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propose too many bills, that doesn't mean they become law. You have the power here to handle that situation and in addition to the points that have already been made, it doesn't appeal to me to change horses in the middle of the stream. I am like many of you who have signed bills, co-signed with bills and should we adopt a change now it would kind of upset the apple cart as Senator Higgins I believe it was mentioned a while ago, in that we have gone ahead on the basis that we are going to govern ourselves, discipline ourselves as we did last year with the rules and why come in at this time and say we are changing the amount of bills that can be introduced? Not that I or you or anyone here has a potful of bills that they are going to throw in at the last minute. Don't think that's it. I think we are beating a straw man to death with something that isn't going to happen anyway. I propose that we don't pass the rule change when it comes up.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Schmit, do you want to talk to the amendment? Senator Newell. He is gone. The question before the House is the adoption of the Lamb amendment. Senator Lamb, did you want to close?

SENATOR LAMB: Mr. President and members, I think Senator Nichol has said it best in that the privilege of the Governor to introduce bills has never been abused and it is something that I believe the Governor should have. He has had it in the past and the second part of the amendment which Senator Wesely did not comment on is the fact that if Senator Marvel does introduce the Governor's bills, that then counts against his total and I don't think that is fair. The Speaker ordinarily does introduce bills for the Governor and that should not be counted against Senator Marvel's total and so those are the two provisions in this amendment and I believe that the amendment should be passed. I ask for your support.

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

CLERK: Senator Clark voting yes.

SENATOR CLARK: Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 14 ayes, 28 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Lamb's amendment.

SENATOR CLARK: The amendment lost. We are back on the original rule. We have two more amendments.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment I have is offered by Senator Wesely. (Read Wesely amendment as found on page 122 of the Legislative Journal.) That is offered by Senator Wesely.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Wesely, your amendment.