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No. 10

SENATE

MONDAY, February 23, 1981.

The Senate met at 3:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

THE PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor William W. Scranton III) in the Chair.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Father PETER P. MURPHY, Pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Verona, offered the following prayer:

Let us pray.

Lord, our God, enlighten our minds and open our hearts this day. Keep us ever mindful of Your guiding principles that we may bring Your truth to the laws of government for the benefit of our people.

Give us the moral sensitivity to see beyond our immediate goals and personal gains to choose the priorities of greatest need and of most lasting benefits. Give us the openness to be able to negotiate the differences in our views as we strive to understand and appreciate the meaning of the opposing viewpoints.

Give us the courage and the patience to wrestle with the problems of the present but still maintain the foresight to move into the future anticipating the needs of our people.

We are only confronting the temporal needs of our Commonwealth but we know that the temporal wants of the people support the eternal life of the human spirit, which You, Lord God, are the source and inspiration.

Keep us from any temptation of limiting the gift of life that You have created. Strengthen our moral convictions to bring Your kingdom of truth and life to grow and prosper. May Your kingdom come and Your will be done through Jesus Christ. Amen.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks Father Murphy who is the guest this week of Senator Pecora.

JOURNAL APPROVED

The PRESIDENT. A quorum of the Senate being present, the Clerk will read the Journal of the preceding Session.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding Session, when, on motion of Senator JUBELIRER, further reading was dispensed with, and the Journal was approved.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

NOMINATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR  
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows, and referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations:

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD  
OF NURSE EXAMINERS

February 13, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Janette L. Packer, R.N., Ed.D., 540 Bryn Mawr Avenue, Bryn Mawr 19010, Delaware County, Seventeenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Nurse Examiners, to serve for a term of six years, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Helen Wright, R.N., Pittsburgh whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF  
MOTOR VEHICLE MANUFACTURERS,  
DEALERS AND SALESMEN

February 17, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Gene Lispi (New Car Dealer), 7 Crescent Drive, Riverview Terrace, Plains, Wilkes-Barre 18705, Luzerne County, Fourteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Motor Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salesmen, to serve until March 7, 1983, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Roy A. Schneck, Pine Grove, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE  
OFFICERS' EDUCATION AND  
TRAINING COMMISSION

February 17, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Warren J. Broz (Non-Commissioned Police Officer), 1813 Fairacres Avenue, Pittsburgh 15216, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of The Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission, to serve until February 21, 1984, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Sgt. Ed Kearns, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE STATE EMPLOYEES'  
RETIREMENT BOARD

February 17, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate William J. Moran, 137 South Cedar Street, Hazleton 18201, Luzerne County, Fourteenth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of The State Employees' Retirement Board, to serve for a term of four years.

DICK THORNBURGH.

DISTRICT JUSTICE

February 18, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Edward L. Blakely, 307 Pruner Street, Osceola Mills 16666, Clearfield County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as District Justice in and for the County of Clearfield, Class 3, District 03, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1982, vice Steven Prunella, Winburne, mandatory retirement.

DICK THORNBURGH.

DISTRICT JUSTICE

February 18, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate John S. Murray, III, 1915 Main Street, West Point 19486, Montgomery County, Twenty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as District Justice in and for the County of Montgomery, Class 02, District 13, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1982, vice George H. Knoell, Jr., Blue Bell, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

BRIGADIER GENERAL, PENNSYLVANIA  
NATIONAL GUARD

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Colonel Robert J. Irvin, R. D. 6, Indiana 15701, Indiana County, Forty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Brigadier General, Pennsylvania Army National Guard, to serve until terminated, as Deputy Director, State Area Command, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Pennsylvania Army National Guard, vice Brigadier General Lawrence A. Keller, reassigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF  
HAZLETON STATE GENERAL HOSPITAL

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Ralph C. Thomas, 119 West Diamond Avenue, Hazleton 18201, Luzerne County, Twentieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State General Hospital, to serve until the third Tuesday of January, 1987, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Israel T. Klapper, Esquire, Hazleton, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF  
HAZLETON STATE GENERAL HOSPITAL

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate James G. Walker, 38 North Vine Street, Hazleton 18201, Luzerne County, Fourteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State General Hospital, to serve until the third Tuesday of January, 1987, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Frederick L. Barletta, Hazleton, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF  
HAZLETON STATE GENERAL HOSPITAL

