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the Appropriations Committee, so if you could simply strike number four from it, I could support this in its entirety. Without that I feel that I cannot because of the involvement with dollars and I feel that that should be in a bill form and not a resolution form.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The Chair recognizes Senator Frank Lewis. Do you wish to speak to the...? Senator Newell, do you want to close on your amendment to...?

SENATOR NEWELL: All right, I would like to just make the body aware that since Senator Marsh did bring forth a proposal that there may be some donations that I, instead of saying "shall" contract, we change that to "may", if anybody can remember that famous legislation I offered last year. It is so that the amendment would read now that the Legislative Executive Committee "may" contract for portraits. If they can be donated that is one way to deal with it and I hope that satisfies Senator Marsh. Senator Marsh, is that satisfactory? She shakes her head yes.

SPEAKER MARVEL: We are voting on your amendment then which you may change up until the time it is finally acted upon. Are you ready to vote on the amendment?

SENATOR NEWELL: Yes, that was a close.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is the Newell amendment... one...(microphone not working properly.) found on page 74 of the Journal. This takes twenty five votes. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. We are voting on the amendment. Have you all voted on the Newell amendment to LR #1? Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 4 nays on the adoption of Senator Newell's amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The amendment is adopted. Now, Senator Newell, what do you wish to do with the resolution as amended? The amendment is adopted.

SENATOR NEWELL: All right and I will try to make this a very simple and quick close. The proposal that I brought before the body would simply make these changes. I think the cost with the amendment, the cost will be very modest. I shouldn't think that portraits, if they are not given to us, would cost more than \$300 to commission. In fact, that