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Soper, Swinarski, Vadalabene,

27. Weaver and Mr. President.

28. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

29. Romano? Senator Soper?

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Senator Soper within the bar. Remove Senator Soper

32. from the roll call. Senator...HB 1121 Senator Latherow,

33. do you wish to postpone. Place Senator Soper back on the

1. roll call. On that question, the yeas are 30 the nays
2. are none. HB 1121 having received a constitutional majority
3. is declared passed on a verification of the roll call. ...
4. I sorry, the nays were 7. HB 1126, Senator Latherow.

5. SECRETARY:

6. HB 1126 (Secretary reads title of the bill)
7. 3rd reading of the bill.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Latherow.

10. SENATOR LATHEROW:

11. Mr. President and Members of the Senate, this bill
12. allows those persons in the ambulance business a more
13. effective method of collecting their fee for services. This
14. allows the insurance companies to pay to those ambulance
15. drivers their fee. It is the ones that have been proven to
16. be in the wrong or even their own company can pay direct
17. to the ambulance concerned

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Is there further discussion? The question is, shall
20. HB 1126 pass. The Secretary will call the roll.

21. SECRETARY:

22. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
23. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
24. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
25. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
26. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
27. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
28. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
29. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
30. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
31. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Clarke, aye. McCarthy, aye. Buzbee, aye...Buzbee,
no. Senator Regner, aye. There's been a request for polling

1. of the absentees. The Secretary will poll the absentees.

2. SECRETARY:

3. Carroll, Course, Daley, Donnewald, Fawell, Glass, Kenneth
4. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Howard
5. Mohr, Newhouse, Nudelman, Palmer, Partee, Rock, Saperstein,
6. Savickas, Smith, Sommer, Sours, Swinarksi, Walker, Welsh.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. On that question, the yeas are 30 the nays are 3. HB
9. 1126 having received a constitutional majority is declared
10. passed. HB 1133, Senator Rock.

11. SECRETARY:

12. HB 1133. (Secretary reads title of bill)
13. 3rd reading of the bill.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Senator Rock.

16. SENATOR ROCK:

17. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
18. Senate. HB 1133 is a result of a major investigation con-
19. ducted by the Illinois Legislative Investigating Commission
20. into the failure of the City Savings and Loan Association.
21. This bill which is an amendment to the Savings and Loan
22. Act is designed to protect savings and loan investors from
23. the sort of manipulations and deceit practiced by Mr. Mensik
24. in that Association. The bill has the endorsement of the
25. Savings and Loan Commissioner, former Senator John Lanigan
26. and the Illinois Savings and Loan League. There are about
27. 14 or 15 specific provisos that we think shore up protectively
28. the rights of the investor in the savings and loan. Now, in
29. addition I wish to point out that the other day I put an
30. amendment on. And, the amendment did two things...or two
31. amendments. One was a technical amendment to make certain
32. spelling corrections and conform certain provisions of this
33. bill to the Federal Insurance Regulations. The other amendment

1. No. 2 consolidated the provisions of Senator Mohr's SB
2. 886 and 887. And thus...this amendment is probably
3. the singlemost comprehensive piece of savings and loan
4. legislation that we will see this Session. I'd be happy
5. to answer any questions. I'd ask for a favorable roll
6. call.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Is there further discussion? The question is shall
9. HB 1133 pass. The Secretary will call the roll.

10. SECRETARY:

11. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
12. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
13. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
14. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
15. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
16. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
17. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
18. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
19. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
20. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. On that question, the yeas are 45 the nays are none.
23. HB 1133 having received a constitutional majority is declared
24. passed. HB 1141, Senator Nimrod.

25. SENATOR NIMROD:

26. Mr. President, there's an amendment being prepared for
27. that.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. All right, we'll get back to it then. HB 1165, Senator
30. Berning.

31. SECRETARY:

32. HB 1165 (Secretary reads title of bill)
33. 3rd reading of the bill.

1. SENATOR BERNING:
2. Mr. ... Thank you Mr. President, Members of the Body.
3. The amendment to HB 1165 specifically spells out the neces-
4. sary provisions for the separation of the ... the interest
5. that in accruing on the pension funds and conforms to the
6. requirements of the accounting procedures as requested by
7. the Illinois Municipal League. The amendment is a significant
8. change from the original bill. We took out the objectionable
9. features and so far as I know there is now no objection to
10. the existing bill as amended.
11. PRESIDENT:
12. Is there...
13. SENATOR BERNING:
14. I would appreciate a favorable roll call.
15. PRESIDENT:
16. Is there further discussion? The question is shall
17. HB 1165 pass. The Secretary will call the roll.
18. SECRETARY:
19. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
20. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
21. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
22. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
23. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
24. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
25. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
26. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
27. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
28. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
29. PRESIDENT:
30. McBroom, aye. On that question, the yeas are 45 the
31. nays are none. HB 1165 having received a constitutional
32. majority is declared passed. Senator Glass. HB 1173.
33. SECRETARY:

1. HB 1173 (Secretary reads title of bill)

2. 3rd reading of the bill.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Senator Glass.

5. SENATOR GLASS:

6. Thank you, Mr. President, Senators, HB 1173 would
7. permit Legislators to delegate to the State Scholarship
8. Commission the authority to select or evaluate candidates
9. for the General Assembly Scholarship. This is a permissive
10. bill and if a Legislator chooses to avail himself of it
11. ...he may do so and if he does ... he or she does then the
12. State Scholarship Commission will evaluate and make recom-
13. mendations of the candidates for scholarship. I'd be happy
14. to answer questions if there are any. If not I would urge
15. a favorable roll call.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Senator Nudelman.

18. SENATOR NUDELMAN:

19. Would the recipients be in the Senator's or the Legislator's
20. district?

21. SENATOR GLASS:

22. Yes. There would be no change in that Senator Nudelman.

23. SENATOR NUDELMAN:

24. In other words it would be ... if a Senator or Represen-
25. tative had more applicants than he had scholarships, he could
26. have that adjudicated by the Board. Is the cor...is that
27. the ... of the bill.

28. SENATOR GLASS:

29. Yeah, if he...right, if he decided to do that he could
30. instead of having to go through that procedure himself he
31. could choose to allow the State Scholarship Commission to
32. evaluate the candidates and either make recommendations or
33. do the actual selecting. Thank you.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Is there further discussion? Question is shall HB
3. 1173 pass. The Secretary will call the roll.

4. SECRETARY:

5. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
6. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
7. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
8. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
9. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
10. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
11. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
12. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
13. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
14. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Senator Merritt, aye. Senator Kosinski, aye. Senator
17. Glass.

18. SENATOR GLASS:

19. I would request a poll of the absentees, Mr. President.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Secretary will call the absentees.

22. SECRETARY:

23. Bartulis, Bruce, Course, Daley, Donnewald, Dougherty,
24. Fawell, Kenneth Hall, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel,
25. McCarthy, Howard Mohr, Don Moore, Newhouse, Nimrod, Ozinga,
26. Rock, Savickas, Scholl, Smith, Sommer, Soper, Sours, Walker.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Senator Kenneth Hall, aye. On that question, the yeas
29. are 33 the nays are 5. HB 1173 having received a constitu-
30. tional majority is declared passed. HB 1176, Senator Graham.

31. SECRETARY:

32. HB 1176 (Secretary reads title of bill)

33. 3rd reading of the bill.

1. PRESIDENT:
2. Senator Graham.
3. SENATOR GRAHAM:
4. Mr. President and Members of the Senate, the synopsis
5. of this bill correctly describes the intent of it. I think
6. we've heard a lot of talk about the people's bill, interest
7. in the people. This is a bill in the interest of the people
8. who are getting worn out by school districts who never seem
9. to get the message when they...when the electorate votes no
10. on a proposition. This merely says that they cannot resub-
11. mit it during the Calendar year. Not the fiscal year, the
12. Calendar year. Ask for a favorable roll call.
13. PRESIDENT:
14. Senator Regner.
15. SENATOR REGNER:
16. Yes, Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I opposed
17. this in committee as being a useless piece of legislation.
18. All they'd have to do is change a dollar amount by a dollar
19. or one item in the referendum and they could hold it again in
20. other couple of weeks anyway. And, I say all we're doing
21. is cluttering our statutes with this kind of legislation.
22. I'd urge a no vote.
23. PRESIDENT:
24. Is there further discussion? Senator Graham may close
25. the debate.
26. SENATOR GRAHAM:
27. I can't help a personality conflict that Senator Regner
28. might have but it says the proposition it doesn't specifically
29. direct itself to the dollar amount. I think the Senator
30. from Mt. Prospect ought to read the bill again.
31. PRESIDENT:
32. Senator Regner ... excuse me. The question...is there
33. further discussion? The question is shall HB 1176 pass.

HB 1210
3rd Reading
6-23-73

1. The Secretary will call the roll.

2. SECRETARY:

3. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
4. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
5. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
6. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
7. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
8. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
9. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
10. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
11. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
12. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

14. On that question the ayes are 36 the nays are 8. HB
15. 1176 having received the constitutional majority is declared
16. passed. Senator Berning. HB 1210

17. SECRETARY:

18. HB 1210 (Secretary reads title of bill)
19. 3rd reading of the bill.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

21. HB 1210 allows non-home rule counties to provide ambulance
22. service after a referendum and provides for a tax levy. I
23. know of no opposition to the bill. I'd be glad to answer
24. any questions. If there's no further discussion, the
25. question is shall HB 1210 pass. Upon that question the Sec-
26. retary will call the roll.

27. SECRETARY:

28. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
29. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
30. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
31. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
32. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
33. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,

1. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
2. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
3. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
4. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
6. Kenneth Hall, aye. Bruce, aye. Donnewald, aye.
7. Netsch, aye. On that question, the ayes are 41 the nays
8. are none. HB 1210 having received a constitutional majority
9. is declared passed. 1184, Senator Berning.
10. SENATOR BERNING:
11. Thank you, Mr. President, 1184 ...
12. SECRETARY:
13. HB 1184 (Secretary reads title of bill)
14. 3rd reading of the bill.
15. SENATOR BERNING:
16. Thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Body. HB
17. 1184 was amended in the House and the Digest does not read
18. as the bill now is. 1184 in it's present form is identical
19. to SB 547 which passed the Senate unanimously sometime back.
20. In fact it's been on the House's Agreed List. There is no
21. objection from the Pension Laws Commission nor the Pension
22. Committee members and for...a 1184 in it's present con-
23. dition and I would recommend a favorable roll call.
24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
25. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB 1184
26. pass and upon that question, the Secretary will call the roll.
27. SECRETARY:
28. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
29. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
30. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
31. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
32. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
33. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,

1. Ozinga, Palmer, ParTEE, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
2. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
3. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
4. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

6. On that question, the ayes are 48 the nays are none.
7. HB 1184 having received a constitutional majority is de-
8. clared passed. HB 1212, Senator McCarthy.

9. SECRETARY:

10. HB 1212 (Secretary reads title of bill)
11. 3rd reading.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

13. Senator McCarthy.

14. SENATOR McCarthy;

15. Yes, Mr. President and Members of the Senate, HB 1212
16. is a change insofar as the bonding requirements may be im-
17. posed by the Pollution Control Board. What the bill does is
18. this. That on a variance...the bill provides that only
19. the board may impose the bond. They cannot delegate it to
20. another agency. But the main part of the bill is that the
21. amount of the bond shall be in the amount of the reasonable
22. cost of the work to be completed pursuant to the variance.
23. Now, this bill is backed by the Illinois State Chamber of
24. Commerce. It had a hearing in the Agriculture Committee and
25. I just talked to Senator Latherow where it was voted out
26. unanimously. I know of no objections to the bill. ...Encourage
27. a favorable roll call.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

29. Is there any discussion. The question...the question is
30. shall HB 1212 pass and upon that question the Secretary will
31. call the roll.

32. SECRETARY:

33. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,

1. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
2. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
3. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
4. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
5. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
6. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
7. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
8. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
9. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

11. McBroom, aye. Donnewald, aye. Kosinski, aye. Saperstein,
12. aye. Graham, aye. Nudelman, aye. Bruce, aye. Buzbee, aye.
13. Wooten, aye. Johns, aye. On that question, the ayes are 41,
14. the nays are 2. HB 1212 having received a constitutional
15. majority is declared passed. 1211, Senator Scholl.

16. SECRETARY:

17. HB 1211 (Secretary reads title of bill)

18. 3rd reading of the bill.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

20. Senator Scholl.

21. SENATOR SCHOLL:

22. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, HB 1211 amends
23. various Sections and adds new Sections to the Illinois Savings
24. and Loan Act, incorporates the provisions of the Illinois
25. Model Stock Conversion Act relating to account holders, eligi-
26. bility to participate in distribution of permanent reserve stock
27. issued by an association pursuant to its original articles of incor-
28. poration. It also provides for payment disposal of conversion
29. fees pursuant to such issuance and it subjects any issuance
30. authorized by amendments to the Articles of the...And, the
31. bill also subjects any issuance authorized by amendments to
32. the Articles of incorporation to all terms and provisions of
33. the Illinois Securities Laws of 1953. This bill has the

1. support of former Senator John Lanigan and the Savings and
2. Loan Commission.
3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
4. Is there any discussion. Senator Rock.
5. SENATOR ROCK:
6. Yes, if the sponsor will yield I have a question.
7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
8. He indicates he will.
9. SENATOR ROCK:
10. Senator, page 6 of this bill, will you tell me what the
11. purpose of the bill is and then explain what the provisions
12. on page 6 namely Section 4-4.2A ...
13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
14. Take it out of the record. 1213, Senator Buzbee.
15. SECRETARY:
16. HB 1213 (Secretary reads title of bill)
17. 3rd reading of the bill.
18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
19. Senator Buzbee.
20. SENATOR BUZBEE:
21. Thank you Mr. President. Where two or more counties have
22. consolidated into a Multi-County Educational Service Region, this
23. bill then provides that for all elections held for that Ed-
24. ucational Service Region the boundaries of the consolidated
25. region shall be determined without regard to school districts
26. which overlay the outer boundaries and to...in two separate
27. regions. It does not affect or change the law in regard to
28. school districts lying in two counties or two regions. The
29. reason for this bill is for elections purpose for the Super-
30. intendent and for the Trustees...We cannot follow school bound-
31. aries as these boundaries do not coincide with precinct or
32. election district lines. And, it would other...otherwise
33. be impossible situation for election officials. I would ask

1. for a favorable roll call. Is there any discussion? The
2. question is shall HB 1213 pass and upon that question the
3. Secretary will call the roll.

4. SECRETARY:

5. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
6. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
7. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
8. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
9. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
10. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
11. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
12. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Schöll, Shapiro, Smith,
13. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
14. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

16. Donnewald, aye. Saperstein, aye. Swinarski, aye.
17. Buzbee, aye. Hynes, aye. Soper, aye. Donnewald, aye.
18. Carroll, aye. Partee, aye. On that question, the ayes are
19. 43, the nays are none. HB 1213 having received a constitu-
20. tional majority is declared passed. 1214.

21. SECRETARY:

22. HB 1214 (Secretary reads title of bill)
23. 3rd reading of the bill.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

25. Senator Knuppel.

26. SENATOR KNUPPEL:

27. HB 1214 is designed to increase from \$3.50 to \$6.00
28. the payment for 40 minute periods reimbursement to high
29. school and junior colleges who conduct regularly scheduled
30. courses for Americanization and general education and other
31. accepted courses for graduation. This money to finance this
32. is included in the budget of the office of the Superintendent
33. of Public Instruction and therefore ...bill. I would seek

1. a favorable roll call.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

3. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB
4. 1214 pass. Upon that question, the Secretary will call
5. the roll.

6. SECRETARY:

7. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
8. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
9. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
10. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
11. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
12. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
13. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
14. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
15. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
16. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

18. Johns, aye. Bartulis, aye. Buzbee, aye. On that
19. question, the ayes are 33 the nays are 2 and 1 present.
20. HB 1214 having received a constitutional majority is de-
21. clared passed. 1218, Senator Newhouse.

22. SECRETARY:

23. HB 1218 (Secretary reads title of bill)
24. 3rd reading of the bill.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

26. Senator Newhouse.

27. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

28. Thank you Mr. President. ...Mr. President, Senators
29. this is an...a bill from the office of the Superintendent of
30. Public Instruction. It amends the Urban Education Governing
31. Section of the School Code. And what it does is this. There
32. is a provision in that code for elections but no specifics as
33. to who is eligible to vote nor how to carry it out. This

1. bill simply says that parents of the children who live in
2. that district are the persons who will vote for the election
3. of that board. I'd appreciate a favorable roll call.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

5. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB
6. 1218 pass and upon that question the Secretary will...
7. Senator Berning.

8. SENATOR BERNING:

9. I'd like to ask the sponsor on page 2 the change that
10. I see says election by voters and parents or legal guardians
11. of pupils attending school within the territorial limits. Now,
12. Senator, are you saying that...does this mean that a pup...
13. pupils attending regardless of where they live then the parents
14. and legal guardians have a right to vote? What's ... what
15. does this bill really provide?

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

17. Senator Newhouse.

18. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

19. This is an Urban Education Governing Board, Senator. The
20. only power that it has relates to the particular district that's
21. been cut out. So that ... yes the parents and legal guardians
22. of those pupils regardless will be able to vote, as I read it.
23. ...Is your question...does your question relate to someone
24. who lives outside the district sending their children into the
25. district, Senator?

26. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

27. Senator Berning.

28. SENATOR BERNING:

29. My question is from the terminology here do we ... are
30. we providing that voters, parents and legal guardians who
31. live outside of the territorial limits of the area are
32. allowed to vote simply because pupils are attending within.
33. Is that what this says.

1. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

2. No, Senator. I would assume that all the parents and
3. legal guardians of students who attend live within the dis-
4. trict.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

6. Senator Glass.

7. SENATOR GLASS:

8. Well I...Mr. President, Senators, I think perhaps I
9. can clear up some of this ... concern of Senator Berning's.
10. This is a bill that was put in at the request of the City
11. of Chicago so it could comply with the conditions of the
12. experiments in decentralized school governments. At the
13. present time there already is an elected council or govern-
14. ing board and it was felt that there was no need in the ex-
15. periment in which we were going to turn the authority over
16. to this decentralized school governing board to provide
17. different machinery. And, I believe that all this does is
18. to provide that in the experimental area all students
19. attending from that area, their parents are entitled to vote ;
20. on the board ... on the members of the board. And, the only
21. authority this governing board will have will be such as is
22. given pursuant to the experiments which are over a three year
23. period.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

25. Any further discussion? The question is shall HB 1218.
26. Senator Nimrod.

27. SENATOR NIMROD:

28. I think ...Mr...Mr. President, would the sponsor yield
29. to a question?

30. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

31. He indicates that he will.

32. SENATOR NIMROD:

33. I think Senator Berning's question was not answered. I

1. think specifically what he was asking is that are students
2. that are bussed into a district, are their parents going to
3. be included in the voting for board within that district.
4. And, I don't think that question's been answered.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

6. Senator Newhouse.

7. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

8. Senator I would assume from the language of the statute
9. that parents of any student who goes to school in that dis-
10. trict would permitted to vote. I don't know whether their plans
11. for bussing or what that has to do with the bill. There is
12. no...this has nothing to do with taxing powers, it has no-
13. thing to do with anything other than the governments of this
14. specific, specially carved out district for urban education
15. experimental purposes only.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

17. Senator Nimrod.

18. SENATOR NIMROD:

19. This then...this does not apply to any of the existing
20. districts and only to those that are experimental?

21. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

22. No,...this ...that's correct Senator. This is for the
23. special experimental districts that'll be devised under the
24. Urban Education Act.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

26. Is there further discussion? The question is shall
27. HB 1218 pass and upon that question, the Secretary will call
28. the roll.

