STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Eighty-Second Regular Session

WEDNESDAY, March 17, 1976.

9:00 A.M.

The senate met.

The senate was called to order by the president of the senate.

Prayer was offered by Priest David Elrod of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Madison.

The senate remained standing and Senator Berger led the senate in the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By request of Senator Hollander, with unanimous consent, he was granted a leave of absence for the morning of March 18.

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

Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Sensenbrenner, Swan, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 31.

Absent -- None.

Absent with leave -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on Commerce reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 731

Relating to construction, maintenance and repair of railroad crossings over streets and highways.

Concurrence; Ayes, 7; Noes, 1.

Assembly Bill 861

Relating to registration of antique aircraft.

Concurrence; Ayes, 7; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 1031

Relating to turning a motor vehicle into a diagonal parking place and providing a penalty.

Concurrence; Ayes, 7; Noes, 1.

Assembly Bill 1062

Relating to vehicle registration replacement credit.

Concurrence; Ayes, 8; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 1084

Relating to vehicles traveling at unlawful speeds forfeit right-ofway.

Concurrence; Ayes, 7; Noes, 1.

Assembly Bill 1096

Relating to transporting persons in fifth wheel mobile homes and providing a penalty.

Concurrence; Ayes, 8; Noes, 0.

Assembly Bill 1161

Relating to separating the general provisions on savings and loan associations from those which apply solely to mutual, and those which apply solely to capital stock, savings and loan associations.

Concurrence; Ayes, 6; Noes, 1.

RONALD G. PARYS Chairman

The joint committee on Revisions, Repeals, and Uniform Laws reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 829

An act to amend various provisions of the statutes for the purpose of correcting errors, clarifying language and eliminating distinctions based upon sex as authorized by section 13.93 (1) (m) of the statutes (Revisor's Correction Bill).

Passage: Aves. 4: Noes. 0.

JAMES T. FLYNN Chairman

The committee on Natural Resources reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 599

Relating to destroying confiscated game and apparatus and granting rule-making authority.

Introduction of senate substitute amendment 1; Ayes, 5; Noes, 0.

JEROME A. MARTIN Chairman

MOTIONS

Senator Keppler moved that Senate Joint Resolution 46 be withdrawn from the joint committee on Finance and referred to committee on Senate Organization.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 13; noes, 16; absent or not voting, 4; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 13.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 16.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Frank, Knutson and Risser -- 4.

So the motion did not prevail.

Senator Keppler moved that Senate Joint Resolution 54 be withdrawn from the joint committee on Finance and referred to committee on Senate Organization.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 13; noes, 16; absent or not voting, 4; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 13.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 16.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Frank, Knutson and Risser -- 4.

So the motion did not prevail.

Senator Keppler moved that Senate Bill 803 be withdrawn from the committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs and referred to committee on Senate Organization.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 13; noes, 16; absent or not voting, 4; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 13.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 16.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Frank, Knutson and Risser -- 4.

So the motion did not prevail.

Senator Keppler moved that Senate Bill 378 be withdrawn from the committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs and referred to committee on Senate Organization.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 13; noes, 16; absent or not voting, 4; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 13.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 16.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Frank, Knutson and Risser -- 4.

So the motion did not prevail.

Senator Keppler moved the Senate Bill 750 be withdrawn from the committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs and referred to committee on Senate Organization.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 13; noes, 16; absent or not voting, 4; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 13.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 16.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Frank, Knutson and Risser -- 4.

So the motion did not prevail.

Senator Keppler moved that Senate Bill 188 be withdrawn from committee on Governmental and Veterans' Affairs and referred to committee on Senate Organization.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 13; noes, 16; absent or not voting, 4; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 13.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 16.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Frank, Knutson and Risser -- 4.

So the motion did not prevail.

By request of Senator Keppler, with unanimous consent, Senate Bill 751 was withdrawn and returned to the author.

CALENDAR OF MARCH 17

Senate Bill 113

Relating to the application of the inheritance tax to a surviving spouse for property held in joint tenancy with deceased spouse.

Read a second time.

By request of Senator Morrison, with unanimous consent, senate substitute amendment I was withdrawn and returned to the author.

Senate substitute amendment 2 to Senate Bill 113 offered by Senator Morrison.

