

are now on Select File which we may not get to this evening. So in the first place, it is a subterfuge in that we're getting around the priority system that we have set up. In the second place, it is an entirely new bill. It strikes all of the original sections of the bill. This is the third or the fourth entire re-write of the Christian school bill and I don't know how the rest of you feel but I think we've been through this subject enough this year and I think that it is not appropriate to suspend the rules to start all over again on the Christian school bill. Thank you.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Vickers.

SENATOR VICKERS: Very briefly, Mr. President and members, I, too, rise to oppose this motion to suspend the rules. If you will look at your agenda, you can see that if we wanted to operate with this issue all we have to do is proceed on down the agenda and LB 652 is down there. Obviously this is an attempt to deal at this late hour with an issue that has been dealt with at quite some length in this body. No matter whether you are for or against this particular issue it seems to me the mechanism we are using is wrong and should be opposed for that reason. I also would like to point out to you that we're supposed to have one subject in a bill and it would certainly seem to me that if we suspend the rules in this instance that we're going to have more than one subject in this bill. Now whether or not that might affect anybody's decision on this bill in the end I have no idea but I do think that it is definitely an issue that we need to be very, very aware of and this body should not suspend the rules in this fashion to insert this piece of legislation in LB 520.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator DeCamp, we have two minutes left on the bill.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, very briefly, this is the last attempt I am going to make to resolve the Christian school issue. The amendment offered, which I am asking you to suspend the rules for, simply recognizes the Wisconsin v Yoder case which recognized that the Amish and Mennonites do have some distinct differences. If you won't even do this, then I would believe you are reaching the point where you are just telling these religions, hey, we're punishing you for the sake of punishing, we're hurting to prove we can hurt and so on, and I think that is wrong.

SENATOR CLARK: The question before the House is suspension of the rules. All of those in favor will vote aye, opposed vote nay. It takes 30 votes. Have you all voted on the