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those Senators who have a long way to drive and I think this is a fair consideration. However, I would like to remind the body that we have some Senators who have moved their families to Lincoln, who have youngsters in school, and they must remain here on Friday and I think we should weigh all these things before we should talk every week about not coming back to work on Friday. So, unless it is known that there are going to be a lot of people absent, I, again, remind you that we got a lot of work done last Friday and it is just about as hard to get something done this morning. So, I oppose this motion.

SPEAKER: Senator Syas.

SENATOR SYAS: Well, if all the Committee men are going to be gone, why don't we use the floor to see how many are going to be here and those that are not going to be here, what is it, Friday, Senator? Those that are not going to be here Friday vote red and we will get the show on the road that way. We'll get some...know what it's all about.. know what it's all about.

SPEAKER: The chair would say that we will have an indication on the Board as to those who could be here on a Friday. So, a green vote will say that you can be here Friday. A red vote says you can't. This is not a vote on Terry's motion. A green vote for Whitney.

PRESIDENT: Stand by just a minute. With this...yes, all we are asking, of course, at the present time is for you to just indicate what you are going to do on Friday and we will take up the vote here on Senator Carpenter's motion, but the point was that I didn't think we could resolve the Carpenter motion until we, at least, had an indication of who might be here and who would not. Now, Senator Dickinson, back to you.

SENATOR DICKINSON: Mr. Speaker, members of the body, I would like rephrase the way in which Senator Whitney asked the question. I think we have some obligation to be here on Friday unless we have a real reason not to be. The question, pro...maybe, should have been asked, "Can we be here Friday," rather than, "Or do you want to be here Friday."

PRESIDENT: OK. Senator Clark, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR CLARK: Mr. President, members of the body, we have fifteen people not indicating what they are going to do. I think, certainly, if we are going to do anything, we ought to have a Call of the House to get the people to indicate what they are going to do. I don't care whether they are going to be here or not going to be here, but I think they ought to certainly indicate what they are going to do.

PRESIDENT: Very good. Better issue than that is the fact that if you add these all together you get fifty votes, too. Did you notice that? That's a malfunction, however. Well, all right. Senator Stull is moving for a Call of the House. The clerk will clear the Board. I don't know how we can have a call of the House when we don't have a motion. When we adjourn on Thursday....Senator Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Why don't we expedite it and just have a Roll Call vote.

PRESIDENT: And the Roll Call vote is to be what, sir.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Without record, just a Roll Call vote. Call each Senator and let him say yes or no.

PRESIDENT: As to what, whether he will be here....