

CLERK: The short one you are going to reoffer. Do you want us to hold that?

SENATOR DeCAMP: Yes, just hold the short one. That long one hasn't been printed in the Journal, yet, has it? I just turned it over to you, this morning, right?

CLERK: What was your comment?

SENATOR DeCAMP: I say the other one hasn't been in the Journal.

CLERK: They are in today's Journal that we are typing right now.

SENATOR DeCAMP: So nobody could have read them yet?

CLERK: Nobody has read them except me, except us up here.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Then I wouldn't want to take them up until everybody had a chance to read them.

CLERK: So what do you want to do?

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: So you withdraw those?

SENATOR DeCAMP: Let it sit for awhile.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: It is off now. It is not before the House. That is not before the House so we go on to the next amendment.

CLERK: Did he do that with his second amendment, also, then?

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Yes, he did. He withdrew it.

CLERK: Then the next amendment, Mr. President, is offered by Senator Murphy.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: What amendment is this now?

CLERK: And this one reads as follows: Read. (See page 1561, Journal.) They were offered to us this morning for insertion in the Journal which they will be in today's Journal which we won't have until tomorrow.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The Chair recognizes Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY: The very simple intent of this, and I believe it is section 10, simply relates to the phraseology of increasing payments when consumers price index and wholesale price indexes are being increased but somehow we never seem to consider the possibility, and God forbid, I don't believe it myself, but should that index go down, I am sure the taxpayers would just as soon see that budget go down in the same manner in which it went up. But the wording now says, "increase", and all I want it to say is "change". If it goes up, swell, it goes up. If it goes down, swell, I think it ought to go down.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The Chair recognizes Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. Speaker, I think the amendment is redundant but I will accept it because Senator Murphy is such a good