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PRESIDENT: Go ahead, sir.

SENATOR BARNETT: Actually, I don't know if I need the point but I would like to tell you that we of the Executive Committee have seen fit to purchase and to maintain a First Aid room back in the Post Office area. It's going to be equipped so that we can take care of each and every one of you Senators and anybody that should happen to need any care. Senator Richendiefer has offered to help me in this area. I am going to...I think it is a pretty good idea because he ought to know what to do in here if something happens, but I am going to take care of you while you are moving and then Richendiefer will help you in the other area. I think that what we are going to do is try to get a program implemented as to where we can use some of the Pages and some help. We will have schooling. I'll try to get some of these people to be able to handle your individual cases but I am telling you this for one reason. We need your help and this is the way we need it. I am going to get a record file made from every one of you. I am going to get...send around some information cards so that if something happens to you as an individual, we can send these records right to the hospital with you. I am going to ask that you contact your Doctor if you would for any special instructions that he would like to have given out to any one of you so that we can forward it here to a hospital. You have a problem of being away from home. We may not be able to contact your Doctor in the event that something should happen to you. I am asking you, if you want this type of care, if you want this to go with you if something should happen, then it will be your responsibility to get the records to me so that we can keep them in a file. They'll be special things that we will have to know about you. What medication you can't take. I am not going to administer, but the doctor and the hospital would like to know this. The ambulance attendants would like to know this. We would like to know this back in the First Aid room. I would ask for your help and your cooperation because I think this is a great step forward for everybody in this body. You're not here in Lincoln like I'm fortunate enough to be and have my doctor at hand. We will try and take care of you and I'm only sorry that it hasn't been done before, so that you would have some type of preparation to take care of you. So when this information is requested from you, I would hope that you would please, please help us out and get this information to us for your own benefit. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Senator Barnett. Excellent.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Hasebroock would like unanimous consent to bracket LB 230 indefinitely on General File.

PRESIDENT: Are there objections? Any objections to the bracketing of 230? Hearing no objections, so ordered. The bill is bracketed on General File. Do we have any bills for introduction?

CLERK: None, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: We only have, apparently, two bills on Select File. 452 and 43. Senator Marvel, for what purpose do you wish to be recognized?

SENATOR MARVEL: We are working on an amendments on 452. I am hopeful they will be done before noon. I ask unanimous consent that we pass over this bill temporarily.

PRESIDENT: Any objections to passing over 452 on Select File at this time awaiting amendments. Hearing no objections, it is so ordered. Moves us on to 43. Senator Cavanaugh.