

the Legislature unless authorized by the Speaker or the Reference Committee and today I am the Speaker and Senator Proud is the Governor and so the Speaker says that this communication from the Governor can be read.

CLERK: Communication read.

SPEAKER: Chair recognizes Senator Fred--Senator Fred Carstens and then Senator Frank Lewis and then Senator Carpenter. Point of order, Senator Carpenter?

SENATOR CARPENTER: I just want to call to this body's attention--you're within one heartbeat of having Senator Carpenter as the Governor of this State.

SPEAKER: Senator Fred Carstens. Senator Fred Carstens.

SENATOR CARSTENS: Mr. President and Members, I have been listening to this discussion and I know there is something to be said in passing some of the bills that carry a fiscal impact and I see no reason, I'm going to ask Senator Marvel in a minute--I see no reason why we cannot take out some of the bills that need to be passed like 110 that have a slight fiscal impact that are implementing constitutional amendments, why we cannot pass those in this session. There are others and I am sure this can be done and I want to serve notice on this Legislature that on Friday, May 11th at 11:00 A.M., 11-11 at 11--I mean 5-11 at 11:00 o'clock, I'm going to send up a motion to adjourn sine die and I want to ask Senator Marvel a question if he'll yield.

SPEAKER: Senator Marvel, will you yield?

SENATOR MARVEL: Yes sir.

SENATOR CARSTENS: Senator Marvel, do you know of any reason why the business of this Legislature insofar as its fiscal matters cannot be taken care of by that time? By May 11th?

SENATOR MARVEL: By May 11th?

SENATOR CARSTENS: Yes.

SENATOR MARVEL: That's two weeks--

SENATOR CARSTENS: That's a week--that will give us nine more days.

SENATOR MARVEL: Providing the, the, the two, I, I think--well let me answer it this way, I think that, that the Governor's bills that he asked to be heard should be heard and if we can get the rules suspended and hear them yet this week, I see no reason why, why the business can't be, can't be taken care of. I, I have--may I make one other comment? Senator Frank Lewis alluded to this and others I hope will speak to this, if not today, early this week and that is that there are all sorts of figures floating around as to how much money is, or loose change is available and I think in partial answer Senator Carstens to your question, I think this loose change ought to be tied down before we leave. Now I'm talking about several million dollars.

SPEAKER: Chair recognizes Senator Frank Lewis.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Mr. Chairman, I wonder if Senator Marvel would yield to a couple of questions.

SPEAKER: Senator Marvel, will you yield?

SENATOR MARVEL: Yes sir.