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LB 619, 629, 726, 816

CLERK: Mr. President, very quickly Senator Kremer would like to print amendments to LB 726; Senator DeCamp to LB 619; Senator Carsten to LB 816. Mr. President, a new resolution LR 254 offered by Senator Koch. (Read. See pages 1234-1238 of the Legislative Journal.) That will be laid over, Mr. President.

Mr. President, LB 629 is a bill introduced by Senator DeCamp. (Read.) The bill was read on January 6 of this year. It was referred to the Miscellaneous Subjects Committee for hearing. The bill was advanced to General File, Mr. President.

SENATOR LAMB: Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, I move advancement of the bill. I will try to be very brief because I know we have a lot of business to get done here. The bill simply for the first time in eleven years tries to provide the newspapers who are ordered by law to print certain items that normally they probably wouldn't print, in fact have no reason to print, the opportunity to recover close to actual costs of printing those things. The increase is from, well its about one-third. The last time, I repeat, it was increased was eleven years ago. Additionally the legislation does one other important thing and that is it puts a system where you can look in the book and have uniformity of price, so that whether you go to Ogallala or Neligh or O'Neill or Omaha, you have a standard price for a certain amount of words. Previously, because different people used different kinds of type, different kinds of newspaper, nobody really knew for sure whether they were paying fifty cents in one place and twenty cents in another for identical things. This would establish a uniform system. Mr. President, I urge advancement of the bill. As I say, I would try to answer any questions. Let me just say that this increase is probably very small compared to what it should be. I repeat again the last increase to cover these mandated publishings was eleven years ago. As an example newspaper, the paper itself, has gone from like a \$17⁴ a ton to five hundred and sixty some dollars a ton and a printing of this material, the types of things we're talking about, legal notices, so on and so forth, notices of bids, interestingly enough, even with this increase, incredible as this sounds, would still be only one-third the cost of me putting in, for example, an ad or a publication on something for an auction or a legal advertisement or something like that. It probably doesn't even recover the actual cost of printing it but we mandate the papers do it. I urge advancement of the bill.

SENATOR LAMB: Amendment on the desk.

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With this, I hope that you pass this resolution. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion on....Senator Wesely, did you wish to speak to this....

SENATOR WESELY: Yes.

PRESIDENT:Gretna resolution? Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Mr. President, I would like to rise in support of this resolution because I know Gretna has to have an awfully fine team in order to beat as good a team as Pius X was this year going undefeated until that last game. So I will support the resolution recognizing that Pius X had a fine team and Gretna must have had an excellent team in order to beat them.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? The question then is the adoption of LR 252. The next resolution, Mr. Clerk, is....oh, yes, we are on 252, which is the Beyer resolution. Okay, Senator Beyer, anything further now after what he said? Oh, okay. All in favor of LR 252 vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

CLERK: 34 ayes, 0 nays, on adoption of the resolution, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The motion carries and LR 252 is adopted. The next resolution is LR 254, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: LR 254 offered by Senators Koch and Vickers, found on page 1238. (Read LR 254.)

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Thank you, Mr. President, and members of the body, it is a distinct privilege to draft this resolution in honor of Dr. Campbell. Her record as you can see by the resolution is one of excellence. Dr. Campbell, besides the numerous awards that we have in this resolution, was also employed by the Lincoln Public Schools as a federal relations individual a number of years, then went to the University in the same capacity before taking the position of Commissioner of Education. It will be a great loss of Dr. Campbell's services in the State of Nebraska but it is deserving because she is an outstanding individual in education and few of us probably can approach the epitomies of education that Dr. Campbell has exemplified in the many years of service to this state. By the way, since we are

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talking about basketball, Dr. Campbell was also an outstanding basketball player at one time. I ask for the adoption of this resolution.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Kremer.

SENATOR KREMER: Mr. Chairman, I would like to add my wholehearted support to the resolution and also ask unanimous consent to add my name to the resolution.

PRESIDENT: Did you want your name...yes, is there any objection? If not, so ordered. Senator Kremer, your name is added to the resolution. The Chair recognizes Senator Remmers.

SENATOR REMMERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, I wholeheartedly support this resolution. I have been associated many years with Dr. Campbell in various activities in education. She is certainly deserving of all credit we can give her, an outstanding individual, and I would also appreciate it if I could add my name as an introducer to this resolution.

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Remmers also asks unanimous consent to have his name added to the resolution. Any objection? If not, so ordered, Senator Remmers. The Chair recognizes Senator Marsh.

SENATOR MARSH: Thank you, Mr. President, and members of the Legislature, having had a long personal friendship with Dr. Campbell for many years, having served on two different national organizations with her and know the leadership she has given not only to the State of Nebraska but to the United States in the field of education, I add my unqualified support for this fine resolution and also wish to be a part of those introducing the legislation, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Marsh...are there any objections to Senator Marsh adding her name to the resolution? Hearing none, so ordered, Senator Marsh. The Chair recognizes Senator Vickers.

