

January 19, 1989

LB 94, 247, 570, 576, 683-808

as yet, please contact Joanne immediately. If you don't have the bill that you are expecting, please contact the Bill Drafters Office immediately. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, for the record, I have received a reference report referring LBs 496-599 including resolutions 8-12, all of which are constitutional amendments.

Mr. President, your Committee on Banking, Commerce and Insurance to whom we referred LB 94 instructs me to report the same back to the Legislature with the recommendation that it be advanced to General File with amendments attached. (See pages 320-21 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, I have hearing notices from the Judiciary Committee signed by Senator Chizek as Chair, and a second hearing notice from Judiciary as well as a third hearing notice from Judiciary, all signed by Senator Chizek.

Mr. President, new bills. (Read LBs 683-726 by title for the first time. See pages 321-30 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, a request to add names, Senator Korshoj to LB 570, Senator Smith to LB 576, Senator Baack to 570 and Senator Barrett to LB 247.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Stand at ease.

EASE

SPEAKER BARRETT: More bills, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Thank you, Mr. President. (Read LBs 727-776 by title for the first time. See pages 331-42 of the Legislative Journal.)

EASE

SPEAKER BARRETT: More bill introductions.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Thank you, Mr. President. (Read LBs 777-808 by title for the first time. See pages 343-50 of the Legislative Journal.)

CLERK: Mr. President, I have reports. Your Committee on

February 9, 1989

LB 37, 48, 57, 58, 70, 77, 94
97, 115, 120, 126, 133, 142, 156
209, 229, 230, 233, 251, 255, 256
295, 311, 350, 521, 597, 598, 692
703, 777, 780

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 209 as amended be advanced.

PRESIDENT: You have heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. May I introduce a guest, please, of Senator Hefner. We have Mr. Art Anderson of Bloomfield, Nebraska. Would you please stand, Mr. Anderson. Thank you. Mr. Clerk, anything for the record?

CLERK: Yes, Mr. President, thank you. Your Committee on Appropriations gives notice of hearing for March 7...I'm sorry, for February 24. That's signed by Senator Warner. A location change for Appropriations hearings on March 1, also offered by Senator Warner.

Mr. President, General Affairs Committee offers LB 703 to General File; LB 777 to General File; LB 780 to General File. Those are signed by Senator Smith as Chair of the Committee.

Agriculture Committee reports LB 37 to General File with amendments; LB 120 to General File with amendments. Those are signed by Senator Johnson as Chair. (See pages 678-79 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, your Committee on Banking, Commerce and Insurance whose Chair is Senator Landis reports LB 77 to General File with amendments; LB 311, General File with amendments; LB 350, General File with amendments; LB 598, General File with amendments; LB 692, General File with amendments, and LB 597, General File with amendments. Those are signed by Senator Landis as Chair. (See pages 679-82 of the Legislative Journal.)

Your Enrolling Clerk has presented to the Governor bills read on Final Reading this morning as of 11:30 a.m. (Re: LB 57, LB 94, LB 97, LB 126, LB 133, LB 229, LB 230, LB 233, LB 251, LB 255, LB 295, LB 58, LB 70, LB 115, LB 142, LB 156, and LB 256.)

Mr. President, Senator Moore would like to print amendments to LB 48. (See page 682 of the Legislative Journal.)

And, Mr. President, Senator Weihing would like to add his name to LB 521 as co-introducer. That's all that I have, Mr. President.

March 13, 1989

LB 95, 140, 257, 280, 289, 311, 330
336, 387, 395, 438, 444, 478, 561
588, 603, 606, 643, 683, 705, 710
721, 736, 739, 744, 761, 762, 767
769, 780, 807

indefinitely postponed; LB 478, indefinitely postponed; LB 561, indefinitely postponed; LB 387, indefinitely postponed, all those signed by Senator Chizek as Chair of the Judiciary Committee. (See pages 1081-82 of the Legislative Journal. Journal page 1082 shows LB 721 as indefinitely postponed.)

