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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The House convened at 10 a.m., e.s.t.

THE SPEAKER (Kenneth B. Lee) IN THE CHAIR

PRAYER

REVEREND ALVIN J. SIMMONS, chaplain of the House of Representatives and pastor of Bethel A.M.E. Church, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, offered the following prayer:

O God our Father, after Whom the whole family in heaven and on earth is named, Who hath made of one blood all nations to dwell upon the face of the earth, Thou hath appointed unto them the bounds of their habitation, forgive us that we have so shamefully marred our human relations and what we have made of the earth which Thou didst create for peace and goodwill toward all men.

Thou art a God of right and righteousness. Cleanse us from all evil and by Thy judgment overthrow all falsehood and wrong, purge away all hatred and establish truth and peace among all men. Almighty God and everlasting Father, please give us clean hearts and minds that we may have peace in our own lives, that we may have peace in our own homes, in our land and ultimately in the world. Lord, grant this our petition. In the Name of Thy Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, approval of the Journal for Monday, January 15, 1973, will be postponed until printed.

HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

By Messrs. WISE and GRIECO **HOUSE BILL No. 8**

An Act authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies, with the approval of the Governor and the Secretary of Transportation, to sell and convey to Charles L. Matter, II, a tract of land located in the City of Williamsport, Lycoming County.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. SCHULZE, PITTS, ZEARFOSS, DORSEY, E. H. SMITH, Mrs. CRAWFORD, Messrs. BEREN, SCIRICA, DAGER, YOHN, MEBUS, JONES, RENNINGER, McCLATCHY, WILSON, WORRILOW, Mrs. WHITTLESEY, Messrs. PANCOAST, POLITE, McGINNIS, Mrs. FAWCETT and Mr. KESTER

HOUSE BILL No. 9

An Act amending the act of August 5, 1932 (P. L. 45, No. 45), entitled, as amended, "An act empowering cities of the first class to levy, assess and collect, or to pro-

vide for the levying, assessment and collection of, certain additional taxes for general revenue purposes; authorizing the establishment of bureaus, and the appointment and compensation of officers and employes to assess and collect such taxes; and permitting penalties to be imposed and enforced," providing for maximum rates of earned income taxes authorized for residents and nonresidents.

Referred to Committee on Urban Affairs.

By Messrs. WELLS, HILL, Mrs. TOLL, Messrs. BARBER, KELLY, MEBUS, KNEPPER, M. E. MILLER, Jr., TADDONIO, JONES, HAMMOCK, ZORD, PARKER and BERKES

HOUSE BILL No. 10

An Act concerning the fluoridation of public water.

Referred to Committee on Health and Welfare.

By Messrs. BEREN and RYAN **HOUSE BILL No. 11**

An Act amending the "Second Class County Code," approved July 28, 1953 (P. L. 723, No. 230), authorizing appropriations for the payment of legal aid services in counties of the second class A.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

By Mr. DAGER **HOUSE BILL No. 12**

An Act amending "The Vehicle Code," approved April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58, No. 32), restricting speed to fifteen miles per hour under certain circumstances and providing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

By Mr. DAGER **HOUSE BILL No. 13**

An Act relating to certification of teachers and creating a Professional Standards Board and a Professional Practices Commission.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. DAGER **HOUSE BILL No. 14**

An Act including, as a part of the court costs in a criminal prosecution, the costs incurred by a political subdivision in furnishing police officers to the prosecutor.

Referred to Committee on Law and Order.

By Mr. DAGER **HOUSE BILL No. 15**

An Act amending the "Public School Code of 1949," approved March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30, No. 14), providing for the dissolution of first class school districts and the creation of new districts.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. DAGER **HOUSE BILL No. 16**

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania, abolishing grand juries except investigative ones.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. DAGER

HOUSE BILL No. 17

An Act amending the "Mechanics' Lien Law of 1963," approved August 24, 1963 (P. L. 1175, No. 497), redefining certain terms.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. DAGER

HOUSE BILL No. 18

An Act amending the act of January 18, 1952 (P. L. 2111, No. 600), entitled, as amended, "An act to provide for minimum compensation and increments for administrators and members of the faculty of State Colleges; providing for leaves of absence; imposing certain duties upon the Boards of Trustees and Presidents of State Colleges and the Superintendent of Public Instruction; and repealing inconsistent laws;" eliminating provisions relating to cooperating teachers.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. DAGER, McGINNIS, POLITE and
PANCOAST**HOUSE BILL No. 19**

An Act amending the act of August 14, 1963 (Appropriation Act No. 53-A), entitled "An act making an appropriation to the Department of Health for payments to municipalities and municipality authorities * * * *" defining the word "construction."

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Messrs. KESTER, HASKELL, RITTER, PIPER,
FRANK, HOPKINS, D. S. HAYES, M. E. MILLER,
CESSAR, ZORD, SCIRICA, YOHN and McCLATCHY**HOUSE BILL No. 20**

An Act defining, authorizing and regulating the conducting of the game of "bingo" and fixing penalties.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. DAGER

HOUSE BILL No. 21

An Act establishing correctional facilities administered by the Bureau of Correction as part of the State correctional system.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. EARLY and BIXLER

HOUSE BILL No. 22

An Act amending the "Pennsylvania Election Code," approved June 3, 1937 (P. L. 1333), regulating electioneering at polling places.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. EARLY and BIXLER

HOUSE BILL No. 23

An Act providing for the observance of the third Saturday of June of each year as Senior Citizens' Day.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. EARLY and BIXLER

HOUSE BILL No. 24

An Act amending the act of June 1, 1956 (P. L. 1959, No. 657), entitled, as amended, "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the Chief Justice and judges of the Supreme Court,***" providing for reduction in salaries for members of the General Assembly for unauthorized absences.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Mr. EARLY

HOUSE BILL No. 25

An Act abolishing the Milk Marketing Board and repealing the "Milk Marketing Law," approved April 28, 1937 (P. L. 417, No. 105), by which it was created.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Messrs. KESTER, LAUDADIO, DeMEDIO, YAHNER
and O'CONNELL**HOUSE BILL No. 26**

An Act amending the act of June 28, 1895 (P. L. 408, No. 289), entitled, as amended, "A Supplement to the twenty-fourth section of an act, entitled 'An act to provide revenue by taxation, approved the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,' approved the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, amending the twenty-fourth section, by providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurers of the several cities, towns, townships and boroughs, within this Commonwealth," changing the method of distributing the tax.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. EARLY and BIXLER

HOUSE BILL No. 27

An Act amending the act of June 1, 1956 (P. L. 1959, No. 657), entitled, as amended, "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the Chief Justice and judges of the Supreme Court, the President Judge and judges of the Superior Court,*** and repealing certain inconsistent acts," requiring the General Assembly to accept subsequent reports of the Commonwealth Compensation Commission before they are effective.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. SCHULZE and L. E. SMITH

HOUSE BILL No. 28

An Act amending the "Tax Reform Code of 1971," approved March 4, 1971 (P. L. 6, No. 2), reducing the corporate net income tax.

