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lines that the OPS itself put together. I'm going to have more to say about this later, but I just wanted to make a few comments this morning so that it would be clear that those men don't run the Legislature. In their businesses, they can behave in an imperious, dictatorial fashion, and order people to do things and those things will be done. But for them to gather in the way that they did, totally ignorant of the subject about which they were fulminating, is inexcusable. The one thing that I did, and it was on KETV, is to offer to gather all of those big shots together and the best minds they have in the OPS administration, and put me and all of them in a room, and they would all be on one side, I would be on the other, and we would debate this. So I'm waiting for that to happen. And, brothers and sisters, if you all got those threatening calls that the television said you each will receive, before you hightail it to the hills in undignified full retreat, allow me, when we get to that bill, to make a few observations which may restore your resolve and your courage. But I took personal offense at what they said, I was offended as a member of the Legislature, and I felt the need to say something about it. Thank you, Mr. President. And this final thing: I don't believe a one of those persons sent his children to public schools. We probably have people on this floor who defend OPS, but those schools are not good enough for them to send their children to. All of my children went to OPS. I have grandchildren in OPS. No Dushesne, no St. Mary's, no Marian, and I'm not telling people that they cannot do that. But when they're going to condemn others and defend what they call diversity, and they've made sure their children don't attend the schools that they pretend to think so much about, I think it is the crown jewel of hypocrisy. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. We now go to the next agenda item, Final Reading, motion to return to Select File for a specific amendment, LB 1148, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Jensen would move to return LB 1148 to Select File for AM3085. (Legislative Journal page 1525.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Jensen.