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Paul N. Walser, R. D. #1, Hazleton 18201, Luzerne County, Twentieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Hazleton State General Hospital, to serve until the third Tuesday of January, 1987, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Nicholas Sedon, Hazleton, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE BEDFORD COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate William R. Hastings (Republican), Box 78, Riddlesburg 16672, Bedford County, Thirtieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Bedford County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1981, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Donald L. Koontz, Bedford, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE BEDFORD COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Greta L. Keys (Republican), R. D. 6, Box 426, Bedford 15522, Bedford County, Thirtieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Bedford County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Harriet I. Mihelcic, New Paris, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CENTRE COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Robert W. Aitken (Republican), R. D. 1, Box 396, Boalsburg 16827, Centre County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Centre County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Ralph S. Hagan, Centre Hall, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CENTRE COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Nicholas A. DeLallo (Republican), 819 North Science Park Road, State College 16801, Centre County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Centre County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice N. Jacob Weikert, Howard, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CENTRE COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Helen L. Kenworthy (Republican), 709 Devonshire Drive, State College 16801, Centre County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Centre County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice A. Brooks Corl, State College, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CHESTER COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Charles C. Brosius (Republican), R. D. 2, Box 200, West Grove 19390, Chester County, Thirteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Chester County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Ramon Burgos, West Chester, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CLARION COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate H. John Drayer (Republican), R. D. 1, Mayport 16240, Clarion County, Forty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Clarion County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1981, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Matthew H. Marder, Summerville, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CLARION COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate J. Donald Lynch (Republican), P. O. Box 152, St. Petersburg 16054, Clarion County, Forty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Clarion County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Nellie Arner, Rimersburg, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CLARION COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Samuel B. Montana (Republican), 537 Main Street, Clarion 16214, Clarion County, Forty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Clarion County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Lloyd B. Stewart, Parker, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CLEARFIELD COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Eileen Anthony (Republican), P. O. Box 131, Grampian 16838, Clearfield County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Clearfield County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Richard C. Payton, Clearfield, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CLEARFIELD COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Bernyce A. Dufton (Republican), 502 West Market Street, Clearfield 16830, Clearfield County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Clearfield County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Lonnie Moore, Clearfield, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CLEARFIELD COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Virginia K. Harzinski (Democrat), 320 High Street, Curwensville 16833, Clearfield County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Clearfield County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CLEARFIELD COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Charles A. Hubler (Republican), P. O. Box 267, Morrisdale 16858, Clearfield County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Clearfield County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Dean S. Braucht, Coalport, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CLEARFIELD COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Mary E. Smith (Republican), 611 Chestnut Avenue, DuBois, 15801, Clearfield County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Clearfield County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Frank Provenzano, Penfield, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CRAWFORD COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Rudolph O. Anderson (Republican), 912 "E" Street, Meadville 16335, Crawford County, Fiftieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Crawford County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Bruce Clayton, Meadville, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CRAWFORD COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Robert S. Biltz (Republican), Star Route, Meadville 16335, Crawford County, Fiftieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Crawford County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Erwin J. Stanford, Cochranon, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CUMBERLAND COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Francis R. Grady (Republican), 815 Mandy Lane, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Cumberland County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Eleanor Joerger, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE CUMBERLAND COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Ann D. Lyon (Democrat), 20 Clifton Road, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Cumberland County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Martha Slotten, Carlisle, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE HUNTINGDON COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Joyce B. Goss (Republican), Box 554, Mill Creek 17060, Huntingdon County, Thirtieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Huntingdon County Board of Assistance to serve until December 31, 1982, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Patricia Kann, Huntingdon, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE LEBANON COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Esther Z. Papon (Republican), Box 395, Route 2, Lebanon 17042, Lebanon County, Forty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Lebanon County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Jeanne L. A. Earnshaw, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE MERCER COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Doris B. Milheim (Republican), 1660 Hannah Court, Sharon 16146, Mercer County, Fiftieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Mercer County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Edward A. Johnson, Sharon, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE SNYDER COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Helen M. Deibler (Republican), 24 Meadowbrook Drive, Selingsgrove 17812, Snyder County, Twenty-seventh Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Snyder County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Robert Bradford, Selingsgrove, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE SNYDER COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Henry L. Reed (Republican), Box 92, Beaver Springs 17812, Snyder County, Twenty-seventh Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Snyder County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Kathleen Zicovage, Selingsgrove, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE WESTMORELAND COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate The Reverend Brant V. Hazlett (Democrat), 820 Carbon Road, Greensburg 15601, Westmoreland County, Thirty-ninth Senatorial District for appointment as a member of the Westmoreland County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1981, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Elma Fox, New Stanton, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE VENANGO COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate George S. Mallery (Republican), 732 Elk Street, Franklin 16323, Venango County, Twenty-fifth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Venango County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Isabell R. Findlan, Franklin, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE VENANGO COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 20, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Louis M. Slautterback (Republican), 1276 Otter Street, Franklin 16323, Venango County, Twenty-fifth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Venango County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and, qualified, vice Elizabeth A. King, Franklin, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

## HOUSE MESSAGES

### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented for concurrence House Concurrent Resolution No. 7, which was referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations.

### HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

He also presented for concurrence **HB 85**, which was referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 33**, which was referred to the Committee on Education.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 231 and 239**, which were referred to the Committee on Local Government.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 121**, which was referred to the Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 27, 105 and 227**, which were referred to the Committee on State Government.

### RESOLUTION REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator JUBELIRER, from the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, reported without amendment, Senate Resolution, **Serial No. 17**, entitled:

Amending Senate Rule 37, Section 1.

The PRESIDENT. The resolution will be placed on the Calendar.

## REPORTS FROM COMMITTEE

Senator MANBECK, from the Committee on Transportation, reported, as committed, **SB 8, 114 and 153**.

### BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

Senators LEWIS, LLOYD, ANDREZESKI, O'PAKE, ROMANELLI, MURRAY, KELLEY, ZEMPRELLI, GREENLEAF, RHOADES and PECORA presented to the Chair **SB 332**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 5, 1936 (2nd Sp. Sess., 1937 P. L. 2897, No. 1), entitled "Unemployment Compensation Law," further providing for offsets against compensation paid.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, February 23, 1981.

Senators PECORA, EARLY, SHAFFER, STREET, LOEPER and HESS presented to the Chair **SB 333**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 28, 1953 (P. L. 723, No. 230), entitled, as amended, "Second Class County Code," making the hotel room rental tax and providing for its use.

Which was committed to the Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, February 23, 1981.

Senators PECORA, SHAFFER, STREET and LOEPER presented to the Chair **SB 334**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 14, 1963 (P. L. 1082, No. 464), entitled "Home Improvement Finance Act," changing the finance charge limitation.

Which was committed to the Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, February 23, 1981.

Senators LINCOLN, MESSINGER, ANDREZESKI, KELLEY, STAPLETON, REIBMAN, HESS and LOEPER presented to the Chair **SB 335**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30, No. 14), entitled "Public School Code of 1949," providing for certain transfer rights between school entities.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, February 23, 1981.

