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SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Bohlke, you're recognized.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Thank you, Mr. President and members. I've had some people ask me when I made this a priority bill that were surprised that I wasn't doing something with education or state aid. I just rise to remind people that I have served on the Natural Resources Committee for six years, and as many of us here have traveled this great state, we have gone on vacation to Fort Robinson for years with our children, absolutely find that part of our state a real gem and gift to this state, and so after Senator Schrock's poem reminded me of one of my favorite quotes which I have had the Pages hand out to you. And that is simply we come and go but the land is always here, and the people who love it and understand it are the people who own it for a little while. And I want to tell you that the farmers and the ranchers and the people we work with on the Natural Resources Committee, as well as those representing the Audubon Society, Sierra Club, all feel this way and this bill is about protecting that land that we may own but only for a little while. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Bohlke. The question before the body is advancement of 822 to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of 822.

SENATOR CUDABACK: (LB) 822 is advanced to E & R Initial. Mr. Clerk, an item for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Wehrbein, an amendment to (LB) 179A. New A bills: (LB) 432A by Senator Janssen; (LB) 433A by Senator Janssen; and Senator Hilgert, (LB) 174A. (All read by title for first time.) That's all that I had, Mr. President. (See page 1260 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Next item, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, (LB) 704, a bill originally introduced by the Transportation Committee and signed by its membership.