

LB655? All those in favor of rejecting the committee amendments vote aye, those opposed vote no. Motion is to reject the committee amendments to LB655. Have you all voted? Clerk will record.

CLERK: 17 ayes, 0 nays Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Committee amendments are a rejected then. Senator Barnett, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BARNETT: Mr. President, I have a question of Senator Goodrich.

PRESIDENT: OK, shoot.

SENATOR BARNETT: In here I noticed that the city of Lincoln testified for this bill, but how did they testify for it, with or without the amendments?

SENATOR GOODRICH: They wanted the amendments so that they would be included in the bill. However, what I am going to suggest now that we have the bill back in its original form that we hold it here and I will prepare two amendments, in fact if the city of Kearney is still interested, I will prepare three, but the thought being that if I would lay out one amendment that satisfies the rail roads, the body can either accept or reject that amendment. I will offer a second amendment to solve the problem for the city of Lincoln and then a third amendment to solve the problem for the city of Kearney. Then this body can make a decision as to whether they want to accomodate the railroad problem, whether they want to accomodate the city of Lincoln problem of whether they want to accomodate the Kearney problem.

PRESIDENT: OK, Senator Carpenter;

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a motion on the desk.

PRESIDENT: Read the motion.

CLERK: Read motion.

PRESIDENT: We have a motion before us.

SENATOR GOODRICH: We already have got that.

SENATOR CARPENTER: That....that.....Senator Goodrich I don't want to object, but you attempt to put your amendments on Select File, the railroad for example if you do that covers the 93 counties to the extent that railroads exist. Now what they do in Omaha, I don't care in this case, what you do to the people of Omaha, or the railroads, but so far as first class cities are concerned, and villages, I don't want any part of it.

SENATOR GOODRICH: I have to ask a question Terry, is Kearney a first class? I don't know? OK, I'll...Terry I'll bring all three of these proposals to you before I offer them on the floor.

SENATOR CARPENTER: OK, but I want to move the bill ahead on Select File, and that will make it more difficult for the amendments to be adopted.

SENATOR GOODRICH: That is OK by me.