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it. And that's why I finally agreed to Senator Janssen's basic overall proposal, that we have a very simple ballot measure, and that we come back and deal with everything else next year. And I've agreed to go along with that. However, I think, and I think I can speak for Senator Janssen here, that if this body decided it wanted one, and there were 30 votes for it, we would be very willing and very eager to embrace this concept. But I already hear Senator Smith saying, well, he couldn't vote for the bill anyway. So I'm not certain where that would get us in the overall scheme of things. At some point today, I want to talk about...

SPEAKER BROMM: One minute.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: ...what is out there in the way of other ballot issues. And some of them are pretty scary, and we better decide right here and now that we don't want to have to come back and deal with the consequences of some of those issues passing next year. So I'll turn my light on again, and hopefully Senator Smith will turn his light on again, and he will get some time to ask me those questions. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Senator Schimek. (Visitors introduced.) Senator Janssen.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, members of the body. Now, every one of us, all 49 of us in this body have been elected by the people that we represent. Four or six years from now there won't...none of us will be here, none of us will be here. And I would imagine that legislators from, say, 20 years ago thought the same thing. What's going to happen to this body when we're not here to see...to have control of the destiny of this state? Let's go back a little further than that. Let's go back into the 1930s. In the 1930s, this state allowed thoroughbred horse racing. And you look at the Columbus track, the Madison track, Lincoln State Fair Park, Ak-Sar-Ben, the Sioux City racetrack. When I was a youngster, I couldn't wait until I was 16 years old so I could go along with the neighbor, who loved to go watch the horse races. I used to go down there and I would watch the lines at the windows. I couldn't bet, but