

February 23, 1989      LB 114, 129, 183A, 221, 342, 357, 545  
577, 640, 695  
LR 37

General File with amendments, LB 577 General File with amendments, those signed by Senator Landis as Chair. (See pages 848-49 of the Legislative Journal.)

Government, Military and Veterans Affairs reports LB 545 to General File with amendments, LB 640 General File with amendments, those signed by Senator Baack as Chair. Transportation Committee reports LB 129 to General File, LB 695 to General File, those signed by Senator Lamb as Chair. (See pages 853-55 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, I have a report and a motion by the Appropriations Committee regarding the Nebraska Energy Settlement Fund. That report is filed pursuant to statute.

Mr. President, your Enrolling Clerk has presented to the Governor bills read on Final Reading this morning as of 10:00 a.m. (Re: LB 342, LB 114, LB 221.)

A new A bill, LB 183A by Senator Baack. (Read for the first time by title.) A new resolution, LR 37 by Senator Korshoj. (Read brief explanation.) That will be laid over, Mr. President. (See pages 857-58 of the Legislative Journal.) That is all that I have at this time, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Mr. Clerk, proceed to General File, LB 357.

CLERK: LB 357, Mr. President, introduced by Senators Nelson, Smith, Schellpeper, Coordsen. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 11, referred to the Education Committee. The bill was advanced to General File, Mr. President. The Legislature on February 8 considered the bill. At that time committee amendments were adopted. There was an amendment to the bill by Senator Nelson. That was adopted. Mr. President, Senator Withem then bracketed the motion until February 22. I do have amendments pending, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Nelson, I wonder if perhaps we could go to you first for a very short refresher on the bill to bring us up to speed. Would you do that, please?

SENATOR NELSON: Thank you. I would be pleased to do so. As it was noted, LB 357 was bracketed when it was brought to us about a week ago, and we finally, I guess, got to it today. There were two main concerns. Actually, first, I will start and tell

PRESIDENT: LR 36 is adopted. LB 37.

CLERK: LR 37 is found on page 857. It's offered by Senator Korshoj. (Read brief description of LR 37.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Korshoj, please.

SENATOR KORSHOJ: Mr. President and members, here is the Class C state wrestling championship resolution and I'm very, very proud of Tekamah-Hermar for winning that. They set an all-time class record in number of points than any class, 192 1/2 points. It's their third championship in the last five years. We do have a very, very fine wrestling program and I want to commend Coach Guy Mytty and his staff for an excellent job of training and teaching these young athletes who probably could not participate in any other sport. It does afford them a chance to be a state champion too. I recommend that we adopt this amendment. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Senator Korshoj. Truly a tremendous record by any wrestling team in history in Nebraska. All those in favor of the resolution vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of LR 37.

PRESIDENT: The resolution is adopted. We will move onto Final Reading and if you will be taking your seats in preparation of that. (Gavel.) I want to introduce some special guests of Senator Schmit. Over under the north balcony, before we start on Final Reading, these gentlemen are here and they have recently made four purchases of United States wheat from the Nebraska Wheat Board and from the Grain Marketing Compact which are a few states around Nebraska. We have with us Mr. Ramo Salias who is the head of Budget Department, Ministry of Finance, the Republic of Finland. Mr. Salias, will you please rise and be recognized. And we have Miss Rhea Norma who is the escort interpreter for the United States Department Office of Language Services. Ed Farr, Chairman of Nebraska Wheat Board from Cedar Bluffs, Nebraska. Mr. Lee Grove, a member of the Nebraska Wheat Board, Superior, Nebraska. Randy Peters, President of the Nebraska Wheatgrowers' Association of McCook, Nebraska. And, finally, Mr. Ron Stoddard, the Executive

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**SPEAKER BARRETT PRESIDING**

**SPEAKER BARRETT:** Welcome to a new week in, this, the First Session of the Ninety-first Legislature. Our Chaplain this morning, Pastor Sherman McCormick, Piedmont Park Seventh-Day Adventist. Pastor McCormick, please.

**PASTOR McCORMICK:** (Prayer offered.)

**SPEAKER BARRETT:** (Gavel.) Thank you, Pastor McCormick. We hope you can come back again. Roll call.

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

**SPEAKER BARRETT:** Thank you. With a quorum present, any corrections to the Journal.

**CLERK:** No corrections, Mr. President.

**SPEAKER BARRETT:** Reports, messages, or announcements?

**CLERK:** Mr. President, a communication from the Governor to the Clerk. (Read. Re: LB 342, LB 114, and LB 221. See page 881 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, resolutions LR 33, LR 36, and LR 37 are ready for your signature, and that is all that I have, Mr. President.

**SPEAKER BARRETT:** Thank you. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and I do sign LR 33, LR 36, and LR 37. As a matter of general information as well, the Chair has been advised that yesterday was a rather major day in the life of Senator John Weihing. Senator Weihing had a birthday yesterday. Happy Birthday, Senator Weihing. Legislative resolutions, Mr. Clerk.

**CLERK:** Mr. President, the resolution offered this morning is by Senators Rogers and Hannibal. It is found on page 835. (Read brief explanation of LR 35.)

**SPEAKER BARRETT:** The Chair recognizes Senator Carson Rogers, please. (Gavel.) Senator Rogers.

**SENATOR ROGERS:** Mr. Speaker and members, I brought this resolution to you on behalf of the Village of Dannebrog, which