Senators MOORE, KUSSE, JUBELIRER and O'CONNELL presented to the Chair **SB 336**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 2, 1915 (P. L. 736, No. 338), entitled, as amended, "The Pennsylvania Workmen's Compensation Act," further providing for a division of premium costs among municipalities receiving protection from the same volunteer fire company.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, February 23, 1981.

Senators SNYDER and KUSSE presented to the Chair **SB 337**, entitled:

An Act repealing the act of August 15, 1961 (P. L. 987, No. 442), entitled "Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act," and making additional repeals.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, February 23, 1981.

Senator KUSSE presented to the Chair **SB 338**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for special speed limitations in construction and maintenance areas.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 23, 1981.

Senator KUSSE presented to the Chair **SB 339**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 15, 1961 (P. L. 373, No. 207), entitled "Inheritance and Estate Tax Act of 1961," excluding from the tax of a nonresident's estate the real estate in Pennsylvania subject to a contract of sale.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, February 23, 1981.

Senator KUSSE presented to the Chair **SB 340**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for rules of succession.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, February 23, 1981.

Senator KUSSE presented to the Chair **SB 341**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 9, 1971 (P. L. 286, No. 74), entitled "Disposition of Abandoned and Unclaimed Property Act," further providing for the disposition of certain property.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, February 23, 1981.

Senator KUSSE presented to the Chair **SB 342**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing an exemption to mail delivery vehicles from certain stopping prohibitions.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 23, 1981.

Senator KUSSE presented to the Chair **SB 343**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P. L. 1225, No. 316), entitled "The Game Law," further providing for the issuance of antlerless deer licenses to disabled veterans and making certain editorial changes.

Which was committed to the Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, February 23, 1981.

Senator KUSSE presented to the Chair **SB 344**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for certain licenses.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 23, 1981.

Senators KUSSE and HESS presented to the Chair **SB 345**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177, No. 175), entitled "The Administrative Code of 1929," further providing for the powers of the Secretary of Education.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, February 23, 1981.

Senator KUSSE presented to the Chair **SB 346**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for penalties for driving without a valid driver's license.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 23, 1981.

Senators BODACK, SCANLON and ROMANELLI presented to the Chair **SB 347**, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation to the Arsenal Family and Children's Center, Pittsburgh.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 23, 1981.

Senators GEKAS, KUSSE, CORMAN, RHOADES, GREENLEAF, PRICE and HOPPER presented to the Chair **SB 348**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of November 26, 1975 (P. L. 438, No. 124), entitled "Child Protective Services Law," changing certain definitions; creating cause of action for employment discrimination; authorizing certain reports to be made to the agency; changing reporting, investigating, information and notice requirements; requiring cooperation from school districts; extending the act to neglect of children; and making certain editorial changes.

Which was committed to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE, February 23, 1981.

Senators SCANLON and CORMAN presented to the Chair **SB 349**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177, No. 175), entitled "The Administrative Code of 1929," adding rights, duties and jurisdiction to Security and Campus Police under certain conditions.

Which was committed to the Committee on LAW AND JUSTICE, February 23, 1981.

Senators REIBMAN, ROMANELLI, PECORA and O'CONNELL presented to the Chair **SB 350**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for speed limits in school zones.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 23, 1981.

Senators REIBMAN and HESS presented to the Chair **SB 351**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 8, 1947 (P. L. 1428, No. 552), entitled "Private Business School Law," providing additional exemptions from the licensing requirements.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, February 23, 1981.

Senators REIBMAN, MESSINGER and SNYDER presented to the Chair **SB 352**, entitled:

An Act establishing the State Board of Private Schools and abolishing certain boards.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, February 23, 1981.

Senators REIBMAN, ANDREZESKI and PECORA presented to the Chair **SB 353**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, authorizing customers of certain public utilities to elect monthly or bimonthly billing.

Which was committed to the Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, February 23, 1981.

Senators REIBMAN, MESSINGER and HESS presented to the Chair **SB 354**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, requiring certificates of necessity for the construction or renovation of electric generating facilities.

Which was committed to the Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, February 23, 1981.

Senators REIBMAN, ANDREZESKI and MELLOW presented to the Chair **SB 355**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30, No. 14), entitled "Public School Code of 1949," providing college education for certain citizens age sixty and over.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, February 23, 1981.

Senators O'CONNELL, MELLOW and MOORE presented to the Chair **SB 356**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for emergency lighting equipment for coroners vehicles.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 23, 1981.

Senator ZEMPRELLI presented to the Chair **SB 357**, entitled:

An Act validating certain instruments affecting the title to real estate.

Which was committed to the Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, February 23, 1981.

Senator ZEMPRELLI presented to the Chair **SB 358**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for offenses relating to cruelty to animals.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, February 23, 1981.

## SENATE RESOLUTIONS

### DESIGNATING WEEK OF MARCH 15 TO 22, 1981 AS "IRISH WEEK"

Senators LYNCH, SCANLON, MURRAY, O'CONNELL, KELLEY, MCKINNEY, STAPLETON, SMITH and RHOADES offered the following resolution (**Serial No. 24**), which was read and referred to the Committee on State Government:

In the Senate, February 23, 1981.

WHEREAS, Persons of Irish ancestry have made significant contributions to our society; and

WHEREAS, The Irish in our country constitute the catalyst for the accomplishment of the worthwhile; and

WHEREAS, Recognition should be given to the contributions and accomplishments of our Irish-Americans; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the week of March 15 to March 22, 1981 be known and celebrated throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as "Irish Week."

## SPECIAL SENATE COMMITTEE INVESTIGATE PROPOSAL BY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE TO CLOSE LOCUST MOUNTAIN STATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, C. HOWARD MARCY HOSPITAL AND THE WESTERN RESTORATION CENTER

Senators RHOADES, SHAFFER, O'CONNELL, PECORA and HELFRICK offered the following resolution (**Serial No. 25**), which was read and referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations:

In the Senate, February 23, 1981.

