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would very much urge everyone support the amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Is there any further discussion? Senator Higgins.

SENATOR HIGGINS: Mr. President and members of the body, I have not written an amendment yet. I don't think I even know how but I would like to ask if when we adopt this resolution we can add to it that we will never use this day in a commercial means such as we have Fourth of July sales, and we will never commercialize this Freedom Day as we have some of our other national holidays. I am not against private enterprise making a buck but I think this occasion should be reserved so that we really do show not just to the hostages that are returning but to the power that brought them back that we don't ever intend to use this holiday or special day as a means of making money, and if somebody else would put that in the way of an amendment or something I would appreciate it since I have never written one. Thank you, sir.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Higgins, you will either have to write this out in your own handwriting or else we can the next time we meet draw up a special resolution which may be the solution to your problem.

SENATOR HIGGINS: All right, thank you. I will wait.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, is there any further discussion on the... we are on the Wagner amendment now, any further discussion? Senator Wagner, do you have any other comments?

SENATOR WAGNER: Mr. Speaker, no, other than I would like to thank Senator Burrows and yourself for preparing the original resolution because that is what we were after yesterday and then found out this resolution was being prepared so the one thing we did want to do is get the yellow ribbon amendment in it and I would encourage support of all the members. Thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: All those in favor of the Wagner amendment to Resolution #6, all those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 41 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of Senator Wagner, Fenger and DeCamp's amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried and the amendment is adopted. Now, are we ready, Senator Burrows? Do you wish to move the resolution as amended?