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STATE OF WISCONSIN

Assembly Journal

Seventy-Eighth Regular Session

THURSDAY, June 1, 1967.

9:30 A.M.

The assembly met.

The speaker in the chair.

The prayer was offered by Assemblyman Heinzen.

Assemblyman Boche led the membership in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States.

The roll was taken.

The result follows:

Present—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Bellante, Belting, Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Bolle, Brown, Clemens, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Dueholm, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Held, Hephner, Huber, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Johnson W. A., Jones, Kafka, Kaufman, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Kessler, Klicka, Kordus, Kunde, Laper, Lewison, Lipscomb, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, McEssy, Manders, Martin, Mathews, Mato, Merkel, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nager, Nitschke, Nuttelman, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Orlich, Pabst, Packard, Parys, Peloquin, Perala, Quinn, Radcliffe, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Sicula, Soik, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Stevenson, Sweda, Thompson, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Van Hollen, Wackett, Warren, Wartinbee, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—97.

Absent with leave—Barbee, Gehrman and McKay—3.

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AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Assembly Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 82 offered by Assemblyman Schwefel.

Assembly Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 82 offered by Assemblyman Schwefel.

Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 694 offered by Assemblymen Kordus, Kunde and Brown.

Assembly Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 82 offered by Assemblyman Mittness.

MOTIONS

Assemblyman McEssy asked unanimous consent that Assembly Bill 335 be withdrawn from joint committee on Finance and placed on the calendar. Granted.

Assemblyman Wackett asked unanimous consent that Assembly Bill 455 be withdrawn from joint committee on Finance and placed on the calendar. Granted.

Assemblyman Obey asked unanimous consent that Assembly Bill 82 be withdrawn from the committee on State Affairs and placed on the calendar.

Assemblyman Lewison objected.

Assemblyman Obey moved that Assembly Bill 82 be withdrawn from the committee on State Affairs and placed on the calendar.

The question was: Shall Assembly Bill 82 be withdrawn from the committee on State Affairs and placed on the calendar?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Baldus, Bolle, Brown, Dueholm, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Hephner, Huber, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kaufman, Kavanaugh, Kessler, Kordus, Kunde, Lipscomb, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, Manders, Mathews, Mato, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Obey, O'Malley, Orlich, Pabst, Parys, Peloquin, Perala, Radcliffe, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Sicula, Stevenson, Sweda, Tobiasz, Vanderperren and Warren—46.

Noes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Azim, Bellante, Belting,

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Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Clemens, Conradt, Devitt, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Heinzen, Held, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Kafka, Kenyon, Klicka, Laper, Lewison, McEssy, Martin, Merkel, Nitschke, Nuttelman, Olson, Packard, Quinn, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Soik, Steinhilber, Thompson, Uehling, Van Hollen, Wackett, Wartinbee, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—48.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Doughty, Gehrman, McKay, Nager and Stalbaum—6.

Motion failed.

Assemblyman Boche requested that he be recorded as voting, "Aye" on adoption of Assembly Amendment 6 to Assembly Bill 2 on May 31st, 1967 and "No" on rejection. Granted.

Assemblyman Stevenson requested that he be recorded as voting, "Aye" on passage of Assembly Bill 628 on May 31st, 1967. Granted.

MOTION UNDER JOINT RULE 26

Assemblyman Atkinson moved adoption of the following certificate, co-sponsored by Senator McParland.

The State of Wisconsin * * * Citation by the Legislature

Whereas, The city of South Milwaukee will on July 21st and 22nd, 1967, hold its annual "Spectacle of Music" dedicated to the youth of America and their training and discipline in Bands, Drum and Bugle and Marching Units, which "Spectacle of Music" because of its outstanding achievements has achieved international fame; now, therefore,

The Members of the Wisconsin Legislature, extend to the city of South Milwaukee its congratulations on achieving this international recognition and the continuance of this program for all of the youth of this country.

The question was: Adoption.

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Atkinson asked unanimous consent that the Assembly's action under Joint Rule 26 be immediately messaged to the Senate. Granted.

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MOTIONS CONTINUED

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 385** be withdrawn from the special order at 1:30 P.M. on the calendar of May 23rd and be placed on the calendar of June 6th, special order at 1:30 P.M. Granted.

Assemblyman Baldus moved reconsideration of the vote by which **Senate Bill 36** was concurred in. Entered.

Assemblyman Mittness asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 28** be withdrawn from the table and placed on the calendar. Granted.

Assemblyman Kunde asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 252** be withdrawn from the committee on Labor and placed on the calendar.

Assemblyman Soik objected.

Assemblyman Kunde moved that **Assembly Bill 252** be withdrawn from the committee on Labor and placed on the calendar.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Bill 252** be withdrawn from the committee on Labor and placed on the calendar?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Baldus, Bolle, Brown, Dueholm, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Hephner, Huber, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kaufman, Kessler, Kordus, Kunde, Lipscomb, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, Manders, Mato, Mertz, Molinaro, Nager, Obey, O'Malley, Orlich, Pabst, Parys, Peloquin, Perala, Radcliffe, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Sricula, Stevenson, Sweda, Tobiasz, Vanderperren and Warren—46.

Noes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Azim, Bellante, Belting, Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Clemens, Conratt, Devitt, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Held, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Kafka, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Klicka, Laper, Lewison, McEssy, Martin, Merkel, Mittness, Nitschke, Nuttelman, Olson, Packard, Quinn, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Soik, Steinhilber, Thompson, Uehling, Van Hollen, Wackett, Wartinbee, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—48.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Doughty, Gehrman, McKay, Mathews and Stalbaum—6.

Motion failed.

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Assemblyman Azim asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Joint Resolution 13** be withdrawn from the calendar of May 23rd and be referred to the committee on State Affairs. Granted.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

Read first time and referred:

Assembly Bill 829

Introduced by Assemblymen Mittness and Bellante.
To committee on Education.

Assembly Bill 830

Introduced by Assemblymen Mittness and Bellante.
To committee on Education.

Assembly Bill 831

Introduced by Assemblyman Kaufman.
To committee on Transportation.

Assembly Bill 832

Introduced by Assemblymen Kaufman, Bolle and Vanderperren.
To committee on Transportation.

Assembly Bill 833

Introduced by Assemblymen Kaufman and Bolle.
To joint Survey committee on Tax Exemptions.

PETITIONS

Assembly Petition 101

By Assemblyman Merkel.
To committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Petition 102

By Assemblyman Merkel.
To committee on Public Welfare.

Assembly Petition 103

By Assemblyman Gessert.
To committee on Public Welfare.

Assembly Petition 104

By Assemblyman Gessert.
To committee on Judiciary.

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Assembly Petition 105

By Assemblyman Thompson.
To committee on Excise and Fees.

COMMUNICATION

Department of State
Madison 2, Wisconsin

June 1, 1967.

To Whom it May Concern:

Dear Sir: Acts, Joint Resolutions and Resolutions, deposited in this office, have been numbered and published as follows:

Bill, Jt. Res. or Res. No.	Chapter No.	Publication Date
Senate Bill 14	33	May 27, 1967
Senate Bill 24	34	May 27, 1967
Senate Bill 88	35	May 27, 1967
Senate Bill 101	36	May 27, 1967
Senate Bill 108	37	May 27, 1967
Senate Bill 113	38	May 27, 1967
Assembly Bill 20	39	May 27, 1967
Assembly Bill 89	40	May 27, 1967
Assembly Bill 186	41	May 31, 1967
Assembly Bill 359	42	May 31, 1967
Senate Joint Resolution 58		Enrolled No. 26

Very truly yours,

ROBERT C. ZIMMERMAN,
Secretary of State.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on Judiciary reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 88

Assembly Substitute Amendment 1, adoption; Ayes, 10; Noes, 0 and passage; Ayes, 10; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 202

Assembly Amendment 2, adoption; Ayes, 9; Noes, 1 and passage; Ayes, 9; Noes, 1.

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Assembly Bill 368

Assembly Substitute Amendment 2, adoption; Ayes, 10; Noes, 0 and passage; Ayes, 10; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 427

Assembly Amendment 1, adoption; Ayes, 10; Noes, 0 and passage; Ayes, 10; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 434

Passage; Ayes, 8; Noes, 2.

Assembly Bill 467

Assembly Substitute Amendment 1, adoption; Ayes, 6; Noes, 4 and passage; Ayes, 6; Noes, 4.

Assembly Bill 508

Assembly Amendment 1, adoption; Ayes, 10; Noes, 0 and passage; Ayes, 10; Noes, 0.

GERALD K. ANDERSON,
Chairman.

The committee on Conservation reports and recommends:

Assembly Joint Resolution 45

Assembly Amendment 1, adoption; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0 and adoption; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 141

Passage; Ayes, 9; Noes, 2.

Assembly Bill 355

Assembly Substitute Amendment 1, adoption; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0 and passage; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 357

Assembly Substitute Amendment 1, adoption; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0 and passage; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 376

Passage; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 577

Passage; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 734

Passage; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 737

Passage; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

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Assembly Bill 746

Passage; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

PAUL R. ALFONSI,
Chairman.

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent that the Assembly stand recessed until 1:30 P.M. Granted.

RECESS

10:25 A.M.

1:30 P.M.

The assembly reconvened.

The speaker in the chair.

CALENDAR OF MAY 19, 1967

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS

Assembly Joint Resolution 52

Memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact legislation which would provide more stringent regulations on shipping goods, money, propaganda leaflets or items of similar nature to North Viet Nam or to any country in which United States servicemen are engaged in armed conflict.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Joint Resolution 52** be adopted?

Assemblyman Obey offered an amendment. Entered.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Amendment 1** be adopted?