29. SECRETARY:

30. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
31. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
32. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
33. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard

Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,

1. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
2. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
3. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
4. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

6. Daley, aye. On that question, the ayes are 34 and
7. the nays are none. HB 1218 having received the constitu-
8. tional majority is declared passed. 1223, Senator Glass.
9. 1233, Senator Kosinski.

10. SECRETARY:

11. HB 1233 (Secretary reads title of bill)
12. 3rd reading of the bill.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

14. Senator Kosinski.

15. SENATOR KOSINSKI:

16. Mr. President, Senators, this bill would authorize the
17. Board of Trustees to make a payment of ordinary disability
18. benefits to a teacher who has applied for a duty connected
19. benefit. These payments to continue until the disposition
20. of the claim of the teacher before the Industrial Commission.
21. This bill is approved by the Pensions Laws Commission. I seek
22. a favorable roll call.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

24. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB 1233
25. pass and upon that question, the Secretary will call the roll.

26. SECRETARY:

27. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
28. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
29. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
30. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
31. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
32. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
33. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
- Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
- Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,

Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

2. Romano, aye. Swinarski, aye. McBroom, aye. Hynes,
3. aye. On that question the ayes are 45, the nays are none.
4. HB 1233 having received a constitutional majority is de-
5. clared passed. 1241, Senator Graham.

6. SECRETARY:

7. HB 1241 (Secretary reads title of bill)

8. 3rd reading of the bill.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

10. Senator Graham.

11. SENATOR GRAHAM:

12. The Senator from Mt. Prospect says this bill's ok to
13. pass. It does just exactly what the synopsis says it does.
14. And, in the event it's passed and is utilized it'll save
15. the taxpayers a little money and I'd ask for a favorable
16. roll call.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

18. The Senator from Mt. Prospect, Senator Regner.

19. SENATOR REGNER:

20. Yes, Mr. President, this bill's even more meaningless
21. than the last one Senator Graham sponsored, so I don't care
22. how anyone votes.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

24. Is there further discussion? Senator Graham.

25. SENATOR GRAHAM:

26. I'm going to take him out sometime and tell him I didn't
27. draft these bills.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

29. The question is shall HB 1241 pass and on that question,
30. the Secretary will call the roll.

31. SECRETARY:

32. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
33. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,

1. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
2. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
3. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
4. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
5. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
6. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
7. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
8. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

10. Schaffer, aye. Merritt, aye. Buzbee, aye. Wooten,
11. aye. On that question the ayes are 45 the nays are none.
12. HB 1241 having received a constitutional majority is de-
13. clared passed. 1223 Senator Glass.

14. SECRETARY:

15. HB 1223 (Secretary reads title of bill)
16. 3rd reading of the bill.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

18. Senator Glass.

19. SENATOR GLASS:

20. Mr. President, Senators, this is a bill which was
21. developed by the Spanish Speaking Peoples Commission.
22. Chairman, Representative Fleck. And, it addresses a very
23. serious problem, particularly in the City of Chicago where
24. there are a large number of Spanish speaking people. Although
25. it does apply of course to all people who do not...who are
26. not conversant with the English language. But, at the pre-
27. sent time, in the City of Chicago and in the Chicago school
28. system there are some 25,000 teachers. Only about 300 of
29. them are versed in bilingual education. As a result, we
30. have thousands of school children in the city who are un-
31. able to speak English, go into the school system, do not
32. receive an adequate education because of their inability to
33. speak English then are transferred into the job market and

1. find themselves unable to obtain employment. Because of
2. that of course, the problems of crime and delinquency un-
3. employment follow. And it's a vicious cycle. Now, I think
4. this is a bill that will make a significant step toward
5. curing that problem. It would provide that in the school
6. districts where there are more than 20 persons who do not
7. adequately speak English language and the need for a bi-
8. lingual department is established, a bilingual department
9. will be established and a teacher who is qualified in that
10. field will be hired and the commitment of the state is to
11. pick up the difference in the cost between ... the ordinary
12. the cost of the ordinary teacher and the bilingual teacher.
13. The estimate of the cost is about 2.5 million dollars. And,
14. I submit to you that this is money very well spent because
15. of the severe problem that I have just indicated. I think
16. the ... some of you have met the Spanish-Speaking Peoples
17. Commission members who have been down here, who are very
18. interested in this bill. I'd be very happy to answer any
19. questions and would urge a favorable roll call.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

21. Senator Buzbee.

22. SENATOR BUZBEE:

23. Yes, ... Senator Glass, you indicated the figure of about
24. 2.5 million for this year. And, we have discussed previously
25. the cost for the following year and we apparently have a dis-
26. agreement. My information is the cost for the follow-up year
27. would be about 26 million dollars. You don't agree with that
28. I know.

29. SENATOR GLASS:

30. No, I don't think that's right, Senator Buzbee, at all.
31. We...we deferred if you will recall, the hearing in the Ed-
32. ucation Committee so that OSPI could obtain some cost figures
33. on this. And, the figures that came back with were far more

1. modest than that. I don't think the increase would be
2. anything like that. Maybe 3 or 4 million dollars would be
3. the maximum in the next few years. Now, of course, there is
4. no proof one way or the other, because we don't know how
5. many of these programs will be established state wide. But,
6. the point I would make, Ladies and Gentlemen, is whatever it
7. costs, it's money well spent, because of the problem that
8. exists today. When we're putting thousands of Spanish-speaking
9. people through school and...without adequately training them
10. for employment that follows simply because they do not have
11. the command of the language.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

13. Senator...Senator Buzbee.

14. SENATOR BUZBEE:

15. Yes, well, Senator Glass, the only point that I wanted
16. to make is the point that I made in the Education Committee.
17. I realize the problem and I would like to work toward a
18. solution. But, it seems to me like a much simpler thing and
19. a much less costly thing would simply be when there is a
20. certain percentage of population in a school district that
21. it's bilingual population that we require that school dis-
22. trict to hire a certain percentage of bilingual teachers,
23. so that they will be able to communicate with these students
24. rather than establishing a whole very complex program which
25. this particular bill does. Perhaps my answer is not the
26. answer but I think that we've certainly go way too far and
27. I think the cost will be prohibitive. As you said, our 3
28. or 4 million is your estimate, we really have no way of know-
29. ing how much it's going to be because as soon as we open this
30. program up every school around that has a dual language people
31. in their district are going to be jumping on to get into the
32. act. And, I think the cost could really jump there the
33. following year.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

2. Senator Soper.

3. SENATOR SOPER:

4. Senator Glass...Senator Glass. I believe that when the
5. migrants come up from the South I believe that they enroll in
6. some of the schools. And, I think they...some even have a pre-
7. schooler kindergarten for these...for these people that come
8. up from say Texas and etc. And,...if they come down say
9. to pick asparagus down around Carbondale or down around
10. Cairo or pick peaches or around Hoopeston, ... you'd have
11. to have a bilingual teacher in the kindergarten?

12. SENATOR GLASS:

13. Well, Senator, if the schools did have as I indicated
14. 20 or more students needing bilingual education, the school
15. could establish a program and this bill would authorize that
16. ...that's correct. Regardless of where it happens in the
17. State.

18. SENATOR SOPER:

19. In other words they'll...they come up in the spring-
20. time and they stay about a month and a half or so. What do
21. you do with the teacher you had to hire?

22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

23. Senator Glass.

24. SENATOR GLASS:

25. Well, I...I don't know whether the provision would
26. cover a situation where they did not stay in the school...
27. And, it seems to me the school would not establish a program
28. since it is permissive unless they were going to be there
29. permanently.

30. SENATOR SOPER:

31. How about all the Czechs and Germans and some of the
32. maybe some of the Jewish children that come in to...come from...
33. that migrate to this country and they can't speak English.

1. We're going to have special...special education for the
2. Bohemians and some of the Irish and...

3. SENATOR GLASS:

4. The...the bill does not discriminate, Senator Soper,
5. against anyone or in favor of anyone. ... It isn't ... I
6. mentioned Spanish-speaking because the Spanish-Speaking
7. Peoples Commission developed the bill. But it would apply
8. across the board wherever there's a need for this bilingual
9. education. And, I think most of the membership is aware
10. of bilingual education. It simply means that the student
11. will be taught in his own language at the same time he's
12. learning English so that he doesn't lose time and does
13. obtain an education.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

15. Senator Soper.

16. SENATOR SOPER:

17. I...Senator Glass I think that we spend our money on the
18. students that are born here and have been raised and are
19. supposed to be able to speak English. Teach them how to read,
20. and write will be money better spent than trying to do this
21. thing that you're trying to do.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

23. Senator Saperstein.

24. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

25. I think...Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen, there's
26. a little confusion as regard the...the Digest. This bill
27. calls for on the Digest a Department. ...This bothered many
28. of us in the Education Committee and as Dr...Senator Glass
29. has said, we held the bill over until we found out exactly
30. what they meant by department. Now, the bill was amended
31. in the House so that there would not be a director or
32. an assistant director or a flock of new people in this
33. section for bilingual education which will appreciably

1. bring down the cost. And, I think that Senator Glass, I
2. don't remember you saying this, but this was one of our
3. objections. And, when we heard the bill the second time we
4. were satisfied that this would not be a separate department,
5. with a whole series of directors and so on. This is
6. ...this bilingual education has been established by this
7. Legislature and this is one way of focusing attention on
8. the needs of bilingual children. I urge your support.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

10. Senator Bell.

11. SENATOR BELL:

12. Well, Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I wanted to
13. refrain from speaking on this issue because we do have to
14. address ourselves to a lot of things. And ... however there's
15. been two allegations made that I feel that I must address my-
16. self to in order to possibly have the bill a little better
17. understood. First of all, Senator Soper talked about...
18. about these people that come up from Texas, pick asparagus
19. in the Carbondale area then probably only there for a few
20. days or a few months and then drift back to, you know to
21. Texas or somewhere in the Southwest. Well, this, in fact
22. may be true but I represent to you that it's probably some-
23. what twisted. I have in my area, Will County, something like
24. 7,000 Spanish-speaking American people. And, I'll tell you
25. that in my area this is needed. It's badly needed. I also
26. say to you that it's not too strange because I think Spanish
27. education. Or, shouldn't be strange because I think Spanish
28. is a uniquely American language. I say to you that it's just
29. quite possible that Spanish was spoken in this hemisphere be-
30. fore English was. And, that probably the concept shouldn't
31. be too strange that both languages should be taught in the
32. ...in schools in the United States. And, that there are many
33. areas in this State where bilingual education, Spanish and

1. English, should probably be taught. I happen to be a
2. member of the Spanish-Speaking Council and granted I do
3. have a great deal of apathy for the people. I think this
4. is needed and I personally for the needs of my area would
5. greatly appreciate support for this bill. Thank you.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

7. Senator Nudelman.

8. SENATOR NUDELMAN:

9. Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I
10. want to tell you who needs this bill. I need this bill. I
11. need this bill so I can speak with my constituents. Seriously,
12. actually, in my area this would be a very vital aid to the
13. people. We have a lot of Spanish-speaking kids in our com-
14. munity in Chicago and in many other communities in Illinois and they
15. really need extra help to learn English so that they can
16. be integrated into our community. I solicit a favorable
17. vote for this bill.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

19. Senator Berning.

20. SENATOR BERNING:

21. Thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Body, I have
22. served on the Spanish-Speaking Peoples Study Commission and
23. I want to emphasize to the Membership that by and large the
24. Spanish-speaking members of our communities are native born
25. Americans. They come from the Rio-Grande Valley, they may
26. be 2nd, 3rd and 4th generation native-born Americans but have
27. never learned the English language. Now, that is not neces-
28. sarily the fault of Illinois. In fact I would be the first
29. to say we certainly have no responsibility for what Texas or
30. other Southwestern states did not do, but for whatever reason
31. once these people come to our area and settle out so to speak,
32. and become residents of our area, we then have the moral re-
33. sponsibility as well as the enhancement responsibility for
these people to help them become fully participating members

1. of the Society and better able to handle their own problems.
2. Now, we could go two ways. We could set a time limit, Mr.
3. President, of say two years for this kind of bilingual ed-
4. ucational training and in that time insist that everyone who
5. comes to our communities become fluent in English. Or, we
6. can perhaps continue and do as I suggested before and as
7. Senator Bell alluded to, we could proceed to make our Society
8. truly a bilingual Society and at the presumption of
9. imposing on the Membership I'd like to point out that in
10. most countries of Western Europe every school child speaks
11. at least two languages their native tongue, and English,
12. and in many cases many more. Only in America are we so
13. bankrupt in the use of the languages of our neighboring
14. countries. Thank you.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

16. Senator Vadalabene.

17. SENATOR VADALABENE:

18. Thank you Mr. Presidente, and Members of the Senate,
19. Senoras, Senors, Quanta la Guosta. I move the previous
20. question.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

22. Senator Vadalabene moves the previous question. I
23. think Senator Merritt's going to have a heart attack if he
24. does speak on this. Will you withhold your motion.

25. SENATOR VADALABENE:

26. Si, Si, Mr. Presidente.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

28. Senator Merritt, from Hoopeston.

29. SENATOR MERRITT:

30. No, I...Thank you Mr. President, Members of the Senate.
31. I can assure you it's not going to become that serious. But
32. I come from an area I think most of you've seen many of the
33. TV articles done by that Ford Foundation on our community where

1. we have a lot of these migrants. It was pretty well slanted
2. the way they wanted to make it. I can assure you of that.
3. And, we need this legislation like we need a hole in our
4. head. My wife is a public school teacher in the elementary
5. grades, 2nd grade teacher. Right during this summer period
6. she's teaching those migrants. And, she teaches them English,
7. and they can understand English. It's about time that we
8. began to teach the English language. You're going to create
9. chaos in your schools with this. You're going to cause problems,
10. overcrowded already, don't have enough schoolrooms, now where
11. you going to conduct these classes and when. I think this is
12. bad, bad legislation. I had a letter from a schoolteacher the
13. other day I'm almost threatening to write the Superintendent of
14. Schools about it. Maybe she ought to be taught English. She was
15. telling me that she was concerned over this problem. Her...
16. the way she spelled it was conserved. And, she's trying to
17. teach pupils the English language. We'd better get down to
18. the business at hand and cut this monkey business out.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

20. Let me give you the line up here now. We have Schaffer,
21. Roe, Hall, Nimrod, Vadalabene, again. Senator Schaffer and
22. Senator Bruce. So let's try to be as brief as we can Gentlemen.

23. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

24. I was just going to comment that my original...where I
25. come from was originally settled by the Bohemians and we con-
26. ducted a bilingual school system for 3 generations and after
27. only 3 generations we had everyone of them speaking English.
28. We now have some Spanish-American in my area, in fact a large
29. number of them and it's...problem. And, I think that this is
30. a good bill.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

32. Senator Hall.

33. SENATOR KENNETH HALL:

1. Thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I
2. support this bill. I think it's good and I'd ask a favorable
3. vote.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

5. Senator Nimrod.

6. SENATOR NIMROD:

7. Would the sponsor yield to a question Mr. ... President?

8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

9. He indicates that he will.

10. SENATOR NIMROD:

11. Is...is...do I understand Senator Glass, that if a school
12. has 20 students in it then it will have the option of teaching
13. that all classes in both languages.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

15. Senator Glass.

16. SENATOR GLASS:

17. ...If...if the school has 20 or more children of limited
18. English speaking ability in any language classification then
19. it would establish the program in...in bilingual education.
20. Of course only sufficient to meet the needs of the children
21. in the school yes.

22. SENATOR NIMROD:

23. Then it is probable that in a school you could have dual
24. teaching in every class and a student could go through the en-
25. tire class for his 8 years let's say his elementary school and
26. never learn the English language. And, only be taught in
27. Spanish.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

29. Senator Glass.

30. SENATOR GLASS:

31. Well, no Senator Nimrod, the whole purpose of this bill
32. is to teach the child English if he's of limited English
33. speaking ability. What the bill is doing is in effect

1. providing that while he is learning English he doesn't lose
2. time in the other subjects that he must acquire knowledge in.
3. So that Math and Science and all the other subjects aren't just
4. lost on him because there's nobody able to teach him. So, he
5. will learn English as well as the other subjects at the same
6. time. Are...are...

