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SENATOR STULL: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, this lady was born in Illinois and then moved into Omaha in 1890 and since that time, she has been a resident of Nebraska. In 1906, she and an older brother went out to Alliance and in Alliance they filed under the Kincaid Homestead Act, each taking a section of land down near Angola, and they proved up on this land and lived in that area until 1920. This letter that we received from a niece points out some of the hardships that they endured in the early days. When they first moved out there, they lived in a sheep herder's shack. Her brother had a family of six and the seven of them lived in this sheep herder's shack until they could build a sod house. It also tells of the prairie fires and the hazards that they endured during those early days. This letter, also, mentions names of several prominent families that still live in that area. One thing about this lady, it said that she was always ready to lend a helping hand for her families, for her friends in time of need. I move for the adoption of the Resolution.

PRESIDENT: Is there any further discussion of the Resolution? I can't see. Thank you. The question is shall the Resolution be adopted. All those in favor vote aye. Those opposed vote no. Voting on the adoption of Resolution #29 as explained by Senator Stull. The question is have you all voted.

(End of Belt #1)