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LB 46, 145, 157, 231A, 231, 237, 361
379, 418, 651A, 678
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ASSISTANT CLERK: (Record vote read. See pages 1515-16 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 35 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, 11 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 379 passes. LB 418, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 418 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 418 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Record vote read. See pages 1516-17 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 36 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, 10 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 418 passes. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LB 418, LB 379, LB 237, LB 231A, LB 231, LB 145, LB 46, LB 157 and LB 418. We'll move on to Select File and going to jump over LB 279 and take up LB 361.

CLERK: Mr. President, if I might right before that, new resolution, LR 72 by Senator Haberman. (Read brief description of resolution. See pages 1517-18 of the Legislative Journal.) That will be referred to the Executive Board. Senator Haberman has amendments to LB 678. New A bill, LB 651A by Senator Hall. (Read by title for the first time. See page 1518 of the Legislative Journal.) Yes, sir.

PRESIDENT: Okay, we'll move on to LB 361, please. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, 361 is on Select File. The first order of business...Mr. President, I have E & R amendments first of all.

PRESIDENT: Senator Rod Johnson, please.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Yes, I would move that the E & R amendments be adopted.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. They are adopted. Anything else on it, Mr. Clerk?

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LB 247A, 603, 651A

Withem motion to advance the A bill vote aye, opposed nay.
Record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of
LB 247A.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The bill does advance. LB 651A.

CLERK: Mr. President, 651A offered by Senator Hall. (Read
title.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President, it's the A bill for 651A...651. I
would move the advancement.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Discussion? If not, shall LB 651A be advanced
to E & R? All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of
651A.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The bill is advanced. LB 325, Mr. Clerk.
I'm sorry, my apologies. LB 603.

CLERK: Mr. President, 603 was a bill that was introduced by
Senator Hartnett and a number of the members. (Read title.)
The bill was introduced on January 19, referred to Judiciary,
advanced to General File. I have committee amendments pending
by the Judiciary Committee, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Chairman Chizek, please.

SENATOR CHIZEK: Mr. Speaker, your apology is accepted.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you sir.

SENATOR CHIZEK: LB 603 allows the State Foster Care Review
Board standing in a party in certain juvenile proceedings.
Senator Hartnett will get into the mechanics of the bill
shortly. The amendments, however, begin on page 1157 of the
Journal and they were offered by the introducer as a result of
some of the testimony at the hearing. They are in two groups,
the committee amendments. The first group contains the more
technical amendments. They clarify the intent of 603 regarding

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this go on about the possibility down the road of some kind of discussion down the line of the two entities, namely, the local monitoring committee and DEC, under its rules and regs, getting into a dispute over was the money properly expended, and maybe we need a better agreement right up front on how that process is going to work. We are about out of time and we may want to come back to that. That is the question I want to raise and I think we have got, at least, some intent here into the record, and I would not want to see this unnecessarily tie the hands of a local monitoring committee that might have legitimate reasons to wish for more data or a different analysis of data. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Time has expired. Any other discussion? Any closing, Senator Schmit?

SENATOR SCHMIT: I have no closing, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. The question is the adoption of the Schmit amendment, AM1403. Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Schmit's amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The amendment is adopted. Mr. Clerk, for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a reference report referring certain gubernatorial appointees to the appropriate Standing Committee for confirmation hearing. I have a series of appointment letters from the Governor. Those will be referred to the Reference Committee, Mr. President.

Enrollment and Review reports LB 182 to Select File, LB 325 Select File, LB 247A, LB 651A, LB 603, LB 603A, all to Select File. Enrollment and Review reports LR 2 as correctly engrossed, Mr. President. A series of amendments to be printed, Senator Coordsen to LB 89; Senator Lynch to LB 89, Senator Lynch to LB 89A; Senator Lamb to LB 84 and LB 84A. (See pages 1726-33 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, the next amendment I have is by Senator Schmit. Senator, I have AM1417 in front of me. (See page 1733 of the Legislative Journal.)