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Messrs. LAUDADIO, YAHNER, MURTHA and
DeMEDIO**HOUSE BILL No. 29**

An Act amending the "Consumer Discount Company Act," approved April 8, 1937 (P. L. 262), changing the amount of interest or charges that may be collected or received by a licensee.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection.

By Messrs. KELLY, ENGLEHART, SHANE, PARKER,
WELLS, R. W. WILT, HASKELL and McCLATCHY**HOUSE BILL No. 30**

An Act amending the "Unemployment Compensation Law," approved December 5, 1936 (1937 P. L. 2897, No. 1), redefining "dependent child" to include totally disabled children.

Referred to Committee on Labor Relations.

By Mr. DAGER

HOUSE BILL No. 31

An Act amending the act of June 16, 1836 (P. L. 715, No. 186), entitled "An act relating to Reference and Arbitration," authorizing arbitration of disputes involving title to real estate, authorizing certain other persons to be arbitrators.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. DAGER

HOUSE BILL No. 32

An Act amending the act of May 10, 1921 (P. L. 434, No. 210), entitled, "An act to empower courts of competent jurisdiction to issue writs of execution against property of defendant, and attachment execution or in the nature of attachment execution against trusts,* * *" providing for attachment executions for the support of certain additional persons.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. DAGER

HOUSE BILL No. 33

An Act amending the "Public School Employees' Retire-

ment Code of 1959," approved June 1, 1959 (P. L. 350, No. 77), providing for credit for service as an administrator.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. DAGER **HOUSE BILL No. 34**

An Act amending the "Public School Code of 1949," approved March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30, No. 14), providing for the election of members of the board of education in districts of the first class and terms of office of such members, changing administrative provisions to conform thereto; and providing taxing power for such elected board of education.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. DAGER **HOUSE BILL No. 35**

An Act amending the act of March 18, 1875 (P. L. 28, No. 31), entitled "An act to authorize the judges of the several courts throughout the commonwealth to fix the number of the regular terms of said several courts and the times for holding the same, the time for summoning the grand jury and for the returns of constable, alderman and justices of the peace to the same," providing for investigative grand juries and prescribing their manner of operation and powers.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. DAGER **HOUSE BILL No. 36**

An Act regulating the offering for sale or disposing of certain subdivided land or securities, imposing duties on the Department of State, requiring registration of certain subdivided lands, regulating public offering statements, requiring reports, and providing for penalties, civil remedies, jurisdiction of courts, interstate rendition and service of process.

Referred to Committee on Business and Commerce.

By Mr. DAGER **HOUSE BILL No. 37**

An Act regulating subdivision sales, providing penalties and making an appropriation.

Referred to Committee on Business and Commerce.

By Mr. DAGER **HOUSE BILL No. 38**

An Act amending the act of June 16, 1836 (P. L. 715, No. 186), entitled "An act relating to Reference and Arbitration," authorizing arbitration of disputes involving title to real estate.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Messrs. HARRIER, DeVERTER, W. W. WILT, FRYER, THOMAS **HOUSE BILL No. 39**

An Act amending the "Unemployment Compensation Law," approved December 5, 1936 (P. L. 2897, No. 1—1937), changing certain age requirements under the definition of "employment."

Referred to Committee on Labor Relations.

By Messrs. BIXLER, DREIBELBIS, ZELLER, EARLY **HOUSE BILL No. 40**

An Act repealing section 14.1, act of June 1, 1956 (P. L. 959, No. 657), entitled, as amended, "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the Chief Justice,* * *" abolishing the Commonwealth Compensation Commission.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. ZORD, BERKES, BURKARDT, DAGER, GEKAS, DININNI **HOUSE BILL No. 41**

An Act amending the "Real Estate Brokers License Act of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine," approved May 1, 1929 (P. L. 1216, No. 427), providing for the certi-

fication of certain real estate salesmen and regulating professional education of real estate salesmen.

Referred to Committee on Professional Licensure.

By Messrs. RUGGIERO, KOWALYSHYN **HOUSE BILL No. 42**

An Act amending "The Local Tax Enabling Act," approved December 31, 1965 (P. L. 1257, No. 511), prohibiting the levying, assessing or collecting of any tax on occupations.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. FRYER, ECKENSBERGER, RENWICK, COMER, VANN, SHELHAMER, MALADY, YAHNER, SHUMAN, D. M. DAVIS, LINCOLN, TRUSIO, WARGO, ARTHURS, ZELLER, FOOR, ANDERSON, MORRIS, SHANE, McMONAGLE, W. W. WILT, HARRIER, SHUPNIK, O'BRIEN, SCANLON, ROMANELLI, THOMAS, LEHR, Mrs. CRAWFORD, Messrs. KAHLE, DININNI, M. E. MILLER, RUGGIERO, SCHMITT, MUSTO, T. P. WALSH, GOODMAN, RAPPAPORT, LAUDADIO, PIEVSKY, J. T. WALSH, GEISLER, CAPUTO, MARTINO, MYERS and RIEGER **HOUSE BILL No. 43**

An Act amending "The Vehicle Code," approved April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58, No. 32), further regulating operation of a motor vehicle owned by a person qualified to pay a reduced annual registration fee.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

By Messrs. O'CONNELL, SHUPNIK, MUSTO, O'BRIEN, GOODMAN, WARGO, USTYNOSKI, HASAY, DININNI and GEKAS **HOUSE BILL No. 44**

An Act amending the "Eminent Domain Code," approved June 22, 1964 (P. L. 84, No. 6), adding all projects to the provisions having to do with damages by floods.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Messrs. RENWICK, KAHLE, MORRIS and SHUMAN **HOUSE BILL No. 45**

An Act amending "The Vehicle Code," approved April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58, No. 32), requiring the licensing of persons who for compensation remove wrecked or disabled vehicles or tractors of another person from interstate highways.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

By Messrs. RHODES, WILLIAMS, RICHARDSON, HAMMOCK, RAPPAPORT, BLACKWELL, BARBER, MARTINO, FINEMAN, SHANE, ITKIN, ROMANELLI and GREENFIELD

(Concurrent) **RESOLUTION No. 1**

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania memorialize the Congress of the United States to pass legislation which would restrain the President of the United States from bombing the Republic of North Vietnam and also pass legislation which would end the involvement of American Military Forces in Indo China at a prescribed date.

Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Messrs. RICHARDSON, WILLIAMS, HAMMOCK and BLACKWELL

RESOLUTION No. 2

The General Assembly call upon the Secretary of Edu-

education to exercise the power of his office to order the striking Philadelphia teachers back to work under pain of appropriate administrative action.

Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Messrs. SHUMAN, ARTHURS, McCURDY,
HAMILTON, D. M. DAVIS, MORRIS, LINCOLN,
TRUSIO and FOOR

(Concurrent) RESOLUTION No. 3

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania memorialize the Congress of the United States to propose an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to permit the various states to provide for the voluntary reciting of the Lord's Prayer and the reading of verses of the Bible in the public schools.

Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Messrs. KAHLE, HALVERSON, FRYER,
M. E. MILLER, Jr., SHUMAN and S. E. HAYES

(Concurrent) RESOLUTION No. 5

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania rejects in its entirety the Commonwealth Compensation Commission report dated November 30, 1972, issued pursuant to the act of June 1, 1956 (P. L. 1959, No. 657), entitled, as amended, "An act fixing the salaries and compensation of the Chief Justice and judges of the Supreme Court, the President Judge and judges of the Superior Court, the judges of the courts of common pleas, the judges of the orphans' courts, the judges of the County Court of Philadelphia and the judges of the County Court and Juvenile Court of Allegheny County, certain associate judges not learned in the law, certain state officers, and the salary and expenses of the members of the General Assembly, and repealing certain inconsistent acts."

Referred to Committee on Rules.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. BUTERA. Mr. Speaker, I request leave of absence for Mr. McCUE for today's session.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Northampton, Mr. Prendergast.

Mr. PRENDERGAST. Mr. Speaker, I have no requests for leaves of absence.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, leave is granted.

CALENDAR

BILL ON FIRST CONSIDERATION

Agreeable to order,

The House proceeded to the first consideration of **House bill No. 3, printer's No. 8**, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania further providing for the establishment of standards and qualifications for land used for agricultural purposes.

Said bill was considered the first time and agreed to.

CALENDAR CORRECTION

The SPEAKER. For the information of the members, today's calendar contains House resolution No. 6. This is an error: House resolution No. 6 was adopted yesterday.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. BUTERA. Mr. Speaker, I would request a recess until 1:30 p.m. for the purposes of a Republican and a Democratic caucus. The Republican caucus will convene promptly at 10:30 a.m. and will run through to lunch, during which time the Republican leadership will meet with the Democratic leadership to determine what amendments on the rules we can agree to. The purposes of the caucuses are the proposed rules, and I would ask all the Republican members to proceed immediately to the caucus room at 10:30 a.m.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the minority leader.

Mr. FINEMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

For the benefit of the members on this side of the aisle, there will be a caucus of the Democratic membership immediately upon the call of recess. We shall stay in caucus for the purpose of discussing rules, commencing at 10:30 a.m. and running through to 12:30 p.m., a period of two hours. We will then break for an hour for lunch before returning to the floor at 1:30 p.m.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. BUTERA. I forgot one thing, Mr. Speaker. On each desk is a printed copy of House resolution No. 4. I would suggest that everyone bring that copy to the caucus room.

RECESS

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the Chair now declares a recess until 1:30 p.m.

The Chair hears no objection.

AFTER RECESS

The time of recess having expired, the House was called to order.

**THE SPEAKER (Kenneth B. Lee)
IN THE CHAIR**

RECESS EXTENDED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the Chair now declares a recess for an additional half hour, until 2 p.m.

The Chair hears no objection.

AFTER RECESS

The time of recess having expired, the House was called to order.

**THE SPEAKER (Kenneth B. Lee)
IN THE CHAIR**

STATUS OF HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 4

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. BUTERA. Mr. Speaker, I would like to just take a few minutes to explain where we are on the bulk of the amendments to the rules which have been proposed by members of both caucuses.

The Rules Committee has been meeting since 1 o'clock on the various amendments which were discussed in both caucuses, and I have in my possession a set of amendments which have been agreed to by both caucuses, most of which are in form rather than in substance.

In an effort to have House resolution No. 4 in print on Monday with the agreed-to amendments so that it can be reviewed again by the membership prior to taking up the controversial amendments and/or the final vote on the resolution, I am shortly going to propose that we recommit House resolution No. 4 to the Rules Committee. The Rules Committee will insert the agreed-to amendments, and, in that way, when we come back Monday, the resolution will be in print. Otherwise, we would have to wait until Tuesday.

There is one amendment that we did not discuss in our caucus which I would like to discuss briefly and to ask whether there is any objection to accepting the amendment as agreed to, and that is the amendment which is proposed by Mr. Renwick which would permit House members to introduce legislation regarding the addition or deletion of legislative highway routes and affecting hospitals by individual bill rather than by the omnibus-bill procedure which is presently our rule, or which was the rule last session.

The Senate approach to this, as you know, is to permit individual bills. Several years ago we eliminated that prerogative in favor of an omnibus bill. Since the Senate continues to proceed in the individual-bill manner, it is our recommendation that we do likewise, and if there is no objection from anybody on our side, we will insert that amendment in the Rules Committee.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Gelfand.

Mr. BUTERA. Mr. Speaker, if we could just be at ease, I do not know what his problem is, but perhaps he would convey it.

I will yield to him.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Gelfand.

Mr. GELFAND. Mr. Speaker, in connection with the rule that the gentleman, Mr. Butera, just spoke about regarding the highway omnibus bill and introduction of individual changes by members, it would seem to me that the approach which we took was the better one.

