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a chore and so many times it seems that there is an effort to abolish the tax on food. I think by putting this into this form then we won't be having an amendment to my bill to try to repeal the tax and I think we can try this for a year or two, and if it doesn't work out, we can always come back and use the present system. So I support the amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is the adoption of the Beutler amendment as amended to LB 44. All those in favor vote aye, opposed no. As we wait for the vote, underneath the North balcony, it is my pleasure to introduce Mr. James Connor of North Platte, Nebraska, a guest of Myron Rumery, Senator Rumery. Will you stand so that we may, there he is. The motion is the Beutler amendment as amended. Have you all voted? Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Speaker, how many people are excused?

SPEAKER MARVEL: Five excused.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I guess I would like to have a Call of the House and a roll call vote.

SPEAKER MARVEL: A Call of the House has been requested. All in favor of placing the House under Call vote aye, opposed vote no. Record.

CLERK: 12 ayes, 1 nay to go under Call, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The House is under Call. Please record your presence. I encourage those who should not be on the floor to leave the floor. Senator Kennedy, Senator Burrows, Senator Koch, Senator Warner, Senator Cope, Senator Keyes, Senator Kahle, Senator Hefner, Senator Johnson, Senator Kremer, Senator Merz, Senator DeCamp, Senator Kelly, Senator Reutzel, Senator Fowler. Senator DeCamp and Senator Kelly and Senator Kennedy. Senator Beutler, everybody is accounted for except Senator DeCamp. Do you want to proceed with the roll call? Call the roll.

CLERK: Roll call vote. (See page 593, Legislative Journal.) 23 ayes, 22 nays, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Motion lost. Is there another amendment on the desk?

CLERK: Yes, sir. Senator Chambers now moves to amend the bill: Strike \$28.00 and insert \$32.00.

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