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alone. Because obviously farm land is going to fluctuate. Many people, particularly the consumer, believe and hope that farm prices will not remain as high as they are. It's the intent of the national administration to see that they don't.

SENATOR DE CAMP: You're looking at the wrong camera.

PRESIDENT: Now, Senator DeCamp, cut it out.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well, now, Senator Buster Brown....

PRESIDENT: Steady....come on. Steady.....

SENATOR CARPENTER: I'll patter the guy in kind. I'm going to do what I can to see that he doesn't come back here because he doesn't represent the agricultural interest of his district. It's just that simple. Leave this bill alone. Any time a kid comes to this Body and tries to tell the mature area of this state what ought to be done what he don't know himself, it's about time he ought to be stopped.

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Simpson.

SENATOR SIMPSON: Mr. President and members of the Legislature. I too would oppose the motion to return the bill. I had the opportunity to look at these some of these leases and see what they have been going for. I've kept knowledge over the years of their rental. It seems now that they are getting up to where they belong because the people are leasing them at the price now and I look at the bonuses and some of the bonuses this year and just very recently were much more than they had been before. We have in this bill put some flexibility in that the leases can run from 5 to 12 years. You're not just tied down to a solid 12-year basis. And in this, we're also making one great allowance that is important and that is the conservation of the land. I would hope that you would look at some of the larger leases over the state which are just taken for everything they can. There's no money going back into terraces or so on and the land is slowly and in some places very fast being destroyed and will have no value by the time the leases are up they're now on. I hope that we will pass this bill. It's a good bill just like it is.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Kime. The motion is to return LB894 to Select File for a specific amendment. That is to strike the enacting clause. Senator Kime has the floor.

SENATOR KIME: Mr. President, Mr. President and members of this Body. I think that most of the land, school lands in the western third of the state, that's where Senator DeCamp and I come from and we have in our two counties more land than any other single counties in the State of Nebraska. At the present time, we have no kick out there with the lease arranged land. It's at about 4% now. It has been raised over the year as cattle came up, the lease came up, and the ranchers are not kicking about it. It's a marginal land that could be plowed that we're a little worried about. You can plow this land. You can put a circular irrigation system on it and you can really raise crops. But it takes a lot...it'll take a lot of fertilizer. This summer there will be a.....

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