

a lot of cases. Costwise I think we ought to let that alone until we get to the A bill and we can discuss that in depth. But, you know, no one said anything about the thirteen million dollars that it costs to run the State Patrol and this is nothing more than a law enforcement tool just as the State Patrol. It costs over sixteen million dollars a year, almost seventeen million dollars a year to run the Omaha Police Department, and that is a law enforcement tool and no one said anything about that. It is all tax dollars. And here we are quibbling over \$400,000 for a statewide system which not only protects the innocent, more importantly that is a tool of law enforcement. And here we are, we are quibbling over that but no one says anything about seventeen million dollars just for the Omaha Police Department and that is all tax dollars. We are trying to get a uniform system across this state so that someone who commits a murder at this end of the state and someone who commits a murder at the other end of the state have an equal chance of being tracked down and caught. We had someone testify at the committee hearings, and they said that...and these are people involved in pathology, and they said if they want to commit a murder in this state, if they were going to commit a murder anywhere in the country, they would come to Nebraska because this is the best state in the Union to do it in, because we don't have the facilities. We have got an archaic system. This bill is supported by the county attorneys. I think I could go on, Mr. Speaker, but in deference to time I am going to conclude my remarks and I wish to speak later on the bill.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Question.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The question has been called for. Do I see five hands? Okay. Shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? The motion before the House is, shall debate cease? While we are waiting for your final vote, in the north balcony from Senator Landis' District fourteen 6th Grade students from the Sacred Heart School in Lincoln and Miss Glushenko, the teacher. Would you raise your hands so we can say, good morning, to you. Right up here. Record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Debate is ceased. Senator Fowler, are you going to close?