

named Richard Williams, the lawyers call him default Williams because the Governor would not appoint anybody from a list that was submitted to her, so the Chief Justice appointed him. Now any case that goes up that that dumbbell sat in on the Supreme Court Chief Justice is going to have to uphold his decision because it's his baby. He's going to say, well, yes, he might be a little addled, but he's my baby, and I've got to take care of my addle-headed baby. Man is as dumb as a post. You know what they ought to be paying me in this state? They ought to be paying me consulting fees for the enlightenment I bring to judges such as him. I pointed out how wrong he was in using an unconstitutional provision and he thought about it and some of his judge friends told him he was embarrassing them and he ought to find a way to correct that, and then he did something outside procedures to try to correct it, and they scratched their head and said, oh my God, he blundered again. The Lancaster County Attorney had been using an unconstitutional method of charging people in this county for ten years, and you know who it took to educate her? Me. I don't get paid consulting fees for doing legal clinics for prosecutors and judges in this state. You all think because somebody wears a gown and has a wooden hammer and sits behind...

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...a desk that I'm going to be in awe and not say the things I ought to say, or do the things that I feel are necessary to be done. And one of the reasons I do them is because there are so many people who will be subjected to this kind of activity at the hands of these people who have no recourse. They cannot hire a lawyer and they cannot handle the matter themselves. If I make any inroad and can cut out any of the injustices, I've helped all those others who will come after me. In fact, Mr. Speaker, there was such an ambience of kangaroo down in that Lancaster County court when I was there that I expected to look up and see Crocodile Dundee sitting on the bench. (Laughter.) How much time do I have?

SPEAKER BARRETT: Ten seconds. Thank you. Any discussion on the Chambers amendment? Seeing none, Senator Chambers, would you like to close?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, what this amendment does is to ensure that all cases of homicide will carry a right, protected by the Constitution, to appeal to