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SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. The question before us is the bracketing until LB 739 is read. Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record. Record vote has been requested.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 2494 in the Legislative Journal.) 15 ayes, 27 nays, Mr. President, on the bracket motion.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Motion fails. Items for the record, please.

CLERK: Very quickly, Mr. President, LB 429, read earlier on Final Reading this evening has been presented to the Governor. I have amendments to be printed on LB 187A, to LB 525, and to LB 651 and LB 651A. (See pages 2494-97 of the Legislative Journal.) That's all that I have, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Next item, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: I have nothing further at this time, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Back to the bill. Members take your seats. Senator Hannibal.

SENATOR HANNIBAL: I move we adjourn until eight o'clock tomorrow morning.

SPEAKER BARRETT: You've heard the motion offered by Senator Hannibal to adjourn until eight o'clock. Request for machine vote. All in favor of the motion to adjourn, please vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.

CLERK: 11 ayes, 25 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to adjourn.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Motion fails. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a bracket motion by Senator Hannibal until Friday, May 19, until 1:30 p.m.

SENATOR LAMB: Mr. President, was that motion up there before?

CLERK: Senator, it was.

SENATOR HANNIBAL: I heard there was nothing else on the bill,

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think it has been described as a reasonable compromise but I do, again, want to indicate that to make it work so that no institutions receive less, the A bill needs to be increased by 250,000.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The question is, then, the adoption of the amendment offered by Senators Hall, Withem and Warner to LB 651. Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Voting on the advancement of 651. I am sorry, the amendment to 651. Please vote if you would care to vote. Please vote if you would care to vote. Record, please.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 5 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The amendment is adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President, I would move that LB 651 be advanced to E & R for Engrossing.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any discussion? If not, those in favor say aye. Opposed no. The ayes have it. The motion carried. The bill is advanced. The A bill.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 651A, I have no E & R. I do have an amendment to the bill from Senators Hall, Withem and Warner. The amendment is on page 2496 of the Journal, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President, this is the amendment that Senator Warner alluded to to the A bill that would increase it by the \$250,000 figure so that the distribution formula that would be put in place by the amendment that was just adopted to 651 would not have any detrimental effect on any of the public institutions that were receiving SSIG monies under the old formula. I would urge the adoption and yield any time to Senator Warner.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any discussion? Senator Warner, please.

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SENATOR WARNER: Again, Mr. President, thank you, Senator Hall, if you look on those handout sheets, the second one says two programs without 250,000 and you will see that all of the public sectors would lose or that is they would be receiving less than they currently are. So this is what is necessary to at least hold them harmless.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Anything further? Those in favor of adoption of the amendment to LB 651A please say aye, opposed no. I am sorry, on the amendment, yes, the Hall amendment. Those in favor say aye. Machine vote. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 1 nay, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The amendment is adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 651A as amended be advanced to E & R for Engrossing.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Shall 651A be advanced? All in favor say aye. Opposed no. Carried. It is advanced. LB 289.

CLERK: Mr. President, on 289, the first order of business are adoption of Enrollment and Review amendments.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move the adoption of the E & R amendments to LB 289.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Shall the E & R amendments be adopted? All in favor say aye. Opposed no. Carried. They are adopted.

CLERK: Mr. President, I now have an amendment from Senator Schmit. Senator, I have AM1757 in front of me.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Schmit. While waiting, I am pleased to advise that Senator Moore has a guest under our south balcony, Shirleen Hoffman from Bradshaw. Shirleen, would you

