

SPEAKER WITHEM PRESIDING

SPEAKER WITHEM: Ladies and gentlemen, I would like to welcome you all to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber as we begin today, the fifty-third of the 94th Legislature. Very pleased this morning to have our chaplain for the day, Pastor Roger Nelson. Pastor Nelson comes to us from Grand Island, Senator Fisher's district, and he is with the First Presbyterian Church in Grand Island. Pastor Nelson.

PASTOR NELSON: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you very much. Members, the house will come to order. Members please record your presence. How about messages, reports and announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, I have no messages, reports or announcements this morning.

SPEAKER WITHEM: How about General File bills, do we have any of those?

CLERK: I have several of those, Mr. President. LB 168, the first bill on your agenda for this morning. It's a bill introduced by Senator Jones and others. (Read title.) The bill was discussed as of...discussed a couple of different occasions, yesterday being one of them. There have been amendments offered and adopted to the bill by Senators Bromm, Jones and Wickersham, Lindsay, Chambers and Withem. I now have other amendments pending, Mr. President. Mr. President, the first amendment I have this morning is by Senator Chambers. Senator, this is your amendment that would add a new section, "Each and every provision of the Constitution". (FA102 appears on pages 1398-99 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, I believe that I have a copy of that and I'm going to distribute it. Somebody anticipated that I would need help and they were right here. Members of the Legislature, you'll get a copy of this amendment and I'm going to read it to you. It would add a new section and it would say: "Each and every provision of the Constitution and laws of the United States and of the State of Nebraska is hereby incorporated by reference and each agency