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SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...to declare their independence and are going to stand up to me. So I think we probably are in a war of wills and, while they are building up their strength for the final lap and are all going to gang me, I'm losing strength by the moment. No energy source is inexhaustible, even that of the sun. At some point it will burn out, the scientists tell us. There is no such thing as a perpetual motion machine as far as anybody knows so far. But just because something has not been done yet does not mean it will never be done. So think about it. Adopt this amendment, adopt the bracket motion and LB 175 has gone bye-bye. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Mr. Clerk, items for the record?

CLERK: Thank you, Mr. President. Education Committee will have an Executive Session at 10:15 underneath the north balcony; Education, 10:15, north balcony. Priority bill designations: Senator Bohlke has selected LB 1436; Senator Suttle has selected LB 1399. Senator Schimek, an amendment to LB 480A to be printed. And Education Committee reports LB 1328 to General File. That's all that I had, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal page 510.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senator Chambers, you're recognized to close on your amendment.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President. Hmm, something with my name on it went someplace else and was opened, but I guess that happens around here. At least it ultimately found its way to me. This is my closing, Mr. President?

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Yes, sir.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, thank you. I was distracted. All this does is change the bracket date from March 25th (sic--31st) to April 1st. You can defeat this motion and still vote on the bracket motion itself, which ought to be done. So, in order to allow some votes to be taken, the bracket motions are the only way I know to do that other than to have some of my other attempts to amend voted on. But I'll tell you one amendment