Assemblyman Obey asked unanimous consent that the chief clerk be instructed to make some corrections in the amendment. Granted.

Some corrections were made by the chief clerk.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Amendment 1** be adopted?

Motion carried.

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The question was: Shall Assembly Joint Resolution 52 be adopted?

Assemblyman Rogers moved that the joint resolution be laid on the table.

The question was: Shall Assembly Joint Resolution 52 be laid on the table?

Assemblyman Rogers withdrew his motion.

The question was: Shall Assembly Joint Resolution 52 be adopted?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Bellante, Belting, Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Bolle, Brown, Clemens, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Tregoning, Gee, Gesert, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Held, Hephner, Huber, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Johnson W. A., Jones, Kafka, Kaufman, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Klicka, Kordus, Laper, Lewison, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, McEssy, Martin, Mato, Mertz, Mittness, Nitschke, Nuttelman, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Orlich, Pabst, Parys, Perala, Quinn, Radcliffe, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Sicula, Soik, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Stevenson, Sweda, Thompson, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Van Hollen, Wackett, Wartinbee, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—84.

Noes—Anderson N. C., Dueholm, Kessler, Kunde, Lipscomb, Manders, Mathews, Nager, Peloquin and Warren—10.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrman, McKay, Merkel, Molinaro and Packard—6.

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Merkel requested that he be recorded as voting, "Aye." Granted.

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent that the Assembly's action on Assembly Joint Resolution 52 be immediately messaged to the Senate. Granted.

CALENDAR OF MAY 19, 1967 SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Bill 50

Relating to special state aid for educationally disadvantaged school children and making an appropriation.

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The question was: Shall Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 be adopted?

Assemblyman Obey moved rejection.

The question was: Shall Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 be rejected?

Motion carried.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be adopted?

Assemblyman Nitschke in the chair.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be adopted?

Assemblyman Azim moved rejection.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be rejected?

Assemblyman Kessler asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 50** be placed at the foot of the calendar of May 19th.

Assemblyman Mittness objected.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be rejected?

Assemblyman Kessler asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 50** be laid on the table. Granted.

Assembly Bill 223

Relating to notes and mortgages of minor veterans.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Wackett asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 223** be referred to joint committee on Finance. Granted.

Assemblyman Wackett asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 223** be withdrawn from joint committee on Finance. Granted.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and that **Assembly Bill 223** be given a third reading. Granted.

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The question was: This bill having been read three times, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Bellante, Belting, Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Bolle, Brown, Clemens, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Dueholm, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Held, Hephner, Huber, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Johnson W. A., Jones, Kafka, Kaufman, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Kessler, Klicka, Kordus, Kunde, Laper, Lewison, Lipscomb, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, McEssy, Manders, Martin, Mathews, Mato, Merkel, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nager, Nitschke, Nuttelman, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Orlich, Pabst, Packard, Parys, Peloquin, Perala, Quinn, Radcliffe, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Sricula, Soik, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Stevenson, Sweda, Thompson, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Van Hollen, Wackett, Warren, Wartinbee, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—97.

Noes—None.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrman and McKay—3.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill 282

Relating to applications and qualifications of cosmetologists.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Assemblyman Olson offered an amendment. Entered.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be adopted?

Motion carried.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Assemblyman Kessler offered an amendment. Entered.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 2 be adopted?

Assemblyman Molinaro moved rejection.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 2 be rejected?

Motion carried.

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The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Assemblyman Merkel moved indefinite postponement.

The question was: Shall the bill be indefinitely postponed?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Anderson N. C., Azim, Bellante, Belting, Bock, Clemens, Dueholm, Tregoning, Groshek, Held, Hutnik, Jahnke, Jones, Kavanaugh, Kessler, Klicka, Laper, Lipscomb, McCann, McEssy, Martin, Merkel, Nager, Obey, Orlich, Parys, Radcliffe, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Soik, Stevenson, Thompson, Van Hollen, Wackett, Weisensel, Wilger and York—38.

Noes—Alfonsi, Baldus, Blanchard, Boche, Bolle, Brown, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Gee, Gessert, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Hephner, Huber, Johnson L. H., Johnson W. A., Kafka, Kaufman, Kenyon, Kordus, Kunde, Lewison, Lynch, McCormick, McDougal, Manders, Mathews, Mato, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nitschke, Olson, O'Malley, Pabst, Packard, Peloquin, Perala, Quinn, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Sicula, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Sweda, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Warren, Wartinbee, Waters and Mr. Speaker—56.

Absent or not voting—Anderson G. K., Atkinson, Barbee, Gehrmann, McKay and Nuttelman—6.

Motion failed.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent for leave of absence for Assemblyman Nuttelman for the balance of today's session. Granted.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Atkinson, Baldus, Blanchard, Boche,

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Bolle, Brown, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Gee, Gessert, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Hephner, Huber, Johnson L. H., Kafka, Kaufman, Kenyon, Kordus, Kunde, Lewison, Lynch, McCormick, Manders, Mathews, Mato, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nitschke, Olson, O'Malley, Parys, Peloquin, Perala, Quinn, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Sicala, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Sweda, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Warren, Wartinbee and Wilger—54.

