

will meet for a brief Executive Session, in Room 1003, upon recess to select a Vice-Chair. Appropriations Committee upon recess in Room 1003 by the Appropriations Committee.

Mr. President, I also have the Committee on Committees report as offered by Senator Lowell Johnson and the Committee on Committees. Also an acknowledgment, Mr. President, that Senator Beyer has been selected...Senator Emil Beyer has been selected as Vice-Chair of the Committee on Committees.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Lowell Johnson. Could we have your attention for just a moment, please. (Gavel.) Could we have your attention just a moment, ladies and gentlemen. If we could have your attention just a moment, we won't request your attention too long today, but Senator Lowell Johnson has an announcement.

SENATOR L. JOHNSON: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, your Committee on Committees met yesterday, and after careful deliberations completed the committee roster, which you find on your desks, which has been placed there by the Clerk. The report was unanimously adopted by the Committee on Committees, and I, therefore, move at this time that it be accepted and approved by the Legislature.

PRESIDENT: Is there any discussion? If not, the question is the adoption of the report. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the Committee on Committees report.

PRESIDENT: The report is adopted. Back to you, Mr. Clerk. We're ready for the introduction of new bills. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. (Read LB 1-80 by title for the first time. See pages 44-61 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: If I could have your attention just a moment, please, we'll introduce a couple of guests. Over under the north balcony, our first doctor of the day for this year is Dr. Dale Michaels of Lincoln, Nebraska. He's from Senator Warner's district. He's here to take care of us on behalf of the Nebraska Academy of Family Physicians. So would you welcome Dr. Michaels. Would you please stand, Doctor. Thank you for

January 11, 1989      LB 31, 32, 33

CLERK:      25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 31.

PRESIDENT: LB 31 advances. LB 32.

CLERK: LB 32, Mr. President, offered by Senator Labeledz as Chair of the Board. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 5, referred directly to General File, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Peterson, please.

SENATOR PETERSON: Mr. President, LB 32, this bill would simply make internal reference changes in the statutes. I move that LB 32 be advanced to E & R Initial.

PRESIDENT: The question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK:      27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 32.

PRESIDENT: LB 32 advances. LB 33.

CLERK: LB 33 by Senator Labeledz. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 5, referred directly to General File, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Peterson, please.

SENATOR PETERSON: Mr. President, LB 33, the statutes mandate that the Revisor of Statutes substitute the term "capital stock financial institution" for the term "bank" in any section of the law dealing with the deposit of funds of any political subdivision. This bill carries out this mandate. I urge you to advance LB 33.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the explanation. The question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK:      28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 33.

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LB 1-6, 8-17, 33, 34, 330-340

PRESIDENT: LB 33 advances. LB 34, please.

CLERK: LB 34, Mr. President, offered by Senator Labedz as Chair of the Board. (Read title.) Introduced on January 5, referred directly to General File.

PRESIDENT: Senator Peterson, please.

SENATOR PETERSON: Mr. President, LB 34, the final revisor's bill, makes numerous internal changes relating to the Game and Parks Commission. I ask that this bill be advanced to E & R Initial.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the explanation. The question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Ladies and gentlemen, I need a little help, please. Thank you. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 34.

PRESIDENT: LB 34 is advanced to E & R Initial. Mr. Clerk, do you want to read in a few more bills?

CLERK: Mr. President, yes, thank you. Mr. President, before I proceed to do that, two announcements, the Education Committee has selected Senator Dierks as Vice-Chair and General Affairs Committee has selected Senator Hartnett as Vice-Chair. Signed by Senator Withem and Smith respectively.

(Read by title for the first time LBs 330-340. See pages 179-81 of the Legislative Journal.

Mr. President, other items for the record. Your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports they have carefully examined and reviewed LB 1 and recommend that same be placed on Select File; LB 2, Select File; LB 3, Select File; LB 4, Select File; LB 5, Select File; LB 6, Select File; LB 8, Select File; LB 9, Select File; LB 10, Select File with E & R amendments attached; LB 11, Select File; LB 12, Select File; LB 13, Select File; LB 14, Select File; LB 15, Select File with E & R amendments attached; LB 16, Select File; and LB 17, Select File. (See pages 181-83 of the Legislative Journal.) That's all that I have at this time, Mr. President.

