

1 bills getting jammed up. To continue on:

2 "I believe the difficulty the legislature has
3 in considering supplemental appropriation bills is not in
4 their inability to be moved until the budget bill has
5 passed both houses. The provisions of such bills are
6 generally known early in the session and can be fully con-
7 sidered in committee. Information received from the
8 Legislative Council indicates that in the 1966 session,
9 417 bills were introduced and accepted by the legislature
10 after the March 1 deadline of which 287 were State-wide and
11 130 were of local nature. I believe that the last minute
12 legislative jam can be largely attributed to this fact."

13 I think there were 1800 total votes put into the
14 session, of which 417 came in after the deadline for the
15 introduction of bills. I don't know whether this is normal
16 or not or whether it's because of the seventy-day session.

17 "I would like to call your attention to Section
18 34 of Article 3, which deals with the State debt and pro-
19 vides for its payment. The section also contains pro-
20 hibition against giving or loaning the credit of the State
21 to any individual, association or corporation, et cetera,