

speaking in opposition to one of my amendments. So there are certain routine things that people say here that have nothing to do with...

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...the reality that is before us. The reality here is that I have a number of amendments that I'm going to offer to the bill to try to change it. If none of those amendments are adopted, I'm not going to do the same thing on Select File. I'm not going to offer any of the amendments again. But I want it clear from the record, as I've stated before, that these specific items had been discussed, and not only discussed but made the subject of an attempt to amend the bill. If Senator McFarland, Senator Hefner and the others who support this bill want to resist every amendment, that is their prerogative. But my prerogative is to offer amendments to the bill. And, as I stated, after this amendment I have another one related to the type of language that is being put on the face of that contract that I think is not appropriate. I hope you will adopt this amendment and the others that I will offer.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. You've heard the closing. And the question is the adoption of the Chambers amendment to LB 224. Those in favor of that motion vote aye, opposed nay. Voting on the Chambers amendment. Have you all voted? Record, please. Record vote has been requested.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 992 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 11 ayes, 15 nays on the Chambers amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Motion fails. The Chair is pleased to take this opportunity to introduce some guests in the north balcony. As guests of Senator Chizek we have 60 students from Bennington High School in Bennington, Nebraska with their teacher. Would you people please stand and be recognized. Thank you, we're glad to have you with us this morning. Next item.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Yes, Mr. President. Senator Chambers would move to amend. On page 10, strike lines 11 through 22.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature,