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Heidemann. Senator Janssen, followed by Senator Howard.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. Ladies and gentlemen of the Legislature, you know, I haven't spoke on this issue. I've been silent. But I remember about this time of the night, oh, it's been 12 or 13 years ago, we were on an education bill. And I saw the opportunity to put an amendment on one of Senator Jerry Warner's bills. I was fortunate. It was late at night. Nobody was paying attention and the amendment passed. Senator Warner was sitting right over here. Senator Kristensen was right behind him. And the amendment passed and Senator Warner turned around and he looked at Senator Kristensen and he said, what just happened? Well, it passed. You know, here I was a younger man and not really knowing much about the process, but I pulled one over on a couple of veterans. It made me feel pretty good, and you know that that Janssen amendment is still on the books. It's still there. I feel as though there is something now for the rural districts in this state of ours. We haven't asked for much, not that any of my districts are going to benefit greatly by this measure. And I know it's getting late at night and you've all got a little stress. But I also recall an old friend of mine, Senator Dan Lynch from Omaha, it was about this time at night and Senator Lynch got up and we were all under stress and he said, folks, let me tell you something about stress. He said, you know, I'm a plumber by trade. And he said, when you get called out at 1:00 in the morning and someone's sewer line is plugged in a three-story apartment building and the clean-out plug is down in the basement and the stand pipe is full of you know what, he said you get down to that last quarter of a turn on that clean-out pipe, ladies and gentlemen, now that's stress. (Laughter) With that, thank you for listening to a few of my little reminiscing. I'm going to support the amendment and the bill, and I'll give the rest of the time to Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers, 2, 22.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President. Thank you, Senator Janssen, and I'm glad that my friend, Senator Combs, remembered that the word I used was rubes, and the reason I used it was to try to provoke my rural colleagues to combine their numbers and