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LB 100

SENATOR MILLS: LB 100 was introduced by the rurals and Senator Lewis.

SENATOR DWORAK: Did the munies have a bill?

SENATOR MILLS: Yes, they had LB 147.

SENATOR DWORAK: What happened to 147?

SENATOR MILLS: It died in committee at the time of the so called negotiations. It was, however, still alive.

SENATOR DWORAK: Would you indicate at this point then....

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Senator Dworak, your time is up.

SENATOR DWORAK: Thank you, Senator.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: There are no other lights. Senator Dworak, you may close. Senator Mills, I'm sorry.

SENATOR MILLS: Mr. President, I think it is only fair and I would like to yield the rest of my time to Senator Dworak.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Fine. Senator Dworak, do you accept the yield?

SENATOR DWORAK: I accept yield. The last question was, talking about a \$250,000 study, we're talking about territorial war, so to speak, or certainly a difference of opinion. We're talking about two sides. I'm saying good sides, rural and municipal people. I wouldn't be for or against either particular group. But yet we have one side up on the board and the other side killed in committee. To me this seems like there are people that...or the Public Works Committee has definitely put its lot in with one side. Am I right, or am I wrong, Senator Mills?

SENATOR MILLS: Senator Dwoark, it seems to me, and I'm only speaking as one, not as a committee, it seemed to me that both sides said "Hey, we'll take this issue. We agree with the study, but we want to deal with the problem that LB 100 has been voted to the floor, now what are we going to do with it?" That was, I think in answer to your question, that was what was trying to be negotiated. Both sides said "Yes, we will accept the study. Yes, we think it's good. Yes, we think it should proceed. Yes, we will inform our membership and help them to support this, have them support this resolution".

SENATOR DWORAK: Senator Mills, would you say that 100 was sort of a leverage, or a threat, or a club to bring about these negotiations?

SENATOR MILLS: I really couldn't comment on that. I know that there are people that think so.

SENATOR DWORAK: Thank you, Senator Mills.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Senator Kremer.

SENATOR KREMER: Mr. Chairman, I would only like to add my little bit again, review what I think I tried to say this morning. At the time that these three bills were being con-

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