Instead of having a proliferation of individual bills, having one bill which is an omnibus—

Mr. BUTERA. Mr. Speaker, if the gentleman will yield—

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman, Mr. Gelfand, yield?

Mr. GELFAND. Yes, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Butera, may proceed.

Mr. BUTERA. We will not put this bill in, as agreed to in the Rules Committee; we will discuss it on Monday on the floor.

Mr. GELFAND. Okay, because I had another suggestion.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

CALENDAR

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 4

Mr. BUTERA called up **HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 4**, printer's No. 9, entitled:

Adopting Rules of the House of Representatives.

On the question,

Will the House adopt the resolution?

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDED

Mr. BUTERA moved that House resolution No. 4 be recommitted to the Committee on Rules.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to.

HOUSE SCHEDULE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. BUTERA. The Rules Committee has been meeting informally for the last hour and a half. Since we are trying to achieve some degree of order, what I would suggest, Mr. Speaker, is that we recess the House for ten minutes or a half hour, that we advise the members they do not have to return to the floor once we complete all other business, that just the Rules Committee members will return to the floor, and that I will rereport the bill in that orderly fashion.

Immediately upon the adoption of the recess, after you are finished your other business, I am herewith announcing the convening of a Rules Committee meeting in my office to formally accept the amendments which we have already agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

REMARKS ON CITATION

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Kelly. For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Mr. KELLY. For the purpose of making some remarks preceding the introduction of a citation.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman may proceed.

Mr. KELLY. Mr. Speaker, during the past several months there has been, it seems, a rash of incidents involving harm to members of various police forces.

Unfortunately, such an occurrence last week took the life of an outstanding member of the McCandless Police Force in my district.

Mr. Speaker, it is my intention today to introduce a citation posthumously commending Patrolman Albert William Devlin, but in so doing, I want, briefly, to inform the members of his background and the tragic circumstances surrounding his death.

Patrolman Devlin joined the force nearly six years ago. In fact, our township commissioners made an exception in his case because he was one inch shorter than the specified minimum height. Such an exception was easy for the commissioners to make in view of Devlin's excellent score in the civil service test—96 percent. Newspaper accounts following Patrolman Devlin's death indicate he continued to maintain a very high standard of excellence.

The North Hills News Record said that "He was short in stature, but mighty tall in ability."

Quoting Chief Wylie, he said, "There are few policemen today like Patrolman Devlin."

Franklin Park Chief Norbert Micklos added, "Al was the finest, most dedicated policeman I ever knew. He was the best policeman the North Hills ever had. He was a good friend and a good father."

Mr. Speaker, the circumstances of Mr. Devlin's death may be of interest.

According to the Pittsburgh Press, this is exactly what happened:

Minutes after escaping possible death by leaping to safety when the driver of a stolen auto tried to run him down, a McCandless Twp. policeman was killed when his cruiser and the stolen car collided at the end of a high-speed chase.

The impact threw the officer, Patrolman Devlin, 32, the father of four, from his squad car.

The driver and two other men, both of whom had leaped from the car and fled on foot before the fatal crash, were arrested . . .

The chase began about 8 last night when three suspects stole an auto in Pittsburgh and were later chased by police from Harmony, Cranberry and Pine Townships.

Alerted by police radio, Devlin positioned his patrol car across two lanes of McKnight Road and stood beside it with a shotgun.

Instead of stopping, however, the suspects tried to run him down, other officers said.

Devlin leaped aside, then shot out one of the tires on the fleeing car.

The suspects drove a short distance on McKnight Road to a drive-in restaurant where two of them fled on foot over a hillside near the Northway Mall.

The other leaped into the car of the restaurant manager, Daniel Williams, who was warming it up before going home.

Officer Devlin continued in pursuit south on McKnight and when he tried to force the auto off the road near North Hills Village Shopping Center, his cruiser was struck broadside.

Mr. Speaker, I bring this information to the attention of the House in tribute to Patrolman Devlin and as a reminder of the tremendous responsibilities borne by all law enforcement personnel.

I would like to conclude by reading the citation which I hope will be adopted by the full House at the appropriate time.

(Reading:)

Whereas, Patrolman Albert W. Devlin was killed on January 8, 1973 in a collision between his police cruiser and a stolen automobile he was pursuing. Having served honorably in the United States Navy, Patrolman Devlin joined the McCandless Township Police Force on April 1, 1967. While on the force he continued his education, earning a degree in police science from Allegheny County Community College. During his six years of duty he was cited three times for meritorious service. By the community, he was known to be a good husband, a good father, an exemplary citizen and an outstanding police officer.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, notes with sadness the

passing of Patrolman Albert W. Devlin, posthumously commends him for his courage and devotion to duty and extends its heartfelt sympathy to his wife Lorraine, and four children;

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SALISBURY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WELCOMED

The SPEAKER. The Chair is pleased to welcome to the hall of the House today the senior class students from Salisbury High School of Lehigh County, who are in the hall of the House today as the guests of Messrs. Zeller and Eckensberger of Lehigh County.

SENATE MESSAGE

SENATE RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE

TIME OF NEXT MEETING

The clerk of the Senate being introduced, presented the following extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read:

In the Senate, January 15, 1973

RESOLVED, (the House of Representatives concurring), That when the Senate adjourns this week it reconvene on Monday, January 22, 1973 at a time to be fixed by the Senate, and when the House of Representatives adjourns this week it reconvene on Monday, January 22, 1973 at a time to be fixed by the House of Representatives.

Ordered, That the clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate? Resolution was concurred in.

Ordered, That the clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY MAJORITY LEADER

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. BUTERA. Mr. Speaker, there will be an important meeting of all committee chairmen in the majority caucus room at 11 a.m. on Monday.

As I stated before, there will be a Rules Committee meeting in my office for the purpose of amending House resolution No. 4 immediately upon the adoption of the recess.

For the benefit of the membership, there is no need to return to the floor after we recess until Monday.

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING CANCELED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Lebanon, Mr. Seltzer.

Mr. SELTZER. Mr. Speaker, the meeting of the Appropriations Committee, which was scheduled to be held immediately upon the conclusion of this session, is canceled, and the members will receive an announcement prior to next week as to when the meeting will be rescheduled.

