

Nostradamus' prophecies that the end of the world is close when Senator Chambers agrees with both Elroy Hefner and Chris Abboud in the same session.

PRESIDENT: That's correct. (Laughter.)

SENATOR LANDIS: And I would suggest that we send one of our Sergeant-at-Arms to go down to the university campus and look at those columns to see if any of them are wobbling or are in danger of falling over as perhaps the first portent of the end of the world, just as a safety measure for all of us in the building. That's off the top of my head.

PRESIDENT: Senator Beck, please.

SENATOR BECK: Mr. Chairman and members, I just wanted to add a few words here. I appreciated all the discussion this morning, that is before we had lunch on this, on this bill. And I think it's very important. And I'm glad to see that those people that are usually on opposing sides...what? They what? Okay. I don't know what's happening. But, anyway, I just wanted to help Senator Abboud move his bill. I didn't know if Senator Landis, if that was debate on the bill or not. So I just wanted to support him and I know that my constituents would like to see it. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Okay. Senator Abboud, would you like to close?

SENATOR ABOUD: No.

PRESIDENT: No. The question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Now we're in gear. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of the bill.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced. LB 1136. Raise the call.

CLERK: Mr. President, 1136 was a bill introduced by Senator Landis. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 16, referred to Banking, advanced to General File. I have committee amendments pending by the Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee. (Standing Committee amendments appear on page 930 of the Legislative Journal.)