Senate substitute amendment 2 adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Senate Bill 113

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 29; noes, 0; absent or not voting, 4; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Sensenbrenner, Swan, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 29.

Noes -- None.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Frank, Knutson and Risser -- 4.

So the bill passed.

Ordered immediately messaged.

Senate Bill 753

Relating to expanding regulation of outdoor advertising and regulation of junkyards in areas adjacent to interstate and primary highways, granting rule-making authority and increasing an appropriation.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Senate Bill 753

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 29; noes, 0; absent or not voting, 4; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Sensenbrenner, Swan, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 29.

Noes -- None.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Frank, Knutson and Risser -- 4.

So the bill passed.

Assembly Joint Resolution 43

Permitting the legislature to authorize certain nonprofit organizations to conduct raffle games as regulated by law (first consideration).

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Berger, with unanimous consent, the joint resolution was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Joint Resolution 43

Read a third time.

Senator Parys moved reconsideration of the vote by which Assembly Joint Resolution 43 was ordered to a third reading.

The motion prevailed.

Senate amendment 1 to Assembly Joint Resolution 43 offered by Senator Berger.

Senate amendment 1 adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Bablitch, with unanimous consent, the joint resolution was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Joint Resolution 43

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 30; noes, 0; absent or not voting, 3; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Sensenbrenner, Swan, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 30.

Noes -- None.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Frank, Knutson and Risser -- 3.

More than 17 members having voted in the affirmative the resolution was concurred in as amended.

Assembly Bill 128

Relating to safety glazing in hazardous locations and providing a penalty.

Read a second time.

By request of Senator Berger with unanimous consent senate substitute amendment I was laid on the table.

The question was: Adoption of senate substitute amendment 2?

Adopted.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Berger, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 128

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 28; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 4; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Sensenbrenner, Swan, Theno and Thompson -- 28.

Noes -- Senator Cullen -- 1.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Frank, Knutson, Risser and Whittow -- 4.

So the bill was concurred in as amended.

Assembly Bill 199

Relating to department of revenue revaluation of assessments.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Bablitch, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 199

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 22; noes, 7; absent or not voting, 4; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Chilsen, Cullen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Sensenbrenner, Swan, Theno and Thompson -- 22.

Noes -- Senators Bidwell, Hollander, Keppler, LaFave, Maurer, Murphy and Petri -- 7.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Frank, Knutson, Risser and Whittow -- 4.

So the bill was concurred in.

Assembly Bill 495

Relating to prescribing the methods by which cities of the 1st class may establish or improve pedestrian malls in business districts.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Bablitch, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 495

Read a third time and concurred in.

Assembly Bill 546

Relating to circulation dates for nomination papers of independent candidates at partisan elections.

Read a second time.

Senator Petri moved nonconcurrence.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 14; noes, 16; absent or not voting, 3; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Goyke, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, Lorge, Martin, Morrison, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 14.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Maurer, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 16.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson, LaFave and Risser -- 3.

So the motion did not prevail.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Whittow asked unanimous consent, that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

Senator Lorge objected.

Senator Whittow moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be considered for final action at this time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 22; noes, 8; absent or not voting, 3; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Cullen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, Knowles, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 22.

Noes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Hollander, Keppler, Krueger, Lorge, Petri and Sensenbrenner -- 8.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson, LaFave and Risser -- 3.

More than two-thirds having voted in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Assembly Bill 546

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 17; noes, 14; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, LaFave, McKenna, Maurer, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 17.

Noes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, Lorge, Martin, Morrison, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 14.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

So the bill was concurred in.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By request of Senator Cullen, with unanimous consent, he was granted a leave of absence at 4:15 P.M. for the balance of today's session.

Assembly Bill 675

Relating to empowering municipalities to adopt certain provisions to aid in enforcement of building codes.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 675

Read a third time and concurred in.

Assembly Bill 717

Relating to audits of the public debt amortization fund in cities of the first class.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 717

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 30; noes, 1; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Sensenbrenner, Swan, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 30.

Noes -- Senator Petri -- 1.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

So the bill was concurred in.

Assembly Bill 767

Relating to licensing of veterinarians and certification of animal technicians.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Bablitch, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 767

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 31; noes, 0; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Sensenbrenner, Swan, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 31.

Noes -- None.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

So the bill was concurred in.

By request of Senator Bablitch, with unanimous consent, Assembly Bill 872 was placed at the foot of today's calendar.

Assembly Bill 908

Relating to the employment of legal counsel for the Milwaukee school board.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 908

Read a third time.

Senator Frank in the chair.

10:10 A.M.

Senator Kleczka moved nonconcurrence in Assembly Bill 908.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 18; noes, 12; absent or not voting, 3; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Frank, Goyke, Kleczka, Krueger, McKenna, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Petri, Swan, Theno and Whittow -- 18.

Noes -- Senators Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Lorge, Martin, Peloquin, Sensenbrenner and Thompson -- 12.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson, LaFave and Risser -- 3.

So the motion prevailed.

Assembly Bill 981

Relating to procedures for the repeal or repeal and reenactment of zoning regulations by cities.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 981

Read a third time and concurred in.

Assembly Bill 1118

Relating to loans to municipalities for loss of property tax receipts caused by the lowering of assessment of manufacturing property by a district board of review and making an appropriation.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 1118

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 31; noes, 0; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Sensenbrenner, Swan, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 31.

Noes -- None.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

So the bill was concurred in.

President of the senate in the chair.

10:25 A.M.

Assembly Bill 1148

Relating to a special observation day on the birthdate of Robert M. La Follette. Sr.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 1148

Read a third time and concurred in.

Assembly Bill 1149

An act to appropriate \$698.25 from the general fund for payment of a claim made by the First National Bank of Kenosha against the state.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 1149

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 29; noes, 2; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Sensenbrenner, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 29.

Noes -- Senators Berger and Swan -- 2.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

So the bill was concurred in.

Assembly Bill 1174

Relating to authorizing school boards to lease cable television services for up to 20 years.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 1174

Read a third time and concurred in.

Assembly Bill 872

Relating to exempting religious order nursing homes from nursing home licensing and regulation requirements.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Assembly Bill 872

Read a third time and concurred in.

RULING OF THE CHAIR

As it relates to Senate Bill 301 the chair ruled that senate amendment 3 was germane, and therefore, the point of order raised on Tuesday, March 16, was not well taken.

Senate Bill 301

Relating to changing the property tax assessment date to January 1.

Read a second time.

The question was: Adoption of senate amendment 3?

Senator Chilsen moved rejection.

The motion prevailed.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Dorman, with unanimous consent, Senate Bill 301 was referred to joint committee on Finance.

By request of Senator Dorman, with unanimous consent, Senate Bill 301 was withdrawn from the joint committee on Finance and considered for action at this time.

Read a second time.

Ordered to a third reading.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the bill was considered for final action at this time.

Senate Bill 301

Read a third time.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 22; noes, 8; absent or not voting, 3; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Chilsen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Harnisch, Keppler, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Swan, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 22.

Noes -- Senators Bidwell, Cullen, Goyke, Hollander, Knowles, Krueger, Lorge and Sensenbrenner -- 8.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson, LaFave and Risser -- 3.

So the bill passed.

Senator Petri moved reconsideration of the vote by which Assembly Bill 872 was concurred in.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the motion for reconsideration of Assembly Bill 872 was laid on the table.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, all actions were ordered immediately messaged.

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

11:15 A.M.

RECESS

11:45 A.M.

The senate reconvened.

Upon motion of Senator Whittow, the senate recessed until 2:00 P.M.

11:46 A.M.

RECESS

2:00 P.M.

The senate reconvened.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the motion for reconsideration of Assembly Bill 872 was taken from the table and considered for action at this time.

By request of Senator Petri, with unanimous consent, his motion for reconsideration of Assembly Bill 872 was withdrawn.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, Assembly Bill 872 was ordered immediately messaged.

Senator Whittow called the chair's attention to Senate Bill 399 which was a special order of business.

Senator Whittow moved a

CALL OF THE SENATE

on the calendar of March 17

Which motion was supported.

The sergeant-at-arms was directed to close the doors and the clerk to call the roll.

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

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Absent -- Senators Devitt, Lorge, Murphy, Swan and Thompson -- 5.

Absent with leave -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the senate proceeded under call.

Senate Bill 399

Relating to a plan for compensation of persons injured in motor vehicle accidents irrespective of fault.

Read a second time.

By request of Senator Berger, with unanimous consent, senate substitute amendment 1 was laid on the table.