In January of this year the Department of Public Welfare announced that it proposed to close the Locust Mountain State General Hospital in Schuylkill County and the C. Howard Marcy Hospital and the Western Restoration Center in Allegheny County.

This proposal should be studied and evaluated by a committee of the Senate prior to its being carried out; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the President pro tempore of the Senate appoint seven members of the Senate, four from the majority and three from the minority to investigate the department's proposal; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the committee may hold hearings, take testimony, and make its investigations at such places as it deems necessary within this Commonwealth including but not limited to the counties affected. It may issue subpoenas under the hand and seal of its chairman commanding any person to appear before it and to answer questions touching matters properly being inquired into by the committee and to produce such books, papers, records and documents as the committee deems necessary. Such subpoenas may be served upon any person and shall have the force and effect of subpoenas issued out of the courts of this Commonwealth. Any person who willfully neglects or refuses to testify before the committee or to produce any books, papers, records or documents, shall be subject to the penalties provided by the laws of the Commonwealth in such case. Each member of the committee shall have power to administer oaths and affirmations to witnesses appearing before the committee; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the committee shall report its findings to the Senate as soon as possible.

## RECESS

Senator JUBELIRER. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate until 4:15 p.m., for the purpose of holding a Republican caucus and a Democratic caucus.

The PRESIDENT. Are there any objections? The Chair hears no objection, and declares a recess of the Senate until 4:15 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

## AFTER RECESS

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having elapsed, the Senate will be in order.



## CALENDAR

## THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION  
AND FINAL PASSAGE

**SB 167 (Pr. No. 167)** — Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question,  
Shall the bill pass finally?

(During the calling of the roll, the following occurred:)

Senator LEWIS. "Present."

Senator MESSINGER. "Present."

The PRESIDENT. The Chair finds that there are two Members of the Senate who voted "present" on this question. The Chair cannot accept a "present" vote. Do either of those Members wish to vote in the affirmative or the negative on this question?

Senator MESSINGER. Mr. President, "no." My vote is "no."

The PRESIDENT. Senator Messinger will be recorded in the negative.

## POINT OF ORDER

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, I rise to a point of order.

The PRESIDENT. The gentleman from Bucks, Senator Lewis, will state it.

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, do I understand that the Chair has issued a ruling that the vote cast by me was not acceptable?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair has issued such a ruling.

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, would the Chair be kind enough to explain the basis for that ruling?

The PRESIDENT. The basis of the ruling is the Rules of the Senate, Senate Rule XXII, paragraph 3, which states: "Every Senator shall be present within the Senate Chamber during the sessions of the Senate, unless duly excused or necessarily prevented, and shall be recorded as voting on each question stated from the Chair which requires a roll call vote unless excused by the Senate."

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, I would assume that there is no question that I was present in the Chamber at the time. Therefore, Mr. President, I would ask the Chair to specify the portion of the Rule that is being used to disqualify the vote that I issued.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair has stated so, but to be more specific, it states, "Every Senator...shall be recorded as voting on each question..." The Chair does not interpret a "present" vote as voting on the question.

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, is it not a fact that we refer to Mason's Manual to assist us with interpretation of the Rules?

The PRESIDENT. It is a fact that the Rules of the Senate supersede Mason's Manual.

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, may I ask the Chair to incorporate in its review the portion of Mason's Manual,

Section 535, paragraph 2, which seems to indicate that a "present" vote is a permissible vote and which is not specifically ruled improper by the Senate Rules?

The PRESIDENT. The Senate will be at ease while the Chair reviews that section.

(The Senate was at ease.)

The PRESIDENT. That section of Mason's Rules to which the gentleman refers does not change this ruling. Based on the supremacy of the Rules of the Senate, it is the Chair's interpretation that the Rules of the Senate require a "yes" or "no" vote on each question by those Members of the Senate who are not excused.

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, is this issue now open to debate?

The PRESIDENT. It is not at this time unless the ruling of the Chair would be appealed.

## RULING OF THE CHAIR APPEALED

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, I would like to appeal the ruling of the Chair.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Lewis has appealed the ruling of the Chair.

The question before the Senate is, shall the ruling of the Chair which states that the vote by the gentleman as "present" is invalid and he is required to vote on this question, shall that ruling be sustained? Those voting "aye" vote to sustain the ruling of the Chair. Those voting "no" vote to overrule the ruling of the Chair.

## POINT OF ORDER

Senator STAUFFER. Mr. President, I rise to a point of order.

The PRESIDENT. The gentleman from Chester, Senator Stauffer, will state it.

Senator STAUFFER. Mr. President, is the question debatable?

The PRESIDENT. The question is debatable at this time.

Senator STAUFFER. Mr. President, I think that every Member of this Senate recognizes upon being elected to this Body, that it is an inherent obligation of a public official to duly cast an "aye" or "nay" vote on every issue that comes before this Body and in fact it has been a cornerstone, not only of the Senate of Pennsylvania, the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, but it has also been a cornerstone of all fields of elected government that a Member present must vote upon an issue. To fail to do so is casting aside one of the most treasured responsibilities that anyone can carry. In the past I know there has been a debate before this Senate on this very same question and I believe that any previous ruling would indicate that the Rules of this Senate do require that a Member cast an "aye" or "nay" vote when an issue is brought before the Senate. In fact, Mr. President, the Rules of the Senate carry a contempt clause which could be invoked if a Member refused to follow the Rules of the Senate.

Mr. President, I believe that for the institution of the Senate, for the integrity of every public elected official in

this Commonwealth, it is important that every Member vote to sustain the ruling of the Chair.

Senator BELL. Mr. President, I believe it was in 1961, the Lieutenant Governor, John Morgan Davis, a Democrat, ruled that a Member had to vote "aye" or "nay" unless that Member had a personal interest in the bill and was excused from so voting. The reason I remember it is I tried to vote "present" in 1961, and I would suggest that the Democrats who did such wonderful research on other votes which I have made should have done their homework on this one before harassing the Chair.