Noes—Anderson G. K., Anderson N. C., Azim, Bellante, Belting, Bock, Clemens, Dueholm, Tregoning, Held, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kavanaugh, Kessler, Klicka, Laper, Lipscomb, McCann, McDougal, McEssy, Martin, Merkel, Nager, Obey, Orlich, Pabst, Packard, Radcliffe, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Soik, Stevenson, Thompson, Van Hollen, Wackett, Waters, Weisensel, York and Mr. Speaker—42.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrman, McKay and Nuttelman—4.

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill 282 be given a third reading.

Assemblyman McEssy objected.

Assemblyman Molinaro moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill 282 be given a third reading.

The question was: Shall the rules be suspended and Assembly Bill 282 be given a third reading?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Baldus, Blanchard, Boche, Bolle, Brown, Devitt, Gessert, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Hephner, Huber, Johnson L. H., Kafka, Kaufman, Kessler, Kordus, Kunde, Lewison, Lynch, McCormick, Manders, Mathews, Mato, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nager, Nitschke, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Pabst, Peloquin, Perala, Quinn, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Sicala, Stalbaum, Sweda, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Warren and Wartinbee—50.

Noes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Azim, Bellante, Belting, Bock, Clemens, Conradt, Doughty, Dueholm, Tregoning, Gee, Held, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Klicka, Laper, Lipscomb, McCann, McDougal, McEssy, Martin, Merkel, Orlich, Packard, Parys, Radcliffe,

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Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Soik, Steinhilber, Stevenson, Thompson, Van Hollen, Wackett, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—45.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrman, Heinzen, McKay and Nuttelman—5.

Motion failed.

Assemblyman Obey asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 50** be withdrawn from the table and taken up at this time. Granted.

Assembly Bill 50

Relating to special state aid for educationally disadvantaged school children and making an appropriation.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be rejected?

Assemblyman Kessler offered an amendment. Entered.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 to Assembly Amendment 1 be adopted?

Motion carried.

The question was Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be adopted?

Assemblyman Obey moved rejection.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be rejected?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Bellante, Belting, Blanchard, Bock, Bolle, Brown, Clemens, Conradt, Doughty, Dueholm, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Held, Hephner, Huber, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Jones, Kafka, Kaufman, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Klicka, Kordus, Kunde, Laper, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, McEssy, Manders, Martin, Mathews, Mato, Merkel, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nager, Nitschke, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Pabst, Packard, Peloquin, Perala, Quinn, Radcliffe, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shurbert, Soik, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Sweda, Thompson, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Van Hollen, Warren, Wartinbee, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger and Mr. Speaker—82.

Noes—Boche, Devitt, Johnson W. A., Kessler, Lewison, Lipscomb, Orlich, Parys, Riehle, Shabaz, Sicula, Wackett and York—13.

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Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrmann, McKay, Nuttelman and Stevenson—5.

Motion carried.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Assemblyman Martin moved indefinite postponement.

The question was: Shall the bill be indefinitely postponed?

The speaker in the chair.

The question was: Shall the bill be indefinitely postponed?

Assemblyman Nitschke in the chair.

The question was: Shall the bill be indefinitely postponed?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Belting, Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Clemens, Conradt, Doughty, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Kafka, Klicka, Kordus, Lewison, McDougal, McEssy, Martin, Merkel, Nitschke, Olson, Packard, Quinn, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Steinhilber, Thompson, Van Hollen, Wackett, Wartinbee, Waters, Weisensel, York and Mr. Speaker—40.

Noes—Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Bellante, Bolle, Brown, Devitt, Dueholm, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Held, Hephner, Huber, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kaufman, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Kessler, Kunde, Lipscomb, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, Manders, Mathews, Mato, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nager, Obey, O'Malley, Orlich, Pabst, Parys, Peloquin, Perala, Radcliffe, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Sicula, Soik, Stalbaum, Stevenson, Sweda, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Warren and Wilger—55.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrmann, Laper, McKay and Nuttelman—5.

Motion failed.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Bellante, Bock, Bolle, Brown, Devitt, Dueholm, Gee, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Held, Hephner, Huber, Hutnik, Jahnke,

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Noes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Belting, Blanchard, Boche, Clemens, Conradt, Doughty, Tregoning, Gessert, Kafka, Klicka, McDougal, McEssy, Martin, Merkel, Nitschke, Olson, Packard, Quinn, Schroeder, Shabaz, Shurbert, Steinhilber, Van Hollen, Wackett, Wartinbee, Waters, York and Mr. Speaker—30.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrman, Laper, McKay and Nuttelman—5.

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Wackett asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 50** be referred to joint committee on Finance. Granted.

Assembly Bill 328

Prohibiting the sale of nonessential items on Sunday.

