

going to have billions and billions of bushels again this coming summer and this fall, and so we are going to keep adding to our problems. We talk about it affecting the farmers, the small farmer and the large farmer, but what is it going to do to the related industries of agriculture, the center pivot manufacturers, the farm equipment production companies and the like. I could go on and on. And also to the related businesses, well I think it is going to have quite an impact on them, in fact, I feel that it could even create a major recession or even a depression. Some of the young farmers that talked to me told me of the enormous loans that they have taken out this past year and probably some of them the previous years, and they are wondering how they are going to be able to pay these loans off. And so I guess I would like to leave this with you here in the state of Nebraska as agriculture goes so goes the state of Nebraska. I think that we ought to adopt this resolution and let our federal government, let our administration know how we in Nebraska feel about this resolution and about the grain embargo and how it will affect you.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Kremer.

SENATOR KREMER: Mr. Chairman and members of this Legislature, I have not spoken on this issue up to this point, and I would like to start out by saying that in any issue that comes before this group there are those things that all of us can be positive on, this is something that we really want and in most every issue there are certain segments or provisions in the issue, whatever it is, that we distinctly do not want. Then there is that in between type of material that appears generally and you don't really know what to do. I say this because there are certain areas of this resolution that I don't know what to do. I don't know what position to take. However, I think in the resolution as it now exists it pretty much expresses the concern that ought to be voiced by all of us in the great middlewest that is primarily responsible for producing one of the most important commodities for our people and for the world and that is our food supplies. Now there are ways and things can happen so that the thing that we enjoy today in our country by all people, rich, poor and between, or whatever you want to call it, and that is the cheapest source of food that this world has ever known at any time. We say food is high. Maybe it is, but compared to everything else it is not high. I maintain that. Now what we are talking about this morning, we are talking about a double-barreled shotgun. I used to own one. There was one shell in each barrel, but each barrel was important. Now we are talking about feed grains this morning and the moratorium