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in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and I do sign LB 221, LB 114, and LB 342. The call is raised. (See page 847 of the Legislative Journal.) For the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: I have nothing at this time, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Proceeding then to item 7. Senator Pirsch, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR PIRSCH: Point of personal privilege.

SPEAKER BARRETT: State your point.

SENATOR PIRSCH: Senators, since my birthday is two days after Christmas, we've never had a special session or regular session that I can celebrate with. I was prompted to do so today, so today I am celebrating my unbirthday and there are rolls, assorted rolls and doughnuts, for all of you to share today. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. (applause.) Rolls, compliments of the senator from the 10th Legislative District, Senator Carol McBride Pirsch. Thank you. To General File, special order, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 361 was a bill that was introduced by Senator Landis, Warner, Wehrbein, Schellpeper, Hefner, Lowell Johnson, Coordsen, Lamb, Moore, Elmer, Hall and Rod Johnson. (Title read.) The bill was introduced on January 11, referred to Revenue, advanced to General File. I have committee amendments pending by the Revenue Committee, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The Chair recognizes Revenue Chairman, Senator Hall, on the committee amendments.

SENATOR HALL: Good morning, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: (Gavel.)

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President and members, LB 361 is the bill that was brought to the committee by Senator Landis as the principal sponsor that deals with the issue of the ag land valuation problem that we have faced for a number of years here. It is actually the issue that brought me to the Legislature, I