Mr. President, a series of priority bill designations. Senator Hall would like to designate LB 762 as a committee priority. Senator Hartnett designates LB 95 and LB 444 as Urban Affairs priority bills. Senator Hartnett chooses LB 603 as his personal priority bill. LB 739 has been selected by Senator Hannibal; LB 606 by Senator Schimek; LB 761 and LB 289 by the Natural Resources Committee, and LB 807 by Senator Schmit, personally. LB 769 by Senator Labedz; LB 705 by Senator Ashford; LB 438 by Senator Wehrbein; LB 710 by Senator Scofield; LB 643 by Senator Bernard-Stevens; LB 588 by Senator Chambers; LB 739 by Senator Hannibal; LB 330 by Senator Pirsch; LB 767 by Senator Smith; LB 736 and LB 780 by General Affairs Committee; LB 395 by Senator Peterson. Senator Lamb selected Transportation Committee's LB 280 as a priority bill. LB 311 has been selected by Senator Landis as his personal priority bill; LB 683 by Senator Schellpeper.

Mr. President, I have a series of amendments to be printed. LB 744 by Senator Withem; LB 336 and LB 257, those by Senator Withem. (See pages 1083-88 of the Legislative Journal.)

I have an Attorney General's Opinion addressed to Senator Haberman regarding an issue raised by Senator Haberman. (See pages 1088-90 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, Natural Resources Committee will have an Executive Session at eleven-fifteen in the senate lounge, and the Banking Committee will have an Executive Session at eleven o'clock in the senate lounge. Banking at eleven o'clock, Natural Resources at eleven-fifteen. That's all that I have, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Proceeding then to Select File, LB 140.

CLERK: Mr. President, 140 is on Select File. Mr. President, the bill has been considered on Select File. On March 2nd the Enrollment and Review amendments were adopted. There was an amendment to the bill by Senator Chizek that was adopted.

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LB 335, 379, 437, 780

SENATOR ROGERS: Mr. President, body, I think we've had plenty of debate on this bill. I think everyone stands at ease now that they know what it means, what it will do for small towns, small communities out in rural Nebraska. I don't think that there is any need to explain it anymore. I just ask for the advancement of the bill.

SENATOR LAMB: Debate is ceased. The motion is to advance LB 335. All those in support vote aye, those opposed no. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 40 ayes, 1 nay, Mr. President, on the motion to advance LB 335.

SENATOR LAMB: LB 335 has been advanced. Anything on the desk, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, I have amendments to be printed from Senator Smith to LB 780. and Senator Hartnett to LB 437. Attorneys General Opinion addressed to Senator Hartnett (re. LB 379) and an explanation of vote from Senator Kristensen. That's all that I have, Mr. President. (See pages 1370-73 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR LAMB: Senator Hannibal, would you care to recess us over the lunch hour?

SENATOR HANNIBAL: I will, Mr. Speaker, Mr. Chairman. I would move we recess until one-thirty.

SENATOR LAMB: All those in favor say aye. We are recessed.

RECESS

SPEAKER BARRETT PRESIDING

SPEAKER BARRETT: Roll call.

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

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any announcements?

CLERK: Nothing at this time, Mr. President.

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LB 89, 780

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Lynch is willing to lay the bill over, so be it. Mr. Clerk, moving to item 10 on the agenda, LB 780.

CLERK: Mr. President, 780 is on General File. It was a bill introduced by the General Affairs Committee and signed by its members. (Title read.) The bill was introduced on January 19, referred to the General Affairs Committee. The bill was advanced to General File.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Madam Chair, Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, members of the body, LB 780 is a bill that was brought to General Affairs Committee by the Liquor Control Commission and, basically, all it is, is just technical changes in the Liquor Control Act and statutes proposed by that commission. It removes such things as an obsolete loyalty oath, a requirement that shippers obtain a surety bond because all retailers were removed last year; removes obsolete language relating to revenue stamps that are no longer even being required; changes the word "secretary" to "executive director" in commission statutes and removes the formula by which beer must be made from law and removes other obsolete references such as that. There are not any substantive changes that will be made in the law based on these changes in this bill. We ask the support of the bill. If there are questions, I will try to answer them. Thank you.

CLERK: Senator, you had an amendment that I understand you would like to withdraw?

SENATOR SMITH: We would like to have that drawn, or pulled.

SPEAKER BARRETT: It is withdrawn.

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

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any discussion on the advancement of LB 780? Any questions, any discussion? Senator Smith, any closing statement?

SENATOR SMITH: We would just ask for the body to support the moving of the bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Those in favor of the advancement

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of LB 780 to E & R Initial please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, please.