7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

8. Senator Nimrod.

9. SENATOR NIMROD:

10. Are the classes taught in the foreign language?

11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

12. Senator Glass.

13. SENATOR GLASS:

14. Yes, certainly. As well as...at the same time he's
15. learning English.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

17. Senator Nimrod.

18. SENATOR NIMROD:

19. I think then we have a very serious problem. I don't
20. think we're all talking about the same thing. I think we're
21. missing the point. We said this was for Spanish-speaking
22. children when they...by the time they could get through school
23. they could only know Spanish and not know any English. This
24. country when it was born in the days of it's immigration, and
25. I'm a product of a 1st generation family. I speak 3 languages
26. today. ... Is my languages was spoken ... one of the languages
27. spoken in school today I would never have been able to carry
28. that language home to my parents so that they would learn English.
29. Those parents went to school...my parents went to school at
30. night so they could learn the English language and we began
31. speaking two languages at home because a child picks up a
32. language very quickly in school. Now, the thing is that the
33. children will adapt quickly. It seems that this whole purpose

1. Senator Nudelman, is for your constituents. Well your con-
2. stituents aren't going to be going to the school. It's their
3. children that are going there. They're not going to benefit
4. anything from this. The problem is a serious one. It needs
5. a solution. I want to tell you a recent immigrants want this
6. particular bilingual. Former immigrants do not want this.
7. They oppose it.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

9. Excuse me Senator Nimrod.

10. SENATOR NIMROD:

11. Yes.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

13. Is this your 2nd time up on this subject?

14. SENATOR NIMROD:

15. No sir.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

17. Senator Wooten thought it was. Continue.

18. SENATOR NIMROD:

19. If it was...if you heard what I said before I'm surprised
20. because I don't think anything that I've said here's been said
21. before. Former immigrants are not for this. Recently I read
22. and I've been called by ... read about this particular situa-
23. tion, the head of the Greek church in the Greek community in
24. the Northwest part of Chicago is very opposed to this particu-
25. larly. And, they've taken a stand on it. I think that there
26. are other nationalities....What we're saying then in some
27. schools there could be two and three different languages. You
28. could be teaching, the Superintendent of Instruction, or Board
29. of Education, Chicago particular would have to have probably
30. teachers in as many as 40 or 50 languages. Now, we're...and
31. there's nothing wrong in making our country a bilingual country
32. of doing ahead with it. But, I think what we are doing is really
33. destroying our education. If the students... the students really

1. want to learn something, then they ought to learn English.
2. They already learned their language at home. Ethnic groups
3. have languages that teach their own children in their churches.
4. Now, I will tell you this. For example on my recent trip to
5. Israel, you cannot even get a job in Israel today if you don't
6. speak Hebrew. Doesn't matter what you've spoken before. They're
7. proud to have their one cult and they're going through with it.
8. Now, the reason foreign countries...when our foreign students
9. go across shores and we get 20 students there, I don't see
10. them putting in the English language. Everything is taught
11. in their own language in their own country. Now, the entire
12. continent of Europe will fit in...will not even fit across the
13. United States, so you're talking about 48 different States. If
14. you want to divide our country...or 50 States, if you want to
15. divide our country into 50 States of 50 different languages
16. keep proceeding and you'll be dividing the people. We're a
17. unified people. We're interested in teaching. We offer every
18. opportunity for people to learn the English language. We
19. teach Spanish, we teach French, we teach other languages in
20. all the high schools today. We teach it in the elementary
21. schools. We teach it in our universities. We encourage
22. students to take these languages. We have every opportunity
23. to do it. Why are we suddenly setting up a superstructure
24. on top of an existing area. Let's teach the parents, let's
25. teach the children English, but let's not teach the classes
26. in their foreign language. They're never going to learn
27. the language by this result.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

29. Senator Bruce.

30. SENATOR BRUCE:

31. Well, Mr. President, just very briefly not particularly
32. on the question of what we're going to go with Spanish-speaking
33. or non-English speaking people. The question that concerns me,

1. and I have been involved with is teacher certification. I'm
2. concerned in this particular piece of legislation that we do
3. change the requirements for certification of teachers within
4. the State of Illinois. For the first time that I know of we're
5. going to allow foreign countries to validate teachers in this
6. state. Which I don't believe we perhaps should do. Secondly,
7. I'm disturbed by the fact that certificates issued under this
8. new provision will be valid for 6 years while we do not pre-
9. sently offer at all in the State of Illinois, provisional
10. certificates, we give these people certificates for 6 years.
11. I'm also concerned by the fact that even though they are non-
12. certified teachers under the requirements set forth by statute,
13. they have a unique provision that says that their minimum salaries
14. will not be determined as provisional certificated teachers but as reg-
15. ularly certified teachers which I think is unique. We're
16. punishing those who presently have provisional certificates
17. that we granted prior to 1972 and we do not allow them on
18. the minimum salary scale, but these people will be. I, also,
19. am concerned by the fact that I and Senator Esther Saperstein
20. for 2 years running have introduced legislation requiring
21. or allowing school districts to offer full or part time pre-
22. school or summer school education. This bill allows it and
23. allows reimbursement. I don't believe that that should be
24. allowed. If we're not going to allow everyone to have a pre-
25. school program. I don't believe that the pre...the special
26. bilingual program should have a pre-school program. I think
27. there's some equity involved here and if were going to certify
28. teachers, if were going to allow reimbursement, I think it
29. should be allowed for everyone not just for one special
30. group.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

32. Senator Palmer.

33. SENATOR PALMER:

1. ...Yeah, in line with Mr. ... Senator Nimrod used to say,
2. my mother very proudly used to say that and I'm quoting her
3. she says I'm speaking seven languages but hanglish I'm speaking
4. the best. So, move the previous question .

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

6. I think everyone has been heard. We'll allow Senator
7. Glass to close the debate. Senator.

8. SENATOR GLASS:

9. Thank you, Mr. President. ... The bill has been adequately
10. debated and I'm not going to try to recall and answer all the
11. individual arguments. I do want to comment though specifically
12. in response to Senator Nimrod. Like it or not we do have many
13. people of limited English speaking ability in our state.
14. And, if their parents have taught them English then they're
15. going to be able to speak English. If they haven't then we
16. are giving them an opportunity to learn the language in school
17. and at the same time acquire the other necessary skills to make
18. them citizens of our country in the fullest sense. I think
19. this is an excellent bill. I think that it will allow the
20. areas that are in need of bilingual teachers to establish
21. programs and have these teachers and make more productive
22. citizens out of persons with limited English speaking ability
23. while they learn English. And, I would very strongly urge
24. your support for HB 1223.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

26. The question is shall HB 1223 pass and upon that question
27. the Secretary will call the roll.

28. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

29. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
30. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
31. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
32. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
33. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard

1. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
2. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
3. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
4. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
5. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

7. Newhouse, aye. Bartulis, aye. Request for the absentees.
8. The absentees will be called. Request has been withdrawn.
9. On that question the ayes are 32, the nays are 5. HB 1223
10. having received a constitutional majority is declared passed.
11. 1253, Senator Netsch.

12. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

13. HB 1253 (Secretary reads title of bill)
14. 3rd reading of the bill.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

16. Senator Netsch.

17. SENATOR NETSCH:

18. Mr. President, this bill was requested by the Department
19. of Revenue and drafted by Willard Ice. It applies to a very
20. small number of incidents but apparently when the incident
21. occurs it produces a great inequity and the Department at the
22. request of one of the Circuit judges who hears some of these
23. cases attempted to find some legislative solution to it. The
24. principal incident that gives rise to it is for example where
25. you have a buying cooperative or perhaps a church group not
26. normally a retailer or believing it is not ...buying from a
27. wholesale vendor, paying the sales tax ... then reselling the
28. goods, food for example, discovering later when it's audited
29. that it is responsible for the retail sales tax having the...
30. already paid it to its supplier and not being permitted under
31. the existing law to get a credit or a refund on the part that
32. it has already paid. ... It is grossly inequitable when it
33. happens. It is not often. It will have no revenue impact
on the state. The Department has requested it so that it can

1. treat fairly in these cases when they do arise.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

3. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB

4. 1253 pass and upon that question, the Secretary will call the

5. roll.

6. SECRETARY:

7. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,

8. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,

9. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth

10. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,

11. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard

12. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,

13. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,

14. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,

15. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,

16. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

18. Johns, aye. Nimrod, aye. Daley, aye. Schaffer, aye.

19. On that question, the ayes are 43, the nays are none. HB

20. 1253 having received a constitutional majority is declared

21. passed. 1273, Senator Rock.

22. SECRETARY:

23. HB 1273 (Secretary reads title of bill)

24. 3rd reading of the bill.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

26. Senator Rock.

27. SENATOR ROCK:

28. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the

29. Senate. HB 1273 is an amendment to the Illinois Savings and

30. Loan Act. This is another of Commissioner Lanigan's proposals.

31. It provides very simply that the Commissioner may adopt regu-

32. lations providing for a facility. And, it also provides that

33. the business conducted at the facility can include the pro-

cessing of mortgages. I know of no opposition. I would ask for

1. a favorable roll call.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

3. Is there any discussion? Senator Merritt.

4. SENATOR MERRITT:

5. Mr. President, I wonder in deference to Senator Ozinga

6. on that committee who did make the request along with me

7. that this be held. I wonder, Senator Rock, if you'd be

8. willing to hold it till Monday?

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

10. Senator Rock.

11. SENATOR ROCK:

12. Most certainly.

13. SENATOR MERRITT:

14. Thank you very much.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

16. Take it out of the record. 1288, Senator Bartulis.

17. SECRETARY:

18. HB 1288 (Secretary reads title of bill)

19. 3rd reading of the bill.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

21. Senator Bartulis.

22. SENATOR BARTULIS:

23. Thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Senate. HB 1288

24. amends the Illinois Highway Code to provide that Motor Fuel

25. Tax can be used to maintain any township or district road...

26. road district to...subject to approval by the County Super-

27. intendent of Highways and Department of Transportation. This bill

28. permits road districts and townships to use their share of

29. motor fuel tax for maintaining roads which were not with

30. M.F.T. funds. Cities and counties can now presently do this.

31. The I.A.A. in...the Calhoun County is...who has requested

32. this and...the Department of Transportation supports it.

33. And, I know of no opposition to this legislation and I hope
for a favorable roll call.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

2. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB 1288
3. pass. Upon that question the Secretary will call the roll.

4. SECRETARY:

5. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
6. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
7. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
8. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
9. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
10. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
11. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
12. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
13. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
14. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

16. Carroll, aye. Shapiro, aye. Bruce, aye. Johns, aye.
17. Harris, aye. Graham, aye. Buzbee, aye. Donnewald, aye.
18. I seem to provoke these 2nd roll calls some way or another.
19. On this question the yeas were 44 the nays were none. The
20. bill having received the constitutional majority required
21. is therefore declared passed. The next bill will be HB
22. 1275.

23. SECRETARY:

24. HB 1275 (Secretary reads title of bill)
25. 3rd reading of the bill.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

27. Senator Nimrod.

28. SENATOR NIMROD:

29. Mr. President and fellow Senators...this bill does exactly
30. what the synopsis says. It creates a commission to codify the
31. township laws and all the Acts and bring it all together. It's
32. in many chapters and this is a job that ... should have been
33. done a long time ago. It provides two members of the Senate

1. and two members of the House and four members...four public
2. members which are appointed by the Legislature. And, this
3. codification is of dire need. And, we...since we have had
4. the new Constitution and we have brought this up to date
5. that there are many provisions within these statutes go
6. back to the first days in 1840 and back to 1870 Constitution
7. that needs some clarification and all be brought together
8. under one Act. And, would urge a favorable roll call. I
9. know of no opposition to this bill.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

11. Senator Rock.

12. SENATOR ROCK:

13. Well, I would just point out that this is another com-
14. mission bill. Now, I have ... I am frankly a Senate sponsor
15. of another commission bill also, but it seems to me that we
16. have, do we not, a permanent commission on counties and muni-
17. cipalities? I...I'm really not that familiar with it, but
18. I just don't see the need for this type of proliferation.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

20. Senator Nimrod.

21. SENATOR NIMROD:

22. ...Senator Rock, the problem is this the permanent commis-
23. sion with counties and municipalities does not deal with the
24. townships. And, what we need to do we're not asking ...
25. we're asking for a codification of all the laws to bring them
26. together. They're found in many chapters. Now, we just got
27. through passing a bill codifying the Junior College Act, we
28. just got through passing bills codifying other Acts, a town-
29. ship bill for reorganization, they're for consolidation of
30. 400 downstate townships that are taking place that have taken.
31. And, we've had to bring together these laws and at no time
32. in...in our recent history at least has there been any agency
33. or any group that has looked at this. Now, this calls for a

1. very small group. It's asking for a group of men to get
2. together and present the Legislature an intelligent packet.
3. And, I think that what will result from this is the fact
4. that we will get rid of obsolete, inadequate and...provisions
5. within the statutes that are inapplicable and I think we all
6. have seen and read many of the things that have happened.
7. We've had the foresight to go ahead with the new Constitution
8. and do this. I think this program is very needed and cer-
9. tainly it's one of minimal amount and concern and does call
10. for return here by February of '74 to take care of an im-
11. portant job of this 1430 townships that exist in Illinois.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

13. Senator ...Don Moore.

14. SENATOR MOORE:

15. Thank you Mr. President, Members of the Senate. I rise
16. in support of this bill. It has been introduced in past
17. Sessions of the Legislature. For the edification of Senator
18. Rock we do have a County Problems Commission. We also have
19. a Municipal Problems Commission. There are more townships
20. in the State of Illinois than the 30 that are up in the County
21. of Cook that I'm sure Senator Rock is vitally concerned about.
22. We do have 1430 townships in the state. 1400 of them are
23. outside of the County of Cook. We find that the township
24. ...or laws governing townships are scattered through some
25. 23 different chapters of the Illinois Revised Statutes. The
26. main purpose of this bill is to recodify the laws in relation
27. to township government. I think this is a good bill for the
28. 30 townships in Cook County. as well as the 1400 townships out-
29. side of the County of Cook.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

31. Senator Bruce.

32. SENATOR BRUCE:

33. Mr. President, Members of the Body, I would just point

1. out that references made to the Junior College codification,
2. that was done by one gentlemen down in the Legislative Reference
3. Bureau and one attorney that was hired on a contractual basis
4. to review that legislation. Senator Soper's stepped off the
5. Floor but I'd be willing to support an amendment to our operat-
6. ing budget for the General Assembly to delegate \$5,000 for
7. hiring of a law school student over the summer who could do
8. this work, have us a report by the 15th day of September and
9. be done with it, plus we would have improved the quality of
10. our committee system. This is exactly the kind of work we
11. should be hiring staff to be done in committee and not hiring
12. and creating other commissions. Just another one, Local Govern-
13. ment does a good job. They need a staff council. This would
14. be a beautiful place to start on it.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

16. Senator Merritt may disagree with you. Senator from
17. Hoopeston.

18. SENATOR MERRITT:

19. Yes, Mr. President, reference was made several times to
20. the County Problems Commission. I had the good fortune to
21. serve on that Commission for a number of years. I don't know
22. who's chairman of it right now but I remember quite well that
23. Senator Dougherty put in a great deal of hard work and effort
24. ...put in to that. And, I'll say this in all honesty and
25. candor I would imagine that at least half of the time spent
26. in that commission was with township problems as well as
27. county. Thank you.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

29. Senator Dougherty.

30. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

31. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I'd a slight dis-
32. agreement with my companions on this side of the aisle. But
33. I am a member of the County Problems Commission and also the

1. Commission Municipalities and Villages and so forth. I
2. think this should not be a permanent commission as the other
3. two are. But, we have run across many problems in the county
4. government that really are township problems and I would say
5. since there are 85 township counties in the State of Illinois
6. and they're scattered throughout the state, many of their
7. problems are purely local but they do have a generalization.
8. And, I think if we'd have a complete recodification or at
9. least working towards that we would solve many of the problems.
10. I mean I just wonder how many people know the difference be-
11. tween a congressional township and the other townships. I mean
12. I don't ... I would say that very few men in this Body know
13. the difference. And we would need some study and I would
14. suggest that this be a onetime shot...one shot commission
15. and we could solve many of the problems. I will vote aye on
16. this.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

18. Any further debate. Senator Nimrod will close the debate.

19. SENATOR NIMROD:

20. I think, Mr. President, I think Senator Dougherty has
21. stated and this commission is to report back and disolves
22. itself as of February 15th of 1974. So, it has a limited and
23. specific job to do and one that's needed very badly. I
24. would ask for a favorable roll call.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

26. The question before the Senate is shall HB 1275 pass.
27. The Secretary will call the roll.

28. SECRETARY:

29. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
30. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
31. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
32. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
33. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard

1. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
2. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
3. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
4. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
5. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

7. If Neistein could see us now. On this question, the
8. yeas were 31, the nays were 4. The bill having received
9. the constitutional majority required is therefore declared
10. passed. Next bill will be Senate...HB 1293. Are you pre-
11. pared to tackle that Senator Rock? Not today. 1295...
12. 1295, Senator Netsch. Can't see with the blind up.

13. SECRETARY:

14. HB 1295 (Secretary reads title of bill)
15. 3rd reading of the bill.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

17. Senator Netsch, the lady from Chicago.

18. SENATOR NETSCH:

19. Thank you for including me in that category. The other
20. day you did not, Senator Graham.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

22. Yes, I remember being scolded.

23. SENATOR NETSCH:

24. ...Mr. President, this is a bill that was requested by
25. the Racing Board. It does two things. The first part of
26. it amends the Harness Racing and Quarter Horse Racing Acts
27. to conform them to the Thoroughbred Racing Act with respect
28. to the right of one member of the board to act in effect
29. as a hearing officer on various kinds of appeals and hearings
30. which the Board must conduct.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

32. Please, gentlemen.

33. SENATOR NETSCH:

Principally, this involves hearings on appeals from a

1. steward's discipline of a jockey or someone else who's in-
2. volved at the racetrack. The Board ... all right, I have to
3. mention the 2nd part of it though...

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

5. Will you Gentlemen please refrain from interfering with
6. Senator Netsch's speech that she worked all night on. Con-
7. tinue, Senator.

8. SENATOR NETSCH:

9. That's right, Mr. President. Thank you very much. The
10. 2nd part indemnifies the members of the Board and employees
11. when acting in the scope of their employment with respect to
12. lawsuits that may be filed against them. It is a provision
13. similar but not identical to many others in the statutes. It
14. was requested by the members of the Board.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

16. Question. Any discussion? Senator Nudelman.

17. SENATOR NUDELMAN:

18. Mr. President, I'd like to speak against this bill on
19. both counts that Senator Netsch mentions. The 1st count
20. permitting one member of the Board to act as the Board, I
21. think creates a situation where one member of the Board be-
22. comes the Board and then the Board as a whole need not con-
23. firm the action merely a majority. The 2nd point would need
24. to confirm the action of the single member of the Board and
25. I think you know what that means. The 2nd point, I think
26. we should be aware of the type of indemnity that's sought.
27. And, it seems to me incomprehensible that we should indemnify
28. a member or an employee of a Board for as the statute says
29. negligent or wrongful acts. I don't think that the State of
30. Illinois should indemnify anybody, a member of a Board or
31. any other employee for negligent or wrongful acts. I think
32. negligence and wrongful acts is the obligation of the party
33. who commits them. I should think that we would not vote for
such a bill and I would strongly urge a no vote.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

2. Any further discussion? Senator Harris.

3. SENATOR HARRIS:

4. Mr. President, Senator Nudelman has raised a question
5. about this addition of Section 1.11, that I was not familiar
6. with. I was only familiar with the earlier discussion relating
7. to a single member holding a valid meeting of the commission.
8. I don't have any objection to the latter point that I've made
9. reference to but I think Senator Nudelman does raise a legit-
10. imate question about this matter of indemnification and partic-
11. ularly as relates to the exclusion of negligent or wrongful
12. acts performed. There is a tremendous precedent being set here.
13. Seems to me that perhaps, Senator Netsch, that this matter
14. ought to be deferred. Let's see if we can't work something
15. out. I think really the thing that the Board is most interested
16. in is in holding hearings with less than a quorum to...par-
17. ticularly in connection with their subcommittee structure that
18. they've initiated under this new Board. I don't know whether
19. we are providing for official board action in those less than
20. quorum activities, but seems to me that we ought to be able
21. to work this out. Why don't we hold the bill and see if we
22. can't get something done on it?

