

previously announced and instead of saying it shall be noon each day, it shall be two hours previous to the scheduled hour for the session on that day. That means on Monday, hopper rule, 2:00 P.M. Any further announcements by committee chairmen?

DELEGATE BOYER: Mr. President, the well taken announcements of Delegate Moser have sparked one of the more alert members of the General Provisions Committee to invite this observation for the edification of the Convention. We will be, beginning Monday, starting our witness hearings on education and plunging headlong into the forward program of education. The matter to be taken up on Monday will be constitutional recognition of education, which, of course, would include guarantees, direction of education, the intent that this Convention proposes to include in the Constitution concerning the intent of education. We would extend a hearty invitation to any of the delegates present who may want to be heard on this particular issue. Later on the General Provisions Committee will consider many other facets of education. For the time being, we will limit our invitation to those who may wish to be heard on the constitutional recognition of education, 2:00 P.M. on Monday. Thank you, sir.

THE PRESIDENT: Any further announcements by committee chairman?

If not, I have just a few other things to mention before the adjournment. The announcement by committee chairmen indicates that there is a rather heavy schedule of committee meetings and hearings for next week. We have thus far not received requests from any committees to provide stenographic reporting of committee hearings, and I remind the committee chairmen that in the absence of such request at least two days before scheduled hearing, we will not be able to provide the reporter to report stenographically. I am not suggesting that you now deluge us with requests, because we want to hold stenographic reporting of committee hearings to a minimum, because of the expense and other problems involved, but if any of you have been assuming that you have hearings of such importance that it is desirable to have them reported stenographically, and you have forgotten to notify us, please communicate with the Clerk's office before you leave today.

I also want to remind you of what I said yesterday about the transcript of these proceedings, and emphasize again that I am sure that you will find these to be documents you want to retain. Thus far you

have or should have the first two installments. The third installment is partially complete. It has not been circulated because we do not want to leave them lying around. That installment and perhaps today's will be available for you Monday. Please guard them. We cannot possibly reproduce them.

Today marks the end of the first week of an experiment, and I think that I could speak for the delegates in taking note of the very excellent service rendered to the convention during this past week by the fourteen young pages who have served as pages on the floor, have served as willing and anxious messengers between the offices and the committee offices and have served as very interested observers at the committee hearings. Under the schedule worked out, half of these young people will not be here next week. They will be here later, but on Monday you will have half of the present group and another new group. Hereafter the changes will occur at two week intervals.

I want to take this opportunity to say for myself and I am quite sure that from the comments I have heard, that I can on the view of all the delegates, that we can give them a very hearty well done and say that we are glad we tried the experiment.

(Applause.)

Are there any delegates who were absent from roll call who desire to note their presence?

(There was no response.)

THE PRESIDENT: If not, the Chair recognizes Delegate Powers.

DELEGATE POWERS: Mr. President, I move we adjourn until Monday, September 18, at 4:00 P.M.

THE PRESIDENT: All those in favor, signify by saying Aye; contrary, No. The Ayes have it. It is so ordered.

(Whereupon, at 3:34 P.M., the Convention was adjourned to reconvene at 4:00 P.M. on Monday, September 18, 1967.)

PLENARY SESSION

SEPTEMBER 18, 1967—4:00 P.M.

PRESIDENT H. VERNON ENEY,
PRESIDING

THE PRESIDENT: The Convention will please come to order.