

April 7, 1976

PRESIDENT: All rise for the morning prayer.

CHAPLAIN: Prayer.

PRESIDENT: Thank you Dr. Palmer. The roll call will please come to order ... or the Legislature will please come to order. Record your presence. Record.

CLERK: Quorum present Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Corrections to the Journal.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Warner had put in a correction or an explanation of vote reading "934" and that should be corrected to read "984". Another correction, Mr. President. Senator Chambers asked that the following correction be inserted in the Journal. (Read Chambers Journal correction regarding page 1530 of the March 31, 1976 Journal in regard to LB 434 found on page 1554 and 1555 of the Journal).

PRESIDENT: There is a motion. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Unanimous consent.

PRESIDENT: Alright. There is an objection. There's a motion to correct the Journal. Any discussion? Senator Shirley Marsh.

SENATOR MARSH: Mr. President and members of the Legislature. I wonder how you can take one bill, when this has been our manner of reading for a number of years, and pick it out from all the others. This is the one bill Senator Chambers has objected to as it's moved across, each of us is aware of this. I seriously object to his move in this manner.

PRESIDENT: Senator Goodrich.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Mr. President, members of the body. I don't care whether it sounds like a drone or what it sounds like to the body, if, in my opinion, if the Clerk, who happens to be Walt Radcliffe, at the time had comprehension in his own mind of what he was reading, he was reading it. If he had a comprehension of what he was reading that satisfies the Constitutional provision. I would suggest that this motion is not in order.

PRESIDENT: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature. As usual Senator Goodrich does not understand the meaning of words. So for the sake of the body I'm going to read a letter that I wrote to the Attorney General, all of which he agrees with. He told the Governor he agrees with it. Senator Goodrich can look in the dictionary over there, in the blue one, first volume, to find out what the word "read" means. "Dear Mr. Douglas," this letter is dated April 5, 1976 and you have one on your desk. "On Wednesday,