

about any poor people, then the only ones who have children malnourished are those in other countries, not in America, the land of the free and the home of the brave, the richest country on the face of the earth. Why I think the best way to handle a problem is to eradicate it, and since poor people are the problem, take a recommendation from Jonathan Swift who wrote a tract called a modest proposal. Not only would the poor be used for the entertainment of the wealthy and to serve them and flunkly for them, but you can prepare their children for human consumption. They can be broiled. They can be roasted. You can prepare them as kabobs. Think of a hind quarter, a delicious hind quarter, Senator Pirsch, of a bouncing three or four pound infant. Then we would also have another argument against abortion. When we abort these fetuses, we are cutting down on the food supply. We could subsidize the birthing of children in the same way we subsidize those who produce chickens and other livestock. Then we have killed two birds with one stone. We have gotten rid of these unsightly poor vagabonds running around here looking for a handout, and we have provided a new and exotic delicacy for the well-heeled. You could get...I think you could probably find the equivalent of every cut of beef on a human being. I have looked at some bodies in the morgue that had had autopsies performed and you can see ribs, you can see steaks, hams, brains, chitlings, something is there for everybody, and I do believe that if we once come face to face with the reality in this state that poor people are hated and would frankly admit that, then we can begin to put into place some programs that, without hypocrisy, will come to grips with that problem. Unfortunately, the way things stand now I would be among that number who are considered poor, so naturally I would fight against it. But there is one other aspect that I will mention and then I will sit down. You know, old people become poor and they...(interrupted)

PRESIDENT: About half a minute, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...so what we ought to do is detect those people who are likely to turn into poor old people and prepare them so as they approach sixty-five they will be ready to load up in a truck and go off to the slaughter house. Make them believe that that is what the end of life is for, that it is patriotic, that it is the desirable thing, and then they will look forward to it. Oh, joy, I am sixty-four years old, six hundred thirty, six hundred and...how...three hundred and sixty-four days and tomorrow I get to go to the slaughter house. Members of the Legislature, I am not sure what I am going to do on LB 16, but those of you who are against taking the tax off food, I hope I have given you additional ammunition.