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has to explain to those people is that he discussed an issue with them about which he had no practical knowledge or experience, while on the outside he was as naive and ignorant of the legislative process as they were. Now that he has come into the Legislature he will see that there are people who should not be limited to a specific number of bills. I feel there should be no limit, but since there is going to be a limit, we should not make it unduly small. The next step might be to say offer one bill, then everybody's happy...there are forty-nine bills before the Legislature. Then suppose Senator Beutler has a problem with the speed limit around schools in his area, or the location of train tracks, and other things that will happen in Lincoln, but he can only introduce one bill, and he's got to come back and say, well I know what the rule is but this is very important. Those are things we should consider before we offer these restrictive rules which read well to the public but impede the legislative process. When you have a collection of this many people, and the Unicameral by the way is small for a Legislative body, when you have nevertheless this many people, you cannot have a...

SPEAKER MARVEL: One minute, please.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...clockwork running operation. There will be times when people will be irritated because they think I talk too long on an issue. Then I sit here and think they talk too long on an issue that's of interest to them, but that is what this process is and that is the way it functions, and to unduly restrict the very thing that we're here for I think is to defeat and destroy the purpose of the Legislature. It should be obvious that I'm opposed to his amendment.

SENATOR NICHOL PRESIDING

SENATOR NICHOL: Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. Chairman and members of the body, I rise to oppose Senator Beutler's proposed amendment to the rules. In fact, I really believe Senator Beutler analyzes this as an attorney in a profession. He understands the role of a legislator is to present bills, some of them noble, some of them ignoble, some of them probably dogs, but I would suggest to you, Senator Beutler, that any person on this floor can limit himself. I'm absolutely opposed to even the rule of ten. I think it's a gag upon myself as an individual, and also is a disadvantage to those I represent from a district. Legislation, whether you like it or not, by introduction, is a matter of education to the public. If we're going to do anything, I suggest we should limit committees to ten, allow an