January 13, 1989

LB 30-34, 361, 410-460

CLERK: Mr. President, I do, thank you. I have a reference report referring LBs 374-409, signed by Senator Labedz as Chair of the Reference Committee.

In addition to that, Mr. President, I have received a communication from the Chair of the Reference Committee referring the communication received from the University Board of Regents regarding the University Health Care project. That has been referred to Appropriations Committee for public hearing.

Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports they have carefully examined and reviewed LB 30 and recommend that same be placed on Select File; LB 31, LB 32, LB 33 and LB 34, all on Select File, Mr. President, all with E & R amendments attached. (See pages 223-26 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, new bills. (Read LBs 410-449 by title for the first time as found on pages 226-49 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, in addition to those items I have notice of hearings from the Agriculture Committee offered by Senator Rod Johnson as Chair; from the Business and Labor Committee offered by Senator Coordsen as Chair; from the General Affairs Committee. That is offered by Senator Smith as Chair. And, Mr. President, a notice of hearing from Senator Warner as Chair of the Appropriations Committee.

SENATOR HANNIBAL: Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. (Read LBs 450-459 by title for the first time. See pages 236-38 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, finally, I have an announcement the Urban Affairs Committee has selected Senator Korshoj as Vice-Chair of the committee.

Senator Rod Johnson would like to add his name to LB 361 as co-introducer. (See page 238 of the Legislative Journal.)

(Read LB 460 by title for the first time. See page 238 of the Legislative Journal.)

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LB 32, 33, 34

Opposed nay. They are adopted. Senator Lindsay, on the advancement.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 32 be advanced.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. LB 33.

CLERK: LB 33, Senator, there are E & R amendments pending.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay, please.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move for the adoption of the E & R amendments to LB 33.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. They are adopted. Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 33 be advanced.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. LB 34.

CLERK: LB 34, Senator, there are E & R amendments pending.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay, please.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that the E & R amendments to LB 34 be adopted.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. They are adopted. Senator Lindsay, on the advancement.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 34 be advanced to E & R Final.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor of advancing LB 34 say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. I might just announce, and perhaps most of you know, but our new friend, Senator Byars, that is our new Senator Byars, from Beatrice, is ill and they tell us that he will be absent for something less than two weeks. So, we all wish him well. I thought you all should know it, in case you don't know it. I understand he is in Beatrice, but we're not sure whether he's still in the

January 18, 1989

LB 18-34, 180, 190, 357

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. We have with us this morning, as our Chaplain of the day, Evangelist Tim Woodroof of the Church of Christ in Lincoln. Would you please rise.

REVEREND TIM WOODROOF: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Reverend Woodroof, appreciate it. Roll call, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a quorum present.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Do you have any corrections to the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: This would be a good day to have some. Do you have any messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports they have carefully examined engrossed LB 18 and find the same correctly Engrossed; LB 19, LB 20, LB 21, LB 22, LB 23, LB 24, LB 25, LB 26, LB 27, LB 28, LB 29, LB 30, LB 31, LB 32, LB 33, and LB 34, all reported correctly Engrossed, all signed by Senator Lindsay as Chair.

Mr. President, your Committee on Education, whose Chair is Senator Withem, to whom was referred LB 180, instructs me to report the same back to the Legislature with the recommendation it be advanced to General File, and LB 190 to General File, both signed by Senator Withem as Chair.

Mr. President, hearing notices from the Revenue Committee for Wednesday, January 25; Judiciary for January 27; Government Committee for Wednesday, January 25; and the Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee for Wednesday, January 25, all signed by their respective Chairs.

Mr. President, Senator Crosby would like to add her name to LB 357 as co-introducer.