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, the memory of the gentleman from Delaware, Senator Bell, is completely accurate. It was 1961 when the gentleman voted "present" and the discussion took place to which he referenced. The question here, Mr. President, is not one of responsibility. I am fully mindful of my constitutional obligations and the responsibility to my constituents and I appreciate the admonitions of the gentleman from Chester, Senator Stauffer, with regard thereto.

We continue to find ourselves involved in a process in which, because of a ruling of the Chair, we seem to be accepting a standard for passage of legislation that does not comport with what many of us believe to be the constitutional requirement. It is for that reason, Mr. President, that I am raising this issue. It is because the question of the position that an individual Senator finds himself put into as a result of this standard requires an exploration of the alternatives that may be available. Certainly none of us are going to walk off of this floor and refuse to have a vote cast with respect to legislative matters. Yet to be allowed only the alternative of voting "aye" or "nay" puts us into a position where we either have to accept that ruling by voting in the affirmative or vote in the negative on an issue which may not, in fact, reflect our feelings about that particular matter.

It is a very unpleasant predicament to be in, Mr. President, and it may be that the only continuing method to point out the change in constitutional obligation that the Majority has sought for its own purposes is to find some means for expressing that concern through the votes on this floor.

A review of the Rules does not indicate that that is impermissible. I note Rule XXVIII of this Senate very clearly says, "The Rules of Parliamentary Practice comprised in Mason's Manual of Legislative Procedure shall govern the Senate in all cases to which they are applicable, and which they are not inconsistent with the Standing Rules...of the Senate..."

Then in looking at the Rule that has been quoted here, Rule XXII, Section 3, we find that it says, "Every Senator shall be present within the Senate Chamber...shall be recorded as voted on each question stated from the Chair..." It does not say that you have to be recorded as voting "aye" or "nay." It merely says that you must be recorded as voted. What then does that mean, Mr. President?

We turn to Mason's Manual and we find a lengthy discussion about the constitutional derivation of the voting of "aye" and "nay," and we find in that manual, which our very Rules incorporate by specific reference, that it says, "A Member who is present who does not wish to vote on that issue may answer "present." That manual, which is specifically incorporated in our Rules, provides for that as a legitimate means to vote by a Member of the Legislative Body. It is not at all inconsistent with the specific language of our Rules. There is no required vote according to our Senate Rules. It merely obligates us to say something. "Present" is a totally acceptable response by a Member who chooses to vote when he is present in the Chamber. That is what the manual which we refer to in our Rules, and incorporates, specifically provides.

It is for that reason that I chose to cast that vote, Mr. President, because I believe that we find ourselves in a situation in which I have no alternative. It is for that reason and the need to sustain the constitutional objectives which we are all bound to uphold, Mr. President, that I believe the ruling of the Chair should be overturned and that the bigger objective, the institution of the Senate, which the gentleman from Chester, Senator Stauffer, speaks about and we are obligated under the Constitution to uphold that in the manner in which we believe to be appropriate requires us to use every legitimate means of expression available to us.

Mr. President, the vote that I cast is a legitimate means for that expression and I ask for the Members to vote to overrule the ruling of the Chair.

Senator STAUFFER. Mr. President, I think the words that the gentleman quoted, if he reviews them, will indicate the falsity of his argument because the gentleman indicated that Mason's Manual says that a Member who does not wish to vote may indicate that he is "present." The Rules of the Senate indicate that a Member must vote. Therefore, there is not an inconsistency, there is a total consistency. If a Member does not wish to vote under Mason's Manual, he can indicate that he is present in body. The Senate Rules which prevail over Mason's Manual indicate that it is not sufficient to say that a Member is present in body, but that he must vote.

Senator BELL. Mr. President, one should always interpret the Rules and the Constitution as one body of cloth. If the gentleman had read the Constitution under Article III, Section 4, it states: "No bill shall become a law, unless on its final passage the vote is taken by yeas and nays..." It does not say "present." Then further, there is a provision which is Section 13 of the same article: "A Member who has a personal or private interest in any measure or bill...shall disclose the fact...and shall not vote thereon."

Therefore, Mr. President, a "present" vote because of a personal interest is not voting. As the Constitution says, a vote shall be "aye" or "nay."

Mr. President, I would like to yield to my colleague, the gentleman from Philadelphia, Senator Street, for some advice.

Senator STREET. Mr. President, I desire to interrogate the gentleman from Bucks, Senator Lewis.

The PRESIDENT. Will the gentleman from Bucks, Senator Lewis, permit himself to be interrogated?

Senator LEWIS. I will, Mr. President.

Senator STREET. Mr. President, if the gentleman from Bucks, Senator Lewis, actually believes "present" was an acceptable form of voting or expressing himself on the floor of this Senate, then can the gentleman answer me why in the last week or so the Democrats have been walking off the floor of the Senate rather than just saying "present"?

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, I believe there are a variety of ways to express my disappointment and my belief that the ruling of the Chair with regard to the number of votes that are required can be made. Walking off the floor was one of them and I do not believe that now choosing to express my disagreement in a different form means that one or the other is invalid.

Senator STREET. Mr. President, I would just like to make a brief observation.

We have in this Assembly here in the Capitol two houses, a lower house and what is referred to as an upper house. Over in the lower house, there is a large electronic board on the wall. When one votes there on that board it is "yea" or "nay." It is not "yea," "nay" or "present." That, it seems to me, is a fair conclusion that "present" is unacceptable and I do not believe it would be acceptable for that expression to be correct here in the Senate but that same expression be incorrect in the other Body of this Assembly.

