

pages 271-72 of the Legislative Journal.) That is all that I have at this time, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Okay, we will move on to General File and, of course, we have advanced the first one so we will move to LB 191, and I understand our new Senator Bernard-Stevens is going to handle it. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 191 was a bill originally introduced by Senator Pappas. Senator Bernard-Stevens has added his name as co-introducer. (Read title.) The bill was introduced originally last year on January 13. It was referred to the Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee. The committee reported the bill to General File, Mr. President. I do have Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee amendments pending. (See page 714 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Are we going to take the amendments first, Senator Remmers?

SENATOR REMMERS: I would like to.

PRESIDENT: Okay, Senator Remmers, please.

SENATOR REMMERS: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, as was just read, this was originally Senator Pappas's bill and our new senator has signed on with it. The bill as originally introduced would prohibit obtaining settlements, releases of liability, or statements from an injured person within 30 days of injury. The committee added an amendment that simply cut that 30 days to 15, but I would suggest that we not spend a lot of time at this stage because Senator Landis, and I think my name is also on the amendment, has an amendment that strikes all the original bill and the amendments, so I would suggest that we not spend too much time debating these amendments right now because the other amendment, I believe, will strike all of this information. So I would suggest we get on with the vote on this amendment.

PRESIDENT: The question is the adoption of the committee amendments which Senator Remmers has suggested we decline. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 2 ayes, 8 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the