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LR 32, 33

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion on LR 32? If not, all those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Voting on LR 32. Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of the resolution, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion passes. LR 32 is passed. The Clerk will now read LR 33.

CLERK: Mr. President, first of all, Senator Pirsch asks unanimous consent to have her name added as co-introducer to LR 33.

PRESIDENT: Is there any objection to the addition of Senator Pirsch's name to the resolution? If not, so ordered. Proceed with the reading of the resolution.

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 33. That, Mr. President, can be found on page 1006 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Newell.

SENATOR NEWELL: I knew the Clerk wouldn't mind a few additional letters being sent at state expense and so I added the team. I would just say that Northwest has not traditionally been the basketball power of the state and I do want to note that it is one of those times where Omaha has ended up the Class A winner. Lincoln, many Lincoln Senators will probably be very jealous of this situation. I hope that they will not be so jealous as not to vote in favor of this resolution. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Senator Newell, I appreciate your introducing this resolution. As you may recall, Lincoln East and Lincoln Southeast I think both were defeated by Omaha Northwest and Lincoln doesn't lose very often. We are very successful in basketball, if I do say, and it is going to be hard to be a good loser so you may get a few reds but maybe not, we will see.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, often on a relatively or apparently innocuous issue some reality must be injected into the discussion. When the basketball tournament, the state tournament was