The question was: Indefinite postponement?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 6; noes, 25; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Dorman, Hollander, McKenna, Murphy, Sensenbrenner and Swan -- 6.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Devitt, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Petri, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 25.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

So the motion did not prevail.

By request of Senator Chilsen, with unanimous consent, senate amendment 1 was withdrawn and returned to the author.

The question was: Adoption of senate amendment 2? Adopted.

By request of Senator LaFave, with unanimous consent, he was added as a coauthor of senate amendment 3.

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Adopted.

Senator Parys moved indefinite postponement of Senate Bill 399.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 6; noes, 25; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Dorman, McKenna, Maurer, Murphy, Parys and Swan -- 6.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Devitt, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Hollander, Keppler, Kleczka, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Martin, Morrison, Peloquin, Petri, Sensenbrenner, Theno, Thompson and Whittow -- 25.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

So the motion did not prevail.

Senator Dorman asked unanimous consent that Senate Bill 399 be referred to joint committee on Finance.

Senator Bablitch objected.

Senator Dorman moved that **Senate Bill 399** be referred to joint committee on Finance.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 12; noes, 19; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Dorman, Flynn, Hollander, Knowles, McKenna, Maurer, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Theno and Whittow -- 12.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Bidwell, Chilsen, Cullen, Devitt, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Keppler, Kleczka, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Martin, Morrison, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Thompson -- 19.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

So the motion did not prevail.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the call was raised.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the senate stood informal for 15 minutes.

3:45 P.M.

RECESS

4:00 P.M.

The senate reconvened.

Senator Whittow moved a

CALL OF THE SENATE

on calendar of March 17

Which motion was supported.

The sergeant-at-arms was directed to close the doors and the clerk to call the roll.

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Absent -- None.

Absent with leave -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

Senate amendment 4 to Senate Bill 399 offered by Senators Sensenbrenner, Lorge, Berger, Cullen, LaFave, Murphy, Swan, McKenna, Peloquin, Krueger and Maurer.

Senator Bablitch moved rejection.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 13; noes, 18; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Bidwell, Chilsen, Goyke, Harnisch, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, Martin, Morrison, Petri, Thompson and Whittow -- 13.

Noes -- Senators Berger, Cullen, Devitt, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Hollander, Kleczka, LaFave, Lorge, McKenna, Maurer, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Sensenbrenner, Swan and Theno -- 18.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Knutson and Risser -- 2.

So the motion did not prevail.

By request of Senator Bablitch, with unanimous consent, Senate Bill 399 was referred to joint committee on Finance.

Assembly Bill 1412

Relating to the method of selection and apportionment of delegates to national presidential conventions.

Read a second time.

Senate amendments 1, 2 and 3 to Assembly Bill 1412 offered by Senator Sensenbrenner.

Senator Sensenbrenner moved nonconcurrence in Assembly Bill 1412.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 13; noes, 17; absent or not voting, 3; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 13.

Noes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 17.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Knutson and Risser -- 3.

So the motion did not prevail.

The question was: Adoption of senate amendment 1?

Senator Berger moved rejection.

Senator Flynn moved that the amendment be laid on the table.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 17; noes, 13; absent or not voting, 3; as follows:

Ayes - Senators Bablitch, Berger, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 17.

Noes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 13.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Knutson and Risser -- 3.

So the motion prevailed.

The question was: Adoption of senate amendment 2?

Senator Flynn moved rejection.

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 17; noes, 13; absent or not voting, 3; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 17.

Noes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 13.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Knutson and Risser -- 3.

So the motion prevailed.

The question was: Adoption of senate amendment 3?

Senator Flynn moved rejection.

The motion prevailed.

Ordered to a third reading.

Senator Bablitch asked unanimous consent that the bill be considered for final action at this time.

Senator Murphy objected.

Senator Bablitch moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be considered for final action at this time.

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 17; noes, 13; absent or not voting, 3; as follows:

Ayes -- Senators Bablitch, Berger, Dorman, Flynn, Frank, Goyke, Harnisch, Kleczka, McKenna, Martin, Maurer, Morrison, Parys, Peloquin, Swan, Thompson and Whittow -- 17.

Noes -- Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Devitt, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Murphy, Petri, Sensenbrenner and Theno -- 13.

Absent or not voting -- Senators Cullen, Knutson and Risser -- 3.

