PRESIDENT: Do you have anything for the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: I do, Mr. President. Senator Conway has amendments to LB 1141 and LR 239 to be printed. (See pages 1961-62 of the Legislative Journal.)

I have statements from the Appropriations Committee regarding overrides. New resolutions, LR 424 by Senator Lindsay and Morrissey. (Read brief explanation.) LR 425 by Senator Hall and Landis and Warner. (Read brief explanation.) LR 426 by the Appropriations Committee. (Read brief explanation.) A confirmation report from the Transportation Committee and an Attorney General's Opinion to Senator Schmit. (Re: LB 1059.) That is all that I have, Mr. President. (See pages 1962-68 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Speaker Barrett, for what purpose do you rise? Do you want to tell us something.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Yes, Mr. President, thank you. Before we vote on the motion, I just want...

PRESIDENT: Excuse me, Senator Barrett. (Gavel.) Please, let's hold it down so we can hear the Speaker's words.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Just a reminder that there is some additional Final Reading on the agenda, and any of these bills that are not read today, as I announced the other day, we don't have time to get them to the Governor and have her return them for vetoes. If they are not read today and passed over to her office, she cannot and will not guarantee a veto message. There may be some bills in there that are quite important in that regard, I don't know. Just a reminder. Anything that is not over there tonight will not be returned with a veto message or a signature.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. You heard the motion. All in favor of adjourning say aye. Opposed nay. A machine vote has been requested. Okay. Please return to your desk, please. Please return to your desk. It is difficult for the Clerk to hear your response, so please return and hold it down. Mr. Clerk, the motion is to adjourn. Okay, a machine vote, excuse me. All those in favor of adjourning vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. Any discussion? If not, those in favor of the adoption of the resolution vote aye, opposed nay. Please record.

CLERK: 40 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of LR 423.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LR 423 is adopted. LR 424.

CLERK: LR 424, Mr. President, is found on page 1962 of the Journal, offered by Senator Lindsay and Senator Morrissey. (Read brief description LR 424.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: The Chair recognizes the E & R Chairman Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Thank you, Mr. Chairman. Brevity being important, I would yield my time to Senator Morrissey.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Morrissey, please.

SENATOR MORRISSEY: Thank you, Mr. Chairman, and Mr. Speaker and members, April 22nd is Earth Day and the resolution says since we all are very concerned about the quality of life on the planet that the Legislature recognizes the efforts of individuals and groups in strengthening society's awareness of the importance of natural resources in the environment and making choices. We all have many, many tough choices to make in the near future. It's going to be quite a balancing act as we address this issue and I think we really need to think about it and make the citizens aware of it. And Earth Day, again, the theme this year was "Think Globally, Act Locally". We acted locally here this year and, hopefully, will continue to. I urge you to adopt the resolution. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Any discussion? The call is raised, incidentally. Those in favor of the adoption of LR 424 vote aye, opposed nay. Record.

CLERK: 35 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of LR 424.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LR 424 is adopted. LR 425.

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 425 was a resolution offered by Senators Hall, Warner and Landis. It's found on page 1963 of the Journal.