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SENATOR LANDIS: Madam President, I rise to place my name in nomination for this Chairmanship. I've served in this capacity for the last four years. When I first ran I promised that I would try to bring better, fuller discussions of these issues to the floor. And, judging by the groans that accompany some of my speeches on insurance measures, I've brought that to fruition. This last year Nebraska was certified as one of the leading states in its regulation of insurance. I regard that as a testament to the forward thinking of this body over the last four years in passing a number of important pieces of insurance regulation legislation, and I hope to continue that work in the future. And I simply nominate myself for the Banking, Commerce, and Insurance Committee Chairmanship. Thank you, Madam .resident.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Landis. Are there any further nominations? Are there further nominations? Are there further nominations? Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE: Madam President, I'd move the nominations cease, and I would further move that Senator Landis be named unanimously as Chairman of the Banking, Commerce, and Insurance Committee.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Moore. You've heard the motion. All those in favor please say aye. Opposed nay. Congratula...motion is carried, and congratulations, Senator Landis. Mr. Clerk, you have an announcement on the desk?

CLERK: Madam President, very quickly, an announcement from the members of the legislative spouses. There will be a short meeting of the Unicameral Club in Room 2102. Unicameral Club will meet in 2102 at eleven forty-five.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We'll now proceed with nominations for Chair of the Business and Labor Committee. Senator Pirsch.

SENATOR PIRSCH: Thank you, Madam President. I rise to nominate myself and ask for your vote to elect me as Chairman of the Business and Labor Committee. I have been in the Legislature 14 years and, as you can imagine, have about 40 odd years experience in the business and labor field. I was Vice Pres...Vice Chairman of Business and Labor with Senator Coordsen for two years, four years ago. I believe that a chairman's job