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PRESIDENT: Senator Barnett, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR BARNETT: I have a question of the Chair. He's closed, I realize this. I would like to ask a question, but I'll direct it to you.

PRESIDENT: Well you haven't abused the right to direct questions to me so I'll accept it without it being written.

SENATOR BARNETT: All I want to know is if he's going to put this amendment on every budget bill that comes by are we going to have to listen to the same speech, or can we make a recording and just read it?

PRESIDENT: I'm not going to rule on that Senator Barnett. Senator Clark, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR CLARK: I had a question just for clarification from Senator Keyes.

PRESIDENT: Well direct the question to the Chair.

SENATOR CLARK: Did he say that his school district was going to have to come up 12 mills? Ten mills? Fifteen mills?

PRESIDENT: Well that is not a proper question after close.

SENATOR CLARK: The question I wanted to ask him ...

PRESIDENT: Well debate has closed, Senator. It may not have even been proper during debate for all I know.

SENATOR CLARK: Thank you sir.

PRESIDENT: Senator Marvel, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR MARVEL: Mr. President, I didn't realize that Senator Keyes had closed. It's my fault because I was late in getting here. I had some remarks but I'll hold them until later.

PRESIDENT: There's a divided opinion as to what you missed, Senator. The question is the adoption of Senator Keyes' amendment. Record your vote. Have you voted? Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: 10 ayes, 18 nays, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion fails. Chair recognizes Senator Simpson.

SENATOR SIMPSON: I would ask that this be a record vote please. That we could verify it and it would be a record vote please.

PRESIDENT: OK.

CLERK: You want it verified too? OK, record vote.