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

24. Senator Netsch.

25. SENATOR NETSCH:

26. Mr. President, I would be glad to hold the bill. I
27. would like to just ... answer your question about the indem-
28. nification. It is not a precedent. The language with re-
29. spect to the negligent and wrongful acts is identical to that
30. that already appears in the statute with respect to School
31. Board members, county officials and about half a dozen other
32. categories of employees. ... But I will hold it and we'll
33. talk about that.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

2. We can discuss that later. It will be taken from
3. the records. Next bill will be HB 1298.

4. SECRETARY:

5. HB 1298 (Secretary reads title of bill)
6. 3rd reading of the bill.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

8. Senator Newhouse.

9. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

10. Thank you, Mr. President, Senators. This bill amends
11. the Public Aid Code and this is what it does. There is
12. a Board of Public Aid Commissioners. It's been sort of
13. dormant over the past several years. The Board of Public
14. Aid Commissioners is a public body that is an advisory
15. panel to the Public Aid Department, and this bill requires
16. that that Board report back semiannually to the Public Aid
17. Commission and to the Legislature. Now, the Board has been
18. dormant...this is an attempt to add input to the Public Aid
19. Department. I'd be happy to answer any questions and
20. appreciate a favorable roll call.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

22. Senator Don Moore.

23. SENATOR DON MOORE:

24. Thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Senate. I
25. oppose HB 1298 as well as 1299...The Board of Public Aid
26. Commissioners as Senator Newhouse said has been inactive for
27. quite some time. In fact, I don't believe there were any
28. appointments made under Governor Kerner, there were no
29. appointments made under Governor Shapiro, there were no
30. appointments made under Governor Ogilvie. The Board is
31. dormant. It is not functioning. I don't even know if there
32. are any members on the Board. It has been the position of
33. the Department of Public Aid under both Republican and Democratic
administrations that the Department would rather deal and
take it's problems and seek advice from the Legislative

1. Commission known as the Legislative Advisory Commission on
2. Public Aid. Which it has and which was created in the 73rd
3. General Assembly. I think that this is the right approach.
4. I think that with the problems we're having with Public Aid,
5. every member of the House and Senate are concerned with and
6. that the proper function and advice to the Department should lay
7. with the Legislative Body. Previous administrations have felt
8. the same way. I think that perhaps a better bill would be a
9. bill to abolish the Board of Public Aid Commissioners in the
10. State. And, perhaps we can address ourselves to that next
11. year. But, I think, for the reasons that I've stated this
12. bill and the companion bill 1299 are not needed and I would
13. urge the members of this Body to oppose these two bills.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

15. Any further discussion? Senator Newhouse will close
16. the debate.

17. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

18. Thank you Mr. Chairman. I can't vouch for what the
19. Senator says about the position of the Department and others.
20. but I take the same set of facts and reach an opposite con-
21. clusion. The fact is there is no input from public members
22. to the Department of Public Aid. And, what this bill is all
23. about is input from the public, and I think that's vital.
24. Now, since the Senator spoke about both bills, I think it's
25. only right to include the both bills in the conversation in
26. closing. One of the purposes that we want to accomplish
27. is not only to have public members but as a matter-of-fact
28. to have some Public Aid...some persons who are on the Public
29. Aid rolls come in with some of their ideas about how it ought
30. to be administered. Now, we have a department that's now
31. dedicating itself to new methods of delivery and it seems to
32. me that from time to time we ought to have public input into
33. it. It's true that the public...this committee has been dormant.

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1. It's been dormant because there's been no leadership. And,
2. I would hope that some leadership does develop and that we
3. do get some public input into what happens in this very
4. vital department. I would appreciate a favorable roll call
5. on the bill.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

7. The question before the Senate is shall HB 1298 pass.
8. The Secretary will call the roll.

9. SECRETARY:

10. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
11. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
12. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
13. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
14. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
15. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
16. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
17. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
18. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
19. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

21. Senator Newhouse.

22. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

23. Mr. President, I'd like to place both of those bills on
24. postponed consideration.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

26. It's been requested by the sponsor bill be placed on the
27. order of consideration postponed. Do you want to make the
28. same motion with regard to H...

29. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

30. Same motion with regard to 1299.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

32. So ordered. We... We'll now go to the order of House
33. Bill 1313, Senator Clarke.

1. SECRETARY:

2. HB 1313 (Secretary reads title of bill)

3. 3rd reading of the bill.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

5. The Senator from Western Springs.

6. SENATOR CLARKE:

7. Mr. President, Senators, this is a very simple bill
8. which deals with the Public Notices Act publications. Merely
9. requires that the standards set in the statutes be uniform
10. statewide. That, in other words, not below those standards.
11. Any home rule unit or municipality can require stricter,
12. greater standards of publication but not less than those
13. indicated in the statute. I think it's a good bill. It doesn't
14. increase any of the cost and I'd appreciate a favorable vote.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

16. Any further discussion. Question before the Senate is
17. shall HB 1313 pass. Secretary will call the roll.

18. SECRETARY:

19. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
20. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
21. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
22. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
23. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
24. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
25. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
26. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
27. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
28. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

30. Johns, aye. Vadalabene, aye. Soper, aye. On this
31. question, the yeas were 33, the nays were 3. The bill having
32. received the constitutional majority required is therefore
33. declared passed. Next bill will be 1325. Are you prepared

1. Senator Bruce for a long argument? 1325.

2. SECRETARY:

3. HB 1325 (Secretary reads title of bill)

4. 3rd reading of the bill.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

6. Senator Bruce.

7. SENATOR BRUCE:

8. Yes, Mr. President, Members of the Senate, this is

9. a supplemental appropriation of 8 million dollars. This in-

10. volves the transportation claims for handicapped children

11. and for those involved in Special Education. It's an ob-

12. ligation of the State of Illinois. There was an underesti-

13. mation of how much money would be needed to transport handi-

14. capped children and those in Special Ed. programs. This is

15. the amount of money we need to reimburse local school dis-

16. tricts for transportation of those children.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

18. Any further discussion? Question before the Senate is

19. shall HB 1325 pass. Secretary will call the roll.

20. SECRETARY:

21. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,

22. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,

23. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth

24. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,

25. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard

26. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,

27. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,

28. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,

29. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,

30. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

32. Palmer, aye. Netsch, aye. On this question, the yeas

33. were 41, the nays were none. The bill having received the

1. constitutional majority required is therefore declared
2. passed. The next bill will be HB 1332. Kenneth Hall.
3. Senator Kenny Hall, no. It will not be the next bill.
4. 1334. Are you prepared, Senator Wooten? We will read
5. it a 3rd time by title.

6. SECRETARY:

7. HB 1334 (Secretary reads title of bill)
8. 3rd reading of the bill.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM)

10. The Senator from Rock Island will explain his bill:

11. SENATOR WOOTEN:

12. Mr. President and colleagues, Representative Douglas'
13. bill was amended in the House to conform with SB 1049. It
14. was amended on 2nd reading and passed out over his objections.
15. It was amended back into the form in which he wished it in
16. committee to conform with SB 1049 which passed out of this
17. Chamber earlier. I don't think there's any need for further
18. discussion. I'd be happy to answer any questions. Otherwise
19. I move for a favorable roll call.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

21. Any further discussion? Question is shall HB 1334 pass.
22. Secretary will call the roll.

23. SECRETARY:

24. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
25. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
26. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
27. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
28. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
29. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
30. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
31. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
32. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
33. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
2. Buzbee, aye. Shapiro, aye. Mitchler, aye. Merritt,
3. present. There's been a request for a poll of the absentees.
4. Senator Vadalabene, how do you ask for quiet in Italian?
5. SECRETARY:
6. Bartulis, Bell, Chew, Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course,
7. Daley, Donnewald, Dougherty, Fawell, Harber Hall, Kenneth
8. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
9. McBroom, McCarthy, Howard Mohr, Nimrod, Nudelman, Ozinga,
10. Palmer, Regner, Rock, Romano, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl,
11. Shapiro, Smith,
12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
13. Shapiro voted aye.
14. SECRETARY:
15. Sommer, Sours, Vadalabene, Walker, Welsh.
16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
17. What was your answer to my query, Senator Vadalabene?
18. SENATOR VADALABENE:
19. (Italian phrase)
20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
21. There you are. There's been a request to place this
22. bill on the order of consideration postponed. The next
23. bill will be HB 1350. You weren't listening to the
24. Senator from Edwardsville.
25. SECRETARY:
26. HB 1350 (Secretary reads title of bill.
27. 3rd reading of the bill.
28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
29. Senator from Cary. Senator Schaffer.
30. SENATOR SCHAFFER.
31. HB 1350 provides that the Department of Local Government
32. shall provide each Calendar year for a study of the assessments
33. levels in each assessment jurisdiction in the state whether a

1. township, county or county assessment quadrennial on the
2. com...comparative assessment classes of property and the
3. assessment process, assessed value at market value. Basically
4. what it provides for is a sales ratio study to be provided
5. for the existing officers. It's merely a tool for county
6. boards of review and township assessors to use for equali-
7. zation of taxes ... assessments between different assess-
8. ment bodies. I believe the department has this computerized.
9. It also requires that this study is made available to the
10. public for a reasonable fee if they want to pay for it.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

12. Senator Latherow. Senator Partee. Senator Partee.

13. SENATOR PARTEE:

14. I just wanted to ask a question. I'm given to under-
15. stand that these studies are made admissible in evidence
16. in disputes regarding the level of assessments. Is that
17. correct?

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

19. Senator Schaffer.

20. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

21. Yeah, I believe that is correct.

22. SENATOR PARTEE:

23. Why do you feel the necessity to give it that status,
24. these studies?

25. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

26. Well, we've had several major assessment fights in my
27. neck of the woods up North and there's been some question
28. about whose figures we should have. Everybody that wants
29. to prove their case comes in with a different set of figures
30. and some of the courts have just decided they aren't going
31. to take anybody's figures. And, I think, the feeling is
32. that the department should become the leading authority
33. in fact it is now for that matter, on assessment levels,

1. should be the disinterested 3rd party and their figures
2. should be the ones that the State Assessment Board and
3. other bodies use.

4. SENATOR PARTEE:

5. Now, do you take the position that these figures will
6. have that kind of reliability? Are you satisfied that they
7. have that kind of reliability?

8. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

9. I'm satisfied that they are the best in the State, Senator.

10. SENATOR PARTEE:

11. Thank you.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

13. Senator Latherow. Senator Latherow. Will we connect
14. his microphone please? Senator Knuppel, you're fouling up
15. the works there.

16. SENATOR LATHEROW:

17. Thank you. I just had a couple of questions I'd like
18. to ask if the sponsor would yield.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

20. Senator indicates that he'll yield. Gentlemen, may we
21. ...may we have some order please. We have a dialogue going on.

22. SENATOR LATHEROW:

23. In the preparation of all of these particular filings
24. that you're asking for in this and to the bodies that you
25. suggested, they might be sent can't you save a lot of
26. problems by merely having the...these particular organi-
27. zations ask the County Supervisor of Assessments what has
28. happened in ratio of these properties?

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

30. Senator Schaffer.

31. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

32. Well, I suspect that many of the County Supervisors
33. of Assessment just don't have these figures and the figures

1. that they get, they rely on from the state. So, I mean,
2. basically you'd be asking the Superintendent of...the
3. Supervisor of Assessment to send the taxing bodies the
4. copies of the state figures.

5. SENATOR LATHEROW:

6. Why do you find it necessary to send one to the school
7. districts?

8. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

9. Well, let's face facts. Schools generate, up in my area,
10. 80% of their revenue or 80% of the tax bill is the school
11. taxes. Our school boards have become very acutely aware of
12. assessment levels between different townships and different
13. counties. These factors have entered into bond fights and
14. various other election contests as major issues and assessment
15. has become a very hot issue in a large part of the state, and
16. the school boards because they take an awful lot of the
17. taxpayer's...property taxpayer's dollars, has started to
18. take a very sincere and honest interest in seeing that every-
19. one is assessed fairly and equally.

20. SENATOR LATHEROW:

21. Highly you mean.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

23. Senator Latherow.

24. SENATOR LATHEROW.

25. Assessed highly

26. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

27. Excuse me.

28. SENATOR LATHEROW:

29. Success...assessed as highly as possible is that what
30. you mean.

31. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

32. Well, I'd have to share your opinion on that but assessed
33. as equally and highly as possible. One...

1. SENATOR LATHEROW:

2. The next question I had was how many extra employees
3. the department is going to have to put on in order to supply
4. this information? That's what I want to know.

5. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

6. It's my understanding that the department has this
7. capability that we're talking about a computer tab run.
8. Yes, we are talking about some additional costs when they put
9. it into a booklet form. But, if you'll notice later in the
10. bill I point out that this bill...that these booklets be
11. provided to the public for a fee that covers part of that cost.
12. The cost...part of the cost that is not covered by that fee
13. is already being incurred by the State because we are already
14. doing this. So I don't see other than obviously several
15. hundred dollars in postage to mail these out, I do not see
16. any major expenses in this. I see no additional personnel.
17. One other thing I'd like to point out to Senator Partee,
18. ...the terminology in the bill is that these studies may
19. be introduced as evidence. It's not...it's not a mandatory thing.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

21. Senator Dougherty.

22. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

23. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I've looked at
24. this bill rather carefully and I...I feel the Department of
25. Local Government Affairs is becoming a law in which a real
26. bureaucracy is invading some of the things that local govern-
27. ment, local assessors have an opportunity...they can do this upon
28. request of the local assessor now. Could this require them they
29. would be intruding into every area of local government. That's
30. what I'm afraid of. I'm going to oppose this bill.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

32. Any further discussion? Senator from Cary will close
33. the debate.

1. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

2. Well, I think, those of us that have...I think all of
3. us that have problems in our district relating to assessment
4. and the high level of property taxes. The Department of Local
5. Government has lead the way and I think will continue to lead
6. the way, at least I sincerely hope so. And, this bill basically
7. is urging them on to lead the way. And, seeing that there's
8. equity in this State in assessment one only has to look to
9. the present school aid formula to see the...the obvious existence
10. of a large amount of inequity in assessment. When the average
11. homeowner is paying in my area anywhere from 12 to 13 hundred
12. dollars a year for a small 2 or 3 bedroom home, I think that
13. he has every right to know and to be sure that he is being
14. assessed fairly and equally. This bill addresses itself to
15. that problem. I don't think it would cause any undue hard-
16. ship. I don't think it would create any extra jobs. I don't
17. think it would be a large expenditure of State money. I think
18. that we can afford to spend several hundred dollars to do
19. a little bit more to insure fair assessment throughout the
20. State and I'd appreciate a favorable roll call.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

22. Any further debate? Secretary will call the roll.

23. SECRETARY:

24. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
25. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
26. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
27. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
28. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
29. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
30. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roè, Romano,
31. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
32. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
33. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

2. Netsch, aye. Clarke, aye. Hold the phone gentlemen.
3. We can't get you all at once. We tried that before. Nimrod,
4. aye. Berning, aye. Vadalabene, no. There's been a request
5. for a call of the absentees. We'd better send a telegram out.
6. The absentees will be called.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Bartulis, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, Chew, Conolly, Course,
9. Daley, Davidson, Donnewald, Fawell, Harber Hall, Kenneth
10. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
11. McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard Mohr, Newhouse,
12. Nudelman, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Romano, Saperstein,
13. Savickas, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith, Soper, Sours, Swinarski,
14. Walker.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

16. McBroom, aye. Been a request for a call...no. On
17. this question, Gentlemen we've been over the roll twice.
18. Shall we try it again? No. On this question the yeas
19. were 15 the nays were 10. One was voting present. The
20. bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority
21. is declared lost. Next bill will be HB 1364.

22. SECRETARY:

23. HB 1364 (Secretary reads title of bill)
24. 3rd reading of the bill.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

26. Senator Bell.

27. SENATOR BELL:

28. Yes, Mr. President, Members of the Senate, HB 1364
29. is just an extension of a previously existing commission,
30. the County Special Education Advisory Commission. It's
31. been in existence ... runs out the 1st of July '73.
32. Legislation's needed here to continue it for another 4
33. years. It's been a meaningful commission. Addresses
itself primarily to the needs of the handicapped and

1. I don't think I need to go into any particularly other
2. dissertations but I'll try to answer any questions that
3. you might have.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

5. Sena...Any further discussion? Question before the
6. Senate is shall HB 1364 pass. Secretary will call the roll.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
9. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
10. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
11. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
12. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
13. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
14. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
15. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
16. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
17. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

19. Buzbee, aye. Schaffer, aye. Berning, aye. On this
20. question, the yeas...Senator Bell. Ask for...request for
21. a poll of the absentees.

22. SECRETARY:

23. Bruce, sick, Chew, Bruce, Chew,

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

25. Polling the absentees gentlemen.

26. SECRETARY:

27. Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Fawell, Kenneth Hall,
28. Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Kosinski, Latherow, McBroom,
29. Howard Mohr, Netsch, Newhouse, Nudelman, Ozinga, Palmer,
30. Partee, Regner, Rock, Romano, Saperstein, Savickas, Scholl,
31. Smith, Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Walker, Weaver.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

33. Weaver, aye. McBroom, aye. Bruce, aye. On this

1. the yeas were 30, the nays were none. The bill having
2. received the constitutional majority required is therefore
3. declared passed. Next bill will be HB 1374.

4. SECRETARY:

5. HB 1374 (Secretary reads title of bill)
6. 3rd reading of the bill.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

8. The Senator from Springfield, Senator Davidson.

9. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

10. Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, this
11. bill does exactly what it says on the synopsis. This, if a
12. new teacher starts as you know has 2 years that they're on
13. probation and if a school board wants to put them on a 3rd
14. year they can. All this requires is if they do put them on
15. a 3rd year is give them a written notice of why so they
16. would have an attempt to correct it. This is one of the rare
17. bills of the Session that the School Board Association and
18. the Teacher's Association are both in favor of it. And, I'd
19. appreciate a favorable roll call.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

21. Any further discussion? Senator Latherow.

22. SENATOR LATHEROW:

23. Mr. President, I was just trying to get a copy of this
24. bill. I think, if I remember correctly, this is the bill that
25. if the school board tells you that you are being put on a 3rd
26. year probation because you are not keeping order in your class-
27. room then you come back in a court case the next year and
28. that's all you've done is keep order in your classroom, you
29. have that body tied up to a particular issue. And, as long
30. as that one issue is satisfied that school board has no other
31. out toward that teacher, because you've told them just exactly
32. what was wrong.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1. Senator Davidson.

2. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

3. That's all this bill does, Senator Latherow, is ask
4. for it put in writing why. Doesn't say if they correct it
5. they're going to be kept on on tenure. There's nothing that
6. abrogates the right of the school board of not putting them
7. on tenure at the end of 3 years. At least that's my under-
8. standing of the bill.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

10. Senator Latherow;

11. SENATOR LATHEROW:

12. I have no copy of the bill in my bill book.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

14. Well, are you requesting that ... Senator Glass.

15. SENATOR LATHEROW:

16. Yes sir.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

18. Senator Glass.

19. SENATOR GLASS:

20. Well, Mr. President, if I understand this bill if the
21. school board decides it doesn't want to put a teacher on
22. tenure, that is to keep a teacher on probation it would be
23. forced to inform the teacher of the reason why. Now I don't
24. think that's good law. Tenure is is pretty good job assurance
25. for teachers and I think a board ought to have the right to
26. decide whether a teacher is qualified or not in it-s own
27. judgment. Maybe it just feels the teacher doesn't have the
28. qualifications, or isn't as good the teacher that it can hire
29. on the open market as it were. But, I...I think to force
30. them to put in writing the reason why they don't want to
31. place a teacher on tenure is unreasonable. I don't think it's
32. necessary and would oppose this bill.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1. Senator Saperstein.

2. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

3. Will the sponsor yield to a question, please?

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

5. He indicates that he will.

6. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

7. Did we not suggest in amendment that the teacher may

8. waive the written notice?

