

many people are giving up their summers to come back. Now is the time to put away some of those things and to make the real decision in your stomach, do you want to fix the tax situation or not? The tax problem is here, and...

PRESIDENT MOUL: Time.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: ...the only way to fix it with a constitutional amendment. If you don't want to have that sick, sorrowful feeling, that hollow feeling, I'd vote for this amendment, we'll adjourn sine die.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Kristensen. Senator Labeledz, followed by Senators Robinson, Warner, Wehrbein, and Kristensen. Okay. Senator Robinson.

SENATOR ROBINSON: Madam President, members of the body, I was accused, oh, about 20 minutes ago that I drank the same kind of water Frank Korshoj said...or drinks. And the reason was, I said it ain't going to make any difference, and that was on the ConAgra deal, and it ain't going to make any difference. Right now I'm not sure if it's going to make any difference what happens here. But I think the only salvation we have is to keep the 30 votes on. That's the...to me that's the only salvation. The other night, before we adjourned at twelve-o-one, there were a few of us sitting here, Ed Schrock was sitting down in Dennis' chair, and Senator Landis was here, and we had...Ed had voted against the constitutional amendment. And I think the scenario that Senator Landis brought forth should be talked about on the floor. And what he said, well, we don't do anything about it. So we come back...we come back January 1st, and then when is the constitutional amendment going on? We need 40 votes to put it on, the constitutional amendment in the primary. We only needed, if it's, as I understand it, if it's an initiative referendum by the people, it has to go on in November. Well, I really question if we can't get 40 votes now, we're not going to get 40 votes in January. Now we can get 30 votes and put it on in November. But like Senator Landis said, those people...those people are going to be thinking about those property tax reductions, they're going to get a lot of pressure, the urban senators are going to get a lot of pressure not to do anything. And that's what's going to happen. I think our best chance right now to help the people out in rural Nebraska is to vote for the 30 votes, and leave it up to the people, because I think they'll do it right. And I think the 3-R Committee can do