

January 5, 1979

LB 66 thru 71

PRESIDENT: Yes, we are about ready for #5.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Two things to indicate, the first one is that there will be a swearing-in ceremony at two o'clock this afternoon in the Governor's Hearing Room for the Senator-to-be Wagner who is taking Rasmussen's place. You all are invited to attend. Senator Wagner, his wife, and fourteen children will be there but they would like enough to make a group. So, and the other point I would make while I am on my feet is that this is an opportunity today to get in your bills so that we can get them referred so that we can accelerate the process and get the bills to the committees as soon as possible so we can begin to think about public hearings. So any cooperation that you can give in getting bills in today will be appreciated. Thank you, sir.

PRESIDENT: The Clerk has a report to make.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have three reports from various Natural Resources Districts regarding payment of Attorney Fees. Those will be inserted in the Legislative Journal. (See pages 94 and 95.)

PRESIDENT: Anything further, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: I have nothing further, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right, proceed then with the introduction of new bills.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. Read titles. LB 66 through LB 71. (See pages 95 and 96.)

Mr. President, the Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee met this morning and elected Senator Loran Schmit as Vice-Chairman of that particular Standing Committee.

Mr. President, Senator Marsh gives notice of a meeting by the Committee on Committees immediately upon adjournment.

Mr. President, Senator Frank Lewis gives notice that the Executive Board will meet in Room 2102 at one-thirty this afternoon.

PRESIDENT: Are there any bills that have not been filed at the Clerk's desk? Any new bills. Do any of the Senators have some bills that they want to bring up to file this morning. We have a couple that we can get here if you want to wait. While we are waiting, the Chair would take this