

tive vote, over 50% of the vote, for the merger to be in effect.

PRESIDENT: Senator Mills.

SENATOR MILLS: Well, Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I now have to stand after Senator Lamb and Rummery have brought to you an amendment that they did introduce at the Committee Hearing but I will certainly urge you to vote for their amendment because they do have a problem. As those people, Senator Lamb, had a problem that asked me to introduce the bill for them so could you introduce a bill for your problem area in the future but this is a good way to do it and I commend you for it and I hope that you'll pass the bill. Senator Lewis had a super amendment there. We need to get the bill moving. I'd ask you to adopt that amendment, the Lamb and Rummery amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Rummery.

SENATOR RUMMERY: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, Senator Lamb indicated that we have a problem in our two districts, namely Calloway and Arnold, and they have asked that we make this possible so that they can merge to, at least put it to a vote of the people so they can merge, and I thank Senator Mills for allowing us to do this. We'd like to go a little step further. I think Senator Lamb and I would like to have our names put on the bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Rasmussen.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. President, members of the body, this was brought before the Government Committee as a bill and at that time there were technical things that Senator Lamb explained to be ironed out and I certainly am going to vote for the amendment. I think this is much needed in that area and I would ask that the rest of the body go along with their amendment to make this amendment become law.

PRESIDENT: The question then is the Lamb amendment. Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, on the adoption of the Lamb/Rummery amendment Mr. President. Mr. President, I have nothing further on the bill.

PRESIDENT: The question is shall the bill be advanced. All in favor say aye. Contrary say nay. The bill is advanced. Senator Luedtke.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Mr. President, I move that we...oh. Pat wants to get something in.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Newell asks unanimous consent to print amendments to LB 42. Senator Warner to print amendments to LB 713 in the Legislative Journal.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Mr. President, I move that we recess until 1:30.