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people who feel as I do but will not say anything and hope that I can go ahead and do this dastardly deed. I'm going to withdraw that motion that I have. Senator Brashear is going to get us to vote down the committee amendment. Then we will do battle on the Beutler amendment which, the way I read it, still has some of the worst aspects of the committee amendment. But at least we're getting some of that other stuff that had maybe raised so much dust out of the way. So, Mr. President, I'm withdrawing that motion, and any amendments that I have to the committee amendments I'm withdrawing also.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Thank you, Senator Chambers. The request to remove the motion to reconsider requires unanimous consent. Are there any objections? The motion is withdrawn. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, pursuant to Senator Chambers' instruction, his second amendment to the committee amendments is withdrawn. At this point, Mr. President, I have nothing further pending to the committee amendments.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Senator Brashear. Senator Brashear, you're recognized to speak to the committee amendments to LB 120.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Yes, Mr. Chairman, members of the body. You've heard how we're trying to work our way through this particular thicket. And at this point, it being necessary to dispose of the committee amendments without adopting them, I'm in the unique position of asking you to defeat them, which I know will gladden the hearts of some of you. (Laugh) Yes, Senator Matzke. So I'm joining you in asking that you defeat the committee amendments, please. Thank you.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: We've heard the closing on the motion for advancement of the committee amendments to LB 120. All those in favor signify by voting aye, all those opposed nay. Record.

CLERK: 0 ayes, 32 nays, Mr. President, on the committee amendments.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: The committee amendments are not adopted. Anything further on the bill?