PRESIDENT: No objections, so ordered. We will stand at ease

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LB 33, 34, 281, 357, 416, 417  
LR 22

PRESIDENT: The resolution is adopted. We'll now go to Final Reading. If you'll please return to your desks, we will begin. Senator Wesely, would you like to return to your seat, please. Thank you. Senator Pirsch, would you like to return to your seat so we can begin Final Reading, please. Thank you. Mr. Clerk, LB 33.

CLERK: (Read LB 33 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 33 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote. See page 557 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 12 ayes, 0 nays, 7 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 33 passes. LB 34, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 34 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 34 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Read record vote. See page 558 of the Legislative Journal.) 43 ayes, 0 nays, 1 present and not voting, 5 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 34 passes. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LB 34 and LB 33. Do you have something for the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, I do. Your Committee on Transportation, whose Chair is Senator Lamb, to whom was referred LB 281, instructs me to report the same back to the Legislature with the recommendation it be advanced to General File; LB 416 General File; and LB 417 indefinitely postponed, those signed by Senator Lamb. (See page 559 of the Legislative Journal.)

And Senator Nelson has amendments to be printed to LB 357. (See

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LB 33, 35, 173, 342, 421, 516

LB 421 to General File with amendments; LB 516, General File with amendments; and LB 173 indefinitely postponed, all signed by Senator Hartnett as Chair. (See pages 562-65 of the Legislative Journal.)

Appropriations offers notice of hearings for February 10 and February 16. Signed by Senator Warner. Natural Resources offers notice of hearings for Friday, February 10. Signed by Senator Schmit.

Your Enrolling Clerk has presented to the Governor bills read on Final Reading this morning, Mr. President. (Journal page 565 shows LB 33 and LB 35 were presented to the Governor.) That's all that I have.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. Proceeding then to LB 342.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 342 was a bill introduced by the Health and Human Services Committee and signed by its members. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 11, referred to the Health Committee for hearing, advanced to General file. I do have committee amendments pending, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Committee amendments on 342, Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and members, this bill was brought to us by the Health and Human Services Committee. It comes from a working group that was formed after the end of the last session, the Medical Association, the Health Department, the osteopaths of the state, to update osteopathic law in Nebraska. Osteopaths are a medical profession that has evolved over the years to be very similar in terms of training and preparation for practice as physicians are. It is a different philosophy but they frequently go to the same medical schools and have the same background. The committee amendments which are technical in nature simply clarify the references in the bill. The bill itself deals with updating the references to osteopaths. They will now be referred to as osteopathic physicians and osteopath physicians and surgeons, depending on the circumstance. That's the sum and substance of the bill and the committee amendments are needed to clarify some drafting errors. I would ask for the adoption of the amendments.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. Any discussion on the adoption of the committee amendments? If not, those in favor of



February 8, 1989

LB 33, 34, 567  
LR 26

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Good morning, ladies and gentlemen. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. We have with us today as our Chaplain of the day, Reverend Curtis Lehman of the Berean Fundamental Church in Lincoln, Nebraska. Would you please stand for the morning prayer.

REVEREND CURTIS LEHMAN: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Pastor Lehman. We appreciate your being here this morning. Roll call, please. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Any corrections to the Journal?

CLERK: (Read corrections as found on page 642 of the Legislative Journal.) That is all that I have, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Any messages, reports, or announcements.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have two communications from the Speaker. Pursuant to his authority, he refers LB 27, I am sorry, LR 27 and LR 28 to the Reference Committee for referral to the appropriate Standing Committee for a public hearing, Mr. President.

Mr. President, communication from the Governor to the Clerk. (Read. Re: LB 33 and LB 34. See page 643 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, the last item is a report from the Education Committee. Senator Withem would report LB 567 to General File. That is signed by Senator Withem as Chair. That is all that I have, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Very good, thanks. Shall we move on to LR 26.

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 26 is a resolution offered by Senator Morrissey. It is found on page 632 of the Journal. (Read brief explanation.) The resolution, Mr. President, is found on page 632 of the Journal.