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You're not dealing with people as you ordinarily do. So remember that politics is the forum in which we operate. And speaking of that, I have three colleagues who are, based on what I saw in the paper this morning, going to be opposed for their election. One thing they can all say, you cannot accuse me of having voted with Senator Chambers, you cannot accuse me of having supported anything that he came up with. In fact, if you got the voting list, which I didn't get myself, but it was called to my attention, if you lined them all up, they all voted exactly the same way on practically every issue. So when you get into a political setting, you have to understand that things are not done as would ordinarily occur in a nonpolitical setting. And since some of my colleagues love politics so much, they ought to be enjoying this even more than I am. I did say this morning at the outset that I'm taking a focused approach and not a scatter gun approach. Not every bill am I opposing,...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...because some of them have merit. And where I perceive merit, I acknowledge such to be the case. Since I only have one minute remaining and intending to be collegial, I will not exhaust that entire minute.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Bromm, would you like to close on the committee amendments? Senator Bromm waives closing. Question is the adoption of the committee amendments to LB 1146. Those in favor vote aye, those opposed nay. Mr. Clerk, please record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, to adopt the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The amendments are agreed to.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Chambers would move to indefinitely postpone the bill. Senator Baker, you'd have the option to lay the bill over, Senator.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Baker, would you like to lay the bill over? The bill is laid over. Mr. Clerk, LB 1170.