

thoughts for public consumption, then it is a different story. After we have bludgeoned the public and shown no concern whatsoever, after we have placated the big shots and the corporations, then the public, as slow as they are in catching on, finally wakes up to how they have been hoodwinked and mistreated and begin an outcry. Then suddenly we become compassionate. We become filled with understanding and we want to do that which is just and proper on a particular bill for a political purpose, but the public doesn't care what our motivation is, if we do that which is going to benefit them. In order to understand what is happening with the Legislature when that mood of compassion descends, you have to look at what that Legislature does on other issues that that session of the Legislature is dealing with, and if you don't see that same so-called compassion, that same concern for justice, that same desire to take care of the best interest of the public, then you know that this particular time represents an aberration. The Legislature doesn't have, all of a sudden, a greater concern for the public and we know it. We know the public are suckers, and we know, as that famous preacher said, if God hadn't of wanted them fleeced, he wouldn't have made them sheep, if he hadn't of wanted them shorn, he would not have made them sheep. So we all know what the reality is here, and I am going to watch and see what we do here, as I watched two years ago, and as Senator McFarland had put things into the record, so did I, but I am not going to read from the record. I have got that one sticker that I put together, and it is interesting to me the kind of maneuvering that occurs, and some people stand on the floor as though they have thought deeply about an issue and they are going to come forth with a conclusion that is based on having looked objectively at all sides of the question, and before they open their mouth, we can tell exactly what is going to come out of it. There has not been any objective consideration of all of the issues. The hammer is poised. The hammer is going to fall. Marching orders have been given and we all know exactly what is going to happen, and we know who is going to do what, and we know who is going to vote which way.

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Politicians, no matter how deficient they may be in formal education, whether they have never read a page of psychology or sociology, are master psychologists when it comes to practical everyday living because they understand human nature and must understand human nature to be able to lie to the