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SPEAKER BROMM PRESIDING

SPEAKER BROMM: Good morning, ladies and gentlemen. Welcome to the George W. Norris Chamber for the thirty-eighth day of the Ninety-Eighth Legislature, First Session. We're pleased to have this morning with us the chaplain of the day, Pastor John Emslie from Trinity Lutheran Church in Blair, Senator Mines district. Pastor Emslie will give us the opening prayer. Please rise.

PASTOR EMSLIE: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Pastor Emslie. Members, please record your presence. Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BROMM: Do you have any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BROMM: Messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Byars would offer LR 42; calls for an interim study; will be referred to the Executive Board. That's all that I have at this time. (Legislative Journal pages 731-732.)

SPEAKER BROMM: Legislative confirmation report.

CLERK: Mr. President, Natural Resources offers a confirmation report found on page 709 of the Journal. Involves the appointment of Gary Parker to the Game and Parks Commission.

SPEAKER BROMM: Senator Schrock.

SENATOR SCHROCK: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, on the 28th of February, the Natural Resources Committee held a confirmation hearing for Gary Parker to the Game and Parks Commission. Gary Parker is from Columbus, Nebraska; a rather impressive individual. A graduate of Nebraska Wesleyan; worked his way through college as a welder. Became involved in...with