

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Newell, your light was on first. Is Senator Newell there? Senator Marsh.

SENATOR MARSH: Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, one technicality. The South African coins were not given to the University of Nebraska, yet the proposal is to take \$1,000,000 away from the University of Nebraska. I rise to oppose the amendment. At the same time I want the record very clear, I am not upholding South African government. I have friends, both black and white, whose homes are in South Africa. This is not, in my estimation, the way to solve the problem which has been lifted up for us by Senator Chambers. Yet, I commend him for bringing this information to the Legislature. Sometimes it is very easy to duck what is not pleasant to see. I do oppose the amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, I was going to point out essentially what Senator Marsh has indicated, that of course the Foundation at the University of Nebraska is a private corporation involving all campuses, not just UNL and I can appreciate that amendments to any appropriation bill can serve an appropriate vehicle to discuss issues but it would seem to me that the relationship for \$1,000,000 reduction to UNL and the concerns which Senator Chambers has relayed to it. While having perhaps some indirect or even direct relationship it still would not be an appropriate course for the body to follow and if any action was appropriate it ought to be directed toward the Foundation which is involved rather than the University of Nebraska system which is not directly and cannot directly control what the Foundation might do.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Koch. The question has been called for. I see five hands. All those in favor of ceasing debate vote aye, opposed no. Shall debate cease? Record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 26 ayes, 1 nay to cease debate, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried. Debate ceases. Senator Chambers, do you wish to close on your amendment?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, there is a reason that that Foundation has the term, University, attached to it and I would like to ask Senator Marsh a question to clear the record and I did mention that