

April 8, 1979

Chairman Brand called the *hearing* to order at 4:45 p.m., Rep. Kropp had the misfortune to be absent, but all others were there in body if not in mind.

HR 4-Sponsored by Rep. Cooney, and just about everybody else --

JOHNSTON moved that action on the resolution be postponed until the 200th legislative day.

COONEY-Tomorrow is the 100th anniversary of Butte, and the city is planning to celebrate this with great vitality and I felt it would be a good thing for the legislature to commemorate this.

KYTHLEEN McBRIDE-Representative from Butte -- I want to give my endorsement on this.

OPPONENTS ?

SALES-I think it should mention some of the more colorful aspects - they have the greatest per capita number of card carrying Communists in the country.

O'CONNELL-As a native of this great city, I would move a DO PASS.

BARDANOUVE-I think it should be more specific -- it mentions nothing about the houses of ill fame, copper kings, gambling dens, etc.

AZZARA-Perhaps we should amend it on page 2, line 15 by enclosing the word peace in quotes.

COONEY-If you act favorably, there will be a motion made to allow this to be acted upon tomorrow so that the Governor can deliver this to the city of Butte -- so if you have amendments, I ask that you put them in on the floor.

KANDUCH moved DO PASS again, to refresh the committee's memory as to the purpose of the meeting.

BENNETT-Well the union is at least 110 if the city is only 100.

Someone with some sense called the question.

O'Connell's (or Kanduch's) motion of DO PASS failed, but in a moment of compassion, Feda moved reconsideration, which carried. Then the motion of DO PASS carried.

Adjourned: 4:55 p.m.


Joe Brand, Chairman


Nita Sierke, Secretary