

SPEAKER MARVEL: Well, the second one is then, in line 4 down through vehicles or.

SENATOR MARSH: Yes, sir.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay. Okay, I think then that we will proceed as we have indicated. Those of you who are following this bill, would you please turn in your Journal to page 379, and on page 379 the first vote is, "On page 2, line 3, strike "four" and insert "three". And then the second vote starts, "In line 4 after "vehicle" insert ", as defined in section 60-301," down to "vehicles or". Okay, Senator Marsh, do you want to speak to the first amendment?

SENATOR MARSH: The first amendment is the second half?

SPEAKER MARVEL: It is, "On page 2, line 3, strike "four" and insert "three".

SENATOR MARSH: Yes, sir, I would speak against this section of the amendment. As it fits into the bill, we are not talking about four year olds, we are not talking about three year olds, we are talking about those under four or those under three, and most of you know that a two year old does not fit well into a seat belt without having some type of seat restraint such as the one over on the side here. That helps the child see out of the car. It helps the child remain quiet safely, but if you are trying to put that squirming just turned three year old without some additional assistance, that child is not as safely restrained. It is better than none. But we are talking about children who are infants and one and two year olds in this bill. Let's try it with the three year olds in the proposal without taking them out to start with. They are still well under kindergarten age, as you know. I would like to see it say, under age five, but this was a compromise on my part. Let's not compromise it further at the very beginning. I urge you to vote against the first section of the proposed amendments.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Now let me find....Senator Cope, do you wish to speak to the amendment that...okay. Senator Clark, do you wish to speak to the amendment? Senator Nichol, do you wish to speak to the amendment Senator Marsh just...?

SENATOR NICHOL: Yes, I do.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay.