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SENATOR STUHR: I will try and find out for you, Senator.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Okay. Thank you. I will give the rest of my time to Senator Chambers, if he so desires.

SPEAKER BROMM: Senator Chambers, you have a little over three minutes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Senator Hartnett. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Members of the Legislature, I don't want anybody to think that what I'm suggesting is that meat eaters are doing something wrong. Nature equips us in certain ways in order to survive in certain ways. When you consider your incisors, your teeth, those are teeth that you have in common with the predators. They cut the flesh. We have modified canine, or eye teeth. These are the kind that, if they were highly enough developed, can be killing tools. But at any rate, they are gripping tools for those predators that might take down its prey and strangle it, or suffocate it by biting the throat and just holding on for dear life, until the dear life of the deer is extinguished. We have grinding teeth, so that we can eat vegetation. But when you consider any animal whose jaw has a hinge that is tight, that animal is a meat eater. And the jaw has to be tight so that when the teeth come down they can shear off flesh like scissors do. If you have a critter that's going to browse or graze, eat vegetation, take leaves off trees or grass off the ground, then it has a loose jaw hinge, because it's going to grind, and to have the grinding motion, the jaw cannot be tight. So human beings are omnivores. They eat meat, they eat vegetation. And if you watch these crazy television programs, they eat things that I cannot even describe, and I don't know whether they belong to the animal or plant kingdom or a combination of the two. So I am not making a pitch for vegetarianism, if that is an "ism." I am expressing my attitudes toward hunting. That's why it should be all the more remarkable...

SPEAKER BROMM: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...that I'm unwilling to allow the fees on those who want to hunt to be raised in what I consider to be an