STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Eighty-First Regular Session

THURSDAY, January 18, 1973.

9:00 A.M.

The senate met.

The senate was called to order by the President Pro Tempore of the senate.

Prayer was offered by the Reverend James D. Fanella, Pastor of Seventh-Day Adventist Church of Shawano, Wis.

The roll was called and the following senators answered to their names:

Senators Bablitch, Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Hollander, Johnson, Kasten, Keppler, Knowles, Knutson, Krueger, LaFave, LaFollette, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Risser, Roseleip, Schuele, Steinhilber, Swan J.D., Swan M., Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 32.

Absent -- None.

Absent with leave -- Senator Kendziorski -- 1.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By request of Senator Hollander, with unanimous consent, he was granted a leave of absence from 10:50 A.M. for the balance of the day's session.

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate amendment 2 to Senate Resolution 7.

Amend the resolution as follows:

- 1. On page 4, lines 25 and 26, delete "possess all the powers and prerogatives of the" and substitute "act as".
- 2. On page 5, line 5, insert before the period: ", but such substitute shall not extend beyond an adjournment".
- 3. On page 5, line 7, delete "presiding officer" and substitute "3 presiding officers provided in senate rule 2 (1) and (2)".
- 4. On page 5, lines 10 and 11, delete "The presiding officer may call a member to the chair, but such substitute shall not extend beyond an adjournment.".
- 5. On page 9, line 3, delete "Questions" and substitute "Other questions".
- 6. On page 10, lines 24 and 25, delete "editors of newspapers within the state and reporters for the press" and substitute "editors of newspapers within the state and reporters for the press accredited correspondents of the news media".
- 7. On page 11, line 25, insert before the period "without debate".
- 8. On page 14, line 8, after "resolutions," insert "appointments,".

By Senator Keppler.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

Senate Joint Resolution 13

Memorializing congress and the president of the United States to continue the upper great lakes regional commission.



By Senators Chilsen, Krueger, Theno, LaFave, Peloquin, Bablitch, Kendziorski, McKenna, Martin, M. Swan, LaFollette and Schuele, cosponsored by Representatives Earl, Sweda, Quinn, Conradt, Matty, Willkom, Bradley, Byers, Grover, Schricker, Vanderperren, Swoboda, Donoghue, Kincaid, Alberts, Cyrak, Schroeder and Sensenbrenner.

Read.

Referred to committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Senate Joint Resolution 14

To amend article VIII, section 10 of the constitution, relating to allowing the state to contract debt for the improvement and protection of the public waters (1st consideration).

By Senators Krueger, Theno, Hollander, McKenna, Thompson, Devitt, Roseleip and Knowles.

Read first time and referred to committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

BILLS INTRODUCED

Read first time and referred:

Senate Bill 60

Relating to issuance of city and village bonds for parking facilities.

By Senator LaFave, cosponsored by Representatives Vanderperren, Quinn, McEssy and Conradt.

To committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs..

Senate Bill 61

Relating to houseboat regulations.

By Senators Roseleip and Martin, cosponsored by Representatives Mittness, Wilcox and Byers.

To committee on Natural Resources

Senate Bill 62

Relating to prohibiting the operation of airboats on lakes.

By Senators Roseleip and LaFollette, cosponsored by Representatives Molinaro, Mittness, Wilcox and Byers.

To committee on Natural Resources.

Senate Bill 63

Relating to requiring a department of natural resources permit for diversion of water from lakes.

By Senators Roseleip and Martin, cosponsored by Representatives Jackamonis and Mittness.

To committee on Natural Resources.

Senate Bill 64

Relating to retirement benefit changes in counties having a population of 500,000 or more.

By Senators Devitt, LaFave and Schuele, by request of Milwaukee County.

To joint survey committee on Retirement Systems.

Senate Bill 65

Relating to the waiting period for unemployment compensation.

By Senators LaFollette, Flynn, Devitt, McKenna, Parys, Dorman, Bablitch, McKenna, LaFave, Schuele, M. Swan, Theno and Kendziorski, cosponsored by Representatives Barczak, Dorff, Mittness, Kedrowski, Munts, Mielke, Molinaro, Conta, and Grover.

To committee on Industry, Labor, Taxation and Banking.

Senate Bill 66

Relating to creating a Michigan-Wisconsin boundary area commission and providing for the joinder of this state in a compact with the state of Michigan for the purpose of present and future protection, use and development of the boundary lands, river valleys and waters between the 2 contracting states, and making an appropriation.

By Senator LaFave, cosponsored by Representatives Matty and Kincaid.

To committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs.

President of the senate in the chair.

9:15 A.M.

Senate Bill 67

Relating to distribution of the 6-volume history of Wisconsin to public libraries, libraries of public schools, colleges and county and local affiliated historical societies and providing an appropriation.

By Senators Keppler, Hollander, Krueger, Schuele, Whittow, Dorman, Roseleip and Risser, cosponsored by Representatives Anderson, Molinaro, Conta, Wackett, Tobiasz, Barbee and Azim.

To committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs.

Senate Bill 68

Relating to sales tax exemption for construction material used on governmental projects.

By Senator LaFave.

To joint survey committee on Tax Exemptions.

Senate Bill 69

Relating to right turns at red signals.

By Senators Frank, McKenna, Parys, Schuele and M. Swan, cosponsored by Representative Keegan.