The question was: Shall the bill be indefinitely postponed?

Assemblyman Kunde asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 328** be returned to the authors. Granted.

Assembly Bill 554

Relating to applications and qualifications of cosmetologists.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Assemblyman Olson offered an amendment. Entered.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be adopted?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Baldus, Bellante, Belting, Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Bolle, Brown, Clemens, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Held, Hephner, Huber, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Johnson W. A.,

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Jones, Kafka, Kaufman, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Kessler, Kordus, Kunde, Laper, Lewison, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, McEssy, Manders, Martin, Mathews, Mato, Merkel, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nager, Nitschke, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Orlich, Pabst, Packard, Parys, Peloquin, Perala, Quinn, Radcliffe, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Sicula, Soik, Steinhilber, Stevenson, Sweda, Thompson, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Van Hollen, Wackett, Warren, Wartinbee, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—90.

Noes—Azim, Dueholm, Heinzen, Klicka and Lipscomb—5.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrman, McKay, Nuttelman and Stalbaum—5.

Motion carried.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Assemblyman Kessler offered an amendment. Entered.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 2 be adopted?

Assemblyman L. H. Johnson moved rejection.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 2 be rejected?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Belting, Blanchard, Bock, Bolle, Brown, Clemens, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Held, Hephner, Huber, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Kafka, Kaufman, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Klicka, Kordus, Kunde, Laper, Lewison, Lynch, McCormick, McDougal, McEssy, Manders, Martin, Mathews, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nager, Nitschke, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Packard, Peloquin, Perala, Quinn, Radcliffe, Riehle, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shurbert, Sicula, Soik, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Stevenson, Sweda, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Van Hollen, Warren, Wartinbee, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—78.

Noes—Anderson N. C., Bellante, Boche, Dueholm, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kessler, Lipscomb, McCann, Merkel, Orlich, Pabst, Parys, Rogers, Shabaz, Thompson and Wackett—17.

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Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrmann, McKay, Mato and Nuttelman—5.

Motion carried.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Assemblyman McEssy offered an amendment. Entered.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 3 be adopted?

Motion carried.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Bolle, Brown, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Gee, Gessert, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Hephner, Huber, Hutnik, Johnson L. H., Kaufman, Kenyon, Kordus, Kunde, Lynch, McCormick, Manders, Mathews, Mato, Mertz, Molinaro, Nitschke, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Packard, Parys, Peloquin, Perala, Quinn, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Sicula, Steinhilber, Sweda, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Wackett, Warren, Wartinbee, Waters, Wilger and York—58.

Noes—Anderson N. C., Bellante, Belting, Clemens, Dueholm, Tregoning, Held, Jahnke, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kafka, Kavanaugh, Kessler, Klicka, Laper, Lipscomb, McCann, McDougal, McEssy, Martin, Merkel, Mittness, Nager, Orlich, Pabst, Radcliffe, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Soik, Stalbaum, Stevenson, Thompson, Van Hollen, Weisensel and Mr. Speaker—37.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrmann, Lewison, McKay and Nuttelman—5.

Motion carried.

The speaker in the chair.

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill 554 be given a third reading.

Assemblyman McEssy objected.

Assemblyman Nitschke moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill 554 be given a third reading.

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The question was: Shall the rules be suspended and **Assembly Bill 554** be given a third reading?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Anderson G.K., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Blanchard, Boche, Bolle, Brown, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Gessert, Groshek, Grover, Heinzen, Huber, Johnson L. H., Kaufman, Kunde, Lewison, Martin, Mato, Mertz, Mittness, Nitschke, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Packard, Perala, Quinn, Schaeffer, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Sweda, Uehling, Vanderperren, War-tinbee, Waters, Wilger and York—41.

Noes—Anderson N. C., Bellante, Belting, Bock, Clemens, Dueholm, Tregoning, Gee, Hanna, Held, Hephner, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kafka, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Kessler, Klicka, Kordus, Laper, Lipscomb, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, McEssy, Manders, Mathews, Merkel, Molinaro, Nager, Orlich, Pabst, Parys, Peloquin, Radcliffe, Riehle, Rogers, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Siculo, Soik, Stevenson, Thompson, Van Hollen, Wackett, Warren, Weisensel and Mr. Speaker—53.

Absent or not voting—Alfonsi, Barbee, Gehrmann, McKay, Nuttelman and Tobiasz—6.

Motion failed.

Assembly Bill 630

To authorize the sale of certain state-owned land to the state historical society by the conservation commission.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Wackett asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 630** be referred to joint committee on Finance. Granted.

Assemblyman Wackett asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 630** be withdrawn from joint committee on Finance. Granted.

The question was: Shall the bill be ordered engrossed and read a third time?

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent that the rules be suspended and that **Assembly Bill 630** be given a third reading. Granted.