CLERK: 30 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 780.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 780 is advanced. LB 95.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 95 was a bill introduced by Senator Landis. (Title read.) The bill was introduced on January 5, referred to the Urban Affairs Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. I have committee amendments pending by the Urban Affairs Committee, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Hartnett.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Mr. Speaker and members of the body, this came up faster than I thought it was. I'm having a handout passed out, but the committee amendments really become the bill and so I'll just, if I can wait, is that they...what the bill did, its original purpose had brought to the Urban Affairs Committee by Senator Landis and it was voted out of committee, with all the people who were there when we've had Exec Session, unanimously. That it...it's to (inaudible) construction of an intra, intrastate, within the state natural gas pipeline to serve Nebraska's only primary class city which is Lincoln. It relates only to Lincoln. It provides the regulation of that pipeline by the City of Lincoln and it follows what we did a few years ago, or last year, with LB 663, and what the amendments do, there is a couple of things. It allows the...place a regulation by the city into the Municipal Natural Gas Regulation Act and provides a framework for the regulation and the manner in which savings are passed onto customers and monitor. This process would become part of the regulatory system adopted by the Legislature in LB 663 two years ago. In response to a question raised at the public hearing on the bill, it seeks to clarify the intent of the Legislature that natural gas regulations is not within the authority or jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission. It is historically within this state natural gas regulation has been the prominence of cities and this simply spells this out again that the City of Lincoln will control this. The amendment was a product of a series of negotiation between the Urban Affairs Committee and staff of Senator Landis's office and members of the natural gas industry, and I think that is an explanation on the amendment. The

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SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Wesely, would you care to close on your challenge?

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you. Senator Rogers, we have not discussed this amendment whatsoever. I did make a motion to amend a bill, and pull a bill out of committee, and I have withdrawn those with the intent of trying to...actually I was going to try and amend Senator McFarland's bill when it was on Select File so it wouldn't give you a problem with your piece of legislation. But, unfortunately, his bill didn't proceed and yours did. I'm not...I think it's a legitimate issue and it does cover both the act. It is a different purpose, but why can't we understand that there is a melting of these issues. If we're, on the one hand, trying to expand the credits and increase the credits, isn't it fair to ask that we can't consider, at least consider an amendment to increase the accountability and disclosure of those credits? I think it all ties in together, and I would ask your support to overrule the germaneness ruling of the Chair.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. The question is, shall the Chair be overruled? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. A majority of those present required to overrule. In this case the magic number is 21. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 8 ayes, 15 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to overrule the Chair.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Motion fails.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Wesely would move to suspend the germaneness rule so as to permit consideration of AM1209.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Hall, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President, I move that this body adjourn...recess until one-thirty this afternoon.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Anything to read in, Mr. Clerk, before taking action?

CLERK: Mr. President, I do. Senator Hall has amendments to be printed to LB 780; Senator Lindsay to LB 566. New A bill,

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SPEAKER BARRETT: I, again, would recommend we recess after reading in some matters.

PRESIDENT: All right. Mr. Clerk, matters for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, Attorney General's Opinion addressed to Senator Dierks, and one to Senator Schmit. Enrollment and Review reports LB 780 to Select File with E & R; LB 95, Select File with E & R; LB 762, Select File with E & R; LB 280, Select File with E & R; LB 444, Select File with E & R; LB 162, Select File; LB 162A, Select File. (See pages 1580-83 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, the last item is a request to have Senators Scofield, Peterson, Elmer and Schellpeper add their name to LB 325 as co-introducers. That's all that I have, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Korshoj, would you like to recess us until one-thirty, please.

SENATOR KORSHOJ: Mr. President, I move we recess until one-thirty this afternoon.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. We are recessed until one-thirty. Thank you.

RECESS

SPEAKER BARRETT PRESIDING

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

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. At 1:37 p.m., 32 members present. Congratulations. Senator Korshoj, we will look to you for a blow-by-blow momentarily. Mr. Clerk, may we proceed to a continued discussion of LB 247. Will you bring us up to speed?

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have to LB 247 is by Senator Moore.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Is anyone authorized to handle the amendment? Senator Moore, please, would you report to the Chamber to

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the advancement of the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to advance the bill, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced. Move on to Select File, LB 780.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, the first item is E & R amendments.

PRESIDENT: Senator Moore, please.

SENATOR MOORE: I move we adopt the E & R amendments to LB 780.

PRESIDENT: You have heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed no. They are adopted.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment is from Senator Hall. It's found on page 1482 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hall, please.

SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Mr. President, and members, the amendment that I'm offering to the bill is a bill that I brought in to the General Affairs Committee. It was advanced out unanimously. It was put on consent calendar and then was pulled off consent calendar for the third year in a row. It is clearly an issue that is one of substantive nature. I am not going to try to deny that from the committee. It deals with the issue of Sunday liquor. I would urge the adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hartnett, please. Did you want to close, Senator Hall? The question is the adoption of the Hall amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please. Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President, I would ask for a call of the house and a roll call vote.

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

ASSISTANT CLERK: 13 ayes, 0 nays to go under call, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The house is under call. Will you please record your presence. Those not in the Chamber, please return to the Chamber. Please return to your seats and record your presence. Senator Ashford, will you record your presence, please. Thank you. Senator Landis, would you record your presence. Senator Hall. Senator McFarland. Senator Hall, will you record your presence, please. Thank you. Senator Barrett, Senator Bernard-Stevens. Senator Rod Johnson. Senator Scofield, would you push Senator Bernard-Stevens' button, please. Thank you. Senator Schmit, Senator Robak, Senator Chambers. Thank you. We're looking for Senator Robak and Senator Schmit. We're looking for Senator Robak, and here she is. The question is the adoption of the Hall amendment. Roll call vote has been requested. Please return to your seats so we may begin the roll call. And please hold the conversation down so we can hear the Clerk. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Roll call vote read. See Page 2306 of the Legislative Journal.) 20 ayes, 15 nays, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The motion fails. The call is raised. May I introduce some guests, please. In the north balcony, Senator Lowell Johnson has 25 seventh graders from Fremont, Nebraska and their teacher. Would you folks please stand and be recognized by your Legislature. Thank you for visiting us today. Mr. Clerk, anything else on the bill? The call is raised.

CLERK: Mr. President, I now have an amendment by Senator Smith. (The Smith amendment appears on pages 2307-09 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Hartnett, are you going to handle that? Okay.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Yes, I'm going to take it. This is really a technical change in the bill and it simply deals with mailing. Currently, when a local governing body makes a recommendation concerning an application for liquor licenses, the county or city clerk must mail that recommendation to the Liquor Commission before the commission holds a hearing; currently, within 35 days. Under statute, however, a city is not able to officially deliver the recommendation any way but through the

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mail. Statutes do not allow the city clerk to deliver it in person, for instance. This amendment would clarify that local governing bodies must either mail or otherwise deliver the recommendation within the statutory time limit. Therefore, delivery in person would now be statutorily allowed. So it just allows some options for the city. With that, I would ask for this amendment to be attached to the bill.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Any further discussion? If not, the question is the adoption of the Smith amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. President (sic), please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: The amendment is adopted. May I introduce some guests that have just come in. In the north balcony there are guests of Senator Dierks and there are 38 eighth graders from Holt County Schools, O'Neil, Nebraska and their teachers. Will you folks please stand, students, instructors, friends, so we may welcome you. And thank you for visiting us today. Mr. Clerk, do you have anything further on the bill?

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

PRESIDENT: On the advancement of the bill, Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE: I move we advance LB 780 to E & R for Engrossing.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? The question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor vote aye...say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. LB 95.

CLERK: Mr. President, on LB 95, I have E & R amendments, first of all.

PRESIDENT: Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: I move the E & R amendments be adopted.

PRESIDENT: You have heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. They are adopted.

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I have a Reference Report referring gubernatorial appointees. Enrollment and Review reports LB 95, LB 280, LB 444, LB 640, LB 762, LB 767, LB 767A, LB 780, all are reported correctly engrossed. Enrollment and Review further reports LB 258 and LB 289A to Select File, Mr. President. (See pages 2364-69 of the Legislative Journal.)

The next amendment, Mr. President, is by Senator Kristensen. Senator, I have amendment number 1723, AM1723, Senator.

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Senator Kristensen, please.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Mr. President. Mr. Clerk, is that the one that is printed on page 2149?

CLERK: Yes, sir.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Thank you. Mr. President and members of the body, I almost shudder to say this but I think this might be one of the amendments to this bill that shouldn't receive a whole lot of controversy. What it is, and it deals with two things in specifics, most of you have probably been contacted by constituents of Senator Morrissey, myself, or Senator Dierks. You have probably seen people with their frustration levels at their highest, not only on the floor, but in the halls, and certainly within the communities that have been picked as potential host sites for this facility. One of the common themes, at least when I go out and do town hall meetings in those areas, is that there is a lot of tensions, a lot of scared people, a lot of people that have some grave concerns about the future of not only just their own personal lives and their farms and their communities but what is perceived about these farms and communities, and about what sort of image and cloud is going to be cast over them in the future, if they are selected, or the fact that they are just under consideration. I had several people come to me, and in particular a couple of ministers who are doing a lot of good work in that area in terms of counseling, and they have received a rash of people searching for some answers and some consoling, and, if for nothing else, just how to cope with this anxiety. The way we cope in here is we call the question, we take our votes, they are either up or they are down, and we can go on with the issues because we know

