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LB 35, 36, 38, 79, 158, 496-536

while you bring in your bills. If you have some, please bring them up. Do you have an announcement for us?

CLERK: Mr. President, Reference Committee will meet in five minutes in Room 2102; Reference Committee in Room 2102 in five minutes.

PRESIDENT: Reference Committee, please heed the announcement just made.

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PRESIDENT: If you don't have anything to do, there is some dry edible beans up in front here, if you would like to help yourself you may. John Weihsing knows all about them, so you can ask him if you want to know how to cook them or anything. (Gavel.) Senator Weihsing.

SENATOR WEIHSING: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, this year Nebraska is number one in the production of dry edible beans. I thought that you should realize that we have a very high standing with the production in the nation.

PRESIDENT: Mr. Clerk, you have something to do.

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Agriculture, whose Chair is Senator Rod Johnson, to whom was referred LB 35, instructs me to report the same back to the Legislature with the recommendation it be advanced to General File; LB 36 and LB 38 to General File, all signed by Senator Johnson as Chair.

Mr. President, new bills. (LBs 496-536. Read for the first time by title. See pages 258-66 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, in addition to those items, I have the hearing notice from the Health and Human Service Committee. Mr. President, a Reference Report referring LBs 463 through 495.

Mr. President, Transportation Committee, whose Chair is Senator Lamb, to whom was referred LB 79, instructs me to report the same back to the Legislature with the recommendation that it be advanced to General File with committee amendments attached, and LB 158 to General File, both of those signed by Senator Lamb (See pages 268 of the Legislative Journal.)

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LB 55, 66, 165, 262, 352, 408, 451
524, 534, 601

to the chambers, the house is under call. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman, may we all check in first?

SPEAKER BARRETT: Certainly. Members, please record your presence. Senator Dierks, record your presence, please. Senator Smith. Senator Nelson, record your presence. Senator Lamb, the house is under call. Senator Peterson, please report to the Chamber. Senator Wesely. Senator Goodrich, the house is under call. Senators Hartnett and Korshoj, the house is under call. Senators Lamb and Goodrich, please report to the Chamber. Senator Chambers, apparently Senator Lamb is the only one available. Shall we proceed? Thank you. All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 165 become law? Those in favor of that motion vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See pages 777-78 of the Legislative Journal.) 26 ayes, 15 nays, 1 present and not voting, 7 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 165 passes. The call is raised. Thank you again for your cooperation. The Chair is pleased to announce that Senator Robak has 14 eighth graders from District 24 in Platte Center in the north balcony with their teacher. Would you people please stand and be recognized. Thank you. We're glad to have you with us. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and I do sign engrossed LB 165. Mr. Clerk, for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, items for the record. Senator Labeledz would move to withdraw LB 365. Senator Barrett has amendments to be printed to LB 408.

Mr. President, Government Committee reports LB 66 to General File; LB 55 to General File with amendments; LB 262, General File with amendments; LB 352, General File with amendments; LB 534 to General File with amendments; LB 601, General File with amendments, and LB 524 as indefinitely postponed; those are signed by Senator Baack.

Urban Affairs Committee reports LB 451 to General File with amendments. That is signed by Senator Hartnett as Chair. (See pages 778-84 of the Legislative Journal.)

these dollars out of LB 524? What would the figures be there?

SENATOR ASHFORD: Forty-five thousand off of 9 million, is that what you're talking about?

SENATOR WITHEM: Eight million, nine hundred seventy thousand dollars, is that what you're saying?

SENATOR ASHFORD: Well, if that's what it is, that's fine.

SENATOR WITHEM: Yeah. Yeah, thank you, Senator Ashford. Obviously if she takes the veto, vetoes the \$30,000 that's in this out of state aid to education it's not even going to be a pimple on that bill. That's a ridiculous argument. Again, I guess I come back, this is the Legislature's need to keep its promise. Last year we passed 940 and we told those counties, it's not my county by the way. This is not dollars that I will get. My county has one Class I school district and the plan on what to do with that is, you know, it's fairly clear I think in everybody's mind and we don't need to go through one of these. It's not my county where it will make a difference, it's Saunders County and Holt County and the area up in Senator Lamb's district that needs these dollars. We made a promise last year that we would provide technical assistance to these counties. We need a little more dollars to do that. I'd urge you to support the override.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. The question is, shall this portion of LB 813 be overridden? All those in favor of the override vote aye, opposed nay. Please vote if you care to. Senator Withem.

SENATOR WITHEM: If it's your preference, Mr. President, to move things along I would ask for a call of the house and accept call in votes.

PRESIDENT: The question is, shall the house go under call? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 23 ayes, 0 nays to go under call, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The house is under call. Please record your presence. Please return to your seats to start with and record your presence. We're looking for Senator Landis, Senator Moore, Senator Lamb, Senator Haberman, Senator Chambers, Senator