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carry on, they may be cleaner on top than they are even now. They won't have a crown; they won't have a stitch of hair on their head; may not even have a head. But here's what concerns me about the way the Legislature functions, especially in view of what Senator Wickersham laid out for us. So I've got to ask him a question or two to see if he will help me to...so that I won't stray from the path of righteousness that he has laid down for us today. Senator...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Wickersham.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...Senator Wickersham, by analogy, if you will...

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: I like parables better.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay. (Laugh) But I'm going to do it by way of an analogy. We passed along in the process what's called the young farmer, or beginning farmer bill...whatever that is.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: LB 630, I think.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: There will be...what is the impact expected to be? A million-something dollars, is that true?

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: It would be better to ask Senator Wehrbein that question. I think the first year impacts are smaller and then the outyear impacts are larger. It may start off at a little over \$1 million, although Senator Wehrbein, if I recall, had some doubts about whether it would cost that much money. I'm trying to be fair to Senator Wehrbein.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I understand. But anyway, it's going to be...there's going to be some money, but it will be in the form...it won't be in the form of a direct payout, will it, under that bill?

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: In the form of the bill now, it would be a credit on your Nebraska income tax return.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And that's not for the beginning farmer, but for the old geezer who's got the land. Isn't that true?