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The question was: This bill having been read three times, shall the bill be passed?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Anderson G. K., Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Bellante, Belting, Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Bolle, Brown, Clemens, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Dueholm, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Held, Hephner, Huber, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Johnson W. A., Jones, Kafka, Kaufman, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Kessler, Klicka, Kordus, Kunde, Laper, Lewison, Lipscomb, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, McEssy, Manders, Martin, Mathews, Mato, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nager, Nitschke, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Orlich, Pabst, Packard, Parys, Peloquin, Perala, Quinn, Radcliffe, Riehle, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Sicula, Soik, Steinhilber, Stevenson, Sweda, Thompson, Tobiasz, Uehling, Vanderperren, Van Hollen, Wackett, Warren, Wartabee, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—94.

Noes—Merkel—1.

Absent or not voting—Barbee, Gehrman, McKay, Nuttelman and Stalbaum—5.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill 27

Relating to adding 1 senator and 1 assemblyman to the state building commission.

The question was: Shall Senate Bill 27 be ordered to a third reading?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Belting, Boche, Bock, Clemens, Conradt, Devitt, Doughty, Tregoning, Gessert, Heinzen, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Kafka, Kavanaugh, Kenyon, Klicka, Kordus, Lewison, McCann, McDougal, McEssy, Manders, Martin, Nitschke, Packard, Parys, Quinn, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Soik, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Stevenson, Thompson, Uehling, Van Hollen,

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Wackett, Wartinbee, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger and Mr. Speaker—47.

Noes—Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Azim, Baldus, Bellante, Blanchard, Bolle, Brown, Duehom, Gee, Groshek, Grover, Hanna, Held, Hephner, Huber, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kaufman, Kessler, Kunde, Laper, Lipscomb, Lynch, McCormick, Mathews, Mato, Merkel, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, Nager, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Orlich, Pabst, Peloquin, Perala, Radcliffe, Riehle, Rogers, Sicula Sweda, Tobiasz, Vanderperren, Warren and York—48.

Absent or not voting—Anderson G. K., Barbee, Gehrman, McKay and Nuttelman—5.

Motion failed.

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RECONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS

Assembly Bill 23

Relating to the workmen's compensation lump sum settlement.

The question was: Shall the vote by which **Assembly Bill 23** was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered?

Assemblyman Brown asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 23** be withdrawn from the calendar of May 23rd and be placed on the calendar of May 25th.

Assemblyman Martin objected.

Assemblyman Brown asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 23** be withdrawn from the calendar of May 23rd and be placed on the calendar of June 2nd. Granted.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS

Assembly Resolution 15

Relating to a study by the committee on Printing of the numerous questionnaires and forms used by Wisconsin State Government in its contacts with the people of this state.

The question was: Shall **Assembly Resolution 15** be adopted?

Motion carried.

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Assemblyman Mathews asked unanimous consent for leave of absence for the balance of today's session. Granted.

Senate Joint Resolution 9

Memorializing the Congress of the United States to amend the social security act in Title 42 of the United States Code so as to authorize release of needed information for enforcement of child support, and to enact a federal law against child abandonment.

The question was: Shall **Senate Joint Resolution 9** be concurred in?

Assemblyman Kenyon moved nonconcurrency.

The question was: Nonconcurrency.

Assemblyman Sicula asked unanimous consent that Assembly Amendment 1 be revived. Granted.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be adopted?

Assemblyman Gee moved rejection.

The question was: Shall Assembly Amendment 1 be rejected?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Anderson N. C., Azim, Baldus, Bellante, Belting, Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Clemens, Conratt, Devitt, Doughty, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Grover, Heinzen, Held, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Kafka, Kavanaugh, Klicka, Kordus, Laper, Lewison, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, McEssy, Martin, Mato, Merkel, Nager, Nitschke, Obey, Olson, Orlich, Pabst, Packard, Parys, Quinn, Riehle, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Thompson, Uehling, Van Hollen, Wackett, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—61.

Noes—Atkinson, Bolle, Brown, Groshek, Hanna, Hephner, Huber, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kaufman, Kenyon, Kessler, Kunde, Lipscomb, Manders, Mertz, Mittness, Molinaro, O'Malley, Peloquin, Perala, Radcliffe, Rogers, Schaeffer, Sicula, Stevenson, Sweda, Tobiasz, Vanderperren, Warren and Wartinbee—31.

Absent or not voting—Anderson G. K., Barbee, Dueholm, Gehrman, McKay, Mathews, Nuttelman and Soik—8.

Motion carried.

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The question was: Shall **Senate Joint Resolution 9** be non-concurred in?

The roll was taken.

The vote follows:

Ayes—Alfonsi, Azim, Conradt, Dueholm, Groshek, Johnson W. A., Jones, Kenyon, Kessler, Klicka, Lipscomb, Merkel, Orlich, Perala, Riehle, Sicula and Tobiasz—17.

