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SENATOR SYAS: Well, then there'd have to be a highway patrolman around then, doesn't there?

SENATOR BARNETT: You've got a rear view mirror, don't you?

SENATOR SYAS: Huh?

SENATOR BARNETT: You've got a rear view mirror, don't you?

SENATOR SYAS: Well, I drive between Omaha and Lincoln every day and never see one either way. Going to make a race track, why don't we call this the hot rod bill?

SENATOR BARNETT: That might be all right if that's what you want to name it.

SENATOR SYAS: And the highway hot rod areas.

SENATOR BARNETT: That's only one section, George, out of the whole bill that's got underneath your skin. You didn't win one amendment out of the whole thing and you've got some kind of a grump.

SPEAKER: The question's been called for on the advancement of LB 45 as amended. Those in favor--did you wish to close, Senator Barnett?

SENATOR BARNETT: Yes, I'm going to close by telling Senator Syas this, that if you think that's bad, wait until Lincoln gets ahold of the Lincoln Senators when we give in to having your way on right turns.

SPEAKER: Those in favor of advancing LB 45 vote aye, those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Clerk will record.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 7 nays, 11 not voting.

SPEAKER: The bill advances. There's a motion on the desk.

CLERK: Mr. President, we have a request to take up LB 548 next. Signed, Senator Kremer.

SPEAKER: Senator Kremer.

SENATOR KREMER: Well, Mr. Chairman, you'll remember that when 548 was introduced by the committee it was stated that actually the provision in 548 was a part of 45 but the attorneys that worked with us on the bill said it would have to be a separate bill because we did not go into the proper chapters. So all we're doing and all 548 says is that either party to any case in county or municipal court except criminal cases arising under city or village ordinances--and then the new language--and traffic infractions may demand a trial by jury. Now it's a part of the bill but it had to be in a separate bill so it should actually follow LB 45 and this is why I make the request that it follow immediately the bill that we just advanced. I move that the...

SPEAKER: This unanimous consent?

SENATOR KREMER: Yes.

SPEAKER: This is a unanimous consent motion to consider LB 548 immediately.

SENATOR KREMER: It shouldn't take much time.

SPEAKER: Any objections? If not, so ordered.

CLERK: Reads title.