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.

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. been referred to Appropriations Committee for public hearing.

Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and 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 Senator Coordsen as Chair; from the General Affairs Committee. That is offered by Senator Smith as Chair. 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.)

Congratulations. Did you have some items for the record,
please?

ASSISTANT CLERK: Yes, I do, Mr. President. Committee on Business and Labor gives notice of public hearing on LBs 810 and 811.

The Business and Labor Committee reports LB 407 to General File with amendments, LB 419 indefinitely postponed, LB 453 indefinitely postponed, LB 679 indefinitely postponed. (See pages 986-87 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Nelson.

SENATOR NELSON: Mr. Speaker, members of the body, it's a pleasure to introduce today the doctor of the day, another fine young fellow from Grand Island. Remember last week we had Tim Sullivan. We bring them up the best. Scott Ehresman is in family practice and he is going through the same program as our Tim did, and it is a pleasure to introduce him as the doctor of the day and have him join us.

PRESIDENT: Would you please stand, Doctor, so we may see you? Thank you for taking care of us today. We'll move on to General File, LB 147.

ASSISTANT CLERK: LB 147 was introduced by Senator Chizek. (Title read.) The bill was read for the first time on January 5, was referred to the Judiciary Committee. They report the bill back to General File with no committee amendments, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator McFarland, are you going to handle this?

SENATOR McFARLAND: Yes, I am.

PRESIDENT: All right.

SENATOR McFARLAND: Thank you, Mr. President, colleagues. This is a bill that was introduced by Senator Chizek. It proposes to increase from 48 to 50 the total number of district court judges in Nebraska. The two additional district court judges will be allocated by the Judicial Resources Commission. There is not much doubt that additional personnel in the court system would help the courts better cope with things as they have come to

SPEAKER BARRETT PRESIDING

SPEAKER BARRETT: Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber for this last day in the second week of the Second Session of the 91st Legislature. In recognition of Martin Luther King Day, we have, as our Chaplain of the day, Mr. Eugene Crump, an active church leader at the Newman United Methodist Church here in Lincoln. Mr. Crump.

MR. CRUMP: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, Gene. We appreciate your being with us this morning, hope you can come back again. Roll call.

CLERK: There is a quorum present, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Any messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a series of appointment letters from the Governor that will be referred to Reference Committee for referral to the appropriate Standing Committee. Attorney General's Opinion regarding LB 419, addressed to Senator Bernard-Stevens. And I have an NRD report from the Lower Platte North, Mr. President, regarding payment of attorney fees. That's filed pursuant to statute. That's all that I have, Mr. President. (See pages 296-99 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. A reminder that the Clerk is still accepting new bills. Moving to Item 5, legislative resolutions, LR 235, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, 235, offered by Senator Warner, found on page 199 of the Journal, asks the Legislature to congratulate members and director of the Malcolm High School Marching Band for their participation in the Orange Bowl Parade.

SPEAKER BARRETT: (Gavel.) Chair recognizes Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, as indicated by the Clerk, this resolution is commending the Malcolm High School Band which participated in the Orange Bowl Parades. As is customary of so many communities that have these kinds of opportunities, it was accomplished by a variety of fund raising projects and other united community effort in order for