Ayes—Anderson N. C., Atkinson, Baldus, Bellante, Belt-ing, Blanchard, Boche, Bock, Bolle, Brown, Clemens, Devitt, Doughty, Tregoning, Gee, Gessert, Grover, Hanna, Heinzen, Held, Hephner, Huber, Hutnik, Jahnke, Johnson L. H., Kafka, Kaufman, Kavanaugh, Kordus, Kunde, Laper, Lewi-son, Lynch, McCann, McCormick, McDougal, McEssy, Man-ders, Martin, Mato, Mertz, Molinaro, Nager, Nitschke, Obey, Olson, O'Malley, Pabst, Packard, Parys, Peloquin, Quinn, Radcliffe, Rogers, Schaeffer, Schroeder, Schwefel, Shabaz, Shurbert, Soik, Stalbaum, Steinhilber, Stevenson, Sweda, Thompson, Uehling, Vanderperren, Van Hollen, Wackett, Warren, Waters, Weisensel, Wilger, York and Mr. Speaker—75.

Absent or not voting—Anderson G. K., Barbee, Gehr-mann, McKay, Mathews, Mittness, Nuttelman and Wartin-bee—8.

Motion failed.

The question was: Shall **Senate Joint Resolution 9** be con-curred in?

Motion carried.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Assemblyman Wartinbee asked unanimous consent for leave of absence for the balance of today's session. Granted.

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent that the Assembly return to the 7th order of business. Granted.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on Rules reports and recommends:

Assembly Joint Resolution —

Relating to creation of an interim committee of the joint

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legislative council to study registration laws pertaining to the profession of architecture and professional engineering.

Introduction; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

Assembly Joint Resolution —

Relating to a study of all questions pertaining to mobile homes, and the possible recodification of existing mobile home laws, by a subcommittee of the legislative council's highway advisory committee.

Introduction; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

Assembly Joint Resolution —

Memorializing the Congress of the United States to reject the President's proposal to end the exclusion of social security, railroad retirement and other retirement benefits from taxable income.

Introduction; Ayes, 11; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill —

Relating to the continued operation of Camp Gordon.

Introduction; Ayes, 10; Noes, 0.

WILLIS J. HUTNIK,
Chairman.

The committee on Elections reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 234

Assembly Substitute Amendment 1, adoption; Ayes, 5; Noes, 0 and passage; Ayes, 5; Noes, 0.

EARL F. McESSY,
Chairman.

The committee on Labor reports to the Assembly pursuant to **Assembly Resolution 12**, and the report is attached hereby and appears as an Appendix to the Journal of the Assembly.

Assemblyman Devitt asked unanimous consent that **Assembly Bill 234** be withdrawn from the committee report and placed at the foot of the calendar of May 23rd. Granted.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent for leave of absence for today's session for the following: Assemblymen McKay and Gehrman. Granted.

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Assemblyman Huber asked unanimous consent for leave of absence for today's session for the following: Assemblyman Barbee. Granted.

Assemblyman Martin asked unanimous consent that the Assembly return to the third order of business. Granted.

MOTIONS

Assemblyman York moved reconsideration of the vote by which **Senate Bill 27** failed to be ordered to a third reading. Entered.

MOTION UNDER JOINT RULE 26

Assemblyman Kenyon moved adoption of the following certificate, co-sponsored by Senator Johnson.

The State of Wisconsin * * * Citation by the Legislature

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Daehn will celebrate their 55th Wedding Anniversary on June 6th, 1957; now, therefore,

The Members of the Wisconsin Legislature, extend to Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Daehn their sincere congratulations and wish for them continued happiness.

The question was: Adoption.

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Kenyon asked unanimous consent that the Assembly's action under Joint Rule 26 be immediately messaged to the Senate. Granted.

VISITORS

During today's session, the following visitors honored the assembly by their presence, and were welcomed by the presiding officer and the members:

The 5th grades in the Parkway Elementary School, accompanied by Mr. D. Nicholson, Miss K. McDonald and Miss E. See from South Milwaukee, Wis., guests of Assemblyman Atkinson.

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Mr. Merle Starke, Chief of Police, Montello, Wis., guest of Assemblyman Thompson.

55 8th grade students from Shorewood High School with Mr. and Mrs. John Zweck, 4115 N. Prospect, Mr. Elmer Jacobson, Whitefish Bay, Mrs. Fred Hasche, Mrs. Lemke, Mrs. Everitt Kerrison, Jr. and Mrs. Leonard Tarkow, guests of Assemblymen Soik and Held.

Wallie Raeder and Alfred Zorn from Plymouth, Wis., guests of Assemblyman Gessert.

Betty Ligocki, Sonia Dean and Grace Hanna (sister of the assemblyman), Milwaukee, Wis., guests of Assemblyman Hanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Hines, 1722 Sherman, Madison, guests of Assemblymen Anderson and Nager.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Bleck, Bremerton, Wash., guests of Assemblyman Mathews.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dunn, Columbus, Wis., guests of Assemblyman Packard.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wilson and children, and Mr. Ed Broakhegser from Green Bay, guests of Assemblyman Vanderperren.

