

January 18, 1982

LR 199

LB 473, 550, 738, 853-873

on the resolution. I will not support the resolution as it is now, and I am sure that the people I represent will understand. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: All right, seeing nothing further, that is the closing on the resolution as amended. All those in favor of adopting LR 199 as amended vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 32 ayes, 3 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the amended resolution.

PRESIDENT: The motion carries. LR 199 is adopted. Let me first of all introduce some very special friends of Senator Kremer over here under the north balcony, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Eberspacher. Would they stand up and be recognized, and welcome to the Eberspachers to the Unicameral. All right, Senator Kahle, thank you. The Call is raised. Read some matters in, Mr. Clerk, if you will.

CLERK: Mr. President, your committee on Public Works whose Chairman is Senator Kremer reports LB 473 as indefinitely postponed and LB 550 as indefinitely postponed. Both signed by Senator Kremer as Chair.

Senator DeCamp would like to print amendments to LB 738 in the Journal, Mr. President. (See pages 320 and 321 of the Journal).

Mr. President, I have a report from the Agriculture and Environment Committee reporting on confirmation hearing. (See page 321 of the Journal).

Mr. President, new bills. LB 853 offered by Senator Fowler. (Read title). LB 854 by Senator Fowler. (Read title). LB 855 offered by Senator Fowler. (Read title). LB 856 offered by Senator Fowler. (Read title). LB 857 offered by Senator Fowler. (Read title). LB 858 by Senator Marsh. (Read title). LB 859 by Senator Marsh. (Read title). LB 860 offered by Senator Nichol. (Read title). LB 861 by Senator Nichol. (Read title). LB 862 offered by Senator Beutler. (Read title). LB 863 by Senator Landis. (Read title). LB 864 offered by Senator Hefner and Howard Peterson. (Read title). LB 865 by Senator Goodrich. (Read title). LB 866 by Senator Goodrich. (Read title). LB 867 by Senator Goodrich. (Read title). LB 868 by Senator Fender. (Read title). LB 869 by Senator Stoney. (Read title). LB 870 by Senator Stoney. (Read title). LB 871 by the Government Committee. (Read title). LB 872 by Senator Wiitala. (Read title). LB 873

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LB 846, 865, 956-966

Mr. President, Senator Goodrich would move to withdraw LB 865. That will lay over.

Mr. President, I have a unanimous consent request from Senator Kahle to add his name to 846 as cointroducer; Senator Wagner to 846.

SENATOR CLARK: No objections, so ordered. There is no one left to object.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. (Read by title for the first time, LBs 956-966 as found on page 366-369 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR CLARK: Senator DeCamp, would you like to make your momentous speech at this time.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, I would like to ask unanimous consent to take up LB 376 on Final.

SENATOR CLARK: Right now? No objections, so ordered.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, in the alternative, I'll move that we adjourn until nine o'clock tomorrow.

SENATOR CLARK: All those in favor say aye, opposed. We are adjourned until nine o'clock tomorrow morning.

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LB 69, 560, 589, 598,
646, 654, 865

by Senator Kilgarin as Chair.

Mr. President, your committee on Banking, Commerce and Insurance whose chairman is Senator DeCamp to whom is referred LB 589 instructs me to report the same back to the Legislature with the recommendation that it be advanced to General File, 598 to General File, 646 to General File and 654 to General File...I'm sorry, 646, and Education reports LB 654 to General File. Those are signed by their respective chairmen, Mr. President.

Mr. President, Judiciary gives notice of cancellation of hearing for Wednesday, February 3 and I have received two reports, one from the University of Nebraska pursuant to LB 560 passed last session, a report from the Upper Big Blue Natural Resources District regarding payment of attorneys fees and, Mr. President, Senator Marsh would like to print amendments to LB 69 in the Legislative Journal. (See pages 395-397 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, I have a unanimous consent request from Senator DeCamp asking that the Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee hold their hearings in Room 1113 tomorrow and Judiciary Committee would hold their public hearings in Room 2230, just switching hearing rooms.

PRESIDENT: Any objection? Hearing none, so ordered. We are ready then for agenda item #4, Motions. The first motion on gubernatorial appointments from the Agriculture Committee. Senator Wagner, will you handle the motion. The Chair recognizes Senator Wagner.

SENATOR WAGNER: Mr. Speaker and members, the Agriculture Committee held their confirmation hearings on Friday, the 15th and the three people we confirmed were Homer Loutzenheiser for the Environmental Control Council, All Wood for the Environmental Control Council and Donald Larson for the Nebraska Gasohol Committee. The committee acted favorable on these nominations. It is our recommendation that the Legislature approve of them.

PRESIDENT: Any discussion as to the motion of the Agriculture Committee? Hearing none, the question is the approval of the gubernatorial appointments for the Agriculture and Environment Committee. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on approval of the report. (See vote on page 397 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Motion carries. The report is approved. The next motion concerns LB 865, a motion to withdraw. Is Senator Goodrich here? Would someone make the motion for

Senator Goodrich so we can get this bill withdrawn, anything to get rid of a bill. Just withdraw that bill.

SENATOR HABERMAN: So move.

PRESIDENT: Senator Haberman is very accommodating. Senator Haberman makes a motion. Any discussion? Motion to withdraw LB 865, all those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to withdraw LB 865, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion carries. LB 865 is withdrawn. The third motion, a motion to reconsider by Senator Wiitala. Do you want to bring us up to date on this?

CLERK: Mr. President, the Committee on Committees had offered a report regarding Senator Newell and Senator Vard Johnson changing standing committee assignments. There was a motion to approve that report. That motion failed. Senator Warner and Senator Wiitala have made a motion now to reconsider the adoption of that report.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Wiitala.

SENATOR WIITALA: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, since I was absent and not voting when the Committee on Committees report was presented before this body...

PRESIDENT: (Gavel.) It is very hard to hear. Let's hold it down a little bit.

SENATOR WIITALA: I am asking to reconsider the committee report at this time. Thank you, Mr. Chairman.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion on Senator Wiitala's motion to reconsider the vote to approve the Committee on Committee report? The Chair recognizes Senator Newell.

SENATOR NEWELL: Mr. President and members of the body, we have debated this once before but one thing that I did want to bring to the body's attention because I say it in jest and yet it is not particularly all that funny, I just remembered one of the key reasons that I was hoping to avoid an issue that is of great emotional concern in Omaha, Nebraska, the issue of bingo which from time to time comes before the Legislature and this year the issue is once again a very important issue especially in the larger metropolitan areas and this year it is going to be a more difficult issue because frankly, this year