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LB 21, 171, 256, 276, 299, 418,
613, 817, 938, 954.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Yes.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator DeCamp would like to print amendments to LB 613. (See page 996 of the Legislative Journal.)

Your Committee on Public Health and Welfare whose Chairman is Senator Cullan to whom was referred LB 21 instructs me to report the same back to the Legislature with the recommendation that it be indefinitely postponed; 171 indefinitely postponed; 256 indefinitely postponed; 299 indefinitely postponed; 418 indefinitely postponed and 938 indefinitely postponed. (Signed) Senator Cullan, Chairman.

Mr. President, Senator Newell makes a motion to reconsider the body's action on the Final Reading of LB 817. That will be laid over.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator DeCamp, before we can proceed what is your pleasure in regard to 954?

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, and members of the Legislature, usury rates are the overwhelming issue and I would want to take them up immediately and we will worry about the other things some other time.

SPEAKER MARVEL: You are requesting to pass over 954. Hearing no objection, so ordered. We will start with LB 276.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 276 was introduced by the Banking Committee. (Read title to LB 276.) The bill was read January 15 of last year. It was referred to the Banking Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. I have committee amendments from Senator DeCamp's Banking Committee. I also have a series of amendments to the committee amendments, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator DeCamp, do you want to briefly explain the committee amendments?

SENATOR DeCAMP: Did we adopt them yet? Oh, we are still on all of the other amendments. Okay, committee amendments. The thrust of the committee amendments is to make a change from a hundred thousand to twenty-five thousand in the matter of where usury rates are involved. Above twenty-five thousand usury rates of the State of Nebraska would not be involved under this proposal. So as a simple example, if Bernice goes to Barry and says, Barry, I want to buy your