

take your seats and record your presence. Senator Landis, Senator Koch, Senator Cope, Senator Keyes, Senator Wesely, Senator Schmit, Senator Beutler, Senator Maresh, Senator Kahle, Senator Johnson, Senator Merz, Senator DeCamp, Senator Fitzgerald, Senator Barrett, Senator Simon, Landis, Koch, Cope, Wesely, Schmit, Maresh, Kahle, Johnson, Merz, DeCamp, Dworak, Fitzgerald, Barrett, Simon, Lewis, Venditte. Those of you who have returned and you haven't recorded your vote would you please do so. This is the procedure that eats up the time that means that you will not get some of your bills passed. We would appreciate it if you would accelerate the process. Accelerate the positive. Mr. Sergeant at Arms, we are looking for Senator Cope and Senator Merz. Okay, call the roll.

CLERK: Roll call vote. 12 ayes, 29 nays, 4 present and not voting, 4 excused and not voting. Vote appears on page 1272 of the Legislative Journal.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion lost. Senator Warner. Okay, what is the amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Lamb now moves to amend the bill. The Lamb amendment reads as follows: (Read amendment as it appears on page 1273 of the Journal).

SENATOR LAMB: Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Lamb.

SENATOR LAMB: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, this is the amendment to the grasshopper bill that I consider to be extremely important.

SPEAKER MARVEL: What is the point?

SENATOR MARSH: Mr. Speaker, I think this is a reconsideration of the motion that was voted down.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Lamb, did you have a previous amendment?

SENATOR LAMB: No.

SPEAKER MARVEL: You may proceed.

SENATOR LAMB: Thank you, Mr. Chairman. If you care to open you bill books, LB 995, page 40, my amendment is on line 11 and I would remove the one-sixth share of the state and reinsert one-third. Historically Nebraska has paid one-third of the share of the grasshopper program. It has been one-third federal