Assemblyman Martin moved that the Assembly adjourn to 10:00 A.M., Friday, June 2, 1967.

Motion carried.

APPENDIX

Relating to "Strikes by Public Employees"

A report of the hearings by the Assembly Committee on Labor held for the purpose of affording the public an opportunity to express their views and to allow the committee to consider implementing legislation relating to the prohibition of strikes by municipal employees, pursuant to **Assembly Resolution 12.**

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON LABOR

NILE W. SOIK,
Chairman.

WILLIAM S. SCHWEFEL,
Vice-Chairman.

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Members: Paul R. Alfonsi; James N. Azim, Jr.; Oscar Laper; Clarence J. Wilger; Harold W. Clemens; Joseph E. Jones; Lewis T. Mittness.

A committee report to the Wisconsin Assembly by the committee on Labor, presented pursuant to **Assembly Resolution 12**.

NILE W. SOIK,
Chairman,
Committee on Labor.

Contents

1. Authority for Study
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1. Authority for Study

Assembly Resolution 12, introduced by the Assembly Committee on Labor, directed the Assembly Committee on Labor to study the prohibition of strikes by municipal employees and to conduct public hearings in order to afford the public an opportunity to express their views on the matter. The committee then approved, pursuant to the resolution and with the consent of the speaker, the following public hearings throughout the state soliciting the views of the public on the question of prohibition of strikes by municipal employees:

Milwaukee	State Office Building	March 28, 1967
Appleton	Court House Annex	March 29, 1967
Eau Claire	Eau Claire State University	March 30, 1967
Madison	State Capitol	March 31, 1967

2. Scope of Study

In the recent past several strikes were called by municipal employee unions which were in violation of the intent of the laws of the state of Wisconsin prohibiting strikes by municipal employees. (Sec. 111.70, Wis. Stats., 1965). This raises the question of possible inadequacies with the existing legislation and mediation procedures. Such strikes could endanger the health and welfare of the public in those areas affected.

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In January, 1966, the Milwaukee city sewage commission requested the governor to call a conference on the need to revise the existing statutes to prevent actions by municipal unions which could endanger the public health, safety and welfare.

In February, 1966, such a conference, as requested was held with the governor and the Wisconsin employment relations board being present. Following this conference, the governor appointed a special consultant on strikes in public employment.

In November, 1966, the special consultant held his first hearing on the question, which hearing did not afford certain interested groups the opportunity to express their views.

In February, 1967, a second hearing was held by the governor's special consultant with only a few individuals present to represent the public interest.

As a result, the Wisconsin Assembly assigned the Committee on Labor to conduct public hearings on the question and to study the situation and report their findings and suggested legislation to the Assembly by May, 1967. The committee opened their study by holding four public hearings in different parts of the state. The Assembly felt it was necessary to take the public hearings to the people to obtain the broadest representation of views and the greatest possible participation in the hearings.

The committee concerned itself with the questions raised and areas described in the reference questionnaire described below.

3. Reference Questionnaire

Chairman Soik requested that those appearing limit their remarks to the questions listed in the questionnaire which was distributed. The purpose of the questionnaire was to define the scope and direction of the hearings. It was not intended to provide tabulated responses as the questions did not permit a "yes" or "no" type response. The questions were:

1. How can strikes be prevented, and if they occur, be speedily terminated?

2. If the law is broken and a strike occurs, what sanctions should be imposed, if any?

—fines on union

—strike damage recovery

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- terminate check off
- discharge employees
- demote employees
- other
- fines on employees
- union decertification
- suspend employees
- reduce service credits of employees
- A municipality may not waive any rights or remedies it may have

3. How can the public be kept fully informed on the progress and results of the negotiations?

4. Should qualified local citizens be encouraged to offer their services to mediate disputes and to fact find agreements?

5. How can the public be protected from arbitrary action by either the municipality or the union?

6. How can the benefits of civil service, the benefits of fire and police commissions, and the municipal budgeting procedure as spelled out in the statutes, be preserved?

7. How can municipal employees be protected from over-frugal municipalities?

8. How can local taxpayers be protected from over-zealous municipal labor organizations or municipalities?

4. Public Hearings

The hearings were well attended. Representatives of municipalities, governmental units, unions, taxpayers associations and citizens appeared and presented their views for the benefit of the committee. In addition, those present also completed questionnaires which further solicited views on particular points to be considered. Members of the committee found the views expressed to be informative and of great help to the committee members in their deliberations.

A greatly detailed report of the hearings and copy of the questionnaire has been compiled and has been filed with the original report. It is available for interested legislators in the office of the Legislative Council, Earl Sachse, Executive Secretary.

5. Proposed Legislation

The Committee on Labor introduced **Assembly Bill 769** by request of Assemblyman Soik, Chairman, relating to strikes by municipal employees, as a result of the hearings.