SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Higgins.

SENATOR HIGGINS: Mr. Chairman and Senator Chambers, I merely want to state the fact that your very presence here and the fact that we are listening to you is a contradiction of your remarks that you do not have freedom. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Burrows.

SENATOR BURROWS: Mr. Speaker, members of the body, I would like to request permission we lay over the resolution until the hostages are in the air.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Any objection? If not, so ordered. We will go to item #6 now, introduction of bills.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. (Read by title LB 389-432. See pages 271-280 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR CLARK PRESIDING

SENATOR CLARK: Could I have your attention just a moment, please? The AP has reported that the American hostages will fly out of Iran in the next thirty minutes. (applause).

CLERK: (Read by title LB 433. See pages 280-281.)

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Nichol, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR NICHOL: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature, I wanted to say something but I don't want to say it if we have urgent business to do. This will take about two or three minutes.

SENATOR CLARK: Continue, we don't have any business right now.

SENATOR NICHOL: Okay, Senator Marsh has a bill in having to do with mammals and I wanted to tell you the story of the three mammals if I may. May I do that, sir?

SENATOR CLARK: Go right ahead if it is funny.

SENATOR NICHOL: Well, I don't know about that but once upon a time there were three mammals who lived happily in Mammalary Land. There was a papa mammal that we called Pappy and mamma mammal that we called Mamma and baby mammal we called Babble and the reason we called baby mammal Babble was because he talked a lot and asked embarassing questions.

CLERK: ...your committee on Education whose chairman is Senator Koch reports LB 309 to General File; LB 427 to General File; LB 455 to General File; LB 472 to General File; LB 498 to General File with amendments; LB 13 as indefinitely postponed; LB 254 indefinitely postponed; and LB 391 as indefinitely postponed, all signed by Senator Koch as Chair.

Mr. President, Senator Wagner would like to print amendments to LB 204A. (See pages 899 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: One more time, if everyone will be at their desks we will commence Final Reading. Would all members please get to your desks so we can start Final Reading. As soon as everyone is at his or her desk we will begin. All right, we will begin, Mr. Clerk. The first bill on Final Reading is LB 76.

CLERK: (Began reading LB 76 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: Yes, for what purpose do you arise, Senator Chambers?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: This bill, Senator DeCamp and I had talked about it. Can we lay it over a day? There are some amendments that are going to be offered and we don't want to try to do it now and the other bills can go ahead and be read?

PRESIDENT: Mr. Speaker, what do you wish to do with...? Under these circumstances? Is that all right? All right, the Speaker says it is all right, Senator Chambers. We will just pass over the LB 76 and commence then with LB 83, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Read LB 83 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 83 pass with the emergency clause attached. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 901 of the Legislative Journal.) 44 ayes, 1 nay, 2 excused and not voting, 2 present and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 83 passes with the emergency clause attached. The next bill on Final Reading is LB 136.

CLERK: (Read LB 136 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 136 pass. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.