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

10. Senator Davidson.

11. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

12. ...Suggested amendment Senator Fawell talked about this

13. but he did not but he did not suggest the amendment when we

14. were in Education Committee and the reason why after talking

15. to the attorney for the School Teachers Association was that

16. the...under the law, the personnel or the administrator can

17. put anything in writing in the personnel record of the teacher

18. without any knowledge of the teacher and it stays there. So,

19. if they did put something in the record in relation to this

20. it would be contrary. It's nothing but what they can already

21. do now by...by which is already allowed under the act and under

22. the law and this reverts the same thing about the question

23. Senator Latherow. Anything they want to put in that record

24. they can put in and if they do get their court suit that

25. record is available by subpoena to be used in the suit by

26. whatever the administrator or the school board placed in that

27. record in the beginning. And I ...

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

29. Senator Latherow has a copy of the bill now. What...

30. Senator.

31. SENATOR LATHEROW:

32. Well, Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I'd just

33. like to recognize what I said that they must state their

1. reasons for the 1 year extension and must outline the...

2. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

3. Just a minute Senator. Senators, we're trying to con-
4. duct some intelligent dialogue on a bill that seems to be
5. of some importance to some people. May we have some order
6. please. Senator Latherow.

7. SENATOR LATHEROW:

8. and, must outline the corrective action. Otherwise like
9. I said you're not keeping order, Mr. President in your
10. schoolroom and we say to you you will not get back unless
11. you keep order in your schoolroom. Then you do that for one
12. year, only for one year, I'll put it that way. You teach
13. nothing else do nothing else then you have complied with
14. the suggestion of that particular board of education and they
15. cannot put you on tenure, do anything else for any other
16. reason because you have complied with what they said was
17. wrong. And I...

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

19. Gentlemen, please, please.

20. SENATOR LATHEROW:

21. say this is a bad bill.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

23. may we break up our caucuses and let the Senator from
24. Carthage have the Floor. He was recognized for that purpose
25. not for the purpose of everyone else. Senator Davidson.

26. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

27. Mr. President, Senator Bruce is trying to get the Floor
28. before I close debate.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

30. Senator Bruce. Did you care to reply to Senator Latherow?
31. That's what....

32. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

33. Oh, yes. The 3 year or the extension on the 3rd year

1. does not not put the person on tenure. It's the same as this
2. ...only applies to the first brand new teacher who under the
3. law has 2 years probationary and they can be put on the 3rd
4. year. And, this says if you're going to put them on the 3rd
5. year, give them a reason. It doesn't abrogate the right of
6. the board not to ... not to put them on. The board still
7. has the option of not putting them on tenure. Whether they
8. do or do not correct the fault they found why they put them
9. on that third year. This just says if you are going to
10. put them on the 3rd year, tell them why. Doesn't abrogate
11. the board's right not to put them on tenure.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

13. Senator Latherow. You're getting close to your time
14. on 2 times around.

15. SENATOR LATHEROW:

16. Yes, if you could just ask...answer me very simply if
17. the teacher complies with what they say they have reached
18. the point where they have no reason to continue them on
19. tenure is that correct?

20. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

21. No, that's not correct. Because the board does not
22. have to give them tenure if they don't want to.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

24. Senator Bruce.

25. SENATOR BRUCE:

26. Well, to clarify for Senator Latherow and some of the
27. other ...

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

29. Gentlemen, just a minute, Senator. We'll wait a little
30. bit. Continue.

31. SENATOR BRUCE:

32. I think that the point we're missing here is both the
33. School Board Association and ...

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

2. Better turn him up a little.

3. SENATOR BRUCE:

4. ...both the School Board Association and the I.E.A.
5. is in favor of this bill. After 2 years you must give a
6. teacher tenure unless you notify her that you are not
7. going to give them tenure. Now, the...the hassle that we
8. get into is that this is done orally many times. This
9. would require written notice which cuts both ways. There's
10. no question. Now, you ... you ... I want to make it very clear
11. that if at the end of that year, they do not wish to put
12. that teacher on tenure they just terminate her services
13. under the provisions of a nontenure teacher, which does
14. not give her the right of a hearing, which does not require
15. a court reporter, which does not require 30 days...or 60
16. days before the end of the school year. All those pro-
17. visions on tenure teachers are inoperative. This bill
18. just says that when you have a teacher who has taught in
19. your system 2 years, if you do nothing she goes on tenure
20. and has all the rights of a tenured teacher. If you're going
21. to extend the nontenured rights for 1 more year, you have to
22. notify her in writing and the reason why. That does not
23. give her tenure. Has nothing to do with what you're going
24. to do when you discharge her because she is not a tenured
25. teacher at the end of that school year. Unless you do no-
26. thing. Then again the automatic provision after the 3rd
27. year would apply. But, if you give her 60 days notice before
28. the end of the school year that you are going to terminate
29. services, that's it. She has no right of hearing, she doesn't
30. come under the tenured hearing provisions at all and she
31. doesn't have to comply or noncomply. You don't even have to
32. give a reason. You just dismiss her. She is not a tenured
33. teacher. And, that's the provisions. And the reason the

1. school board is in favor of it is they want to put on record
2. and make sure that the teacher cannot come along and say,
3. oh by the way remember when we had an oral meeting and we
4. told you ...you were not going to be put on tenure. This
5. will preclude all that problem. It's in writing. She knows
6. it. The board knows it. And, the School Board Association,
7. they want to alert their member boards that this is some-
8. thing that they've got to comply with. I think it's good
9. ...I think it's a good bill for both parties.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

11. Any further discussion? Senator Davidson will close the
12. debate.

13. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

14. I'd just like to urge a favorable vote on this. I
15. would like to say one of the reasons that brought this about
16. is that many school boards in the State of Illinois have in
17. recent years particularly in the last 2 to 5 years, have just
18. automatically put this teacher on the 3rd year as a non-
19. tenure without any by your leave or why or other wise and
20. this is about so that people will be noticed and I'd urge
21. a favorable roll call.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

23. The question before the Senate is shall HB 1374 pass.
24. Secretary will call the roll.

25. SECRETARY:

26. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
27. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
28. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
29. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
30. Latherow, McBroom, McCárthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
31. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
32. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
33. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,

1. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
2. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
4. Scholl, aye. Glass, aye. No changed from aye to no.
5. I can't understand those signals. McBroom, aye. Vadalabene,
6. aye. Netsch, aye. On this question, the yeas were 33 the
7. nays were 2. The bill having received the constitutional
8. majority required is declared passed. Next bill will be
9. 1388.
10. SECRETARY:
11. HB 1388 (Secretary reads title of bill)
12. 3rd reading of the bill.
13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
14. Senator Carroll.
15. SENATOR CARROLL:
16. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
17. Senate, HB 1388 gives the Court the discretion to award
18. the fees to either party in the case of litigation dealing
19. with a retail installment contract. This came about as a
20. result of a lot of these computer errors that we have heard
21. much about, where the computer will spit out for example
22. the one that we saw was a \$5,000 deficiency which was actually
23. a \$50 deficiency. The debtor went in and got a judgment for
24. \$5,000 and the constituents had to go into court and ask that
25. that be set aside or reduced down to it's actual amount of
26. \$50. And, he had incurred certain costs for that. In that
27. instance the Court as justice dictates can determine that the
28. debtor is not entitled to legal fees but that the creditor
29. may be. And, all this bill does is say that whatever the
30. Court determines justice dictates. They will award either
31. way instead of automatically awarding it only to the seller.
32. And I would ask for a favorable roll call.
33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1. Any discussion? Question before the Senate is
2. shall HB 1388 pass.

3. SECRETARY:
4. Bartulis,...

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
6. Secretary will call the roll.

7. SECRETARY:
8. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, Chew,
9. Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
10. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth Hall,
11. Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Latherow,
12. McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard Mohr, Don Moore,
13. Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee,
14. Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,...

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
16. We're having a little trouble, Gentlemen.

17. SECRETARY:
18. Romano, Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro,
19. Smith, Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadälabene, Walker,
20. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
22. Kosinski, aye. On this question, the yeas were 44, the
23. nays were 1. The bill having received the constitutional
24. majority is therefore declared passed. Next bill will be
25. 1389, Senator Newhouse. We'll read it by title. May we
26. please, Gentlemen. It would be so much easier if we would
27. be in our seats. Please.

28. SECRETARY:
29. HB 1389 (Secretary reads title of bill)
30. 3rd reading of the bill.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
32. Senator Newhouse.

33. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

1. Thank you, Mr. President, Senators, this is a bill that
2. tightens up the Act on the Service of Process. It was worked
3. out in conjunction with Sheriff Elrod's office. It is a
4. procedure that is administratively utilized there now. And,
5. it's being acted into law. I'd be pleased to answer any
6. questions. I'd appreciate a favorable roll call on it.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

8. Any discussion? Question before the Senate is shall
9. HB 1389 pass. Secretary will call the roll.

10. SECRETARY:

11. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
12. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
13. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
14. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
15. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
16. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
17. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
18. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
19. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
20. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Graham):

22. Swinarski, aye. Romano, aye. Chew, aye. Bartulis, aye.
23. Roe, aye. Berning, aye. On this question, the yeas were
24. 40 the nays were none. The bill having received the constitu-
25. tional majority required is therefore declared passed. Next
26. bill will be HB 1398.

27. SECRETARY:

28. HB 1398 (Secretary reads title of bill)
29. 3rd reading of the bill.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

31. The Senator from Joliet, Senator Bell.

32. SENATOR BELL:

33. Thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Senate. HB 1398.

1. addresses itself to same legislation that passed this Body
2. in May, SB 208. It amends Uniform Code of Corrections. And
3. adds to the nonprobationary offenses, the offense of armed
4. violence. Now, yesterday we passed out a very similar measure
5. sponsored by Senator Knuppel that did exactly the same thing
6. except that instead of armed violence, the bill we passed
7. out of here was referred to firearms. Armed violence is
8. a broader terminology in that it includes other dangerous
9. weapons such as stilettos, knives, bombs so on and so forth
10. as specified specifically in the Uniform Code. Everytime
11. we've addressed ourselves to this particular measure we have
12. thought to pass it. I ask for a favorable roll call on HB 1398.
13. PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Weaver):

14. Senator Buzbee.

15. SENATOR BUZBEE:

16. Senator Bell, would you yield to a question please?
17. The...the terminology armed violence I'm not thoroughly familiar
18. with. I can foresee a possibility, a person is walking around
19. in an area where there may be, well let's just give you a
20. concrete example, a riot in a college town. And, somebody
21. has a stick in his hand and he's walking...and he's walking
22. down the street with a stick in his hand and he's arrested
23. for armed violence. Now, when this case comes up to be heard,
24. the judge or the jury or whoever may decide will say well,
25. you know you were found technically guilty but we've decided
26. to give you probation and you're bill, I believe, would
27. prohibit that. Now, perhaps a stick would not be considered
28. a part of armed violence but I'd like to have your explana-
29. tion on that.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

31. Senator Bell.

32. SENATOR BELL:

33. Well, Senator Buzbee, I don't have a copy of the Criminal

1. Code here at hand. My recollection to the best of my memory
2. and I may be wrong, but to the best of my memory a stick would
3. not constitute those weapons that are termed as coming under
4. armed violence. Now, this armed violence, I might go on further
5. to say was a term that was decided on by this legislative Body.
6. I defer to some of you senior Senator here. But, evidently
7. this was picked up several years back in which we specified
8. specific type of weapons. And, ... unless that particular
9. type of weapon is specified in the Criminal Code it doesn't then
10. fall within the bailiwick of the term armed violence. And,
11. I don't believe a stick would fall into the terminology.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

13. Senator Buzbee.

14. SENATOR BUZBEE.

15. Well, Mr. President, I'm going to make, ...Mr. President,
16. ...Mr. President, I'm going to make a rather unusual request
17. I guess. But, I think that we...this is important enough
18. that we ought to have an attorney who's familiar with the
19. Criminal Code to explain to us if what the definition of
20. armed violence is.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

22. Senator Partee.

23. SENATOR PARTEE:

24. Well, that is a question that puzzles me here. The expres-
25. sion armed violence is used in the statute but there is no
26. definition of what it is in this statute. At this moment we
27. are checking the Criminal Code to determine if armed violence
28. is defined elsewhere. If it is and if it is referable to that
29. definition then the objection I would have on that basis
30. would fall. But, until I can make that determination, could
31. you hold it just a minute?

32. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

33. Can you hold it for a few minutes, Senator Bell?

1. SENATOR BELL:

2. ...Mr. President, I'm willing to hold it. Senator
3. Sommer wanted to address himself in this. Could we go to his
4. point?

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

6. Senator Sommer. Senator Sommer was trying to help answer
7. the question I think, Senator Partee.

8. SENATOR PARTEE:

9. All right go ahead. Then we're not going to hold it.
10. Go ahead.

11. SENATOR SOMMER:

12. I think, Senator Partee, if you'd have your people look
13. in the Code of Corrections you'd find that armed violence is
14. defined in there. And, it's defined very specifically. It's
15. the commission of forceable felonies with the use of certain
16. types of weapons. Right? Including bombs and things like
17. that. Many, many types of weapons.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

19. Senator Bell, do you want to continue with the bill or
20. take it out of the record? Senator Partee has asked that it
21. be held.

22. SENATOR BELL:

23. In deference to the Senator Partee, I certainly take it
24. from the record and hold it temporarily.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

26. 1398 will be taken out of the record. 1410, Senator
27. Kenneth Hall?

28. SECRETARY:

29. HB 1410 (Secretary reads title of bill.
30. 3rd reading of the bill.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

32. Senator Kenneth Hall.

33. SENATOR KENNETH HALL.

1. Thank you, Mr. Chairman, and Members of the Senate.
2. HB 1410 amends the Athletic Exhibition Registration Act and
3. it imposes a 5% tax on gross receipts of closed circuit tele-
4. casts of boxing events. It places such telecasts under the
5. jurisdiction of the Department of Registration and Education.
6. Now the closed circuit television showings will not be li-
7. censed as the live matches are. The Department of Regis-
8. tration and Education informs me that their personnel will
9. be present the night of the showing to collect 5% of the
10. gross receipts. The amendment requires the re...closed
11. circuit television promoters to inform the Department before
12. the night of the event. The revenue from the live boxing
13. and wrestling events at 10% of the gross receipts since July
14. 1, 1972, has been \$103,000. It is estimated that the revenue
15. from this bill would be in that area. Illinois is the only
16. State with an athletic exhibition law that does not tax
17. closed circuit television for boxing. In this bill we're
18. asking 5%. Several States collect 10%. So, I'd ask a most
19. favorable vote for this bill.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

21. Senator Conolly.

22. SENATOR CONNOLLY:

23. Does this bill have the approval of the Governor of the
24. State of Illinois?

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

26. Senator Hall.

27. SENATOR KENNETH HALL:

28. The Governor of the State of Illinois? I couldn't
29. answer that Senator Conolly.

30. SENATOR CONOLLY:

31. Well, he has said there would be no new taxes and this
32. looks to me as an imposition of a new tax in the State of
33. Illinois and I thought we were going to have under this
administration a moratorium on any new taxes.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

1. Senator Donnewald.

2. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

3. Very...very briefly, Mr. President, I think that this
4. is only equalizing or making or making it the same in other
5. athletic events that are televised. That's all this does.
6. These people have been getting away with it. And, there
7. are 3 or 4 events annually as I understand that would prob-
8. ably in all fairness make them equal to the other athletic
9. events that are televised. That's all this does.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

11. Senator Conolly.

12. SENATOR CONOLLY:

13. Well, I'm not sure if that's the correct answer of it
14. because I'm not aware of other closed circuit athletic events
15. are being taxed. I am not familiar with the number of closed
16. circuit events or of private taxing, but I think also this
17. should be done should be done through the Department of Revenue
18. not through the Department of Registration and Education. So,
19. I think there should be more study into a bill like this and
20. we should have a little more research done before we pass a
21. bill such as this especially when we have a moratorium on
22. new taxes.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

24. Senator Mitchler.

25. SENATOR MITCHLER:

26. Senator Clarke, I defer to Senator Clarke.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

28. Senator Clarke.

29. SENATOR CLARKE:

30. We held this bill up and had quite a full hearing so
31. the Department of Registration could come back with some
32. answers. But, I think that the Governor's statement was
33. that there be no new taxes on people. And, this isn't on
people. This is on people on those promoting closed circuit.

1. Actually, I think it's a good bill. I don't it'll raise
2. that much revenue though. Because, the figures we have
3. were that the...the taxes now imposed on live television
4. didn't bring in that much money. I think it's all right.
5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
6. Any further discussion? Senator Kenneth Hall may
7. close debate.
8. SENATOR KENNETH HALL:
9. This would bring added...Senator Merritt has a question
10. looks like, Mr. President.
11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
12. Senator Merritt.
13. SENATOR MERRITT:
14. In other words this tax, Senator Hall, cannot be added
15. on to the admission. Is that what I understand this to be?
16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
17. Senator Hall.
18. SENATOR HALL:
19. ...Yes, Senator. There are a number of people that come
20. into the state, promoters. And, they're been getting by with-
21. out giving any revenue to the State of Illinois. ...The De-
22. partment of Education and Registration is already handling
23. this and it won't cost any additional cost to the state but
24. it will bring in additional revenue.
25. SENATOR MERRITT:
26. Well aren't people paying for admissions in...to see this?
27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
28. Senator Hall.
29. SENATOR KENNETH HALL:
30. This is not on the people. This is on the promoters and
31. on the event.
32. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
33. Senator Nimrod. Senator Nimrod.

1. SENATOR NIMROD:
2. Mr. President, one question from the sponsor if I may.
3. I understand the bill and I think Senator Clarke put it very
4. well, but why are we only limiting this to closed circuit
5. shows for boxing events? I mean, there's just closed circuit
6. fund raising ... takes place more than boxing and I'm just
7. wondering why it's being limited.
8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
9. Senator Hall.
10. SENATOR KENNETH HALL:
11. The other events are already covered, Senator Nimrod.
12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
13. Senator Nimrod.
14. SENATOR NIMROD:
15. ...You mean hockey for example? Closed circuit hockey
16. does have a 5% on it? And, boxing is the only one that does
17. not?
18. SENATOR KENNETH HALL:
19. That's correct. That's what I'm informed by the Depart-
20. ment of Education and Registration.
21. SENATOR NIMROD:
22. Thank you.
23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
24. Senator Harris.
25. SENATOR HARRIS:
26. Well, I had some consultation with our staff just this
27. morning. We're still in communication with the Department of
28. Registration and Education on this. There are some unresolved
29. questions. I would just say this, Senator. Why don't we hold
30. this? I don't think we can support it until we can get those
31. questions raised out. So let's...all right. Let's take it
32. our of the record.
33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

1. ...1410 will be taken out of the record.

