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that. That's fine with me. But unfortunately that doesn't seem to be fine with some people. We want to spend a million and a half dollars, or almost a million and a half, knowing that the mood in the federal government is not to send federal funds down. It seems to me that what we are doing is starting to climb a ladder and breaking the rungs off behind us. When we get up a few steps, what other direction are we going to go? I think we need to make that decision right up front. Let's be honest about it. Do we want to build a school by ourselves, or do we want to have other help? That is the decision. That's what we are talking about. I think we need to have a little bit of assistance. I don't think the State of Nebraska can afford it by itself. I wish we had a Veterinary College in the State of Nebraska. I wish every skillet in the State of Nebraska had a T-bone steak in it tonight also. I wish every garage had a Cadillac or, excuse me, Senator Goll, a Mark IV in it. Unfortunately, not everybody can afford a Mark IV, and I hate to admit this but not everybody can afford a T-bone steak in their skillet tonight either, and I am not sure... I am positive that the State of Nebraska cannot afford to be alone in the Veterinary School as much as we would like to have it. The livestock industry is not making money hand over fist right now. I don't think agriculture in general is. As a matter of fact, I don't think the outlook looks too good for the whole year, but still we are willing to commit it. One other thing I would like to point out, one of the things in a hand out, one of the fact sheets for the Vet College issue says that, and it does look bad, it looks terrible, Nebraska ranks 49th in the nation in total of veterinarians when you compare it to the receipts for livestock and products, and it ranks 48th in the nation in ratio of food animal veterinarians compared to cash receipts for livestock and products. Of course, they forget to tell you that even though Nebraska ranks 48th in the nation....

SPEAKER MARVEL: You have one minute left.

SENATOR VICKERS: ....Iowa and Kansas rank 45 and 46. Now that is rather strange. If that is going to change by building a Vet School in this state, how's come Iowa and Kansas rank 45 and 46? Economics is what dictates that, ladies and gentlemen. Economics out there in rural Nebraska, and our economy is not that great. I, for one, am going to support the Beutler amendment because we need help. We cannot afford it by ourselves. It's just that simple. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Schmit.