Less than two-thirds having voted in the affirmative the motion did not prevail.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By request of Senator Lorge, with unanimous consent, he was granted a leave of absence for the balance of the day.

By request of Senator Bablitch, with unanimous consent, he was granted a leave of absence for the balance of the day.

By request of Senator Whittow, with unanimous consent, the Senate returned to the fourth and seventh orders of business.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The committee on Commerce reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 835

Relating to increasing certain vehicle registration fees, increasing the motor fuel tax, creating a tax exemption for motor fuel for taxicabs, eliminating the tax exemption for motor fuel purchased for aircraft, providing wholesalers may receive administrative expenses for collecting motor fuel taxes, increasing the number of officers in the state traffic patrol, providing for an international registration plan for certain vehicles and making an appropriation.

Passage; Ayes, 5; Noes, 1.

Assembly Bill 1166

Relating to speed limits on rustic roads.

Concurrence; Ayes, 7; Noes, 0.

RONALD G. PARYS Chairman

The committee on Urban Affairs reports and recommends:

Assembly Bill 821

Relating to permitting 2nd, 3rd and 4th class cities and villages to create community development authorities and making various changes with respect to certain housing authorities and redevelopment authorities.

Concurrence; Ayes, 4; Noes, 1.

KURT A. FRANK Chairman

MESSAGE FROM THE ASSEMBLY

By Everett E. Bolle, chief clerk.

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the assembly has passed and asks concurrence in:

Assembly Bill 355

MESSAGE FROM THE ASSEMBLY CONSIDERED

Assembly Bill 355

Relating to authorizing the board of regents of the university of Wisconsin system to establish and maintain a school of veterinary medicine and satellite food animal clinical facility and increasing appropriations.

By Representatives Hephner, O'Malley, Duren, Hanson, Early, Mohn, Vanderperren, Lallensack, Matty, Byers, Donoghue, Gunderson, Lato, Hasenohrl, Gower, Lasee, Ausman, Thompson, DeLong, Roth, Snyder, Schroeder, L.F. Anderson, Everson, Day, McEssy, Kincaid, Clarenbach, Conradt, Schricker, Bradley, Roberts, Behnke, Kedrowski, Miller, Olson, Porter, Rooney, Opitz, Schmidt, Giese, Tregoning, Goodrich, Luckhardt, Klicka and Potter; co-sponsored by Senators Knowles, Petri, Hollander, Krueger, Devitt, Bidwell, Theno, Peloquin, Martin, Goyke,

Bablitch, Berger, Harnisch, Risser, Thompson, LaFave and McKenna.

Read first time and referred to committee on Agriculture, Human Services, Labor and Taxation.

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate substitute amendment 1 to Senate Bill 277 by Senator Martin.

Senate amendment 5 to Senate Bill 399 by Senator Lorge.

Senate amendments 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 to Senate Bill 399 by Senator Parys.

Senate amendment 1 to Senate Bill 814 by Senator McKenna.

Senate amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 604 by Senator Harnisch.

Upon motion of Senator Whittow the senate adjourned until 9:00 A.M. March 18, 1976.

5:25 P.M.

GUESTS

During today's session, the following visitors honored the senate with their presence:

Beloit Memorial Purple Knights, (Coach: Bernie Barkin), guests of Senator Cullen.

CHIEF CLERK'S CORRECTION

Suggested by Legislative Reference Bureau

Relating to: Senate Bill 801

On page 2, line 7, substitute "(8)" for "(7)".

Relating to: Assembly Bill 604 assembly amendment 1 to assembly amendment 7 to assembly substitute amendment 2.

On line .2, before "an" insert "or".

Relating to: Assembly Bill 408 senate substitute amendment 1

On page 1, line 1, delete "8.10,".

Relating to: Assembly Bill 604 assembly substitute amendment

On page 5, line 9, after "pertinent" insert a comma.

Relating to: Assembly Bill 856

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On page 2, line 5, substitute "rule of" for "rule or".

Relating to: Assembly Bill 1412

On page 6, line 19, delete "(1)" and substitute "(3)".

CHIEF CLERK'S REPORT

The chief clerk records:

Senate Bill 142

Senate Bill 154

Senate Bill 320

Senate Bill 321

Senate Bill 322

Senate Bill 323

Senate Bill 324

Senate Bill 588

Correctly enrolled and presented to the Governor on March 17, 1976.