2. SENATOR HARRIS:

3. ...Mr. President, while I'm on...Channel 9 has requested

4. ... permission to shoot some silent TV film in order to pro-

5. vide them with some file and background availability of some

6. film. So, they will be participating in this for ... 10

7. minutes or so, 5 minutes or so. So, I just want the member-

8. ship alerted. This is silent film and they will be proceeding

9. that way for about 5 minutes.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

11. Senator Swinarski.

12. SENATOR SWINARSKI.

13. Just like to ask the President a question. I was wonder-

14. ing if the TV coverage they're doing now is taxed or if it's

15. a sporting event?

16. SENATOR HARRIS:

17. Well, yes it is for a sporting event but they will not

18. be required to pay the tax. We've deferred action on that.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

20. 1428, Senator Kenneth Hall. 1434, Senator Davidson.

21. SECRETARY:

22. HB 1434 (Secretary reads title of bill)

23. 3rd reading of the bill.

24. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

25. Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, this

26. is a bill requested by the Junior College Trustees so they

27. can make annexation and de-annexation from districts more

28. readily. And, I put an amendment on the other day so that

29. only the...which they requested that the 2/3's board members

30. can't do it. It either has to be a referendum vote or by a

31. signed petition by 2/3's of the electorate living in the dis-

32. trict that's going to be annexed or de-annexed. There's no

33. opposition. I'd appreciate a favorable roll call.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

2. Is there any discussion? Question is shall HB 1434
3. pass and upon that question the Secretary will call the
4. roll.

5. SECRETARY:

6. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
7. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
8. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
9. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
10. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
11. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
12. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
13. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
14. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
15. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

17. Welsh, aye. Glass, aye. Knuppel, aye. Harris, aye.
18. Netsch, aye. Romano, aye. On that question the ayes are
19. 45, the nays are none. HB 1434 having received a constitu-
20. tional majority is declared passed. 1435.

21. SECRETARY:

22. HB 1435 (Secretary reads title of bill)
23. 3rd reading of the bill.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

25. Senator Davidson.

26. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

27. Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, this
28. is a companion bill to the one we just passed so that if there
29. is a de-annexation or annexation, that you do not pay taxes
30. in both districts while it's being resolved. This has unani-
31. mous support. Appreciate a favorable roll call.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

33. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB

1. 1435 pass. And, upon that question, the Secretary will call
2. the roll.

3. SECRETARY:

4. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
5. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
6. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
7. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
8. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
9. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
10. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
11. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
12. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
13. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

15. Johns, aye. On that question, the ayes are 40 and the
16. nays are none. HB 1435 having received a constitutional
17. majority is declared passed. 1439, Senator Schaffer.

18. SECRETARY:

19. HB 1439 (Secretary reads title of bill)
20. 3rd reading of the bill.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

22. Senator Schaffer.

23. SENATOR SCHAFFER.

24. HB 1439 amends the Illinois Nursing Act to require that
25. 2 licensed practical nurses be added to the committee of nurse
26. examiners. The licensed practical nurses are not represented
27. on this committee and this committee does have control over
28. their licensing and their programs for continuing education
29. in this field which is expanding in the health care delivery
30. set-up in the state. I believe it's the only bill that's come
31. out of the Health Care Licenser Committee that's also sup-
32. ported by the Illinois Medical Society. I know of no opposi-
33. tion. I think it's a good bill. Deserves a favorable roll
call.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

2. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB
3. 1439 pass and upon that question the Secretary will call
4. the roll.

5. SECRETARY:

6. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
7. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
8. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
9. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
10. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
11. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
12. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
13. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
14. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
15. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

17. On that question, the ayes are 42 and the nays are none.
18. HB 1439 having received a constitutional majority is declared
19. passed. 1401, Senator Glass.

20. SECRETARY:

21. HB 1401 (Secretary reads title of bill)
22. 3rd reading of the bill.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

24. Senator Glass.

25. SENATOR GLASS:

26. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of
27. the Senate. House Bills 1401 and 1402 are companion bills.
28. And, they make some changes relative to the Common Trust Fund
29. Act. 1402 would allow executors and administrators to invest
30. in common trust funds. Common trust funds of course are funds
31. set up by Illinois banks and trust companies and banks with
32. trust powers in Illinois trust companies are the only organi-
33. zations which have these trust funds which allows them to

1. take smaller funds and combine them and consolidate them into
2. a single fund and thereby have the advantage of investing in
3. diverse securities and getting the advantage of the larger
4. assets to provide for this. The common trust funds are
5. governed by the Prudent Man Rule. The companion bill, 1401
6. specifically adds common trust funds to investments allowed
7. under Section 257a of the Probate Act. I would be happy
8. to answer any questions and would urge a favorable roll call
9. of both of these bill.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

11. Senator Harris.

12. SENATOR HARRIS:

13. ...Senator Glass, we debated another bill here earlier this year
14. that permits the invasion of the corpus of a trust. ...This
15. I see as a distinction in that it permits the investment in
16. a common trust. There is a distinction. Now, can the corpus
17. of a trust be invaded in order to invest in this common trust?

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

19. Senator Glass.

20. SENATOR HARRIS:

21. Does this have any effect on that?

22. SENATOR GLASS:

23. No, Senator Harris, it does not. I am familiar with
24. the bill that you referred to and that had to do with paying
25. fees out of the corpus and the remainder. And, this is a
26. different bill. And, I think, as I said earlier, simply has
27. to do with the common trust funds and allowing various fidu-
28. ciaries to make investments in them.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

30. Senator Rock.

31. SENATOR ROCK:

32. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
33. Senate. In response to Senator Harris' inquiry and for the

1. benefit of those on the other side who are concerned about
2. that bill which I sponsored, still believe in, and which
3. passed the house yesterday by the way. These 2 bills have
4. nothing whatever to do with that bill. I think these 2
5. bills are worthy of our support. They were heard fully in
6. the Senate Judiciary Committee and I think that everyone
7. should give it a favorable vote.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

9. Any further discussion? The question is shall HB
10. 1401 pass and upon that question, the Secretary will call
11. the roll.

12. SECRETARY:

13. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
14. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
15. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
16. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
17. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
18. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
19. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
20. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
21. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
22. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

24. On that question, the ayes are 47, the nays are 1. HB
25. 1401 having received a constitutional majority is declared
26. passed. 1402.

27. SECRETARY:

28. HB 1402 (Secretary reads title of bill)
29. 3rd reading of the bill.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

31. Senator Glass.

32. SENATOR GLASS:

33. I...this is a companion bill, Mr. President to 1401 and .

1. I would urge a favorable roll call.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

3. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB

4. 1402 pass and upon that question, the Secretary will call

5. the roll.

6. SECRETARY:

7. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,

8. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,

9. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth

10. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,

11. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard

12. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,

13. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,

14. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,

15. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,

16. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

18. On that question, the ayes are 43 and the nays are 1.

19. HB 1402 having received a constitutional majority is declared

20. passed. 1462, Senator Knuppel.

21. SECRETARY:

22. HB 1462 (Secretary reads title of bill)

23. 3rd reading of the bill.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

25. Senator Knuppel.

26. SENATOR KNUPPEL:

27. HB 1462 is a very simple bill. What it does is reduce

28. from 3 days to 1 the period in which a person can vote by

29. absentee ballot in person. Now, in the last year on several

30. occasions, it's been necessary that I go to the hospital on

31. an emergency basis and once I was deprived of the opportunity

32. to vote when I had intended to because of the 3 day waiting

33. period. I can see the...I can see the need for the 3 day

1. waiting period when transportation was slow and roads were
2. poor which they still are in my section of the State
3. incidentally, but they're not that poor that people can't
4. get around and they can deliver these ballots in a lot faster
5. fashion that they did previously. I think it's time to move
6. into the 20th century and to reduce this period of time because
7. people live in a more hectic society and often intend to vote
8. on a Tuesday and find out on Monday that they've been assigned
9. to go to Washington or Chicago or someplace else and will be
10. out of town and will be deprived of their opportunity to vote.
11. I think this is good legislation.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

13. Senator Dougherty.

14. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

15. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, while I agree with
16. much of what Senator Knuppel has said, nevertheless administra-
17. tively this is going to be very high bill to op...method of
18. operating is going to be administratively very bad. In Cook
19. County we have 5,000 precincts. Can you imagine running around
20. with...from one precinct to another the next day? And I would
21. say the same thing would apply downstate. I do not think this
22. is good legislation. I'm sorry to oppose my friend Senator
23. Knuppel, but I'm only speaking about the administrative view-
24. point. I intend to vote against it.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

26. Senator Partee.

27. SENATOR PARTEE:

28. I too hesitate to oppose the legislation, but in addi-
29. tion to the items of administration which Senator Dougherty
30. mentioned, one of the things that has always troubled me are
31. all of the accusations about fraud. And at least if a person
32. has to register by the 3rd day before the election, there is
33. some opportunity and chance for persons to look over the records

1. and determine if there is any fraud. The other thing is
2. it seems to me that it causes people to procrastinate. You'll
3. find that if you have a 1 day limitation before an election,
4. many, many people will wait till the last day to come in. 3
5. days is certainly bad enough in terms of administration of
6. the act, but one would make it almost impossible and would
7. also lead as I said, to fraud. For that reason, I too would
8. have to oppose this bill.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

10. Senator Berning.

11. SENATOR BERNING:

12. Thank you, Mr. President, I think that much of what I
13. was going to say has already been said. It just seems to me
14. that it would be completely impossible for the County Clerk
15. to function. Remember, these binders have to go out to the
16. precincts and if they're going to be underway they cannot
17. be working up to the day before election.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

19. Is there any further discussion? Senator Knuppel may
20. close the debate. The question is shall HB 1462 pass. Upon
21. that question, the Secretary will call the roll.

22. SECRETARY:

23. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
24. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
25. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
26. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
27. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
28. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
29. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
30. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
31. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
32. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

2. Buzbee, aye. Johns, aye. On that question, the ayes
3. are 10 and the nays are 13 and 1 present. HB 1462 having
4. failed to receive the constitutional majority is declared
5. lost. 1478, Senator Schaffer.

6. SECRETARY:

7. HB 1478 (Secretary reads title of bill)

8. 3rd reading of the bill.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

10. Senator Schaffer.

11. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

12. It has been suggested to me that I should ask my House
13. member if he could put all these little things into one bill.
14. He could save us all a lot of time and I agree. This is a
15. good bill. It's a simple thing, a small change. And what it
16. provides for is that the county board which in most cases
17. would be the building department of a county, would be required
18. to forward to the local...in my county's case, township asses-
19. sor or to the Supervisor of Assessment in a county...in those
20. counties that don't have township government, a copy of a
21. building permit or an occupancy permit. Basically gives the
22. assessor another tool to do his job. I know of no opposition
23. to this. It would not be a costly thing because again it
24. would be another carbon copy that would be stuffed into an
25. envelope and mailed out twice a month to the various town-
26. ship assessors.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

28. Is there any discussion? Senator Welsh.

29. SENATOR WELSH:

30. Senator Schaffer, this is a good bill, but I was just
31. wondering, what does the amendment do?

32. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

33. Senator Schaffer.

1. SENATOR SCHAFFER:
2. That's an interesting question. I honestly don't know.
3. I'd have to have a copy of the amendment. Perhaps you can
4. tell me.
5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
6. Senator Welsh.
7. SENATOR WELSH:
8. I can now. It's a home rule amendment. Thank you very
9. much.
10. SENATOR SCHAFFER:
11. What say? Home rule. How can we oppose that.
12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
13. Senator Dougherty.
14. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:
15. On the other hand, Senator, we do it anyway.
16. SENATOR SCHAFFER:
17. Yeah, as a matter of fact you do.
18. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:
19. That's right.
20. SENATOR SCHAFFER:
21. In this bill it does already include Cook County. With
22. a home rule amendment what could possibly be wrong with it.
23. I'd appreciate a favorable roll call.
24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
25. Is there any further discussion? The question is, shall
26. HB 1478 pass. Upon that question, the Secretary will call
27. the roll.
28. SECRETARY:
29. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
30. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
31. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
32. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
33. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard

1. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
2. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
3. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
4. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
5. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

7. Bruce, aye. On that question, the ayes are 37, the nays
8. are 1. HB 1478 having received a constitutional majority is
9. declared passed. 1504, Senator Harris.

10. SECRETARY:

11. HB 1504 (Secretary reads title of bill)

12. 3rd reading of the bill.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

14. Senator Harris.

15. SENATOR HARRIS:

16. This bill is identical to Senate Bills that we passed
17. out of here. I don't know that we need to go into any great
18. discussion on it. This is Representative Washburn's bill.
19. It reflects a stipulated understanding between the Attorney
20. General and litigants in a matter before the Court of Claims.
21. We did pass overwhelmingly an identical bill. Would be
22. pleased to receive a favorable roll call.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

24. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB 1504
25. pass and upon that question, the Secretary will call the roll.

26. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

27. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
28. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
29. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
30. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
31. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
32. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
33. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,

1. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
2. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
3. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
- 4.
5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
6. Daley, aye. Nudelman, aye. Johns, aye. Dougherty,
7. aye. Rock, aye. Swinarski, aye. Soper, aye. Donnewald,
8. aye. Chew, aye. On that question, the ayes are 44, the
9. nays are none. HB 1504 having received a constitutional
10. majority is declared passed. 1505.
11. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):
12. HB 1505 (Secretary reads title of bill)
13. 3rd reading of the bill.
14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
15. Senator Harris.
16. SENATOR HARRIS:
17. It's an identical bill to the one we passed. Would be
18. pleased to receive the same roll call.
19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
20. Is there any discussion? Question is shall HB 1505
21. pass and upon that question, the Secretary will call the roll.
22. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):
23. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
24. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
25. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
26. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
27. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
28. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
29. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
30. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
31. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
32. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

1. Carroll, aye. Soper, aye. On that question, the ayes
2. are 45 and the nays are none. HB 1505 having received a
3. constitutional majority is declared passed. 1506
4. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):
5. HB 1506 (Secretary reads title of bill)
6. 3rd reading of the bill.
7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
8. Senator Harris.
9. SENATOR HARRIS:
10. Again, this is a ... an identical bill to one that we've
11. passed. Would be pleased to receive the same roll call.
12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
13. Is there any discussion? Question is shall HB 1506
14. pass and upon that question, the Secretary will call the
15. roll.
16. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):
17. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
18. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
19. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
20. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
21. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
22. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
23. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
24. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
25. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
26. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
28. On that question, the ayes are 41, the nays are none.
29. HB 1506 having received a constitutional majority is de-
30. clared passed. 1533, Senator Wooten.
31. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):
32. HB 1533 (Secretary reads title of bill)
33. 3rd reading of the bill.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

2. Senator Wooten.

3. SENATOR WOOTEN:

4. What this does is enable coroners to continue to send
5. blood samples to the state so that we can detect what roll
6. of any alcohol plays in traffic deaths. It also further
7. authorizes the submission of urine samples because the use
8. of drugs can also be detected in such samples. This has
9. also been amended at the request of the Republican leader-
10. ship to provide a provision that in those counties where the
11. office of coroner has been eliminated by referendum, those
12. duties may be assumed by another county officer also by a
13. referendum or a resolution. So I will answer any questions.
14. Otherwise, I'd ask for a favorable roll call.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

16. Is there any discussion? Question is shall HB 1533 pass.
17. And, upon that question, the Secretary will call the roll.

18. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

19. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
20. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
21. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
22. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
23. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
24. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
25. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
26. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
27. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
28. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

30. Senator Graham.

31. SENATOR GRAHAM:

32. Before you announce the roll call. Senator Wooten,
33. there was some discussion as to an amendment to this bill.

1. Was it put on or was there an amendment pending? It was.

2. Thank you.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

4. Berning, aye. On that question the ayes are 39 and
5. the nays are none. HB 1533 having received a constitutional
6. majority is declared passed. 1541, Senator Bartulis.

7. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

8. HB 1541 (Secretary reads title of bill)

9. 3rd reading of the bill.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

11. Senator Bartulis.

12. SENATOR BARTULIS:

13. Thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Senate. HB
14. 1541, what it does is requires that tax receipts are a...
15. are a separate statement to itemize in counties utilizing
16. electronic computers. The tax is due from the person for
17. each taxing district and would be in addition to the pre-
18. sent requirement of just...itemize the rates. And I know
19. of no opposition to this bill and I would like a favorable
20. roll call.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

22. Is there any discussion? The question is shall HB 1541
23. pass. Upon that question, the Secretary will call the roll.

24. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

25. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
26. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
27. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
28. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
29. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
30. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
31. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
32. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
33. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,

Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

2. Netsch, aye. Harris, aye. Bruce, aye. Buzbee, aye.
3. Dougherty, aye. On that question, the ayes are 39, the nays
4. are none. HB 1541 having received a constitutional majority
5. is declared passed. 1560.

6. SECRETARY:

7. HB 1560 (Secretary reads title of bill)

8. 3rd reading of the bill.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

10. This bill would require guardians and parents to register
11. their children at age 3 with the local district so that the
12. school district could have a head count on what's coming up
13. in the way of classroom space in the next couple of years.
14. Is there any questions or discussion, I'd try to answer them.
15. Senator Buzbee.

16. SENATOR BUZBEE:

17. I'm sorry, Mr. President. Is this the bill that requires
18. everybody to register their 3 year old children with the school
19. district?

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

21. Senator Weaver will be at his desk in just a moment.

22. SENATOR WEAVER:

23. That's true, Senator Buzbee.

24. SENATOR BUZBEE:

25. Yes, well...I'd like to point out that I think that's a
26. tremendous invasion that we're making on people that every 3
27. year old child in every school district in the state will have
28. to go up and register their children with the school district.
29. Now, I realize that the thrust of the bill is aimed at getting
30. at children who need special education care but still the bill
31. requires that every 3 year old child be registered. And, I
32. don't believe that most school authorities would really like
33. to have that. I know I certainly don't relish the thought of

1. running up and getting my 4 year old registered. You know
2. I think it's one more step of where...government intrusion.
3. Where, pretty soon we're going to have everybody registered
4. and tatoood upon birth so that we're...they're easy to
5. identify so we won't have any problems with them all through
6. life. I oppose the bill vehemently.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

8. Senator Weaver. What kind of opposition was that?
9. Senator Weaver.

10. SENATOR WEAVER:

11. Everybody's entitled to one bad bill a Session.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

13. The...Senator Shapiro.

14. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

15. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, you know there
16. really isn't too much that can be said for or against this
17. bill. There's really not much substance there other than
18. the fact that it is a bad bill and should be defeated.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

20. The question before the Senate is shall 1560 pass. The
21. Secretary will call the roll.

22. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

23. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, Chew,
24. Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty,
25. Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth Hall, Hynes,
26. Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Latherow, McBroom,
27. McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch,
28. Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman, Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner,
29. Rock, Roe, Romano, Saperstein, Savickas,...

30. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

31. Saperstein, aye.

32. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

33. Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith, Sommer, Soper, Sours,

1. Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver, Welsh, Wooten,
2. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
3. Senator Weaver.
4. ACTING SECRETARY:
5. Mr. President.
6. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
7. Senator Glass, aye. Senator Graham, no. Senator Wooten,
8. aye. Senator Weaver, no. Senator Latherow, no. Senator
9. Harris do you want to change your vote?
10. SENATOR HARRIS:
11. Since it will have no effect on the ultimate roll call
12. and outcome I'd like to change my vote from aye to no.
13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
14. Leave is granted. Senator Weaver.
15. SENATOR WEAVER:
16. This bill came through the House with no dissenting votes.
17. I can't understand what's wrong with it.
18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
19. He voted no...Senator Weaver did. Senator Latherow.
20. SENATOR LATHEROW:
21. Mr. President. if he objects to those no votes in there
22. I'll gladly take mine off.
23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
24. You'll vote present? No you're voting no all right. On
25. this question, the yeas were 2, the nays were 13. The bill
26. having failed to receive the constitutional majority required
27. is therefore declared lost. Next bill will be 1556, Senator
28. Netsch may we be back in order please. That was a nice little
29. interlude but let's get back to the job.
30. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):
31. HB 1556 (Secretary reads title of bill)
32. 3rd reading of the bill.
33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1. The lady from Chicago, Senator Netsch may explain her bill.
2. We just read your bill.
3. SENATOR NETSCH:
4. No...no this is not my' bill.
5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
6. It isn't?
7. SENATOR NETSCH:
8. 1566.
9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
10. 1556.
11. SENATOR NETSCH:
12. I'm sorry, I had told Mr...Pr...Senator Weaver when he
13. was presiding, would he please hold it.
14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
15. Did you tell him that? He didn't...
16. SENATOR NETSCH:
17. I did te...and he told me he would hold it. But then
18. he got all confused with that tremendously important bill
19. that he just had and...
20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
21. We'll take it out of the record. I'm holding it. Yes
22. take it out of the record. Next bill will be 1565. Read by
23. title 1565.
24. SECRETARY:
25. HB 1565 (Secretary reads title of bill)
26. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
27. Well, I'll be doggoned. You have a motion? Well while
28. we're on it...I think you mentioned that to me, Senator.
29. SENATOR MCCARTHY:
30. I wanted to bring this bill back to 2nd reading for the
31. purpose of attaching a...for...just bring it back to 2nd
32. reading.
33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

1. You...you'd rather do that at a later time when we're
2. on that order of business. I'm sorry we had to discuss that
3. Senator. That'll be taken out of the record. Next. Senator
4. Course is not here. Senator Weaver, we have another bill
5. here on the Calendar, 1592. What's your response? Senator
6. Weaver, are you prepared on 1592?

7. SENATOR WEAVER:

8. Yes, this is a good bill.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

10. Read it by title a 3rd time.

11. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

12. HB 1592 (Secretary reads title of bill)

13. 3rd reading of the bill.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

15. The Senator from Urbana.

16. SENATOR WEAVER:

17. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, this allows for
18. interns to teach in local school districts after they've had
19. a bachelors degree and are working on a masters degree. I
20. know of no opposition. I'd appreciate a favorable roll call.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

22. Is...no further discussion. The question before the
23. Senate is shall HB 1592 pass. Secretary will call the roll.

24. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

25. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, Chew,
26. Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty,
27. Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth Hall, Hynes, Johns,
28. Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy,
29. Merritt, Mitchler, Howard Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse,
30. Nimrod, Nudelman, Ozinga Palmer, Partee, Regner,

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

32. Palmer, aye.

33. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

1. Rock, Roe, Romano, Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl,
2. Shapiro, Smith, Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene,
3. Walker, Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

5. Kosinski, aye. Palmer, voted aye. Did you get him?
6. Netsch, aye. Sommer, aye. Latherow, aye. On this question
7. the yeas were 33, the nays were none. The bill having re-
8. ceived the constitutional majority required is declared
9. passed. Senator Wooten, are you prepared? Read 1593 by
10. title a 3rd time.

11. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

12. HB 1593 (Secretary reads title of bill)
13. 3rd reading of the bill.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

15. The Senator from Rock Island will explain his bill.

16. SENATOR WOOTEN:

17. This is a nonappropriated item...or nonbudgeted item I
18. should say to pay 10% of the total cost of a grade separation
19. in East Moline to widen the street in Hampton Township. The
20. town of East Moline is rather effectively cut in half by a
21. railroad. This bill was put in by the 3 Representatives from
22. my district. It is something we have discussed a long time
23. in the area. I don't know that it is in the Governor's plans
24. but I placed the bill for your consideration after it passed
25. out of House Committee unanimously and received an overwhelming
26. vote in the House.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

28. Question before the Senate is shall 1593 pass. Secretary
29. will call the roll.

30. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

31. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, Chew,
32. Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
33. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth Hall,
Johns, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,

1. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
2. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman, Ozinga,
3. Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano, Saperstein,
4. Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith, Sommer, Soper,
5. Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver, Welsh, Wooten,
6. Mr. President.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

8. Senator Buzbee, aye.

9. SENATOR BUZBEE:

10. I'm sorry. I know we're in the roll call but I did
11. miss part of the discussion. Is this an appropriated item?

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

13. It said it was not. Senator Nudelman, aye. Palmer,
14. aye. Bruce, aye. If we had a Senator Black we'd have some
15. fun wouldn't we. On this question, the yeas were 21, the
16. nay were 2. The bill having failed to receive the constitu-
17. tional majority is therefore declared lost. 1595. Read it
18. by title a 3rd time.

19. SECRETARY:

20. SB 1595 (Secretary reads title of bill)
21. 3rd reading of the bill.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

23. Senator from Chicago, Senator Daley.

24. SENATOR DALEY:

25. Mr. President, fellow Senators, this bill authorizes
26. the appropriations from the Public Utility Fund to the
27. Illinois Commerce Commission for the administration of the
28. Illinois Gas Pipeline Safety Act. There hasn't been any...
29. no opposition in regards to this bill. It passed out unani-
30. mously in the Appropriations Committee. I'd ask for a favor-
31. able roll call.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

33. Any discussion? If not the question shall be shall 1595
pass. HB 1595. The Secretary will call the roll.

1. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):
2. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
3. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
4. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
5. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
6. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
7. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
8. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
9. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
10. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
11. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

13. Bartulis, aye. Glass, aye. Netsch, aye. Wooten, aye.
14. Buzbee, aye. Swinarski, aye. Sure give the sponsor a thrill
15. don't they Daley? On this question the yeas were 42, the
16. nays were none. And the bill having received the constitutional
17. majority required is therefore declared passed. The next
18. bill will be HB 1601. Read by title a 3rd time.

19. SECRETARY:

20. HB 1601 (Secretary reads title of bill)
21. 3rd reading of the bill.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

23. Senator from Joliet, Senator Bell.

24. SENATOR BELL:

25. Excuse me. Yes, Mr. President, Members of the Senate,
26. HB 1601 commends the Illinois Insurance Code of 1937 as
27. your synopsis says. Actually it gets into a rather technical
28. area here in that it changes the interest rates of the non-
29. forfeiture valuation and they specify new annuity mortality
30. tables. Now, by increasing the interest rate in your non-
31. forfeiture tables what you are in fact doing is you're allowing
32. the cash reserves that go in those annuity and those endowment
33. policies to be decreased because the interest rate will rise and so

1. at a specified time in the future there will be in fact the
2. guaranteed amount called for. It still works out the same
3. way. What in fact has taken place is that the interest rate
4. is bearing more of the burden. Now, when this change has
5. been accomplished, what we have done is we have allowed
6. the cost of annuity, single payment endowment contracts if
7. a company so desires to drop slightly it then becomes mean-
8. ingful because our insuring public can procure these con-
9. tracts on a possibly lower cost basis, because the interest
10. rates are in fact carrying a heavier burden. It's good leg-
11. islation. It's for the consumer and I certainly urge a favor-
12. able roll call.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

14. Any discussion? Question is shall HB 1601 pass.

15. Secretary will call the roll.

16. SECRETARY:

17. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
18. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
19. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
20. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
21. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
22. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
23. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
24. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
25. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
26. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

28. Schaffer, aye. On this question, the yeas were 35, the
29. nays were none. The bill having received the constitutional
30. majority required is therefore declared passed. Next bill
31. will be Senator Saperstein's bill. 1616. Senator are you
32. prepared? Read the bill by title a 3rd time.

33. SECRETARY:

1. HB 1616 (Secretary reads title of bill)
2. 3rd reading of the bill.
3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
4. Senator Saperstein.
5. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:
6. This bill merely replaces the Director of Revenue with
7. the Director of the Budget on the School Study Commission.
8. I urge your support.
9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
10. Any discussion? The question is shall HB 1616 pass.
11. Secretary will call the roll.
12. SECRETARY:
13. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, Chew,
14. Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
15. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth Hall,
16. Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Latherow,
17. McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Don Moore, sorry, Howard
18. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman, Ozinga,
19. Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano, Saperstein,
20. Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith, Sommer, Soper,
21. Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver, Welsh, Wooten,
22. Mr. President.
23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
24. Kenneth...Senator Kenneth Hall, aye. Senator Daley,
25. aye. Senator Bruce, aye. On this question, the yeas were
26. 42, the nays were none. The bill having received the con-
27. stitutional majority required is declared passed. Senator
28. Bruce, are you prepared? HB 1616 read by title a 3rd time.
29. SECRETARY:
30. HB 1617...
31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
32. ...1617, I'm sorry.
33. SECRETARY:

1. HB 1617 (Secretary reads title of bill)
2. 3rd reading of the bill.
3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
4. Senator from Olney will explain his bill.
5. SENATOR BRUCE:
6. I've been requested to hold the bill. I'll happily
7. do so.
8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
9. I see that...I see you have the telephone there.
10. Take it out of the record. 1626 will be the next bill. Are you
11. prepared, Senator or do you want to...proceed? 1626.
12. SECRETARY:
13. HB 1626 (Secretary reads title of bill)
14. 3rd reading of the bill.
15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
16. Senator from Decatur will explain his bill.
17. SENATOR MCCARTHY:
18. Yes, Mr. President, I'll try. This bill is subject to
19. a referendum so ... you want to keep that in mind. It has
20. to do with the establishment of new school districts, kinder-
21. garten through 12. And, if there is a referendum that it
22. raises the rate for educational and operation purposes to
23. 2% and to 3.75. Because the referendum provision is involved,
24. it received no objection in the House or in the Education
25. Committee and I know of no objection to it.
26. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
27. Any discussion? Senator Harris.
28. SENATOR HARRIS:
29. ...Senator McCarthy...do you have the information of
30. what the existing tax rate is without referendum?
31. SENATOR MCCARTHY:
32. I defer you to Senator...
33. SENATOR HARRIS:

1. I...I mean with referendum I sorry. The present one.
2. This bill seeks to increase it. Isn't that correct?

3. SENATOR MCCARTHY:

4. Well, this was only for new districts. Where it is...Yes
5. it does.

6. SENATOR HARRIS:

7. And the application of this bill would be to ... if it
8. becomes law, it would affect all districts would it not?

9. SENATOR MCCARTHY:

10. Only new districts is my understanding, but I'll defer
11. to Senator Hynes. He...he was just telling be about the bill.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

13. Senator Hynes, can you answer the question of the
14. President of the Senate?

15. SENATOR HYNES:

16. Well I certainly will try. There is ... this section
17. applies to a new district that is established pursuant to
18. petition and referendum. And, it permits the district to
19. levy the taxes mentioned without referendum...without a
20. subsequent referendum. By the 1st referendum they are
21. automatically given the power to levy that tax. It does in-
22. crease it from what it was before, in terms of the creation
23. of new districts but the other level was unreasonably low in
24. terms of what all of the other school districts in the state
25. are levying. The facts would be if we leave the bill alone,
26. the district would go would go through a referendum to be
27. created and then subsequently would need another one in order
28. to get an adequate tax rate.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

30. Senator Harris. Senator Latherow.

31. SENATOR HARRIS:

32. I'll yield to Senator Shapiro. ...

33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1. Senator Shapiro.

2. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

3. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I...I'd like to
4. reiterate what Senator Hynes has said. An existing unit
5. district can now go to a 1.6 without referendum. Anything
6. above that, they need a referendum. Now, in the...in most
7. unit districts are above the 1.6. Now, in the establish-
8. ment of a new unit district, you know that's just being
9. created, it has to be done by referendum and the tax rate
10. has to be established by referendum and can be any rate up
11. to \$2.00, which is a realistic figure. There's nothing that they
12. can impose upon their taxpayers without a referendum. I
13. think the bill is a reasonable bill and should be approved.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

15. Senator Latherow. Any further discuss...Senator Harris.

16. SENATOR HARRIS:

17. Well, I just want to make clear there are some members
18. on this side of the aisle that had come to me and raised some
19. objections about this. I think the explanation is adequate
20. here and we certainly have no party position on this bill. I
21. intend to support it. I've been reassured. No. 1 that the
22. formation, I think this has been explained here to my satis-
23. faction, the formation of the new district is subject to the
24. same referendum local initiative requirements now, no change
25. in that. Plus the fact that this just this new district so
26. formed would have slightly higher taxing rates than existing
27. districts K-12 but it would only be produced as a result of
28. referendum is that a correct understanding? Ok. Thank you.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

30. The question before the Senate is shall HB 1626 pass.
31. Secretary will call the roll.

32. SECRETARY:

33. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,

1. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
2. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
3. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
4. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
5. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
6. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
7. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
8. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
9. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

11. Palmer, aye. Weaver, aye. On this question, the yeas
12. were 39, the nays were none. Bill having received the con-
13. stitutional majority required is therefore declared passed.
14. Next bill would seem to be HB 1635. Senator Swinarski, are
15. you prepared to have that called. Read the bill by title.

16. SECRETARY:

17. HB 1635 (Secretary reads title of bill)
18. 3rd reading of the bill.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

20. Senator Swinarski.

21. SENATOR SWINARSKI:

22. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I know of no
23. objection to this bill and I ask for a favorable roll call.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

25. Senator Harris. I think your assumption is wrong,
26. Senator.

27. SENATOR HARRIS:

28. Well, we have some serious questions about the cost of
29. this. This mandates this ... re...mandates this coverage.
30. The fire protection districts are constantly communicating
31. that they don't have enough money to do the things that they
32. have to perform now. I would just say that if this bill
33. had an optional provision in it rather than a mandated

1. provision, might be something that could be supported. But
2. in the terms of this direct requireemnt to provide this life
3. and disability coverage, incidently I'm not certain off the
4. top of my head, but I believe that we have included this
5. State compensation for policemen to now include firemen
6. who lose their lives in the course of their duty would include
7. fire protection district personnel whether they're volunteer
8. or full-time firemen. So, there's already a State commit-
9. ment to this State program, I believe, as relates to fire
10. protection districts. But, I just point this out that this
11. imposes a significant additional increase on fire protection
12. districts and would urge a very, very careful thought before
13. we mandate this additional requirement for fire protection
14. districts to perform.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

16. Senator Latherow.

17. SENATOR LATHEROW:

18. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I too rise in
19. opposition to this piece of legislation. The volunteer fire
20. districts in my area are appealing to all the local govern-
21. mental bodies for a part of their Federal revenue sharing as
22. you know by some legislation that's in here. I think we'd
23. better be rather careful in passing this bill.

24. SENATOR SWINARSKI:

25. Mr. President...

26. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

27. Senator Swinarski. If there're any further questions?
28. There are no further questions...

29. SENATOR SWINARSKI:

30. Mr. President. Before the...Mr. President.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

32. You're going to get a chance right now.

33. SENATOR SWINARSKI:

1. Working...working in conjunction with the Volunteer
2. Fire Association of the State of Illinois and some of the
3. fire protection districts, I'd like the opportunity to con-
4. sult the leadership on the other side of the aisle. And,
5. I'd like this taken from the record at this time and I think
6. perhaps we can work something out at a later date.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

8. We'll take it from the record. Senator Mitchler would
9. like 1640 read a 3rd time by title.

10. SECRETARY:

11. HB 1640 (Secretary reads title of bill)
12. 3rd reading of the bill.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

14. The Senator from Oswego.

15. SENATOR MITCHLER:

16. Yes, HB 1640 does just that. Now, we've had 2 amendments
17. on that take out the seasonal employees in the work and this
18. is a bill that came from the Labor Laws Study Commission. I
19. would ask for a favorable roll call.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

21. There is no further discussion. The question is shall
22. HB 1640 pass. Secretary will call the roll.

23. SECRETARY:

24. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
25. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
26. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
27. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
28. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
29. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
30. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
31. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
32. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
33. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

2. Buzbee, aye. Romano, aye. Soper, aye. Berning, aye.
3. McCarthy, aye. McBroom, aye. On this question, the yeas
4. were 36, the nays were 2. The bill having received the con-
5. stitutional majority required is therefore declared passed.
6. Next bill will be 1643Be read by title a 3rd time.

7. SECRETARY:

8. HB 1643 (Secretary reads title of bill)
9. 3rd reading of the bill.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

11. Senator Bartulis.

12. SENATOR BARTULIS:

13. Thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Senate. HB 1643
14. appropriates the sum of \$2,000,000 or so much thereof as may
15. be necessary to the Department of Transportation Division of
16. Water Resource Management for drainage and levee districts
17. whose property received damage caused by the recent floods.
18. And this Act would take effect on July 1, or on becoming law
19. whichever is latter. And, I know about no opposition. I
20. would appreciate a favorable roll call.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

22. Any further discussion? Question is shall HB 1643 pass.
23. Secretary will call the roll.

24. SECRETARY:

25. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
26. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
27. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
28. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
29. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
30. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
31. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
32. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
33. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,

1. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

3. Sommer, aye. Netsch, no. Shapiro, aye. Weaver, aye.
4. Before I announce this roll call Ladies and Gentlemen which
5. was 34 yeas and 2 nays. The bill having received a constitu-
6. tional majority is therefore declared passed. We have now
7. acted on House bills alone today. On 37 ...37 measures...47
8. including the last one. Next bill will be 1649. Be read
9. a 3rd time.

10. SECRETARY:

11. HB 1649 (Secretary reads title of bill)
12. 3rd reading of the bill.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

14. Senator McCarthy.

15. SENATOR MCCARTHY:

16. Yes, Mr. President, Members of the Body, HB 1649 amends
17. the Act in Relation to Township Organization, giving the
18. township additional permissive power. The bill is permis-
19. sive in nature and it No. 1 allows the township to acquire
20. property for the purposes of creating an industrial park.
21. It doesn't give them condemnation rights however. And the
22. 2nd is it extends the powers of the township where they can
23. expend Federal funds for swimming pools and other recreational
24. authority. The bill passed out of Local Government Committee
25. unanimously and I would appreciate a favorable vote.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

27. Any discussion? Senator Berning.

28. SENATOR BERNING:

29. Just one question please. I don't seem to be able to
30. locate my copy of the bill. Does this or does this not
31. authorize the township to go beyond it's own boundaries to
32. acquire property?

33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1. Senator McCarthy.

