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LB 389-433

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 mama mammal that we called Mama and baby mammal we called Babble and the reason we called baby mammal Babble was because he talked a lot and asked embarrassing questions.

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LB 335, 378, 395, 399, 461,
464, 480, 586, 621, 759, 793, 810,
907, 918

Mr. President, your Committee on Retirement Systems whose Chairman is Senator Fowler reports LB 395 indefinitely postponed, 399 indefinitely postponed, 461 indefinitely postponed, 464 indefinitely postponed, 810 indefinitely postponed.

Senator Vickers offers proposed rules change. That will be referred to the Rules Committee. Senator Clark would like to print amendment to LB 759. Your Committee on Revenue reports 480 advanced to General File with amendments, and 793 General File with amendments, both signed by Senator Carsten as Chair. Your Committee on Banking reports 621 advanced to General File, 586 indefinitely postponed, 907 indefinitely postponed, 918 indefinitely postponed. All signed by Senator DeCamp. Senator Wesely would like to print amendments to LB 378 in the Journal, Mr. President, and Senator Richard Peterson amendments to 378 in the Journal. (See pages 839 through 844 of the Journal.)

Mr. President, with respect to 335, we have pending an amendment offered by Senator Landis. I understand he has an amendment to that amendment.

SENATOR CLARK: Read the amendment.

CLERK: (Read the Landis amendment as found on page 844 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you. This amendment to my amendment does what it was I told you I wanted to accomplish. I appreciate the assistance of those in the lobby and those on the floor who helped to redraft it to capture this idea. It is exactly the idea I told you before, but I had unfortunately not caught the one section of the language that I was offering and its implications. That was brought to my attention, after having had my head stoved in by a two by four to get my attention, I was a little recalcitrant and voices got a little high and tempers ran a little hot. But this amendment puts the 335 language in this form. The child abuse, the law stays the way it was prior to 335. Obligations to report remain the same, and that means everybody reports. This amendment then goes back to the principle that I enunciated before, for adult abuse the privileges that we previously passed would apply to the adult abuse sections. Those privileges are the attorney, client, the clergy, the physician patient,