To committee on Transportation.

Senate Bill 70

Relating to appointment of successor guardians.

By Senators Frank, McKenna, Lorge, M. Swan and Murphy.

To committee on Judiciary and Insurance.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The joint committe on Revisions, Repeals and Uniform Laws reports and recommends for introduction:

Senate Bill 71

An act to renumber, amend, repeal and recreate and reenact various provisions of the statutes for the purpose of correcting errors, supplying omissions, clarifying language, correcting titles of departments and officers, correcting references, renumbering for better location and arrangement, eliminating unnecessary and obsolete provisions and reconciling conflicts. (Revisor's Correction Bill.)

Introduction; Ayes, 5; Noes, 0.

Read first time and referred to committee on Revisions, Repeals and Uniform Laws.

Senate Bill 72

Relating to updating state income tax references to federal income tax law.

Introduction; Ayes, 5; Noes, 0.

Read first time and referred to committee on Revisions, Repeals and Uniform Laws.

ROBERT P. KNOWLES
Senate Chairman

GERALD D. KLECZKA
Assembly Chairman

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

January 16, 1973

To the Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to the provisions of the statutes governing, I have nominated and with the advice and consent of the Senate do reappoint Edward Medla, of Cudahy, as a member of Watchmaking Examining Board, to serve for a term ending July 1, 1977.

Sincerely,
PATRICK J. LUCEY
Governor

Read.

Referred to committee on Industry Labor, Taxation and Banking.

January 16, 1973

To the Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to the provisions of the statutes governing, I have nominated and with the advice and consent of the Senate do reappoint Dr. William L. Blockstein, of Madison, as a member of

the Nursing Home Administrator Examining Board, to serve for a term ending July 1, 1975.

Sincerely,
PATRICK J. LUCEY
Governor

Read.

Referred to committee on Health, Education, and Welfare.

January 16, 1973

To the Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to the provisions of the statutes governing, I have nominated and with the advice and consent of the Senate do reappoint Sister Mary Gregory Hanson, of La Crosse, as a member of the Nursing Home Administrator Board, to serve for a term ending July 1, 1975.

Sincerely,
PATRICK J. LUCEY
Governor

Read.

Referred to committee on Health, Education and Welfare.

January 16, 1973

To the Honorable, the Senate:

Pursuant to the provisions of the statutes governing, I have nominated and with the advice and consent of the Senate do appoint Mary Schlimgen, of Middleton, as a member of the Nursing Home Administrator Examining Board, to succeed Dr. Helen Creighten, to serve for a term ending July 1, 1975.

Sincerely,
PATRICK J. LUCEY
Governor

Read.

Referred to committee on Health, Education and Welfare.

By request of Senator Schuele, with unanimous consent, the Senate recessed until 10:25 A.M.

9:25 A.M.

RECESS

10:25 A.M.

The senate reconvened.

By request of Senator Johnson, with unanimous consent, the Senate recessed until 11:45 A.M.

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The senate reconvened.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By request of Senator Risser, with unanimous consent, Senator Martin was granted a leave of absence for the balance of the day's session.

QUORUM CALL

Senator Parys called the attention of the chair to the possible lack of a quorum.

The roll was called and the following senators answered to their names:

Senators Bablitch, Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Johnson, Kasten, Keppler, Knowles, Knutson, Krueger, LaFave, LaFollette, Lorge, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Risser, Roseleip, Schuele, Steinhilber, Swan J.D., Swan M., Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 29.

Absent -- Senator McKenna -- 1.

Absent with leave -- Senators Hollander, Kendziorski and Martin -- 3.

Senator Johnson asked unanimous consent that Senate Resolution 7 be made a special order of business at 10:00 A.M., Tuesday, January 23.

Senator Risser raised the point of order that the resolution was not before the senate as the president had the resolution under advisement.

The chair ruled the point of order well taken.

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate Amendment 3 to Senate Resolution 7.

Amend the Resolution as follows:

On page 16, lines 2-7, delete "Rule 20 (4)" and recreate to read:

"(4) Each member shall serve on at least one of the committees under sub. (1) or (2). In the case of any minority party, assignments shall be made by the senate group of that party.

By Senator Dorman.

Senate amendment 4 to Senate Resolution 7.

Amend the resolution as follows:

On page 14, delete the material in lines 8 to 10 and substitute:

"Senate Rule 18. Daily calendar. (1) All bills, resolutions, memorials, appointments, or other business, referred to a committee and reported by it to the senate with a unanimous recorded committee vote "for" and none "against" approval (passage, adoption, approval or concurrence) of the main question shall be

referred directly to calendar. The committee vote on amendments or subsidiary question need not have been unanimous.

(2) All bills, resolutions, memorials, appointments, or other business, referred to a committee and reported by it to the senate with any recommendation other than a unanimous recommendation for approval under sub. (1), shall be referred to the committee on calendar".

By Senators LaFave and Lorge.

By request of Senator McKenna, with unanimous consent, the senate adjourned the day's session in honor of the birthday of his wife, Joan, as his birthday present to her.

Upon motion of Senator Johnson the senate adjourned until 10:00 A.M., Friday, January 18.

12:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Senator Thompson, McKenna, and Swan introduced 100 students from Conrad Elvehjem School, McFarland, Wisconsin.

Senator Bablitch introduced 150 high school students of Wautoma, Wisconsin.