2. SENATOR MCCARTHY:

3. I don't think so. The only thing it can do is acquire
4. the land within it's township limits. But, then go together
5. with a city in forming the industrial park. So, Senator
6. Berning, I don't think...I feel quite confident it doesn't
7. give it any jurisdiction outside of it's limits, but if
8. you've got a township in a city that...the unincorporated
9. and the incorporated areas, they can then go together and
10. form this industrial park.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

12. Senator Berning. Any further discussion? The question
13. is shall HB 1649 pass. On that question, Secretary will
14. call the roll. :

15. SECRETARY:

16. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
17. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
18. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
19. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
20. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
21. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
22. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
23. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
24. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
25. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

27. Shapiro, aye. Palmer, aye. Hynes, aye. On this
28. question, the yeas were 38, the yeas were none. The bill
29. having received the constitutional majority is therefore
30. declared passed. Next bill will be 1651...1651.

31. SECRETARY:

32. HB 1651. (Secretary reads title of bill.)

33. 3rd reading of the bill.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

2. Senator Buzbee.

3. SENATOR BUZBEE:

4. Thank you, Mr. President. This bill makes provision
5. for the election of the trustees of an educational service
6. regions. Requires 7 trustees, follows the current law of
7. assuring the regional representation by trustees that is by
8. townships in the single county region. Where 2 or more
9. counties consolidate into a multi-county region, it provides
10. one ... 2 county region at least 2 shall be from residents
11. of each county. 2nd would be 3 or more county region at
12. least 1 trustee from each county. Where there's more than
13. 7 county region increases the number of trustees to provide
14. that 1 trustee shall reside in each county. The trustees
15. are elected district-wide, as they now are with various
16. townships represented. Originally the Secretary of State
17. ...the Index Division was opposed to the bill because it put
18. a tremendous work load on them, but the bill has since been
19. amended and they are now...favor the bill. And I would
20. ask for a favorable roll call.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

22. Any discussion? Senator Bruce.

23. SENATOR BRUCE:

24. Yes, I wonder if, Senator Buzbee, does it still require
25. the petitions be filed with the State Electoral Board rather
26. than the County Clerk and can you explain why that was done.
27. ...We have many multi-county districts and we select either
28. the largest or where the majority of the members or designate
29. the Sec...the County Clerk, and, this is the State Electoral
30. Board. The other part of my question is in the event the
31. State Electoral is not developed, with whom would they file
32. to even fill these positions.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1. Senator Buzbee.

2. SENATOR BUZBEE:

3. The amendment on page 3 line 18, trustees shall be

4. filed by petition filed with the County Clerk in the case

5. of a single county region and in the case of multi-county

6. regions, with the Secretary of State. So in single county

7. regions it's with the County Clerk and multi-county regions

8. it's with the Secretary of State. Does that answer your

9. question?

10. SENATOR BRUCE:

11. Ok ...Now...

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

13. I think ...the Senator Bruce ...

14. SENATOR BRUCE:

15. Fine. That clears the problem up for me. Thank you.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

17. Any further discussion? The question is shall HB 1651

18. pass. Secretary will call the roll.

19. SECRETARY:

20. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,

21. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,

22. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth

23. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,

24. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard

25. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,

26. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,

27. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,

28. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,

29. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

31. Kosinski, aye. Sommer, aye. On this question, the yeas

32. are 45, the nays are none. The bill having received the con-

33. stitutional majority required is therefore declared passed.

1. Next bill will be 1654.

2. SECRETARY:

3. HB 1654 (Secretary reads title of bill)

4. 3rd reading of the bill.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

6. Senator Buzbee.

7. SENATOR BUZBEE:

8. Yes Mr. President, what this bill does is it requires
9. the Educational Service Region to formulate within one year
10. after the effective date of this Act a plan for the maintenance
11. and preservation of the buildings of the school districts.
12. Such plans shall include provisions for the inspection of the
13. buildings at reasonable times. And I would ask for a favorable
14. roll call.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

16. Senator Weaver.

17. SENATOR WEAVER:

18. Mr. President, this is one of those bills that deserves
19. about the same fate that HB 1560 received. It serves no
20. useful purpose and I would certainly hope we could give
21. it at least 2 votes.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

23. Senator Rock.

24. SENATOR ROCK:

25. Yes Mr. President, that was going to be my suggestion,
26. that this bill get the Weaver treatment. It is totally
27. meaningless.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

29. Senator Bruce.

30. SENATOR BRUCE:

31. Yes, I'd like to Weaverize this bill myself. It's
32. an absolutely useless piece of legislation.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1. Question before the Senate is shall 16...Senator
2. Wooten, do you have a contribution?
3. SENATOR WOOTEN:
4. Just a question. Did this pass out of the House
5. unanimously?
6. SENATOR BUZBEE:
7. I really don't know. But I would ask for more than
8. 2 votes. I plan to vote for the bill.
9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
10. Question is shall HB 1654 pass. Secretary will call
11. the roll.
12. SECRETARY:
13. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, Chew,
14. Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty,
15. Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth Hall, Hynes,
16. Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Latherow,
17. McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard Mohr, Don
18. Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman, Ozinga, Palmer,
19. Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano, Saperstein, Savickas,
20. Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith, Sommer,
21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
22. We can't hear...we can't hear your response to the roll
23. call.
24. SECRETARY:
25. Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver,
26. Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
28. Johns, no, I just voted you no. Aye. He votes aye.
29. Johns was aye. On this question, we didn't break the pre-
30. vious record, the yeas are 7, the nays are 13. The bill
31. having failed to receive the constitutional majority required
32. is therefore declared lost. The next bill will be 1655. Read
33. by title a 3rd time for Senator Bartulis.

1. SECRETARY:

2. HB 1655 (Secretary reads title of bill)

3. 3rd reading of the bill.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

5. Senator Bartulis.

6. SENATOR BARTULIS:

7. Yes, Mr. President, Members of the Senate, HB 1655 is
8. a bill that would provide the solicitation of political con-
9. tributions by a State Mine Inspector would be a misdemeanor
10. rather than a felony. There's no other department with such
11. restrictions and this will be more...more or less in line.
12. And, it has 1 amendment. And, the amendment reads that we'll
13. open up the position of member of the Mine Examining Board
14. so that some of those who have been laid off due to mine
15. closings would be eligible. And, it passed the House about
16. 114 to 2 and I would like a favorable roll call.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

18. Any further discussion? Question before the Senate is
19. shall HB 1655...Senator Buzbee.

20. SENATOR BUZBEE:

21. Mr. President, I believe that there were to be amendments
22. put on this bill. Is that right? Have they been put on?

23. SENATOR BARTULIS:

24. Yeah. I just read it.

25. SENATOR BUZBEE:

26. I'm sorry. I missed that. I just wanted to make sure
27. they had been put on.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

29. Question is shall HB 1655...Senator Bartulis.

30. SENATOR BARTULIS:

31. I would appreciate a favorable roll call.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

33. Senator Bartulis said...just a moment. You may

1. have your conference there. Secretary informs me there are
2. no amendments on the bill. Might have been amended in the
3. House. It was amended in the House. Senator Buzbee.
4. Question is shall HB 1655 pass. Secretary will call the
5. roll.

6. SECRETARY:

7. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
8. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
9. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
10. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
11. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
12. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
13. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
14. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
15. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
16. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

18. Regner, aye. Shapiro, aye. Conolly, aye. Soper, aye.
19. Been a request for a poll of the absentees. The absentees will
20. be called.

21. SECRETARY:

22. Carroll, Chew, Clarke, Course, Daley, Donnewald, Dougherty,

23. SENATOR DOUGHERTY:

24. Dougherty, aye.

25. SECRETARY:

26. Fawell, Harber Hall, Kenneth Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan,
27. Knuepfer, Howard Mohr, Netsch, Newhouse, Ozinga, Palmer,
28. Partee,

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

30. Palmer, aye.

31. SECRETARY:

32. Rock, Savickas, Schaffer, Smith, Sours, Swinarski,
33. Walker, Welsh.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

2. Clarke, aye. Welsh, aye. Donnewald, aye. Schaffer,
3. aye. Vadalabene, aye. On this question, the yeas are 36,
4. the nays are none. The bill having received the constitu-
5. tional majority required is therefore declared passed. The
6. next bill will be HB 1676 be read a 3rd time by title for
7. Senator Kenneth Hall.

8. SECRETARY:

9. HB 1676 (Secretary reads title of bill)
10. 3rd reading of the bill.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

12. Senator Kenneth Hall.

13. SENATOR KENNETH HALL:

14. Thank you, Mr. Chairman...Mr. President, Members of the
15. Senate. This bill is designed to eliminate a serious problem
16. which exists in St. Clair County. More specifically, a rail-
17. road grade crossing referred to as the Alton & Southern Rail-
18. road Crossing of Missouri Avenue in Alorton, Illinois. Now
19. I realize there are proposals for grade separations for var-
20. ious locations throughout the state, however, this bill is
21. unique in the fact that it addresses itself. I would ask
22. for a most favorable roll call.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

24. The question before the Senate is shall HB 1676 pass.
25. Upon that the Secretary will call the roll.

26. SECRETARY:

27. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
28. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
29. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
30. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
31. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
32. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
33. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,

1. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
2. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
3. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten. Mr. President.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

5. Shapiro, aye. Upon this question, the yeas were 36,
6. the nays were none. The bill having received the constitu-
7. tional majority required is therefore declared passed.
8. We'll,...were now going to go to the order of Senate Bills
9. 3rd. And, some of you have asked the Chair about going to
10. the order of calling House Bills back from 3rd reading for
11. amendments. The Secretary's office has suggested that we
12. do not burden them with additional hours of labor today
13. in that regard and that perhaps we yield to them and pro-
14. ceed upon that order of business Monday morning, because
15. every bill we call back makes them stay another 1/2 hour
16. longer getting it transcribed. Let's see what we do with
17. these. Next order of business will be Senate Bills on 3rd
18. reading. SB 370, Senator Donnewald. Has the bill been yet?

19. SECRETARY:

20. SB 370 (Secretary reads title of bill)
21. 3rd reading of the bill.

22. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

23. This is the ordinary and contingent expenses for the De-
24. partment of General Services. It's been amended and reamended
25. and looked over and relooked over and I'd appreciate a favor-
26. able roll call.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

28. Any further discussion? The question before the Senate
29. is shall SB 370 pass. Secretary will call the roll.

30. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

31. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, Chew,
32. Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald, Dougherty,
33. Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth Hall, Hynes, Johns,

1. Keegan, Kneupfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, Latherow, McBroom,
2. McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch,
3. Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,...

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

5. We can hardly hear Gentlemen, Ladies, please.

6. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

7. Ozinga, Palmer, Par...Partee, Regner, Rock,

8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

9. May we be in our seats just a few moments longer please.

10. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

11. Roe,

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

13. Gentlemen, please. May we be in our seats? You're not
14. listening.

15. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):

16. Romano, Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro,
17. Smith, Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
18. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

20. Rock, aye. Kenneth Hall, aye. On this question...the
21. yeas are 42, the nays are none. Bill having received the con-
22. stitutional majority required is therefore declared passed.
23. Is it now the intent that we call SB 1191? All right, hold
24. it. Next bill will be SB 1191. Senator Saperstein, for what
25. purpose do you rise? Please, may we have some order?

26. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

27. Mr. President....

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

29. Senator Saperstein.

30. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

31. Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate,
32. I would ask leave to put SB 1191...move it back to 2nd read-
33. ing for the purposes of Tabling a duplication...a duplicated

1. amendment, No. 5.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

3. You've heard the request of Senator Saperstein. Is
4. leave granted? Leave is granted. The bill will be placed
5. on the order of 2nd reading. Senator Saperstein.

6. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

7. I would now like leave to Table Amendment 5 to House...
8. SB 1191. This is a duplication of an Amendment No. 10.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

10. Senator Saperstein moves to reconsider the vote by
11. which Amendment No. 5 was adopted. SB 1191, is leave granted?
12. Senator Saperstein now moves to Table Amendment No. 5 to
13. SB 1191. All in favor of Tabling the motion signify by
14. saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it and the amendment
15. is Tabled. The bill will be returned to 3rd reading.

16. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

17. Thank you.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

19. Senator Harris.

20. SENATOR HARRIS:

21. ...fore intervening business, we could consider the
22. concurrence to SB 308 if Senator Vadalabene is on the Floor.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

24. We have some intervening business but if...that's
25. your desire.

26. SENATOR HARRIS:

27. Well, let's go ahead and get that off the Calendar.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

29. Senator Wooten.

30. SENATOR HARRIS:

31. That one concurrence where...not going to burden us
32. with any more but on the Secretary's desk, SB 308.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

Senator Vadalabene, are you prepared?

SENATOR VADALABENE:

1. Yes, thank you, Mr. President, and Members of the
2. Senate. I would like to make a motion to concur in House
3. Amendment ... in a House Amendment No. 1 and House Amendment
4. No. 2 to SB 308. And ... if you will I will give you a small
5. explanation of both amendments. One is a cut in the appropria-
6. tion in the amount of \$60,000 which everyone is in agreement
7. with and also the other...the 2nd amendment is the added pay
8. clause amendment. And I wish to concur in the amendments that
9. were adopted in the House.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

11. Senator Vadalabene, moves that the Senate do concur in
12. Amendment No. 1 and 2 on SB 308. Secretary will call the roll.

13. SECRETARY:

14. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
15. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
16. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
17. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
18. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
19. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
20. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
21. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
22. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
23. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

25. On this question, the yeas are 39 the nays are none.
26. And, the motion to concur prevails. SB 1191, Senator
27. Saperstein.

28. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

29. Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate...

30. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

31. Have you read it yet?

32. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

33. ...SB 1191 is the fiscal year's 1974 appropriation for

1. the Department of Mental Health as amended. I urge your
2. support.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

4. Has it been read by title yet?

5. SECRETARY:

6. SB 1191 (Secretary reads title of bill)

7. 3rd reading of the bill.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

9. All in favor ... The before the Senate is now shall
10. SB 1191 pass. Secretary will call the roll.

11. SECRETARY:

12. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
13. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
14. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
15. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
16. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
17. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
18. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
19. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
20. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
21. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

23. On this question, the yeas are 41, the nays are none.
24. The bill having received the constitutional majority required
25. is declared passed. Senator Wooten.

26. SENATOR WOOTEN:

27. Mr. President, I move that the Senate to refuse concur
28. in House Amendment No. 1 to SB 556.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

30. You have heard the motion of Senator Wooten, that we
31. refuse to concur in the House Amendment to SB 556 and the
32. House be so advised. All in favor signify by saying aye.
33. Opposed, the ayes have it and the House be so advised.

1. We have some business on the Secretary's Table. Message
2. from the House.
3. SECRETARY:
4. (Secretary reads Message from the House)
5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
6. Senator Harris.
7. SENATOR HARRIS:
8. Mr. President, I am going to move to adopt this Joint
9. Resolution and I just want to say to everyone that yesterday
10. and today you were really great about being as close to our
11. reconvention time as we've perhaps been all year. I commit
12. myself absolutely to you that at 10:00 Monday the gavel will
13. fall and we'll begin our activity. This will give us 2 hours
14. in advance of noon to get some work done. You've just been
15. magnificent today. This resolution provides for convening
16. at 10:00 on Monday and we're going to do just that. I move
17. the adoption of the resolution.
18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
19. All in favor of the motion by Senator Harris, signify
20. by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it, the resolution
21. is adopted. Just to give you a run down on today before we
22. go to the Secretary's desk. 49 passed. 5 lost, 3 post-
23. poned. 1 concurrence. 1 nonconcurrence and that's a pretty
24. good days work. Mr. Secretary.
25. SECRETARY:
26. (Secretary reads Motion to Reconsider)
27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
28. Resolutions. Let's take the congratulatory Resolutions
29. all...read them...sponsors name and maybe we can dispose of
30. them quickly.
31. SECRETARY:
32. Senate Resolution 226 by Senator Shapiro and 227 by
33. Senator Partee. They're both congratulatory.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

2. Senator Shapiro asks that all the Senators join in
3. sponsorship of this resolution. Ask for leave of the Senate
4. for immediate consideration of the resolution. Is leave
5. granted? Leave is granted. Senator Shapiro now moves for
6. the immediate adoption of the resolution. All in favor
7. signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it and the
8. resolution is adopted. Next resolution.

9. SECRETARY:

10. Senate Resolution 227. Senator Partee.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

12. Senator Partee would request all the members of the
13. Senate to join in sponsorship of this congratulatory resolu-
14. tion and ask leave of the Body for immediate consideration.
15. Is leave granted? Leave is granted. The minority leader now
16. ask for adoption of the resolution. All in favor signify by
17. saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it and the resolution is
18. adopted. We have one death resolution and I would like to
19. clean up all of the business now. Any announcements before
20. we read it because that will be our adjournment resolution.
21. Senator Bruce.

22. SENATOR BRUCE:

23. Yes, I had 2 motions. ... I've spoken with Senator Harris
24. on HB 780. I now move to suspend the rules and take from the
25. Table HB 780 and have it put on the order of 2nd reading. That
26. is the administration bill on pesticides. Senator Mitchler is
27. aware of it. There was some confusion in committee.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

29. Leave is granted.

30. SENATOR BRUCE:

31. 2nd motion motion I'd like to have the Committee on
32. Appropriation...

33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1. Let's ...let's put this in the Journal. SB 780 will
2. be taken from the Secretary's Table and placed on the order
3. of 2nd reading and leave is granted. Yes.

4. SENATOR BRUCE:

5. Right. And I spoke with Senator McBroom HB 1989 is the
6. Appropriation Courts Commission. Like to discharge committee.
7. A similar bill is ... the similar amount is passed out in
8. another bill. No...well...If I may just explain very quickly
9. Senator Harris. The House has deleted the \$15,000 from the
10. Supreme Court appropriation.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

12. Objection has been....

13. SENATOR BRUCE:

14. Fine. Let's have it in committee Tuesday.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

16. Any further business upon...on the Secretary's desk
17. except one resolution. Senator Harris. Senator Harris
18. you have no announcements? Senator Schaffer.

19. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

20. I'd like to move pursuant to Rule 8. I'd like to hereby
21. discharge the Executive Committee from further consideration
22. of HB 1620 and ask that that bill be placed on the order of
23. 2nd reading. I'd like to defer action on this motion ...

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

25. There's been a request and there has...for a suspension...

26. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

27. I was going to ask to have this action deferred until a
28. convenient time next week.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

30. All right. And we will defer action upon that motion
31. until next week. The ... Take it out of the record. What do
32. we have to do now? Mr. Secretary;

33. SECRETARY:

1. Senate Resolution 228 by Senators Davidson and Partee
2. (Secretary reads Senate Resolution 228)

3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

4. Let's be in our seats Gentlemen. Be in our seats,
5. please. For the reading of a death resolution, may we please
6. be seated. Senator Scholl, will you be in your seat please.

7. SECRETARY:

8. (Secretary reads Senate Resolution 228)

9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

10. Senator Davidson.

11. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

12. ..immediate adoption of this resolution. I would like
13. to have all the other Senators join Senator Partee and myself
14. in sponsor of this resolution if they so desire.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

16. ...be so shown. Senator Partee...or Senator Davidson
17. ask for suspension of the rules for the immediate considera-
18. tion of this resolution. Is leave granted. Leave is granted.
19. The rules are suspended. All those in favor of the adoption
20. of the resolution, will signify it by rising. The resolution
21. is adopted and the Senate stands adjourned until 10:00 Monday
22. morning.

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