

want the benefit of whatever is done. Let other people risk their neck but I am not going to risk mine. That is a poor way to do business and perhaps it needs to come to an end, but at any rate I am going to support Senator Hall's motion to give this money back to whatever this program is, and let the others obtain the Legislative, which is the equivalent of the Congressional Medal of Honor, for voting against restoring money to the Department of Roads program.

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Senator Chambers. The Chair would like to interrupt debate to announce that Senator Lowell Johnson has a guest under the north balcony, Mr. Carsten Pruser of Wolfsburg, West Germany who is an exchange student attending Logan View Junior-Senior High School near Hooper, Nebraska, and he is sponsored by our doctor of the day, who is Dr. William Heusel of Hooper, Nebraska. We would like to have you gentlemen stand. We would like to recognize you and thank you for coming. Senator Harris, do you wish to speak on the Hall motion?

SENATOR HARRIS: I would call the question, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: We have had a pro and a con. Do I see five hands? I do not see five hands. Now I do. I will put the question to you. We have had a pro and con argument on the motion. Shall the debate close? All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. We are voting to cease debate. Twenty-five votes are required for affirmative passage of this motion. Do you wish to cease debate on the Hall motion? The Chair will allow 20 seconds for the recording of your votes. The motion is to cease debate on Senator Hall's motion to add \$361 back to the budget. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 2 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: May we have order in the Chamber, please, and, Senator Hall, you may close.

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President and members, I don't want to be considered a spendthrift and I hope that you don't think that this motion on my part is a commitment to vote for a half cent sales tax increase. Senator Warner is right when he says we are not dealing with apples and oranges. We are so far apart here we are dealing with watermelons and grapes. He said that earlier on Senator Pappas's motion that we are at the point where we are at no return, the point of no return, we will have