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LR 103, 109, 157, 158, 159

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: (Microphone not activated) ...this morning Harland Johnson as our chaplain. Would you please rise.

HARLAND JOHNSON: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT: (Gavel.) Thank you, Mr. Johnson. We appreciate it. Roll call, please.

CLERK: (Microphone not activated) ...157 by Senators Crosby...I'm sorry, this is a regular resolution, LR 157 by Senators Crosby and Schimek. (Read brief description. See pages 2183-84 of the Legislative Journal.)

Two study resolutions, the first by Speaker Barrett, the second by Senators Schellpeper and Wesely. (See pages 2184-85 of the Legislative Journal regarding LR 158 and LR 159.)

Mr. President, LR 103 is ready for your signature. And that's all that I have this morning.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. We will move on to LR 109, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 109 was introduced by Senator Warner. It's found on page 2077. (Read brief description.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Warner, please.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, this resolution was brought to me by some members of the Latvian Association in Nebraska. But over the weekend they had an American Congress of Latvian Association which, obviously, is a group of American citizens who are from Latvia. And the resolution takes a couple of things. It encourages the expansion of freedom opportunities and more self-determination in Latvia. And then, secondly, it asks for the remains of the former President of Latvia, Dr. Karlis Ulmanis who was taken to a concentration camp during World War II and never heard from again. He was a graduate of the University of Nebraska. My interest contact comes from the fact that while he was attending the University of Nebraska and he graduated in 1909, he stayed at my home, that is with my father, along with some other students, and because of that long association...that long ago association, many years ago, from time to time, I have had the