

**SPEAKER BARRETT:** Thank you, Mr. President and members of the Legislature. On behalf of the Unicameral, I want to take this opportunity to welcome each and everyone of you people who are visiting with us today representing various student FFA organizations across the State of Nebraska. It is particularly nice to have vocational student organizations such as this to visit with us, to interact with us, to shadow us, and to observe your Legislature in action. We will not take the time to introduce each of you individually, but I do want to take this opportunity to again say, welcome, we are delighted that you are here. We hope that your day is meaningful and we hope you go home this evening full of good things to say about the Nebraska Legislature. We look forward to visiting with you at luncheon as well, and now in an effort to observe the rules of the Legislature, I would hope that you can all recess now to either the north balcony or to the east balcony to observe our legislative process from those vantage points. Thank you again for coming and being with us.

**PRESIDENT:** And thank you, Speaker Barrett. Should like to introduce the doctor of the day, please. He is a guest of Senator Hannibal. He is from Omaha. His name is Robert Beer, and, Doctor, would you please rise. And thank you for taking care of us today, Doctor. We appreciate your being here. Move on to General File, LB 338.

**ASSISTANT CLERK:** Thank you, Mr. President. LB 338 was introduced by the Health and Human Services Committee. (Read title.) The bill was referred to the Health and Human Services Committee. They reported the bill back to General File. The bill was considered yesterday. Mr. President, I now have an amendment from Senator Labrdz, and that amendment is found on page 638 of the Journal.

**PRESIDENT:** Senator Wesely, do you wish to go back on the bill and bring us up-to-date on it, please?

**SENATOR WESELY:** Yes, if I could.

**PRESIDENT:** Yes.

**SENATOR WESELY:** Mr. President and members of the Legislature, LB 338, as you recall, is a bill introduced by the Health and Human Services Committee. It follows an interim study conducted and chaired by Senator Lynch back a couple of years ago, which