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2 We thank Thee for this State, for her leaders,  
3 for all who rule and are in authority this day. We pray  
4 Thy special blessings in these moments upon our President,  
5 upon our Governor, upon all leaders of office -- national,  
6 State, and local.

7 Be Thee present, Our Father, in our minds this  
8 day. Help us to know that Thou art here and that as we  
9 rely upon Thee, Thou will show us Thy perfect will.

10 We ask in the name of our Lord, and for His sake.

11 Amen.

12 THE PRESIDENT: Thank you, sir.

13 Roll call.

14 (Whereupon, the roll was called.)

15 THE PRESIDENT: Have all delegates answered roll  
16 call?

17 The Clerk will record the roll call.

18 There being a quorum present, the Convention is  
19 in session.

20 The Chair recognizes Delegate Powers, Chairman  
21 of the Committee on Calendar and Agenda.