Mr. Merriam moved that the name of Mr. Purfeerst be added as co-author to S. F. No. 581. The motion prevailed.

### CALL OF THE SENATE

Mr. Coleman imposed a call of the Senate for the discussion on Permanent Rules. The following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson Ashbach Bang Bernhagen Chenoweth Chmielewski Coleman Davies Dieterich Dunn Engler	Frederick Gearty Gunderson Hughes Humphrey Jensen Johnson Keefe, S. Kirchner Laufenburger Lewis	Luther McCutcheon Menning Merriam Ogdahl Olhoft Olson Penny Perpich Peterson Purfeerst	Renneke Schaaf Schmitz Setzepfandt Sieloff Sikorski Sillers Solon Spear Staples Stokowski	Strand Stumpf Tennessen Ueland, A. Ulland, J. Vega Wegener Willet
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The Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring in the absent members.

Mr. Coleman moved that the report from the Committee on Rules and Administration of February 15, 1979 on Permanent Rules be taken from the table. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Coleman moved the adoption of the foregoing Committee Report. The motion prevailed. Report adopted.

Mr. Coleman moved that the rules contained in the Committee Report be adopted as the Permanent Rules of the Senate.

Mr. Jensen moved to amend the Permanent Rules of the Senate as printed in the Journal for the 17th day, as follows:

After Rule 75, add a new rule to read:

### "CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

76. If any new matter is included in a conference committee report that was not contained in either the bill or amendments referred to the conference committee, the presiding officer shall return the report to the conference committee upon a point of order being raised that the report contains such new matter."

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 18 and nays 38, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Ashbach Bang Bernhagen Brataas	Dunn Engler Frederick Jensen	Keefe, J. Kirchner Knutson Luther	Ogdahl Renneke Sieloff Sillers	Ueland, A. Ulland, J.
Drataas	Jensen	Lutner	Sillers	

# Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Hughes	Merriam	Schaaf	Stokowski
Chenoweth	Humphrey	Nichols	Schmitz	Strand
Chmielewski	Johnson	Olhoft	Schrom	Stumpf
Coleman	Keefe, S.	Olson	Setzepfandt	Tennessen
Davies	Knoll	Penny	Sikorski	Vega
Dieterich	Lewis	Perpich	Solon	Willet
Gearty	McCutcheon	Peterson	Spear	
Gunderson	Menning	Purfeerst	Staples	

The motion did not prevail. So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Jensen then moved to amend the Permanent Rules of the Senate as printed in the Journal for the 17th day, as follows:

Amend Rule 56 by inserting the following after the first sentence of the first paragraph:

"Committee membership on all committees shall be proportional to the number in each group in the Senate, provided, however, that the majority group shall be entitled to a majority of at least three on any committee of fifteen members or less, four on any committee of between sixteen and twenty members, and five on any committee of twenty-one members and over."

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 17 and nays 39, as follows:

## Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Ashbach	Dunn	Keefe, J.	Renneke	Ulland, J.
Bang	Engler	Kirchner	Sieloff	
Bernhagen	Frederick	Knutson	Sillers	
Brataas	Jensen	Ogdahl	Ueland, A.	
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## Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Hughes	McCutcheon	Purfeerst	Staples
Chenoweth	Humphrey	Menning	Schaaf	Stokowski
Chmielewski	Johnson	Merriam	Schmitz	Strand
Coleman	Keefe, S.	Olhoft	Schrom	Stumpf
Davies	Knoll	Olson	Setzepfandt	Tennessen
Dieterich	Laufenburger	Penny	Sikorski	Vega
Gearty	Lewis	Perpich	Solon	Willet
Gunderson	Luther	Peterson	Spear	

The motion did not prevail. So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Jensen then moved to amend the Permanent Rules of the Senate as printed in the Journal for the 17th day, as follows:

Amend Rule 56 by inserting before the period at the end of the last sentence of the last paragraph the following:

", except that all conference committees shall include at least one member of the minority group"

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 19 and nays 37, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Ashbach	Dieterich	Jensen	Luther	Sillers
Bang	Dunn	Keefe, J.	Ogdahl	Ueland, A.
Bernhagen	Engler	Kirchner	Renneke	Ulland, J.
Brataas	Frederick	Knutson	Sieloff	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson Chenoweth Chmielewski Coleman Davies Gearty Gunderson Hughes Humphrey Johnson Keefe, S. Knoll Laufenburger Lewis McCutcheon Menning	Merriam Olhoft Olson Penny Perpich Peterson Purfeerst Schaaf	Schmitz Schrom Setzepfandt Sikorski Solon Spear Staples Stokowski	Strand Stumpf Tennessen Vega Willet
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The motion did not prevail. So the amendment was not adopted.

The question recurred on the motion of Mr. Coleman.

The question was taken on the adoption of the motion.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 51 and nays 5, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson Ashbach Bang Gunderson Bernhagen Chenoweth Chmielewski Coleman Davies Dieterich Dunn Engler Frederick Gearty Gunderson Hughes Johnson Keefe, S. Kirchner Knoll Knutson Laufenburger	Lewis Luther McCutcheon Menning Merriam Ogdahl Olhoft Olson Penny Perpich Peterson	Purfeerst Renneke Schaaf Schmitz Schrom Setzepfandt Sikorski Sillers Solon Spear Staples	Stokowski Strand Stumpf Tennessen Ueland, A. Vega Willet
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Those who voted in the negative were:

Brataas Jensen Keefe, J. Sieloff Ulland, J.

The motion prevailed. So the Permanent Rules were adopted.

Without objection, the Senate reverted to the Order of Business of Introduction and First Reading of Senate Bills.

## INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following bill was read the first time and referred to the committee indicated.

Messrs. Chmielewski, Knutson, Rued and Schrom introduced—

S. F. No. 641: A bill for an act relating to crimes; regulating the possession and use of pistols; requiring permits to carry pistols within cities of the fourth class or larger; requiring transferee permits or transfer reports to transfer pistols within cities of the fourth class or larger; prohibiting discrimination in the issuance of permits to carry pistols; providing penalties; amend-