RECESS

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the Chair now declares a recess of 15 minutes.

The Chair hears no objection.

AFTER RECESS

The time of recess having expired, the House was called to order.

**THE SPEAKER (Kenneth B. Lee)
IN THE CHAIR****SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS**

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the Chair will now take up resolutions of sympathy and congratulations to be made a special order of business for consideration immediately upon the adoption of a motion.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULES

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. BUTERA. Mr. Speaker, I move that the rules of the House be suspended for the consideration and adoption of the citations of sympathy and congratulations.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to.

COMMENDING MRS. FANNIE JEFFERSON**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

WHEREAS, Mrs. Fannie Jefferson was the organizer and is currently the director of Senior Opportunities and Services (SOS) in Washington, Pennsylvania. Under the leadership of Mrs. Jefferson, membership in the SOS Center has grown from fifty to four hundred fifty since 1968. SOS provides the aged with a place to meet, have meals and enjoy social activities.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, commends Mrs. Fannie Jefferson for her work with the aged in Washington and Greene Counties; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mrs. Fannie Jefferson.

ROGER RAYMOND FISCHER

COMMENDING JOE PATERNO**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

WHEREAS, Coach Joe Paterno amazed the sports world by deciding to remain at Pennsylvania State University instead of accepting a reported \$1.2 million offer from the New England Patriots. Coach Paterno in explaining this decision said, "The overriding factor in my decision was my realization that I enjoy working with young people and having an influence on their lives . . . Another reason is that . . . I really love Pennsylvania after twenty-three years here. Pennsylvania people have been great to us."

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, expresses its pleasure in learning that Joe Paterno has elected to remain as head coach of the Pennsylvania State University Nittany Lions, commends him for putting his professional and personal happiness above pure monetary gain, and wishes him many more successful seasons at Penn State; and further directs that a copy of this citation be de-

livered to Joe Paterno, Head Football Coach, Pennsylvania State University, State College, Pennsylvania.

JOHN H. ANDERSON
KENNETH B. LEE
H. JACK SELTZER
ROBERT J. BUTERA
MATTHEW J. RYAN

**CONGRATULATING ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC
CHURCH OF ALLENTOWN****HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

WHEREAS, The congregation of St. Thomas More Catholic Church of Allentown has been selected nationwide winner of the 1973 Guideposts Church Award. The award recognizes the contributions of the congregation to the community and their faith during the six years the church has been in existence, under the tremendous guidance and dedication of their pastor, Reverend Father Robert J. Coll.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates the St. Thomas More Catholic Church of Allentown on being selected nationwide winner of the 1973 Guideposts Church Award;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to St. Thomas More Catholic Church, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH ZELLER

CONGRATULATING ALBERT A. MOFFA**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

WHEREAS, Albert A. Moffa will be honored for his community services at the twentieth annual reunion of the Old Time Boxers Association of the Lehigh Valley, Ring 23 National Veteran Boxers Association. Mr. Moffa is owner and operator of the Americus Hotel and has been instrumental in organizing activities for local youth and golden age groups.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Albert A. Moffa on being honored by the Old Time Boxers Association of the Lehigh Valley, Ring 23 National Veteran Boxers Association and commends him for his many services to the Allentown area;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Albert A. Moffa, 732 North 19th Street, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

JAMES P. RITTER
JOSEPH ZELLER
WILLIAM ECKENSBERGER
SAMUEL W. FRANK

**CONGRATULATING THE LUTHERAN CHILDREN
AND FAMILY SERVICE OF EASTERN
PENNSYLVANIA****HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

WHEREAS, The Lutheran Children and Family Service of Eastern Pennsylvania (LCFS) recently celebrated its fiftieth anniversary. The LCFS funds foster homes for children and counsels families, children and young people with problems related to family life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates the Lutheran Children and Family Service of Eastern Pennsylvania on its fiftieth anniversary;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to the Lutheran Children and Family Service of Eastern Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH R. ZELLER
WILLIAM H. ECKENSBERGER
JAMES P. RITTER
SAMUEL W. FRANK

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR M.
WERLEY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Werley recently celebrated their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary. Their happy union has been blessed by three children, eight grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Werley on their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Werley, 2443 W. Tilghman Street, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH R. ZELLER

CONGRATULATING THE CENTRAL GRANGE
No. 1650 SQUARE DANCE TEAM

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, The Central Grange No. 1650 Square Dance Team from the New Tripoli area recently won first place and best of show awards in Western style square dance competition at the annual convention of the Pennsylvania Grange. The team consists of Gloria and Carl Wertman, Doreen and Sterling Reinert, Forrest Laudenslager and Phyllis Breininger and Norma and Donald Breininger.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates the Central Grange No. 1650 Square Dance Team on winning the first place and best of show awards in Western style square dance competition at the annual convention of the Pennsylvania Grange;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Central Grange No. 1650, New Tripoli, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH R. ZELLER

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS. HALE A. GUSS

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Hale A. Guss recently celebrated their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary. Their happy union has been blessed by five children, seventeen grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Hale A. Guss on their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Hale A. Guss, 104 West 27th Street, Northampton, Pennsylvania.

RUSSELL KOWALYSHYN
JOSEPH R. ZELLER

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS. JOHN J. CESARE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Cesare recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on October 15, 1972. Their happy union has been blessed by five children, seventeen grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Cesare on their fiftieth wedding anniversary and expresses its hope

that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Cesare, 203 Davey Avenue, Pen Argyl, Pennsylvania.