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, I am aware of the constitutional requirement quoted by the gentleman from Delaware, Senator Bell. I think that is very clearly open to interpretation. I believe it can be interpreted to mean there is a guarantee that a roll call vote will actually be taken as opposed to the possibility of a voice vote being used and the requirement of the "yeas" and "nays" one will see is in the recitation of the procedural obligations.

Notwithstanding that, Mr. President, I think it is important to also note the United States Constitution in Article I, Section 5 specifically stipulates that the vote should be taken by the "yeas" and the "nays" and the use of the form of voting "present" is an accepted one that is regularly in process in the United States Congress in light of and notwithstanding the United States constitutional language which seems to be similar if not identical to that of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

I believe the comments that are relevant to this have been expressed, Mr. President, and at such time as the debate has concluded, I would not object to a voice vote on this matter.

Senator HOPPER. Mr. President, I desire to interrogate the gentleman from Bucks, Senator Lewis.

The PRESIDENT. Will the gentleman from Bucks, Senator Lewis, permit himself to be interrogated?

Senator LEWIS. I will, Mr. President.

Senator HOPPER. Mr. President, does the gentleman from Bucks, Senator Lewis, remember when Senator McCormick was a Member of this Body and refused to vote "aye" or "nay" and President Ernest Kline ruled him out of order and said that he had to vote "aye" or "nay"?

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, yes, I recall the incident in which the gentleman refused to vote.

The PRESIDENT. On the question, an "aye" vote will sustain the ruling of the Chair, a "nay" vote will vote to overrule the ruling of the Chair.

The yeas and nays were required by Senator LEWIS and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—29

Bell	Hess	Manbeck	Shaffer
Corman	Holl	Moore	Smith
Early	Hopper	O'Connell	Snyder
Fisher	Howard	Pecora	Stapleton
Gekas	Jubelirer	Price	Stauffer
Greenleaf	Kusse	Reibman	Street
Hager	Loeper	Rhoades	Tilghman
Helfrick			

NAYS—16

Andrezeski	Lincoln	Murray	Scanlon
Bodack	Lloyd	O'Pake	Singel
Kelley	Mellow	Romanelli	Stout
Lewis	Messinger	Ross	Zemprelli

A majority of the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the negative, and the decision of the Chair is sustained.

And the question recurring,  
Shall the bill pass finally?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair would ask the gentleman if he would like to cast a positive or negative vote on the question.

Senator LEWIS. Mr. President, please record my vote in the negative.

The PRESIDENT. The gentleman will be so recorded.

And the question recurring,  
Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—26

Bell	Helfrick	Loeper	Rhoades
Corman	Hess	Manbeck	Shaffer
Early	Holl	Moore	Snyder
Fisher	Hopper	O'Connell	Stauffer
Gekas	Howard	Pecora	Street
Greenleaf	Jubelirer	Price	Tilghman
Hager	Kusse		

NAYS—20

Andrezeski	Lloyd	O'Pake	Singel
Bodack	Lynch	Reibman	Smith
Kelley	Mellow	Romanelli	Stapleton
Lewis	Messinger	Ross	Stout
Lincoln	Murray	Scanlon	Zemprelli

A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

**SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR**

**BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION**

**SB 2 (Pr. No. 197)** — Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third consideration.

**BILL OVER IN ORDER**

**SB 63** — Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator STAUFFER.

**BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION**

**SB 164 (Pr. No. 164)** — Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third consideration.

**REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON  
RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS**

Senator LOEPER, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, reported the following nominations, made by His Excellency, the Governor, which were read by the Clerk as follows:

**MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA  
LABOR RELATIONS BOARD**

December 23, 1980.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Ralph F. Scalera, Esquire, 1080 River Road, Beaver 15009, Beaver County, Forty-seventh Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board, to serve until June 2, 1985, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified, vice Joseph J. Licastro, Johnstown, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

**COMMONWEALTH TRUSTEE OF LINCOLN  
UNIVERSITY—OF THE COMMONWEALTH SYSTEM  
OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

December 1, 1980.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Ms. Tonya I. Tolson, 3440 Norwood Place, Holland 18966, Bucks County, Sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a Commonwealth Trustee of Lincoln University—of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, to serve until August 31, 1984, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice John C. Pittenger, Nottingham, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

**MEMBER OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE**

January 26, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Helen L. DeMay (Republican), 219 Regency Place, Bethel Park 15102, Allegheny County, Thirty-seventh Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Allegheny County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Joseph M. Siudyla, Glassport, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

**MEMBER OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE**

January 26, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Robert J. Dodds, Jr. (Republican), 1740 Beechwood Boulevard, Pittsburgh 15217, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Allegheny County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified.

DICK THORNBURGH.

**MEMBER OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE**

January 26, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Dr. Joseph Pois (Democrat), 825 Morewood Avenue, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Allegheny County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice John V. Hicks, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

**MEMBER OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE**

January 26, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate William L. Pollard (Republican), 4305 Hemlock Circle, Allison Park 15101, Allegheny County, Fortieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Allegheny County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mary Vasilaikis, Monroeville, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

January 26, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Paul L. Pyeritz (Republican), 423 Salem Drive, Pittsburgh 15243, Allegheny County, Thirty-seventh Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Allegheny County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Edgar Landerman, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 5, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Ray Allen (Republican), 374 South Negley Avenue, Apartment Four, Pittsburgh 15232, Allegheny County, Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Allegheny County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Michael Louik, Esquire, Pittsburgh, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE LANCASTER COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 5, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Elizabeth M. Tredway (Republican), 132 East Lemon Street, Lancaster 17602, Lancaster County, Thirteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Lancaster County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1981, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Ms. Joanne Gollatz, Lancaster, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE LYCOMING COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 5, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Benjamin L. Pulizzi (Republican), 1760 Williams Road, Williamsport 17701, Lycoming County, Twenty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Lycoming County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Ervene E. Vitacolonna, Williamsport, Elysburg, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 5, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Nancy A. Forbes (Republican), 700 Park Drive, Sunbury 17801, Northumberland County, Twenty-seventh Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Northumberland County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Frank Bebenck, Elysburg, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE PHILADELPHIA COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 5, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Shirley S. Harrison (Democrat), 7601 Crittenden Street, Philadelphia 19118, Philadelphia County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Philadelphia County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1983, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Grace A. Hughes, Philadelphia, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 5, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Mrs. Shirley Francioni (Republican), R. D., Box 9, Hop Bottom 18824, Susquehanna County, Twentieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Susquehanna County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Martin J. Demerich, Susquehanna, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY  
BOARD OF ASSISTANCE

