

knee jerk reaction is to say lock the people up whom you don't want to see, and that will solve the problem. When you get to the other end, where a problem has been created, then the legislators will wash their hands and say, that is not a matter for us to be concerned about. But I think we should look at the entire complex. Mr. Chairman, since some people may not see this amendment as really touching on the real problem, and we don't have that many people here, I will withdraw that amendment and take up the motion that I have now on the desk.

PRESIDENT: All right, it is withdrawn. Mr. Clerk, the next amendment, please. May I introduce some special guests in the north balcony. From some districts in Omaha and other areas we have eight Nebraska Council for Exceptional Children, their teachers and administrators. Would you folks please stand and be recognized. Thank you for visiting us today. Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, the next motion is from Senator Chambers. He'd move to indefinitely postpone LB 116.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay, what do you say to that?

SENATOR LINDSAY: We'll take it up.

PRESIDENT: Take it up? Senator Chambers, please.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Now, Mr. Chairman, we can get directly to the issue of what the bill is, what it attempts to do and then we can consider what it actually does. First of all, we know that it will not diminish the number of arrests for prostitution. There will be at least as many arrests as now and probably more. It will probably increase the number of women who wind up going to jail. You notice that when Senator Lindsay talked about the number of men arrested he did not state any figures in terms of the number who are put in jail as a punishment. And, if he would check those statistics, he'd find out it's far fewer in terms of men who go to jail than woman. There will be more jury trials. Jury trials take time, they consume money, they consume person power. And we just had the Chief Justice and some other judges and people talking about and they didn't use this term, but conservation of judicial resources because of the number of issues that the Supreme Court has to deal with and it finds itself unable to deal with them. This idea of legislating in this fashion fits the same description of kangaroo justice. That term was applied to courts which are so arbitrary and