RUSSELL KOWALYSHYN
JOSEPH R. ZELLER

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS. GRIFFITH
ROWLANDS

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Griffith Rowlands recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. Their happy union has been blessed by three children and two grandchildren. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Griffith Rowlands on their fiftieth wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Griffith Rowlands, 66 Second Street, Slatington, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH R. ZELLER

CONGRATULATING DR. MORGAN D. PERSON

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Dr. Morgan D. Person was recently honored at the annual convention of the American Academy of General Practice by being conferred a Fellow and Charter Member of the American Academy of Family Practice.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Dr. Morgan D. Person on being designated as a Fellow and Charter Member of the American Academy of Family Practice; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Dr. Morgan D. Person, 1336 Hamilton Street, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH ZELLER

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS.
RAY. A. REINSMITH

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Ray A. Reinsmith recently celebrated their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary on December 25, 1972. Their happy union has been blessed by three children, six grandchildren, and ten great-grandchildren. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ray A. Reinsmith on their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Ray A. Reinsmith, 1130 Loxley Lane, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH ZELLER

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS.
ADDISON H. SHOWALTER

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Addison H. Showalter recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on December 25, 1972. Their happy union has been blessed by two children, seven grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Addison H. Showalter on their fiftieth wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Addison H. Showalter, 840 S. Cedar Crest Boulevard, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH R. ZELLER

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS.
MAURICE CRONRATH

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cronrath recently celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary. Their happy union has been blessed by three children, five grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cronrath on their sixtieth wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cronrath, Breinigsville, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH ZELLER

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS.
CLARENCE M. FREY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Frey recently celebrated their fifty-second wedding anniversary on November 25, 1972. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Frey on their fifty-second wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Frey, 142 North Fifth Street, Emmaus, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH ZELLER

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS.
RALPH W. HERMANY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Hermany recently celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary on October 12, 1972. Their happy union has been blessed by one child and one grandchild. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Hermany on their sixtieth wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Hermany, 1980 Chestnut Street, Emmaus, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH R. ZELLER

CONGRATULATING THE DELAWARE AND
HUDSON RAILWAY COMPANY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, The Delaware and Hudson Company was

incorporated by act of the Legislature of the State of New York on April 23, 1823 and is therefor celebrating its sesquicentennial anniversary this year. The company expanded into the railway business when on August 8, 1829 it operated the first locomotive of any kind in North America in Honesdale, Pennsylvania. In 1968 the Delaware and Hudson Railway Company succeeded to the railroad properties of The Delaware and Hudson Company and therefore constitutes the oldest continuously operated transportation system in the United States.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates The Delaware and Hudson Railway Company on the occasion of its one hundred fiftieth anniversary and commends the company for its vital role in the growth of the Nation's transportation system;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Carl B. Sterzing, Jr., President and Chief Executive Officer, The Delaware and Hudson Railway Company, The Plaza, Albany, New York, 12207.

FRANK J. O'CONNELL
BERNARD F. O'BRIEN
FRED J. SHUPNIK
RAPHAEL MUSTO

CONGRATULATING EDWARD BUCKLEY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Edward Buckley retired on December 31, 1972 as Postmaster of Dallas, Pennsylvania. Ed joined the Post Office in 1948 and was appointed Postmaster in 1962. In addition to his service to the Post Office, Ed has been quite active in community functions. He is past president of the Lions Club, past state chairman of the Boy Scouts and past chairman of District 12, American Legion.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Edward Buckley on his long and distinguished career with the Dallas Post Office and wishes him good health and happiness in his retirement;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Edward Buckley, Davenport Street, Dallas, Pennsylvania.

FRANK J. O'CONNELL

CONGRATULATING MISS BRENDA FORMAN

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Miss Brenda Forman recently won a Gold Medal in the Juvenile Olympics of America in the 200 Yard Run, the 440 Yard Run, and the 440 Yard Relay. Miss Forman is a member of the Mount Lebanon Track Club and is currently nine years old.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Miss Brenda Forman on her success at the recent Juvenile Olympics of America and wishes her continued success in the future; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Miss Brenda Forman, 445 Marrietta Place, Mount Lebanon, Pennsylvania.

ALVIN KATZ
H. SHELDON PARKER

EXTENDING SYMPATHY TO MRS.
LORRAINE K. DEVLIN

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Patrolman Albert W. Devlin was killed on January 8, 1973 in a collision between his police cruiser and a stolen automobile he was pursuing. Having served honorably in the United States Navy, Patrolman Devlin joined the McCandless Township Police Force on April 1, 1967. While on the force he continued his education, earning a degree in police science from Allegheny County Community College. During his six years of duty he was cited three times for meritorious service. By the community, he was known to be a good husband, a good

father, an exemplary citizen and an outstanding police officer.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, notes with sadness the passing of Patrolman Albert W. Devlin, posthumously commends him for his courage and devotion to duty and extends its heartfelt sympathy to his wife Lorraine, and four children;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mrs. Lorraine Kanith Devlin, 2573 Wickline Road, Gibsonia, Pennsylvania, 15044.

JAMES B. KELLY

CONGRATULATING ST. JAMES HIGH SCHOOL
FOOTBALL TEAM

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, The St. James High School football team won the 1972 Philadelphia City Championship by defeating Public League representative Frankford High School by the score of 42 to 0. Enroute to their first City Championship, the St. James Bulldogs rolled up five hundred one yards on offense while holding Frankford to a meager ninety-eight yards. The victory, St. James twelfth of the season, was by the second largest margin in city series history.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates the St. James High School football team on their convincing 42 to 0 victory in the 1972 Philadelphia City Championship game and wishes the team continued success on the gridiron; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Joe Logue, Head Football Coach, St. James High School, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH T. DOYLE
JOSEPH W. DORSEY
EDMUND JONES
STANLEY R. KESTER
THOMAS H. WORRILOW

COMMENDING MR. J. PHILIP DOUD

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, J. Philip Doud of Montgomery County has served as Chairman of the Montgomery County Democratic Committee from 1960 to 1972. His dedication to public and political service merits emulation throughout the Commonwealth.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, commends Mr. J. Philip Doud for his many years of distinguished service as Chairman of the Montgomery County Democratic Committee; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. J. Philip Doud, Norristown, Pennsylvania.

DANIEL E. BEREN
ROBERT J. BUTERA

CONGRATULATING ST. CHARLES BORROMEO
HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, St. Charles Borromeo High School completed its 1972 football season undefeated. In attaining this fine achievement they were successful in capturing the championship of the Philadelphia Suburban Delmont League—Division B of CYO League.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its hearty congratulations to the St. Charles Borromeo High School football team and Head Coach John Reich on their outstanding accomplishment and wishes them equal success in their future endeavors; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to St. Charles Borromeo High School, 3422 Denison Avenue, Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH T. DOYLE

CONGRATULATING LANSDOWNE-ALDAN
HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, The Lansdowne-Aldan High School Football Team recently won the Suburban Two Football League Championship.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates the Lansdowne-Aldan High School Football Team on winning the Suburban Two Football League Championship; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to the Lansdowne-Aldan High School Football Team.

