

that this economy has had on agriculture.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Time is up.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: So I would urge you to support the DeCamp motion.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question is the adoption of the DeCamp motion. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk. Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DECAMP: I guess a roll call.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Roll call vote has been asked for. You are voting on the adoption of the DeCamp amendment. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Read the roll call vote as found on page 2428 of the Legislative Journal.) 25 ayes, 20 nays, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The motion is adopted. Anything else on it? Whose bill is it? Are you going to do anything else to the bill, Senator DeCamp? Like advance it? The motion is to advance the bill. Machine vote has been asked for. It is debatable. Senator Chambers. Please turn off your lights and turn them back on if you wish to speak.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Well, Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, the battle has been joined and I know there were some who were offended at my motion to reconsider. I am going to make every motion I can to stop this thing and I am going to discuss it and try to discuss it to death. I tell you again, Senator Conway was put in a bad situation and the Legislature helped teach him that lesson that he needed to be taught and I hope he doesn't forget it. But I regret that it happened to him. They wouldn't bring that mess to me. There are certain other Senators they wouldn't bring it to either. So the issue is not what is in that bill, it is an issue of power and Senator DeCamp has the power this morning because he fronts for Ak-Sar-Ben. Ak-Sar-Ben is really the power. Senator Johnson talked about this being something that would help agriculture. That is the most far-fetched...I am not going to say he doesn't believe it, that is the most far-fetched justification for favoring Ak-Sar-Ben that I have heard. This is a gambling proposition. Ak-Sar-Ben is a gambling operation. They exist by virtue of exemptions made to the