

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. We have with us this morning Pastor Dan Lehman of the Berean Church in Lincoln, Nebraska. Would you please rise for the invocation.

PASTOR LEHMAN: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Pastor Lehman. Please come back and see us again. Roll call, please.

CLERK: There is a quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Any corrections to the Journal today?

CLERK: No corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: How about messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, a series of priority bill designations. Senator Withem has chosen...the Education Committee, excuse me, has chosen LB 1116 and 1117. Senator Hall has selected LR 248CA. Senator Withem, as his individual priority bill, has picked 940. Senator Morehead has designated 949 and 1232 as the General Affairs Committee priority bills.

Mr. President, I have a new resolution by Senators Wesely, Baack, Weihing, Scofield and Haberman. (Read brief outline of LR 284. See pages 876-77 of the Legislative Journal.) That will be laid over, Mr. President.

Mr. President, LR 279 is ready for your signature. That is all that I have.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LR 279. Move on to resolutions. LR 280.

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 280 is found on page 850 of the Journal; it is offered by Senators Coordsen and Morehead. (Read brief description of resolution.) The resolution, again Mr. President, on page 850.

PRESIDENT: Senator Coordsen, please.