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PRESIDENT ROBAK: Time. Senator, you may continue.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Every time the British dealt with Washington, he basically was a loser. Ran as fast as he could. They saw his heels and the soles of his shoes and his coattails flapping. And in fact, George Washington was being pursued fast, fast, fast across the Jerseys when Thomas Paine wrote: "These are the times that try men's souls." But these people are portrayed as heroes. Then when other facts are disclosed, people call those who are disclosing other facts "revisionists". No, the ones who wrote what has been called "history" were mythologists. They were legend weavers, and if an individual's life cannot withstand scrutiny, if the things he or she did create such shame that it would topple them from their pedestal, such ought to be and we ought not give our children false idols to worship, because sooner or later, as Chaucer said, murder will out, and they'll find out the truth. Not only will they totally throw out that false hero, but they'll have questions about everything they've been told by those who elevated this person to sainthood. Now, the reason I'm saying that is because what's happening today is a forerunner to what will happen during the session. It will not happen like this every day. It will not happen on every bill. As Senator Coordsen pointed out, these bills are inconsequential. Whether they pass or not means nothing, really. Housekeeping type legislation is what we have labeled it. But it gives me the opportunity to let you know that although you all kicked me around and whipped me and left me prostrate and bleeding, that did not end the battle. And it will also let you know you can forget about consent calendar. Now the Speaker can put those bills on a consent calendar and call it that if he wants to, but I'm going to dissent on every bill. I will be the lone dissenter. The sole dissenter: S-O-L-E as well as S-O-U-L. And I will not be deterred; I will not swerve. This is easy. It's always easier when I can deal with multiple bills instead of just one. As good as I am, it's easier to be able to go after a lot of bills instead of having to find a way to contrive 20 amendments on one bill as Senator Beutler and I do so well. But he outdid me. One time Senator Beutler put so many amendments on a bill, if you put the first one on the ground, you could have stretched a ladder all the way to heaven made of Senator Beutler's amendments. It would have been like Jacob's Ladder. For some of you all who don't know