

Nebraska in the operation of his business. About the only time a bond is relied upon is when the retailer's license is revoked and he fails to pay the commission fees and transcript cost as a result of the hearing. The bond then provides the funds for making these payments. Several establishments in the State of Nebraska are required to have two licenses on, on one premise. For example, in a county, in the county a person would have two license, one for on-sale beer and one for off-sale beer and each one would require a separate bond. This bill would authorize the issuance of only one bond per location rather than requiring one bond for each license. If there's ever a hearing regarding the removal of licenses of a premise like this, generally the hearing would be to revoke both licenses and should the licenses be revoked and the retailer not pay the cost involved, then the bond would furnish these cost. The bill will also reduce administrative cost require in maintaining the record of two bonds for one premise. It would also save the retailer a little money if he only had to buy one bond instead of two. Mr. President, I move for the advancement of LB 820.

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes Senator Sieck and then Senator Higgins.

SENATOR SIECK: Mr. President, members of the body, I can't let Senator Hefner get by with that easy. I got a question to ask him. What was the reason Mr. Hamilton objected to the bill? Can you, can you tell me some of the reasons?

SENATOR HEFNER: The reason that Mr. Hamilton objected to the bill is because he's against or he usually is against all liquor bills. Everytime we have a liquor bill before the Miscellaneous Subjects Committee, he's there and he usually opposes the liquor bill.

SENATOR SIECK: He wasn't actually against the, the address of the bill but he was against liquor as a whole?

SENATOR HEFNER: No, if I recall in his testimony, he just said that he thought that they should buy two, two bonds.