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SENATOR CLARK: Senator Remmers, do you wish to close?

SENATOR REMMERS: Well I just want to say again that the man that was hauling these thought he was within the law and I thought he was too so I went to the State Highway Department and thought that it would just be a matter of explaining what he was hauling but they had already fined him or arrested him last fall so they were not about to turn around on their decision. But it is not a matter of weight. They are light and they are not a matter of hazard because we have wider vehicles on the road today. Implement dealers can haul, I believe, almost any width on a truck according to the way I read the present statutes. So I don't think we are increasing the danger to traffic and I am sure we are not increasing the danger as far as the weight destroying the highways and I think the amendment should be adopted.

SENATOR CLARK: The question before the House is the adoption of the Remmers amendment. All those in favor vote aye. All those opposed vote nay.

CLERK: Senator Clark voting yes.

SENATOR CLARK: Have you all voted on the Remmers amendment? Well they have all voted but 24. Have you all voted? I hope we don't have to go under Call. Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 6 nays on the motion to advance the bill, Mr. President. I'm sorry, on the adoption.

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