February 5, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Mrs. Shirley Hinds (Republican), R. D. 1, Hallstead 18822, Susquehanna County, Twentieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Susquehanna County Board of Assistance, to serve until December 31, 1982, and until her successor is duly appointed and qualified, vice Mrs. Helen Lindgren, Susquehanna, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

NOMINATIONS LAID ON THE TABLE

Senator LOEPER. Mr. President, I request the nominations be laid on the table.

The PRESIDENT. The nominations will be laid on the table.

EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion was made by Senator LOEPER,

That the Senate do now resolve itself into Executive Session for the purpose of considering certain nominations made by the Governor.

Which was agreed to.

NOMINATIONS TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator LOEPER. Mr. President, I call from the table for consideration certain nominations previously reported from committee and laid on the table.

The Clerk read the nominations as follows:

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM COMMISSION

December 23, 1980.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Denise Robison, 2100 South Shore Drive, Erie 16505, Erie County, Forty-ninth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, to serve until the third Tuesday of January, 1983, and until her successor shall have been appointed and qualified, vice Albert W. Gendebien, Easton, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF STATE COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY DIRECTORS

December 16, 1980.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Henry Benton Suhr, Jr., 557 Bouquin Circle, Oil City 16301, Venango County, Twenty-fifth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of State College and University Directors, to serve until June 30, 1985, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Peter A. McGrath, West Chester, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

DISTRICT JUSTICE

January 30, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate William J. Hauck, 421 Carmarthen Court, Exton 19341, Chester County, Nineteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as District Justice in and for the County of Chester, Class 2, District 05, pursuant to Supreme Court Order Number 15, approved October 22, 1980, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1982.

DICK THORNBURGH.

DISTRICT JUSTICE

January 29, 1981.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate James L. Garrett, 6 Ridge Drive, Lititz 17543, Lancaster County, Forty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as District Justice in and for the County of Lancaster, Class 3, District 09, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1982, vice Sharon Simpkins, Lititz, deceased.

DICK THORNBURGH.

On the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the nominations?

Senator SCANLON. Mr. President, I ask for a roll call vote.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the nominations?

The yeas and nays were required by Senator LOEPER and Senator SCANLON and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—27

Bell	Helfrick	Loeper	Shaffer
Corman	Hess	Manbeck	Smith
Early	Holl	Moore	Snyder
Fisher	Hopper	O'Connell	Stauffer
Gekas	Howard	Pecora	Street
Greenleaf	Jubelirer	Price	Tilghman
Hager	Kusse	Rhoades	

NAYS—18

Andrezeski	Lloyd	Reibman	Singel
Bodack	Lynch	Romanelli	Stapleton
Kelley	Mellow	Ross	Stout
Lewis	Murray	Scanlon	Zemprelli
Lincoln	O'Pake		

A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

EXECUTIVE SESSION RISES

Senator LOEPER. Mr. President, I move that the Executive Session do now rise.

The motion was agreed to.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

RESOLUTION REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator HOPPER, from the Committee on Aging and Youth, reported without amendment, Senate Concurrent Resolution, Serial No. 202, entitled:

Directing Joint State Government Commission conduct an in-depth study of property tax relief for senior citizens.

The PRESIDENT. The resolution will be placed on the Calendar.

### BILL REREFERRED

Senator HOPPER, from the Committee on Aging and Youth, returned to the Senate SB 117, as committed, which was rereferred to the Committee on Urban Affairs and Housing.

### CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS

The PRESIDENT laid before the Senate the following resolutions, which were read, considered and adopted:

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Charles H. Wedemeyer, Jr. by Senator Bell.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leonard and to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAllister by Senator Bodack.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Domenic Palumbo by Senator Corman.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to David J. Meyer and to Mr. and Mrs. James K. Davis by Senator Early.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Michael E. Allen by Senator Gekas.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Homer G. Keibler by Senator Kelley.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Frank Sanfilippo and to John Nutaitis by Senator O'Connell.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to William Garove and to American Energy Week, Inc. by Senator Pecora.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Samuel Freed and to Andrew Pahach by Senator Singel.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Sexton by Senator Stapleton.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pruce and to Johanna Pro by Senator Stout.

### BILLS ON FIRST CONSIDERATION

Senator STAUFFER. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to consideration of all bills reported from committees for the first time at today's Session.

The motion was agreed to.

The bills were as follows:

**SB 8, 114 and 153.**

And said bills having been considered for the first time, Ordered, To be laid aside for second consideration.

### PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES

Senator O'PAKE. Mr. President, back in 1975, this General Assembly authorized a \$10 million bond issue to

provide low interest, two per cent, loans to volunteer fire companies, ambulance associations and rescue associations. That program has been so successful that the fund is in need of refueling. There is now, according to the information we have been able to gather, only \$300,000 left in that fund. Since the time that we authorized the \$10 million through a bond issue, more than 600 volunteer fire companies, most of which are situated in rural areas of Pennsylvania, have been helped. As a matter of fact, Mr. President, they have drawn over \$14 million from that fund.

