PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

(Microphone not activated) ...Legislative Chamber. We have with us this morning as our chaplain of the day Reverend John Dale who is interim Pastor for the Christian Churches of Nebraska and lives in Lincoln. Would you please rise for the invocation.

REVEREND DALE: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT: (Gavel.) Thank you, Reverend Dale. We appreciate it. Roll call, please. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

I have a quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Any corrections to the Journal today?

CLERK: No corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Do you have any messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, I have no messages, reports or announcements this morning.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. We will move on to number 5, LR 103.

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 103 offered by Senator Lynch. It's found on page 2036. (Read LR 103.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Lynch, please.

SENATOR LYNCH: Mr. President and members, I want to preface this resolution by indicating I have no political ambitions to run for anything so I'm not doing this to try to garnish the farm vote in any way. Howard doesn't believe that but that's I will only read the first and last paragraphs. Extension Services, when I was an old county commissioner, know, from Douglas County, even in Douglas County were very important not only to people with rural backgrounds but to urban backgrounds as well. It reads, the Cooperative Extension has provided opportunities for Nebraskans to put knowledge to work in agriculture, families, and communities for the past twenty-five (sic) (seventy-five) years; and ends by saying, That the Legislature recognizes and commends all former and present Nebraska cooperative extension professionals, local