JOSEPH T. DOYLE

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS. JESSE UHLER

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Uhler recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on December 9, 1972. Their happy union has been blessed by one child and one grandchild. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Uhler on their fiftieth wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Uhler, 909 Longacre Boulevard, Yeadon, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH T. DOYLE

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS.
HARRY P. LEVERING

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Levering celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on October 27, 1972 with an open house celebration for family and friends. They are the parents of a son and daughter and have five grandchildren.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Levering on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary and wishes them much good health and many more happy years of marriage; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Levering, 745 South Gulph Road, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

RICHARD A. McCLATCHY

COMMENDING JOSEPH K. LINDSAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Joseph K. Lindsay recently retired after a thirty-eight year career in education with the Upper Darby School District. His outstanding professional career, during this period, spanned the gamut from teacher to principal. As an educator, administrator and resident of Clifton Heights, Mr. Lindsay was also a deeply involved member of the community.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, commends Joseph K. Lindsay on his long and distinguished career in the field of education and wishes him good health and happiness in his retirement; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. Joseph K. Lindsay, Clifton Heights, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH T. DOYLE

CONGRATULATING ARTHUR GRIM

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Arthur Grim was elected 1972 Coach of

the Year of the Lancaster-Lebanon Scholastic Football League. Coach Grim received this honor after leading his Conestoga Valley High School football team to a league co-championship.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Arthur Grim on being elected 1972 Coach of the Year of the Lancaster-Lebanon Scholastic Football League and wishes him equal success in future seasons; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Arthur Grim, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

MARVIN E. MILLER

CONGRATULATING THE PITTSBURGH STEELERS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, The Pittsburgh Steelers ended forty years of frustration this year by winning the Central Division Championship of the American Conference of the National Football League. It was a fitting victory for the young, aggressive Steeler club, and the long-suffering Steeler fans. It took Franco Harris and his Italian army, Roy and Grela's Guerillas and the guttiest offense in the National Football League, along with Mean Joe Greene and the toughest defense in Steeler history to end the forty-year draught. This year's near miss was only a prelude, we are sure, to next year's Super Bowl Steeler ball club which along with this year's championship club is fitting tribute to Steeler President Art Rooney and his family and Steeler Head Coach Chuck Noll.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on behalf of all the football fans in Pennsylvania, congratulates the Pittsburgh Steelers on a truly remarkable 1972 football season and wishes them many "Super-years" ahead; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Steeler President Arthur Rooney and Steeler Head Coach Chuck Noll, c/o Three Rivers Stadium, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

K. LEROY IRVIS
JOHN T. WALSH
LEONARD L. MARTINO
ROBERT A. GEISLER
JAMES A. ROMANELLI
CHARLES N. CAPUTO
A. JOSEPH VALICENTI
IVAN ITKIN
MAX H. HOMER
REGIS R. MALADY
EUGENE F. SCANLON
A. T. FENRICH
JOHN T. McMONAGLE
HELEN GILLETTE
ANDREW J. McGRAW
JOSEPH F. BONETTO
BERNARD NOVAK
JOSEPH RHODES
EDWARD M. EARLY
H. SHELDON PARKER
JOSEPH ZORD
ROBERT F. BURKARDT
RICHARD J. CESSAR
JAMES B. KELLY
RICHARD J. FRANKENBURG
LEE C. TADDONIO
JAMES KNEPPER
JAY R. WELLS

CONGRATULATING RICK WALTERS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Rick Walters quarterbacked the Conestoga Valley High School football team to a co-championship in the Lancaster-Lebanon Scholastic Football League. Rick was named to several all-star teams to include a third team berth in the All-Pennsylvania Scholastic Squad.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Rick Walters on being named to the All-Pennsylvania Football Team following his outstanding year at Conestoga Val-

ley High School and wishes him continued athletic success; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Rick Walters, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

MARVIN E. MILLER

CONGRATULATING JESSE G. CRUNKLETON
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Jesse G. Crunkleton has retired after serving the community of New Castle, Pennsylvania, as a mortician and funeral director for thirty-five years.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Jesse G. Crunkleton on his long and distinguished career as a mortician and funeral director and wishes him good health and happiness in his retirement; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Jesse G. Crunkleton, 245 W. Grant Street, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

THOMAS J. FEE

CONGRATULATING THE ALTOONA AREA
HIGH SCHOOL AND DIRECTOR
DARWIN H. BISTLINE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, the Altoona Area High School was recently selected to represent the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in the Inaugural Parade in Washington, D. C. on January 20, 1973. The Altoona Band, under the directorship of Darwin H. Bistline, has marched in the past three Gubernatorial Inaugural Parades.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates the Altoona Area High School and their Director, Darwin H. Bistline; on being selected to represent the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at the Inauguration in Washington, D. C., on January 20, 1973;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to the Altoona Area High School, Altoona, Pennsylvania.

DENNY J. BIXLER

CONGRATULATING JOHN C. MONTI
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, John C. Monti is the Director of Music of the Altoona Area School District; and

WHEREAS, The Altoona Area High School was recently selected to represent the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in the Inaugural Parade in Washington, D. C. on January 20, 1973.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates John C. Monti, the Director of Music of the Altoona Area School District, for this outstanding accomplishment;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to John C. Monti, Altoona Area High School District, Altoona, Pennsylvania.

DENNY J. BIXLER

CONGRATULATING S. CLARENCE JOHNSTON
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, S. Clarence Johnston will retire on February 28, 1973 as Chief of Police of Cheltenham Township in Montgomery County. Chief Johnston was appointed to the force on January 1, 1937 after graduating from the Pennsylvania State Police Academy and was promoted to Chief of Police on January 2, 1950. He is a graduate of the F.B.I. National Academy, was President of the Pennsylvania Chief of Police Association in 1970 and 1971 and is a member of the Southeastern Region of the Governor's Criminal Justice Commission.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates S. Clarence Johnston on his long and distinguished career as Police

Chief of Cheltenham Township and wishes him good health and happiness in his retirement; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. S. Clarence Johnston, 8230 York Road, Elkins Park, Pennsylvania.

