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to...it's the only bill I got and I sure would like to get it. It is non-controversial.

SPEAKER: I am afraid if we do this, Senator Keyes, we will be here until late this afternoon. I have agreed earlier that we will work on this list so you may be excused. Senator Kelly, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. Chairman, as a member of the caucus this afternoon, I certainly would be willing to take 315 last and then I am sure that Senator Keyes would stay here and help us.

SPEAKER: LB 320.

CLERK: LB 320 introduced by the Agriculture and Environment Committee and signed by the members thereof. Read title. There are Committee amendments by Senator Schmit's Agriculture Committee.

SPEAKER: Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I move the adoption of the Committee amendments. The Committee amendments, Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, provide that the Department of Agriculture may publish and distribute two publications which they are presently involved in. One is a Nebraska Weed book. The other is a Nebraska Insect book. The original bill had... would have allowed for the Department to publish those materials which were educational in nature for distribution to farmers. The Committee was concerned about the fact that, perhaps, there might be the chance that in the event someone decided to get into the publishing business that competition could develop between the Department of Agriculture and the University of Nebraska Extension Division. So, therefore, we did limit the distribution and publication of these periodicals to just the two books that the Department has been engaged in and producing for a long period of time and I recommend the adoption of the amendments.

SPEAKER: Any further discussion. The question is, shall the amendments be adopted. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? The Clerk will record. What will we do with the bill, Senator Schmit?

SENATOR SCHMIT: I move the bill be advanced to E & R, as amended.

SPEAKER: Any discussion. If not, the question is, shall LB 320 be advanced to E & R for Initial? Have you all voted? Have you all voted?

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, how many people are registered as being present.

CLERK: 35, Mr. President.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Let's have a Call of the House.

SPEAKER: Have you all voted?

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, obviously, we are going