SENATOR VICKERS: Mr. President and members, I rise to support obviously LR 254 and I wanted to make a couple of comments in regarding Dr. Campbell and her abilities. I was a...as a member of the Education Commission of the states I attended a meeting in Boston last summer where Dr. Campbell was on the program and I thought it was interesting that our Education Commissioner is recognized nationwide

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as one of the outstanding leaders in education and as one of those leaders appeared on that program outlining some of the programs that she had been instrumental in and getting in here in the State of Nebraska in our educational facilities. And I think all of Nebraska should be very proud of that and I think all the members of this Legislature should be, and as a member of the Education Committee I can assure you that I certainly am. So I urge the body's adoption of LR 254.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Haberman.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I would like to ask that my name be added to the resolution and that is a tremendous loss to the Department of Education. I have personally known Anne Campbell and worked with her and she is a fine, outstanding person and I would like to wish her the best of everything in her future. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Haberman requests that his name be added...asks unanimous consent to add his name to the resolution. Any objection? So ordered, Senator Haberman. Your name will be added. Senator Goodrich.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Mr. President and members of the body, Anne Campbell was one of the finest people in state government bar none including everyone of us from the Governor on down. I wholeheartedly support the resolution and ask unanimous consent to have my name added.

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Goodrich also requests unanimous consent to have his name added to the resolution. Hearing no objection, so ordered, Senator Goodrich. Senator Rumery.

SENATOR RUMERY: Mr. President, there has been a considerable amount of statements made about Dr. Campbell and I would like to add my congratulations also and I would like to ask unanimous consent to add my name to the list.

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Rumery asks unanimous consent to have his name added. Any objections? So ordered, Senator Rumery. I also understand Senator Newell would like to have his name added. Are there any objections? So ordered then. Senator Newell's name is added, and so would Senator Lowell Johnson. Same way, all right. Any objections? Senator Cope. Perhaps we ought to just have a motion that everybody's name be added. Senator Kahle.

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SENATOR KAHLE: Mr. President, I would like to have my name added and I think we ought to make it possible for all those that want to have their name added to do that.

PRESIDENT: All right, is there anyone who objects to having his or her name added to this resolution? Speak now or forever....Mr. Clerk, I think we will just show that there is a request from every other person whose name is not on here, every other member to have their name added and hearing no objections we will just say, so ordered. Senator Newell.

SENATOR NEWELL: It might be a good idea, however, to only add those people who are here.

PRESIDENT: Who are here, who are actually here. All right, that is probably a good point. I think that is only proper, Senator Newell, actually. Senator Nichol, you didn't get a chance to have your name added unanimously.

SENATOR NICHOL: Since it is already added, I won't add it then.

PRESIDENT: All right.

SENATOR NICHOL: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I think it is only fitting to say about Dr. Anne Campbell that in an age when women are striving to excel and striving to have equal rights, and so forth, I think she is a good living example of what can be done when you have the marbles and are as fair in situations as she has been in the past. I think it is very fitting that we do this for her. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Koch, anything in closing on the resolution?

SENATOR KOCH: I just want you to know that Dr. Campbell is still living, so let's get out of this.

PRESIDENT: All right, the motion before the House is the adoption of LR 254. All those in favor vote aye and opposed nay. Record the vote.

CLERK: 39 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the resolution.

PRESIDENT: Motion carries, LR 254 is adopted. Before we go to Final Reading, the Chair would like to take this opportunity to introduce some very distinguished visitors.

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PRESIDENT LUEDTKE PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Prayer by Reverend Vernon F. Jacobs, Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Omaha.

REVEREND JACOBS: Prayer offered.

PRESIDENT: Roll call. Record the presence, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: There is a quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Quorum being present, are there any corrections to the Journal?

CLERK: Mr. President, two little ones. On page 1356 on line 33, after the word "last" insert "few". On page 1362 instead of "(5)" insert "(6)".

PRESIDENT: I'm glad they are just little ones.

CLERK: They're just little ones.

PRESIDENT: The Journal stands corrected. Are there any other messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports they have carefully examined and reviewed LB 726 and recommend that same be placed on Select File with E & R amendments attached; 816 Select File with E & R amendments; and 816A, E & R amendments attached. Those are all signed by Senator Kilgarin. (See pages 1364 through 1367 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, LRs 254, 252, 251, 247, 246, 245 and 242 are all ready for your signature.

PRESIDENT: While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and I do sign LR 254, LR 252, LR 251, LR 247, LR 246, LR 245, and LR 242.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the desk, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right. Senator Burrows, were you starting to vote on Final Reading, or did you wish...I was just....thank you. Okay, I just had to say that. I looked over there and saw Big Red and I thought, I wonder if he is starting to vote on Final Reading, but we are going to get started on Final Reading right now. So if the Sergeant at Arms would secure the Chamber and all members