

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Senator Robinson. Although it is improper for the Chair to enter into debate, I appreciate those remarks. He was a good man and a good friend of mine, also. LR 462, Senator McKenzie. Mr. Clerk, I am sorry, first.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Legislative Resolution 462 was introduced by Senator McKenzie. It is found in the Journal on page 1702.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator McKenzie.

SENATOR MCKENZIE: Thank you. Mr. Speaker and members of the body. A number of my colleagues, including Senator Withem and Senator Bohlke, have had the opportunity to come visit the Edgerton Educational Center in Aurora at its grand opening, and I've distributed a couple pieces of literature for you about the center, and also about "Doc" Edgerton, the man for whom it is named, one of Nebraska's little known famous people. His contributions are so...so numerous that it is hard to be able to tell you all about them, but if ever you have held a camera with an electronic flash in your hand, you have to owe that to "Doc" Edgerton, who also contributed to the development of sonar, high-speed strobe flash photography, laser, the laser that we now know today, and aerial flash for military photography. The Edgerton Center is a unique educational facility for the state of Nebraska. It is the only science hands-on center that looks at physics and science for all ages, from three-year-olds to adults. Their goal is to attract numerous, nationally known professors to develop graduate and undergraduate workshops for students interested in science and physics from around the state and the region, and I offer for you today LR 462, which recognizes the Edgerton Center as Nebraska's Hands-On Science Center. Thank you.

SPEAKER WITHEM: LR 463.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Legislative Resolution 463 was introduced by Senator Crosby. It is found on page 1719.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Crosby.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker and members. It is just a distinct privilege to offer this resolution today. I feel very close to the Center for Great Plains Studies which was chartered in 1976 by the Board of Regents of the University of