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or not 744 can be passed into law. Mr. Clerk, roll call. Proceed.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See pages 2660-61 of the Legislative Journal.) 25 ayes, 22 nays, 2 present and not voting, Mr. President, on the final passage.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 744 passes. With again a reminder that we are on Final Reading and technically under call. Next bill.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 767 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 767 pass with the emergency clause attached? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on pages 2661-62 of the Legislative Journal.) 44 ayes, 0 nays, 4 present and not voting, 1 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 767 passes with the emergency clause attached. LB 767A, please.

CLERK: (Read LB 767A on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on pages 2662-63 of the Legislative Journal.) 42 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, 1 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 767A passes. LB 780, please.

CLERK: (Read LB 780 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 780 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on pages 2663-64 of the Legislative Journal.) 42 ayes, 3 nays, 4 present and not

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761, 762, 780, 815, 815A, 817, 817A

voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 780 passes. We'll move on to LB 13....Oh, Senator Barrett, please.

SENATOR BARRETT: Thank you, Mr. President. I would move to suspend the rules in order to read the bills that were shared with the body just before lunch today. I believe the Clerk has the motion.

PRESIDENT: Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Well, Mr. President, Senator Barrett would move to suspend Rule 6, Section 7(b) to permit consideration of LB 137, LB 137A, LB 211, LB 215, LB 228, LB 352, LB 639, LB 761, LB 762, LB 815, LB 815A, LB 817, and LB 817A on Final Reading today.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye...or vote aye. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 36 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to suspend the rules.

PRESIDENT: The rules are suspended and we'll go to LB 137 with the emergency clause attached.

CLERK: (Read LB 137 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 137 pass with the emergency clause attached? All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on pages 2664-65 of the Legislative Journal.) 46 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 137 passes with the emergency clause attached. LB 137A with the emergency clause attached.

CLERK: (Read LB 137A on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 137A pass with the

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PRESIDENT: It is withdrawn. Please read the bill.

CLERK: (Read LB 639 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 639 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See pages 2669-70 of the Legislative Journal.) 36 ayes, 8 nays, 5 present and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 639 passes. LB 761 with the emergency clause attached.

CLERK: (Read LB 761 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 761 pass with the emergency clause attached? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 2671 of the Legislative Journal.) 46 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 761 passes with the emergency clause attached. LB 762, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 762 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 762 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Record vote read. See pages 2671-72 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 48 ayes, 0 nays, 1 present and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 762 passes. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LB 767, LB 137A, LB 137, LB 780, LB 767A, LB 744, LB 739A,

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739, 739A, 744, 761, 762, 762A, 767
767A, 780, 815, 815A, 817
LR 115

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: (Microphone not activated immediately) ...W. Norris Legislative Chamber. We have with us this morning, as our Chaplain of the Day, Reverend Homer Clements of Saint Luke's United Methodist Church in Lincoln. Would you please rise for the invocation.

REVEREND CLEMENTS: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT: (Gavel.) Thank you, Reverend Clements. We appreciate it. Roll call, please.

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

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Any corrections to the Journal today?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Good. Any messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, just one item and that is a...your Enrolling Clerk did present to the Governor the last few bills read on Final Reading last evening, and that's all that I had, Mr. President. (See bills presented to the Governor regarding LB 767, LB 767A, LB 137, LB 137A, LB 744, LB 780, LB 739, LB 739A, LB 211, LB 215, LB 228, LB 352, LB 639, LB 761, LB 762, LB 762A, LB 815, LB 815A, and LB 817 as found on page 2677 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Good. We'll move on to Legislative Resolution, LR 115.

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 115 is offered by Senator Baack. It's found on page 2092. It asks the Legislature to acknowledge the centennial celebration of Cheyenne County...Banner County. Banner County, excuse me, Senator.

PRESIDENT: Senator Baack, please.

SENATOR BAACK: They're fairly close together, I guess. Banner County at one time was a part of Cheyenne County, but is now a Banner County. Mr. President and colleagues, this is a resolution honoring Banner County for their 100th birthday that will take place this summer. Banner County was the first county