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LB 70, 71

CLERK: Two more, Mr. President. Read LB 71 (sic) and 71 by title for the first time as found on pages 101-102 of the Legislative Journal. Mr. President, that is all I have.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Speaker Marvel.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Are there any other announcements on the Clerk's desk?

CLERK: Nothing, sir.

SPEAKER MARVEL: I think I would only say this in closing and that is that we can't really afford too many more days like this or June first will find us in about the middle of the session instead of the end. I move that we adjourn until Monday (interruption) I'm sorry.

PRESIDENT: Mr. Speaker, we have a few more bills that we can get in here if you want to just hold up.

CLERK: I just received about a half dozen here, Senator.

SPEAKER MARVEL: That is fine.

PRESIDENT: We will read those bills in and while we are doing that the Chair recognizes Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. President, a question of the Speaker.

PRESIDENT: Mr. Speaker, would you respond to a question from Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Senator Marvel, I've heard the bill drafting department is overwhelmed with bills. Is that true as far as you know? If it is true I was going to make a suggestion. If possible we ought to take Monday off and let them get it done so when we come back we will have enough bills here so we can start processing things. Do you know, Pat?

SPEAKER MARVEL: Well,.....go ahead.

CLERK: Senator, if I may. It would be better, Senator, rather than Monday if...we will be in a better position to determine what kind of shape they are in later in the week as opposed to earlier in the week. So a Thursday or a Friday or even a week from Monday we would be in a much better position to determine where we are than this coming Monday.

SENATOR KOCH: All right, thank you.