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SENATOR CARPENTER: You take them when they come up.

PRESIDENT: Yeah, when they come up they just come up, that is it. All right, Senator Whitney, did you want to be heard on the issue here? We have abandoned the unanimous consent motion and that was probably a smart idea, so go ahead Senator Whitney.

SENATOR WHITNEY: Mr. President, members of the legislature. I am going to have to object to this kind of doing things, because then we get all of those bills mixed up over on Select File and we don't know which ones we have debated and which ones we haven't. It seems to me that we should continue to follow the rules of the legislature. I tried the other day to take up General File so that we could get more on E & R Initial and it was turned down. I say now, lets just continue with our old rules and keep them.

SENATOR CARPENTER: I move the previous question.

PRESIDENT: Alright previous question has been moved, but Senator Carpenter stand by, there may be some misunderstanding here. Senator Simpson.

SENATOR SIMPSON: I'm going to rise on a point of order. Senator Carpenter has spoken on this issue once, and I have requested to speak and I have not spoken and I don't think that you should be recognized again until others have had an opportunity to speak.

PRESIDENT: I would...

SENATOR CARPENTER: Mr. President, I would ask unanimous consent to withdraw the motion. I have no bill that I care anything about. I only tried to accomodate those people who have. I ask unanimous consent to withdraw the motion and let nature take its course.

PRESIDENT: Are there objections to withdrawing the motion?

SENATOR SIMPSON: I object to unanimous consent to withdraw the motion.

PRESIDENT: Alright.

SENATOR SIMPSON: I think that the motion is good, and if he won't make it I would make the motion because everybody here has an interest in one of those bills and it would be a way to get things off of dead center.

PRESIDENT: Senator Fellman, there has been no vote taken on this and he can withdraw his motion and if he wants to withdraw the motion, somebody else can make the motion and that is fine. Senator Carpenter you have withdrawn now for what purpose do you rise, Senator Carpenter.

SENATOR CARPENTER: (mike not activated) all by myself.

PRESIDENT: I'm sorry sir, I didn't hear you again.

SENATOR CARPENTER: I thought that I was the only one who wanted to do this, now that I find that I am not, I ask unanimous consent not to ask unanimous consent to withdraw the motion.