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Legislature. I stand in support of Senator Wehrbein's efforts here as well as that of Senator Wickersham, and I'm interested in some of the conversation that was presented to us by Senator Chambers. He talked about bridging the gap and about magic. I think if we're going to bridge the gap it's going to take some magic, but it's going to take profitability for these people that are in production agriculture. I think we start down that road with LB 835, but that isn't the end of it. There needs to be profitability in grain production. There needs to be profitability in animal production, and it's going to take the help of corporations to make us do that. You talked about four barbershops. You know, I haven't had a haircut from a barber for 20 years. It's all been in my wife's beauty shop. We don't have a barber up home anymore. I can recall when the little town of O'Neill had four independent, home-owned hardware stores. With the advent of S & S Store, which was a part of ConAgra, there's only one of those little independent hardware stores left. When Wheeler, S & S, and Country General came to O'Neill under the auspices of ConAgra, they started...they started a gas war at the S & S Store. Just dropped it a penny over the guy across the street. So the guy across the street brought his down to a penny...a penny less, and it just went seesawing back and forth. When the Wheeler Store would go down one penny, the guy across the street would match it. It got down somewhere in the eighties and the guy across the street said, I can't, I can no longer survive, so he put his price right back up where he could make a living. S & S came back up one penny under him. That's what corporate America is doing to us. Bottom line is greed; we've got to eliminate that. We start that a little bit with LB 835. I do support both the amendment and the bill, the original bill as well as the amendment now. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Dierks. Senator Wickersham, you're recognized to close.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Thank you, Mr. President. Again, this is simply an amendment to the amendment, in case people have some concern about the base amendment. All this amendment to the amendment does is make it possible under the terms of the underlying amendment to use either a cash rent for purposes of calculating the credit, or the cash equivalent of a crop share