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my amendment only dealt with the day so it was the time that we did change.

SPEAKER: Alright, the motion is shall we adjourn until Monday, all those in favor of that motion vote aye, all those opposed vote no. The motion is to adjourn until Monday, that time is 9:00 unless otherwise specified. The motion is to adjourn until 9:00 Monday. Nope the hour has not been decided, the Chair would so rule, if you care to overrule the Chair that's fine, it takes 25 votes. Have you all voted? The motion is to adjourn until Monday, the Clerk will record.

CLERK: 21 ayes, 16 nays, Mr. President.

SPEAKER: The motion is lost. Alright, Senator Keyes.

SENATOR KEYES: Yes, Mr. -

SPEAKER: Just a minute

SENATOR KEYES: Point of order, -

SPEAKER: Senator Simpson.

SENATOR SIMPSON: Mr. President, doesn't it just take a simple majority to adjourn this body.

SPEAKER: The Chair is going to rule that it would take 25 to bind this body to adjourn until Monday morning.

SENATOR SIMPSON: (inaudible)

SPEAKER: Right. I think it would be dangerous for the chair to accept anything less than 25 votes in a situation like this. Now, Senator Stromer, for what purpose -

SENATOR STROMER: Mr. President I thought that my motion was to amend the original motion and the amendment was only to change the day from Friday to Monday, which left the original time in the original motion and I move to amend the motion that was my original motion.

SPEAKER: The Chair has ruled that your motion was to adjourn until Monday and that was the point that we voted on, I don't see how the Chair can (inaudible) otherwise.

SENATOR STROMER: It was an amendment to the original motion.

SPEAKER: Pardon me sir.

SENATOR STROMER: It was an amendment to the original motion.

SPEAKER: I don't understand where we are now then. What do we have on the desk for a motion now? We're not adjourned to Monday therefore, we're going to adjourn to Friday, what's the motion on the desk? We didn't amend that motion.

CLERK: The motion that I still have one for adjournment until tomorrow at 9:00 and I have one to adjourn until Monday, take your pick.

SPEAKER: Well the one -

SENATOR STROMER: I do have a motion on the desk, or did have one that was for Monday at 9:00, but my, when the motion was made to adjourn until 9:00 tomorrow morning which was amended to 10:00, then my motion was to amend that particular motion, to make it Monday which would then mean Monday until 10:00.

SPEAKER: The Chair is going to recognize Senator Hasebrook.