telephone calls coming to the Chair, it is my hope that we will recess for lunch today. We will recess. Now it is common knowledge. Also Senator Wehrbein has some very, very special guests under our south balcony from Japan. We have Mr. Tachibana, a member of the Okayama Prefectural Assembly. Mr. Tachibana. The Chair is pleased to note also that also in the party is the escort interpreter, Mr. Edward Otake. Would you please stand, sir. Thank you. We are very, very pleased and honored to have you with us. The next bill, Mr. Clerk, LB 960AE.

CLERK: (Read LB 960AE on Final Reading.)
SPEAKER BARRETT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is shall LB 960A with the emergency clause attached pass? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: (Read record vote. See pages 1938-39 of the Legislative Journal.) 41 ayes, 0 nays, 5 present and not voting, 3 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 960A with the emergency clause attached passes. LB 980E.

CLERK: (Read LB 980 on Final Reading.)
SPEAKER BARRETT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 980 with the emergency clause attached pass? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote. See page 1940 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 48 ayes, 0 nays, 1 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 980E passes. The Chair is pleased to note that we have guests under the south balcony, Arnie and Nancy Stuthman from Platte Center who are constituents of Senator Robak and guests of Senator Rogers. Please stand and take a bow, folks. Thank you. Glad to have you. Senator Ashford also has some fourth graders in our south balcony, 66 of them, from Hillside School in Omaha with their teacher. Would you folks please wave and be recognized by your Legislature. Thank you. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting

