

traditional kill motion on it. I want this bill to be passed, so people can see the quality of work that the Legislature does, and the quality of work which, when I oppose, I will be called an obstructionist. I won't say a dilettante because that is something a little different from just being dilatory, but, yeah, I can say it here, I am a dilettante. I am esoteric. I am erotic. I am all of those things, not neurotic, or psychotic, however. I just wanted to call a few of those things to your attention. And then, my time is out, I have one other question I want to ask Senator Elmer, so I will put my light back on.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Time. Senator Landis, followed by Senator Beutler.

SENATOR LANDIS: I have a question and I would like to pose what I think is the purpose of the bill for comment by Senator Elmer to see if I have it correctly stated generally, and then see if I can follow up with a line of argument on the bill. I look at Section 2, on page 2, and it, basically, says the law here is establishing the rule that it will be a criminal act for someone to intentionally interfere with this particular lawful act; that the basic goal of the bill is to make it illegal to intentionally interfere with this particular set of lawful acts. Would that be a fair characterization of the bill?

SENATOR ELMER: To the best of my knowledge, that is true, Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Okay. And if we go down to the list of the kinds of things that you would do which would be illegal, it includes scaring the game birds, or chasing them, disturbing them. Imagine, if you will, a hunting expedition, a party out there, shotguns at the ready, and then 12, 15 feet away a group of animal rights activists shouting, beating the bush, carrying a placard with pictures of fur-bearing animals and the slaughter, and this would be made illegal by this act since it would be intentional interference. Would it not, Senator Elmer?

SENATOR ELMER: If they are active...

SENATOR LANDIS: Beating drums, making noise, shouting at the hunting party.

SENATOR ELMER: With the intention of terminating the hunting