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three students, in an advisory capacity and none voting, can certainly have a lot of input if they did not have to wait to be invited, because they may not be invited at the time they are needed the most and I think these students will find are quite responsible people. I believe in the students at the University and the young people with every part of me. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Senator Nore, then Senator Whitney, we are still speaking on the Marvel amendment to the bill.

SENATOR NORE: Mr. President and fellow members, I support the Marvel amendment, however, I think that Senator Carpenter is absolutely dead wrong, he doesn't know what he's talking about, when he says the faculty senate is not important. I think they should have some say. Who runs the University? The Administration runs it. The faculty, that's their big gripe, they have nothing to say at all about what is going on, and those are the folks that should have some input. The folks that are teaching your children. They have no input at all as far as we can determine. We have met with the faculty senate, we have met with the student senate and they all agree that the faculty senate should be heard too. I think, and I'll say again I think that Senator Carpenter, and he is my good, I think that if he will investigate that he is wrong.

PRESIDENT: Senator Whitney.

SENATOR WHITNEY: Mr. President and members of the Legislature. I support the Marvel amendment and I also then support the bill. I presume that Senator Marvel has introduced this because the Appropriations Committee has gone out several times to the University of Nebraska and we have listened to the students. I recall last session when our sub-committee of the Appropriations Committee went out there, we gave the students a chance for about three hours to tell us what they thought and when we got through, they said we feel this is a first time that we have really been heard. And so I feel that if the job is not being done now, to listen to the students, then we should give that opportunity to the students.

PRESIDENT: Next to speak is Speaker Proud, then Richendifer.

SPEAKER PROUD: Well, I just. How many are on the Board of Regents? Six? Eight? Then this would put three, I am directing my question I guess to whoever wants, Senator Stahmer seems to know all the answers. This would put three student representatives as observers on the Board of Regents, Senator Marvel?

PRESIDENT: Senator Marvel care to respond?

SENATOR MARVEL: Well, the designation of non voting members, so in effect they would be observers but they would have a fairly substantial impact by officially being allowed to be present which they are not technically now.

SPEAKER PROUD: Well, I'm wondering a little bit whether they should be designated as members. I have no objection really to a student being an observer. I'm not satisfied in my mind that there should be three of them. It almost seems to me that one would be sufficient. I'm not going to object to the advancement of the bill at this point. I might have an amendment on Select File