to be printed to LB 651A. (See pages 2531-32 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, LB 588 is on Select File. The bill has been discussed on Select File, Mr. President, as of May 10. There were amendments offered by Senator Withem that were adopted. Mr. President, the amendment currently pending is by Senator Labedz. Senator, this is your amendment that is found on page 2228 of the Journal. That's the amendment I have pending, Senator.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Labedz.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Thank you, Mr. President. As the Clerk mentioned the amendment is on page 2228 and it leaves the number of commissioners at seven, but changes the bill as it now stands so the commissioners are nominated by district and elected at large. As you know from the debate a week or so ago I preferred the commissioners to remain at five because of the expense and the fact that five commissioners is more than adequate for Douglas County. But in the meantime I have talked to many senators that say that we should leave it at seven, and the support, the election or the nomination by district and then the election at large. I believe that it's very important, though, that we do elect the commissioners at large. And I'm not going to go into the debate that we had before, when I mentioned over and over again that many of the people I talked to in Douglas County feel that they would like all seven county commissioners, if that's what it is going to be, to be accountable to them in the general election. Senator Chambers seems to think that a strict district election is better representation, but that means out of the seven district or county commissioners there would be only one commissioner that would be accountable to that district and six others would be against something and there would not be a complete representation of Douglas County if we had district elections in the general election. I think this is a compromise proposal, and I am urging Senator Chambers to agree with this amendment so we can go on with other bills other than LB 588. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Discussion on the amendment, Senator Chambers, followed by Senator Korshoj.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, there will be a number of amendments on this bill. And most of

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please record your presence.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And I'll accept call ins.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Call ins are accepted. Senator Labedz.

SENATOR LABEDZ: I request a roll call vote.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Roll call vote has been requested. Please record your presence. Check in, please. Senator Moore. Senator Nelson, please. Senator Goodrich. Senator Bernard-Stevens, for what purpose?

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: I would just like to request reverse order.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Reverse order has been requested. Senator Schmit. Thank you. On the motion to advance the bill. Mr. Clerk, roll call in reverse order.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 2535 of the Legislative Journal.) 25 ayes, 17 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Motion prevails, the bill is advanced. The call is raised. Anything for the record?

CLERK: Mr. President, amendments to be printed by Senator Schmit to LB 289A; and Senator Warner to LB 651A; Senator Landis to LB 272A. That's all that I have, Mr. President. (See pages 2536-42 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: Mr. Clerk, let's move back to the issue of LB 228, I believe it was, the bill that is to be returned from the Governor's office.

CLERK: LB 228 has been returned from the Governor's office pursuant to action by the Legislature. I now have a motion, Mr. President, to reconsider the Final Reading vote on LB 228. That motion is offered by Senator McFarland. Senator McFarland is excused, however.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Withem, would you please handle it.

SENATOR WITHEM: Yes, again I'd be happy to. A few moments ago

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Teachers buy books. Teachers buy supplies for kids that don't have them. They take money right out of their own pockets and give it to kids. And so it's...I guess that's one of the reasons why I feel very strongly about giving the money directly to teachers. Senator Warner's remarks struck a chord with me and reminded me of all the contributions that I know that individual teachers make to kids. And so I would urge us to get on with it. Let's pass this bill. It's time we did something for teachers.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Schellpeper.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: I will give my time to Senator Moore.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE: Yes, Mr. Speaker. just to say I guess it's time to withdraw this. I apologize to the...to the original supporters of this bill, at least, because I think some of them wanted to read it tonight and because if my amendment was adopted, they couldn't, but I think it makes it a better bill, obviously, a bill that I can now support and I think there has been some fights among some varying entities on this bill. I think now we've got a bill that really does help education in the state. And, with that, I withdraw the amendment. The last things I will say on LB...the last things that all of us will say on LB 89 and come Monday we'll pass the bill over to the Governor.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. It is withdrawn. Anything further, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Nothing further on that bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Yes, for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, amendments to be printed, Senator Scofield to LB 761A; Senator Chizek to LB 279. (See pages 2546-47 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports they have carefully examined and engrossed LB 137, LB 137A, LB 211, LB 215, LB 228, LB 289, LB 289A, LB 352, LB 639, LB 651, LB 651A, LB 761A, LB 762A, LB 815A and LB 817A, Mr. President. (See pages 2548-50 of the Legislative

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SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President and members, I've already explained the amendment. I move for the adoption of the amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Is there discussion? Seeing none, those in favor of the adoption of the amendment please vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.

