

the nerves and the endurance of the other senators. Somebody said "yep". I don't know if that is a reincarnation of John Wayne or Senator Emil Beyer who ought to be plying his trades as a culinary artist instead of harassing from the peanut gallery. But I'll tell you something, Senator Vard Johnson, the temptation, as mighty as it is, for me to get even and get into the spirit of what has been demonstrated here by the others who pick up their sack and run, who sit out and don't vote, after they have gotten what they want, or maybe following the lead of the Governor who although he is not going to be governor any more may have some other office in mind and my be lining up his ducks now. Or some of the people who have jobs with companies that are going to take care of them and allow them off while they come here and do the work of those companies while the Legislature is session. Or, the attitude of those who may not be coming back to the Legislature but may be trying to establish a nest egg with some company or some special interest group, the temptation is mighty. And, as you know, Senator Johnson, nothing gets my juices boiling and flowing better than to see irritation all around me. But for once, Senator Vard Johnson, I'm going to overcome that temptation. I'm going to say "Satan, get thee behind me, lose me this day and let you have it your way for today." But I can't promise that it will be like this for the remaining three days, or two. Somebody may want to put a motion up there saying there will be no amending of any bills. Suspend that rule for the rest of the session and you may play into my hands by doing that. But if somebody rubs me the wrong way one more time, and that is a threat, I'm threatening the Legislature, if somebody rubs me wrong one more time, look out, and with all the pleading of Senator Vard Johnson, the charm of Senator John DeCamp, the irritation and anger of the rest of you, I will push forward and do what I think is the best thing for me to do.

PRESIDENT: Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: I just want to say, Senator Chambers, that, of course, you play right into Senator John DeCamp's hand if you do that because the only he can possibly salvage that dog he has is to have that sort of amendment put on there so we couldn't possibly salvage something other than a very meritorious number which has very little to recommend it at this time. I just want to say this, I voted against virtually all of the overrides for the reason I'm sure most of you are aware of, and that is that I have opposed the principle we have adopted here when we started...when we embarked on the first day, that we are going