

talk. I don't dress like you all, I don't talk like you, I'm not trying to be one of you. I have a responsibility to represent the people who sent me here, and you need to see in me what I come from in that community. And not everybody in that community wears a suit, and they're not people who go to the Nebraska Club and who fare sumptuously with these lobbyists and go to the parties and ride in the buses to the special events. That's not the community that I come from. You won't find me at all these morning breakfasts, afternoon luncheons and evening dinners and the social hours. You all know that that's not what I'm sent down here for, so you shouldn't be surprised when I talk in this fashion, when I'm confronted with legislation and other things of the kind that are brought here. When we pass laws we don't have to say for white people, because everything we pass is for you all. When we talk about a housing program for NIFA, funds loaned at a bargain rate, we don't have to say for white people, because NIFA is for white people. When we talk about education assistance programs I have to get some money from the Legislature that specifically is going to minorities, because that's the only time any of them get anything. Everything we do is for white people until it's an onerous burden or some unjust law. And Senator Pirsch can say over and over these laws are necessary so that they can be used all over the state, they're not going to be used all over the state, and she knows it. They're not using the laws right now that they have. That is an excuse and a justification to come into our community to do the kinds of things that they want to do. And we are going to stay here and I'm going to talk and you all are going to listen. And how you feel is for you to cope with. Wherever this bill goes in this process I'm going to follow it and I'm going to hound it, I'm going to harry it, and I'm going to bring it to Earth. And if it fails this session and comes again next year,...

SPEAKER BARRETT: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...I'll be there to do it again next year and the year after. I look at how hard and assiduously people work for Commonwealth. But I'm going to tell you all something about how that thing started in the beginning and how Lincoln senators condemned me when I told these people they ought to go put some heat on the Governor and the Attorney General, those white senators said, no, they're nice, honorable men. And the reason that these Commonwealthians cleaved to me in the way that they did, they were at the meeting where I said that and said the