CLERK: 32 ayes, no nays, on adoption of Senator Schmit's amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The amendment is adopted. Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, I move that the bill be readvanced to E & R Engrossing.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. The motion is to readvance the bill. All in favor say aye. Opposed no. Ayes have it. Motion carried. The bill is readvanced. To LB 651A.

CLERK: Mr. President, the LB 651A, the motion I have, Senator Warner, you had one printed, Senator. I understand you want to withdraw that one.

SENATOR WARNER: Correct.

SPEAKER BARRETT: It's withdrawn.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Warner would move to return the bill. (The Warner amendment, AM1945, appears on page 2537 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I move adoption of the amendment that I thought was also printed, but, in any event, either motion was for the purpose of adding the E...the emergency clause which was inadvertently left off of the amendment. This is the bill that deals with the distribution of student scholarship aid and without the emergency clause attached to the bill, why, there would be some problems in disbursing the funds for scholarships because the money would not be available till August 24, so the bill is just to move it back to do it. The difference between the two is the first one was a...one on the sheet up there, just add the emergency clause, and the second one was drafted by E & R so it's correct as to form, and that's

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what was substituted. So I would move the bill to be returned.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Discussion on the motion to return? If not, those in favor of the adoption of the motion vote aye, opposed nay. Record.

CLERK: 34 ayes, no nays, Mr. President, on the motion to return the bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Motion adopted. The bill is returned. Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Move the amendment be adopted.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any discussion? If not, the question is the adoption of AM1945 on page 2537. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.

CLERK: 29 ayes, no nays, Mr. President, on the motion to adopt the amendment.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The amendment is adopted. Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I move the bill be readvanced.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The question is the readvancement of the bill. Those in favor say aye. Opposed no. Ayes have it. The motion carried. The bill is readvanced. To LB 761A, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Legislative Bill 761A has a motion. Senator Scofield would move to return the bill for a specific amendment. (The Scofield amendment, AM1946, appears on page 2546 of the Legislative Journal.) Senator, I have a note that you want to withdraw and substitute, is that right?

SENATOR SCOFIELD: Mr. Clerk, I'd ask unanimous consent to substitute 1961 for that amendment. (The Scofield amendment, AM1961, appears on pages 2602-03 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any objections? So ordered. Senator Scofield.

SENATOR SCOFIELD: Thank you. Mr. President and members, you will recall when this came up the other day, and I apologize for not catching this bill on Select. It just went zipping on by

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question is the striking of the enacting clause. Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record.

CLERK: 35 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, to strike the enacting clause.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Motion is adopted. The amendment is adopted. The enacting clause is stricken.

CLERK: Mr. President, if I may, your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports that they have carefully examined and engrossed Legislative Bill 177 and fine the same correctly engrossed LB 187A, LB 279, LB 289A, LB 362, LB 362A, LB 651A, and LB 781, all signed by Senator Lindsay as Chair.

Mr. President, the Enrollment Clerk has presented to the Governor LB 285 and LB 285A read earlier this evening on Final Reading.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have one final item. I have a unanimous consent request to unbracket LB 209, which has been pending on Final Reading.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. If there are no objections, so ordered. I have just been advised that E & R, the Bill Drafters, have done an amazingly good job and they are to be congratulated. They've been working hard on all of the bills. They've been processed and have been returned to the floor in order that adjournment might be possible should it be the will of the body. With that announcement, we can proceed into Final Reading now if that is the body's desire. We can adjourn until Monday morning at nine o'clock. Monday will be dedicated to Final Reading in its entirety, Final Reading all day. I think we need to say thank you to the Bill Drafters for the work that they have done. It is up to the body. Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President, I would move that we adjourn until Monday morning at 9:00 a.m..

