

of amendments, the Chair is authorized to send that bill back to committee. That is not the issue now. Senator DeCamp, I would like to ask you this question and then I will ask Senator Chambers the same question and see what your response is. It is my understanding, and you can correct me if I understand this improperly, it is my understanding that LB 741 was introduced for the purpose of removing obsolete statutes. Is that correct?

SENATOR DeCAMP: 741 was introduced and has the legal effect of repealing statutes of the State of Nebraska. Whether Senator Hoagland and others are doing that because they feel that they are obsolete, they don't like them or whatever is a separate issue. It repeals statutes of the State of Nebraska across a broad section.

SPEAKER MARVEL: You haven't answered my question.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Why don't we say that it is obsolete statutes, I call them good looking ones, somebody else might call them something else. They are repealer laws. That is what it is. Don't be confused by the word "obsolete" because they used it. That may be their reason for introducing it, its legal effect is that it is a repealer bill.

SPEAKER MARVEL: When you are talking about the meaning of the bill, let me get a copy of the bill. What does the bill say?

SENATOR DeCAMP: I might add that we are not gutting the bill, we are leaving the bill completely intact. We are simply adding another repealer.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Hoagland, I would like to ask you a question. What in your opinion is the purpose of 741?

SENATOR HOAGLAND: I am right now trying to locate the single subject provision in the Constitution, Mr. Speaker. I have read some prior judicial opinions relating to that opinion, relating to that issue a year or two ago and it is permissible for this body to pass a law that deals with various chapters and various articles of the Nebraska Statutes provided they have a common subject, provided that there is a common denominator, a strand that links all of the various sections together. Now it was clearly my intent in introducing this particular piece of legislation to repeal laws that were passed in the late 19th and early 20th Century which are no longer being used. For instance a provision to permit mayors of first class cities to conscript males from 18 to 50 into posse's. Or, the provision passed during World War II to award \$10,000 to anyone who manufactures synthetic rubber from products