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is going to continue to move west and I think maybe in some ways this bill may try to hinder that movement in spite of the fact that those people would have some tremendous advantages in selling their feedlots in terms of dollars and cents. I just believe at the moment that I can't support the bill.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Higgins. Senator Higgins does call for the question. Do I see five hands? Y do. The question is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The motion carries. Debate ceases. Senator Barrett, you may now close. I believe there is about five minutes left if you want to take it.

SENATOR BARRETT: I would simply waive closing, Mr. President, and move the bill.

PRESIDENT: Okay, the question then is the advance of LB 668 to E & R initial. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

CLERK: 30 ayes, 2 nays, Mr. President, on advancement of the bill.

PRESIDENT: The motion carries and LB 668 is advanced to E & R initial. The next bill up is LB 708.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 708 offered by Senator DeCamp. (Read title.) The bill was read on January 8 of this year, referred to the Banking Committee for a hearing. The bill was advanced to General File, Mr. President. There are Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee amendments pending.

PRESIDENT: And before we get to the Banking and Insurance Committee amendments, the committee amendments, the Chair takes great pleasure in introducing from Senator Warner's district some 28 senior citizens from Louisville, Nebraska, Mr. Jim Keyser, member of the Senior Citizens Board. They are up here in the North balcony and we welcome all of you to your Unicameral Legislature. Welcome. Now the Chair recognizes Senator DeCamp for purposes of discussing the committee amendments.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, the committee amendments gut the bill and they do become the bill so everybody is aware of that. This is kind of a major subject. Every 10, 20, 30, 50 years something that existed