

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION AMENDMENTS OF 1967

THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1967

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND LABOR,
Washington, D.C.

The committee met at 9:30 a.m., pursuant to recess, in room 2175, Rayburn House Office Building, Hon. Carl D. Perkins (chairman of the committee) presiding.

Present: Representatives Perkins, Green, Dent, Brademas, Ford, Hathaway, Meeds, Quie, Bell, Reid, Erlenborn, Scherle, Dellenback, and Steiger.

Staff members present: Robert E. McCord, senior specialist, H. D. Reed, Jr., general counsel, William D. Gaul, associate general counsel, Benjamin F. Reeves, editor, and Louise M. Dargans, research assistant.

Chairman PERKINS. The committee will be in order. We are delighted to welcome this morning a fine Member of this Congress who has been one of our most prominent members in the Committee on Rules and who has done so much in seeing to it that educational legislation, reported by this committee, actually came to a vote on the floor of the House.

It is a great pleasure to welcome our distinguished colleague, the Honorable Richard Bolling, to introduce the Kansas City superintendent of schools.

STATEMENT OF HON. RICHARD BOLLING, A MEMBER OF CONGRESS FROM THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Mr. BOLLING. Thank you, Mr. Chairman. I am very pleased to have the privilege of being with the committee today. As you have said, the field of education has been one of my interests for many years. In fact, I am a teacher.

It is a particular pleasure, because it is my first opportunity to be here since your chairmanship and also because I have the privilege of introducing to the committee the man who is not only the superintendent of schools in Kansas City, but an old and good personal friend of mine.

He has had a remarkable career. He came up through the ranks the hard way. He has survived a great many difficulties in the Kansas City area and survived them with honor, skill, and ability.

It gives me great pleasure to present to the committee Mr. James A. Hazlett, Superintendent of Schools, Kansas City, Mo.

Thank you, sir.