

March 31, 1982

LB 953

CLERK: Mr. President, the motion before the Legislature is adoption of Senator Vickers' amendment. Senator Vickers amendment is on page 1225 of the Journal and would read as follows. (Read Vickers amendment.) It is on page 1225 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT: On LB 953. So the Clerk will call the roll on the motion to adopt the Vickers amendment.

CLERK: (Read roll call vote as found on page 1530 of the Legislative Journal.) 23 ayes, 21 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Vickers amendment.

PRESIDENT: The motion fails. There is another amendment on the desk. Before we do, Mr. Clerk, let me introduce some guests of Senator Dworak, 50 fourth and fifth graders from the Genoa Public Schools, Mrs. Green and Jerry Voboril and six sponsors. There are two teachers and six sponsors. They are up here in the North balcony. Would they kind of wave to us so we know where they are. Welcome to your Legislature. Motion on the desk. Mr. Clerk, do you want to go ahead.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have an amendment from Senator Schmit that is on page 1458. I believe he wants to withdraw that, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right, the motion is withdrawn. Any further amendments?

CLERK: Nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Burrows, did you have....? Senator Burrows has an amendment so read the amendment.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Burrows would move to amend the bill. (Read Burrows amendment as found on page 1530 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Burrows, go ahead.

SENATOR BURROWS: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature, I find my vote on this bill a very frustrating one because I realize the merits of many of the commodity checkoff programs but the take and the dollar tax that we are putting out here under the existing language in the bill I think is going way big in a first year appropriation. The first year take if we go with twenty-five cents a head will be \$2,310,000 in a program that is not established. That is with a startup of twenty-five cents and then it allows this six member elected board of which we don't know really what direction they are