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PRESIDENT: Is there any further discussion? Question is, shall the rules be suspended and all of the appointments confirmed in one vote? All those in favor of suspending the rules in order to consider all the appointments... Are there objections? Hearing none, so ordered. Go ahead, Senator Whitney, consider them all at once.

SENATOR WHITNEY: Mr. President, the Committee on Committees desires to report favorably upon the appointments listed below, and this is on page 1305 of the Journal, which were submitted by Governor Exon. The Committee suggests the appointments be confirmed by this legislative body and suggests a record vote. Now Herbert G. Andrews, Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; William E. Colwell, Board of Trustees of Nebraska State Colleges; and Dr. Brendan J. McDonald, Educational Television Commission member. I move that these men all be approved by this legislative body.

PRESIDENT: Question is, shall the appointments be confirmed? Is there a need for discussion? Question is, shall the appointments be confirmed? All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote no. Voting on the confirmation of the three appointments. Once again, have you all voted? Clerk will record.

CLERK: Reads vote. 33 ayes, no nays, 16 not voting.

PRESIDENT: The three appointments are confirmed. Do we have other confirmations on the desk?

CLERK: None. We have some notices of committee hearings, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Read the notices.

CLERK: Reads.

PRESIDENT: Are there other reports on the desk?

CLERK: None, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Well, let's tackle the motions then as they come up.

CLERK: All right, Mr. President, I move to unbracket 378--oh, it's not bracketed, it's just setting there--I move to return LB 378 to Select File for a specific amendment, signed Senator Lewis--Richard.

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes Senator Richard Lewis.

SENATOR R. LEWIS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, this 378 is Senator Rasmussen's bill and I have discussed this amendment with him. Now it's been brought to my attention that a lot of stores, meat markets, super markets, have been offering for sale meats that have a meat extender--corn meals and soybean meals and there's nothing illegal about this whatsoever as far as I know. However, this resolution provides that they identify these as being adulterated with--if that's the proper word--with these meat extenders and we're asking in this amendment that they be advertised and displayed and identified as such and I would like to defer to Senator Rasmussen at this time because I think he has some thoughts on this particular issue, too.

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes Senator Rasmussen.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. Speaker, members of the body, I agree wholeheartedly with Senator Lewis that this amendment should be added and I would ask that it be returned not only for this but the emergency clause.