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committeealso because you can read it and see that the Commissioner of Labor automatically becomes the county attorney in all 93 counties of Nebraska.

SPEAKER: Any further discussion? Senator Cavanaugh, are you still asking for the floor? Are you ready for the question? Question is, shall the amendment, paragraph 4, be adopted? All those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Clerk will record.

CLERK: 24 ayes, no nays.

SPEAKER: The amendment is adopted. Now are there any further amendments?

CLERK: None, Mr. President.

SPEAKER: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, I move that LB 343 as amended be advanced to E & R Initial.

SPEAKER: Any further discussion? Senator Nore.

SENATOR NORE: Mr. President and fellow members, this is one more step forward in the rise and fall of this great American country.

SPEAKER: Senator Syas.

SENATOR SYAS: Well, I'd like to have Senator Nore explain himself just a little bit.

SPEAKER: Are you sure? Senator Nore.

SENATOR NORE: I've said for the last 10 years that we're going to reach a point where we're going to have shortages of all consumer goods, shortages of everything because not enough people are producing. In this particular bill we're taking a lot of people out of production where they can do much better on welfare and it's very similar to the rise and fall of the Roman Empire.

SENATOR SYAS: Well, I don't know about that but I would reply to Senator Nore in this way that we've not sent four Senators back to Washington as I understand it and I voted today on LR 31 because you didn't like the ceiling on meat prices because it might be the maximum on you and I agree with you. So let's be a little bit fair. You don't like minimum when you get a chance to get a higher price on the farm either. You like to get all you can get and I'm for you on that, Senator. Depends--I'm not raising meat, you are. If this was a meat question, your attitude speech would be 100% different.

SPEAKER: Is there any further discussion? Senator Chambers, do you wish to close? Senator Chambers passes closing. All those in favor of advancing the bill as amended vote aye, those opposed vote no. Clerk will record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 3 nays, 20 not voting.

SPEAKER: The bill is advanced. I wonder if the body--if you don't want to, please say so, if you want to take up whether or not we're going to meet Friday. Senator Whitney had a motion to meet Friday that we delayed because we didn't have enough members here. Senator Whitney.