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Colorado to find out whether I can afford to go there and hunt or fish or Kansas or to Alabama but the fact remains that you are going to pay the fee and that is one thing a fisherman or a hunter will not object to. I am quite a bit acquainted with the Lake McConaughy situation, and for Senator Syas' information, it isn't just what goes on in eastern Nebraska that hurts you. If they would come out and take a peak at that, they will know how much more could be received in order to improve Lake McConaughy or these other good fishing spots. Certainly, no one is going to go fishing in a place where the fishing isn't good. Now I have another problem inasmuch as it seems as though Douglas County wants a 3% tax on motels and hotels to improve their recreation and their ability to get conventions, but now Senator Syas gets up and says don't increase the fishing licenses because you are from out west. I need a real good explanation as to why we increase the amount on such things as hotels and motels for Douglas and Lancaster County to attract people and improve their facilities and then Senator Syas and them get up and say we shouldn't do this in hunting and fishing out in western Nebraska.

PRESIDENT: Senator Swigart.

SENATOR SWIGART: Mr. Chairman and members, Senator Rasmussen is moderate with his suggestions but I think we ought to stick with this original bill. We are going to have a hard time passing it anyway. I was talking to Senator Dworak about Colorado and as close as we could come was that Colorado is a little bit higher but not radically so and I don't think we ought to consider that there is a great gap there. The closest figures that we could remember was that they were not far apart but Colorado was a little bit higher. You know, I am not speaking of Senator Rasmussen but these liberals are going to kill us here if we are not careful. Gosh, this suggestion previous to Rasmussen's proposal of adding two million four on top of this would have just killed us. I hope the Governor is listening so he will know how conservative we are here this morning in voting down this 2.4 million. We got a tight hold on this money machine this morning but you know, gentlemen and lady, these sportsmen have worked on this, the sportsmen and the hunters have worked on this matter for many, many months and they come in and it was refreshing to have them come into our Committee meeting saying we want to raise our rates so that we can have habitat. And it seems like to me that we ought to go along with this proposal as a first step. Lord knows we do need the habitat and here the hunters are going to pay for it and it is going to be a huge step ahead. Let's take this step and look into it again next year.

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Senator. Senator Mills.

SENATOR MILLS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, Senator Nichol and Clark and Duis and someone else spoke of Lake McConaughy. I have got some deep feelings about Lake McConaughy, not 80 feet deep but