CHARLES F. MEBUS

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS. MERLE HILLEGAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hillegas celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on November 22, 1972, with a party for family and friends. They are the parents of nine children and have twenty grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hillegas on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary and wishes them much good health and many more happy years of marriage; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hillegas, R. D. 1, Berlin, Pennsylvania.

KENNETH S. HALVERSON

CONGRATULATING ALBERT "SPARKY" LYLE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Albert "Sparky" Lyle, outstanding relief pitcher for the New York Yankees will receive the American Legion Award for being the Most Outstanding Player in the major leagues. The award goes annually to a former graduate of Legion baseball who played for an American Legion team in Pennsylvania. Prior to joining the major leagues, Lyle pitched for the DuBois Legion and later in the JC League.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Albert "Sparky" Lyle for being selected to receive the American Legion Award for being the Most Outstanding Player in the major leagues; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Albert "Sparky" Lyle.

WILLIAM F. RENWICK
L. EUGENE SMITH

CONGRATULATING THE MOUNT CARMEL AREA
HIGH SCHOOL

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mount Carmel Area High School recently won the 1972 Eastern Conference Class A Football Championship. This game marked the fifth appearance and the third victory for Mount Carmel in a title game since the Eastern Conference was formed in 1941.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates the Mount Carmel Area High School on winning the 1972 Eastern Conference Class A Football Championship and wishes them continued success in the future; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to the Mount Carmel Area High School, Mount Carmel, Pennsylvania.

PAUL G. RUANE

CONGRATULATING THE SALISBURY HIGH SCHOOL
MARCHING BAND

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, The Salisbury High School Marching Band, under the direction of John Ferraro, recently was crowned Pennsylvania State Class B Champion at the Mid-Atlantic States Championship Cavalcade on November 18, 1972. Including this award, the school band has received over one hundred trophies in the past six years.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates the Salis-

bury High School Marching Band on being crowned Pennsylvania State Class B Champion; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to the Salisbury High School Marching Band, Salisbury High School, Salisbury, Pennsylvania.

WILLIAM H. ECKENSBERGER
JOSEPH ZELLER

CONGRATULATING THE CATASAUQUA HIGH
SCHOOL ROUGH RIDER MARCHING UNIT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, The Catasauqua High School Rough Rider Marching Unit, under the direction of Mr. Charles Hagan, recently was crowned Pennsylvania State Class C Champion at the Mid-Atlantic States Championship Cavalcade on November 18, 1972. This unit, representing the smallest school in field competition, accomplished this feat with a forty per cent seventh grade membership and after having been together for only twelve weeks.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates the Catasauqua High School Rough Rider Marching Unit on being crowned Pennsylvania State Class C Champion; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to the Catasauqua High School Rough Rider Marching Unit, Catasauqua High School, Catasauqua, Pennsylvania.

WILLIAM H. ECKENSBERGER

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS. ALBERT F. LONG
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Long recently celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary on December 21, 1972. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Long on their sixtieth wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Long, 1875 W. Market Street, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

WILLIAM H. ECKENSBERGER

CONGRATULATING MR. AND MRS. EARL G. SMITH
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Smith recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on November 11, 1972. Their happy union has been blessed by two children and one grandchild. These two people are highly respected by friends, neighbors and acquaintances as representing the finest in American life.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, extends its best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Smith on their fiftieth wedding anniversary and expresses its hope that they may long continue to enjoy their happy marriage;

and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Smith, 1228 Elsworth Drive, Whitehall, Pennsylvania.

WILLIAM H. ECKENSBERGER

CONGRATULATING CHARTIERS-HOUSTON
HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Charters-Houston High School Football Team recently won the 1972 WPIAL Class B Football Championship. This is also the second straight Class B Championship for the Buccaneers of Charters-Houston.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Chartiers-Houston High School Football Team on winning the 1972 WPIAL Class B Football Championship; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Chartiers-Houston High School, Houston, Pennsylvania.

ROGER RAYMOND FISCHER

CONGRATULATING EARL G. STROHM

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Earl G. Strohm will be guest of honor at a testimonial dinner on February 3, 1973 to mark his retirement from coaching. He coached football teams for twenty-four years in Altoona and Bellwood. His lifetime record of one hundred seventy wins, sixty-three losses and ten ties is one of the best in the State. His leadership and example have helped many boys develop into fine young men.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Earl G. Strohm on his long and successful career as a high school football coach and commends him for his devotion to the youth of our Commonwealth; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Earl G. Strohm, 801 George Avenue, Altoona, Pennsylvania.

DENNY J. BIXLER

CONGRATULATING JEFFREY D. BROWN

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Jeffrey D. Brown, a member of Troop 969 of the Boy Scouts of America, recently attained the rank of Eagle Scout. This is the highest honor in scouting.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Jeffrey D. Brown on earning the rank of Eagle Scout in the Boy Scouts of America; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Jeffrey D. Brown, 5 Henderson Avenue, Ridley Park, Pennsylvania.

EDMUND JONES

CONGRATULATING TOM ANTION

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, Tom Antion of McGuffey High School was

recently named to the 1972 Associated Press All-State Scholastic Football Team. Antion, a six-foot-three inch, two hundred thirty pounder, who is also an accomplished kicking specialist, was named to the third team as a defensive tackle.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates Tom Antion on being named to the 1972 Associated Press All-State Scholastic Football Team; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. Tom Antion, R. D. #1, Claysville, Pennsylvania.

ROGER RAYMOND FISCHER

CONGRATULATING GEORGE REIHNER

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WHEREAS, George Reihner of Washington High School was recently named to the 1972 Associated Press All-State Scholastic Football Team. Reihner, a six-foot-four inch, two hundred thirty pound senior, was named to the second team as an offensive tackle.

Now therefore, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, congratulates George Reihner on being named to the 1972 Associated Press All-State Scholastic Football Team; and further directs that a copy of this citation be delivered to Mr. George Reihner, Washington, Pennsylvania.

ROGER RAYMOND FISCHER

RESOLUTION REREPORTED AS AMENDED

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 4 By Mr. BUTERA

Adopting rules of the House of Representatives.

Rereported from Committee on Rules.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. DeVERTER moved that this House do now adjourn until Monday, January 22, 1973, at 3 p.m., e.s.t.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to, and (at 3:20 p.m., e.s.t.) the House adjourned.