Mr. President, there are now 200 pending applications, but with only \$300,000 left, obviously there is not enough to grant those applications. At a time when drought has increased fire hazards, when arson is on the rise dramatically in Pennsylvania, when inflation has driven up the costs of fire-fighting equipment and when interest rates have skyrocketed, we have an obligation to continue that fund and to make low interest money available to the fire-fighting volunteers who are working on the front lines.

Therefore, Mr. President, today I have filed legislation which would authorize an additional \$10 million bond issue and if we want that to appear on the May ballot so the voters of Pennsylvania can vote it up or down, time is of the essence. April 19th is the last day on which we can act and the Governor can sign this so that it can appear on the May ballot.

Mr. President, I urge all my colleagues who have volunteer fire companies and ambulance associations in their district to cosponsor and support this so that we can get prompt action.

Senator RHOADES. Mr. President, this afternoon I offered a resolution because of the proposed closing of Locust Mountain State Hospital. It appears that each time this year, at least at budget time, this issue comes up. Again this year, it is no exception.

The Department of Public Welfare proposes to close Locust Mountain State Hospital in Schuylkill County, thus removing the protection and assistance of the medical health services to the citizens of the Commonwealth and in particular the citizens of my Senatorial district.

Mr. President, I believe this is a devastating and needless move which will have a serious impact on the lives of my people. The rhyme or reason is still on the closing.

Mr. President, I therefore offer the petition and ask that the Senate, in their haste and in their wisdom, appoint the committee before any proposed closing would take place.

Senator STAUFFER. Mr. President, apropos of the remarks of the gentleman from Berks, Senator O'Pake, regarding the loan program for the volunteer firemen, I think it is important for the Members to note that this was a program which was implemented through legislation sponsored by the gentleman from Perry, Senator Moore. The gentleman is proceeding with additional legislation so that we will move forward, that is a guarantee that we will move forward to provide additional loans for the firemen.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SECRETARY**

The following announcements were read by the Secretary of the Senate:

## SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1981

9:30 A.M.	LABOR AND INDUSTRY (a briefing Session with Bruce Hochman, Director, Bureau of Workman's Compensation, Dept. of Labor and Industry)	Room 459, 4th Floor Conference Rm., North Wing
11:00 A.M.	LOCAL GOVERNMENT (to consider Senate Bills No. 31, 48, 87, 132, 133, 134, 135, 140, 225, 254, 276 and 300)	Room 459, 4th Floor Conference Rm., North Wing
11:00 A.M.	BANKING AND INSURANCE (to consider House Bill No. 89)	Room 460, 4th Floor Conference Rm., North Wing
12:00 Noon	JUDICIARY (to consider Senate Bills No. 128, 141, 169 and also Judges to the Court of Common Pleas, James K. Gardner, Lehigh County; Frank P. Krizner, Butler County and Leonard B. Sokolove, Bucks County)	Room 461 4th Floor Conference Rm. North Wing

MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1981

10:00 A.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Emergency Management Agency)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
11:00 A.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Dept. of Military Affairs)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
1:00 P.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Penna. Securities Commission)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
2:00 P.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Historical and Museum Commission)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
3:00 P.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Milk Marketing Board)	Senate Majority Caucus Room

4:00 P.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— State Tax Equalization Board)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
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TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1981

9:00 A.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Dept. of Agriculture)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
10:30 A.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Dept. of Aging)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
1:00 P.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Public Utility Commission)	Senate Majority Caucus Room

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1981

9:00 A.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Dept. of State)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
10:30 A.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Treasury Department)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
1:00 P.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— State Employees' Retirement Board)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
2:30 P.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Lottery Commission)	Senate Majority Caucus Room

THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1981

9:00 A.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Dept. of Community Affairs)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
10:30 A.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Dept. of Commerce)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
1:00 P.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Dept. of Labor and Industry)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
2:30 P.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Dept. of General Services)	Senate Majority Caucus Room

FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1981

9:00 A.M.	APPROPRIATIONS (Budget Hearing— Dept. of Health and Governor's Council on Drug and Alcohol Abuse)	Senate Majority Caucus Room
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1:00 P.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Penna. State Police)

2:30 P.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Penna. Turnpike  
Commission)

MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1981

10:00 A.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Dept. of Education)

1:00 P.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
State Colleges and  
Indiana University)

2:30 P.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Temple University)

TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 1981

9:00 A.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Penn State University)

11:00 A.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Lincoln University)

1:00 P.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
University of  
Pittsburgh)

2:30 P.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
School Employes'  
Retirement Board)

3:30 P.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Penna. Public Tele-  
vision Network)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1981

9:00 A.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Dept. of Revenue)

11:00 A.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Dept. of Insurance)

1:00 P.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Bureau of Correction  
and Board of Probation  
and Parole)

3:00 P.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Governor's Office)

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1981

9:00 A.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Dept. of Environmental  
Resources)

11:00 A.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Dept. of Public Welfare)

FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 1981

9:00 A.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Attorney General)

11:00 A.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Judiciary)

1:00 P.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Auditor General)

WEDNESDAY, March 18, 1981

10:00 A.M. CONSUMER PROTECTION Room 461,  
AND PROFESSIONAL 4th Floor  
LICENSURE (Public Conference Rm.,  
Hearing on Senate Bills North Wing  
No. 116 and 170)

THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1981

9:00 A.M. APPROPRIATIONS Senate Majority  
(Budget Hearing— Caucus Room  
Dept. of Transportation)

THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1981

10:00 A.M. STATE GOVERNMENT Senate Majority  
to (Public Hearing on Caucus Room  
4:00 P.M. Senate Bill No. 1

FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 1981

10:00 A.M. STATE GOVERNMENT Senate Majority  
to (Public Hearing on Caucus Room  
4:00 P.M. Senate Bill No. 1

**ADJOURNMENT**

Senator STAUFFER. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now adjourn until Tuesday, February 24, 1981, at 1:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

The motion was agreed to.

The Senate adjourned at 7:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.