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say, or suggest, let the majority do this or that, and give...take cloture because the majority wants this. He doesn't feel strongly about the things that I feel strongly about. So let him take his position and let him persuade the rest of you all to cut me off. But I will have my opportunity to speak. You don't want to let me speak when the issue is before us? Then I'll speak about the issue a lot more than I would have spoken had I been given the opportunity. He had, because the "Emperor" set it up, the votes to get cloture the other day. That's why none of the amendments that I had filed could be considered. But I'm going to have the opportunity to discuss them. The legislative session, for me, is like a continuum. I don't break it into individual days. That's why I'm never 100 percent sure which day of the session it is or how many we have remaining, because they're all tied together, in a sense, like a string of pearls. And if I lay them out on the table, I don't know which one is the beginning, if I start counting, and which one would be the end, if while I'm not looking you rearrange the position of that string of pearls. I'm going to make the circuit. And I'm going to mock, taunt, ridicule, and condemn the Legislature when the members stand up here and want to buck their responsibility to somebody else. Did I ever run for the Chairmanship of the Appropriations Committee? Do I have the right, when I've taken that position of leadership voluntarily, to sink back to the role of an ordinary senator? Did I ever seek to be the Chairperson of the Revenue Committee? The answer to both questions, obviously, is no. But I'm going to be a very active member on this floor. I was sent here by black people, and some white people who live in the district also. You all didn't send me here, so you can't tell me to do anything. What Senator Maxwell ought to do--because he can speak a lot now since he's getting out of here and going to a better-paying job if he wins the county board seat, and he switched his political party so that he could run for that seat, that's political opportunism, but that's what politics is about. He had to be a "Repelican," so he became a "Repelican." He ought to make a motion, or offer a resolution, to expel me.

SPEAKER BROMM: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Since he broached the rule, and he thinks