SPEAKER BARRETT: You've heard the motion to adjourn until Monday morning at nine o'clock. Those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please. Members take your seats for Final Reading. Motion fails. (See vote of 7 ayes, 31 nays, as found

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of the Legislative Journal.) Vote is 26 ayes, 17 nays, 6 present and not voting, none excused, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 588 passes. LB 651 with the emergency clause attached.

ASSOSTAMT CLERK: (Read LB 651 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 651 pass with the emergency clause attached? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Record vote read as found on pages 2711-12 of the Legislative Journal.) Vote is 49 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 651 passes with the emergency clause attached. May I introduce some guests, please, in the north balcony? Senator Morrissey has 45 third and fourth grade students from the Johnson-Brock School at Johnson and their teachers. Would you folks please stand and be recognized by the Legislature, students and teachers both? Thank you for visiting us today. Senator Wehrbein has a couple of guests in the north balcony, Laura Cutter, Laurie and Connie and Melissa of Nebraska City. Would you folks please stand and be welcome. And thank you for visiting us today. LB 651A with the emergency clause attached.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 651A on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 651A pass with the emergency clause attached? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Record vote read as found on pages 2712-13 of the Legislative Journal.) Vote is 48 ayes, 0 nays, 1 present and not voting.

PRESIDENT: LB 651A passes with the emergency clause attached. LB 695, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 695 on Final Reading.)

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PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 695 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted at least once? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Record vote read as found on page 2713 of the Legislative Journal.) Vote is 46 ayes, 1 nay, 2 present and voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 695 passes. LB 706 with the emergency clause attached.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 706 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 706 pass with the emergency clause attached? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Record vote read as found on page 2714 of the Legislative Journal.) Vote is 46 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 706 passes with the emergency clause attached. Senator Robak has some visitors in the north balcony. I believe they're just leaving. Have 19 eighth grade students from Holy Name School at Lindsay, Nebraska, and their teacher. Wave to us so that we can recognize you folks. Thank you for visiting us today. LB 781 with the emergency clause attached.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 781 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 781 pass with the emergency clause attached? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Record vote read as found on page 2715 of the Legislative Journal.) 44 ayes, 3 nays, 2 present not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 781 passes with the emergency clause attached. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LB 525, LB 566, LB 588, LB 651, LB 651A, LB 695, LB 706, LB 781. Mr. Clerk.

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PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. We have with us on our closing day as our Chaplain, Reverend Harland Johnson. Would you please rise for the invocation.

REVEREND HARLAND JOHNSON: (Prayer offered.)

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

PRESIDENT: Do we have any corrections this morning?

CLERK: Mr. President, one small correction. (Read correction found on page 2719 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Okay, do you have any messages, reports, or announcements today?

CLERK: Mr. President, I do. I have a series of communications from the Governor. First of all, Mr. President, the last few bills read on Final Reading yesterday afternoon have been presented to the Governor as of 2:48 p.m., yesterday. (Re: LB 525, LB 566, LB 588, LB 651, LB 651A, LB 695, LB 706, LB 781. See page 2720 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, a series of communications from the Governor. (Read. Re: LB 228A.) A second communication to the Clerk. (Read. Re: LB 134, LB 158, LB 158A, LB 175, LB 175A, LB 182, LB 182A, LB 198.) A third communication. (Read. Re: LB 95, LB 261, LB 261A, LB 280, LB 283, LB 303, LB 303A, LB 312, LB 312A.) A fourth communication, Mr. President, to Mr. President, and Senators. (Read. Re: LB 183, LB 183A.) A fourth, Mr. President, to the Clerk. (Read. Re: LB 132, LB 285, LB 285A, LB 302, LB 305, LB 309, LB 309A, LB 310, LB 335, LB 335A, LB 340, LB 340A, LB 469, LB 727, LB 816, LB 816A.) The last letter I have received, Mr. President, with respect to signing of bills. (Read. Re: LB 228. See pages 2720-22 of the Legislative Journal.)