

and all of the other things, the gene splicing, the making of designer genes, g-e-n-e-s, for various purposes seemed fantastic in terms of the knowledge it takes to do that, and in a sense, it is. But there is a tremendous range of information that people don't have about these subjects. No matter, Senator Dierks, how strongly you believe what you believe, the strength of your belief will not change anybody's belief who believes the contrary. I cannot prove empirically at what point any fetus is viable in the sense of being able to exist independently of the mother outside the mother's womb because some at one stage can and will, some at other stages can't and do not. You can't measure it with the precision of a slide rule. I can't. That's what I ought to say. As for a book that Planned Parenthood, you had said, may have put out, I don't even know what the book is and whatever it is, I haven't read it. But if, when you put your light on, you want to call my attention to some things that I had said, I will tell you where I got the information on which I based that opinion to the best of my recollection if I remember it. But I have had a lot of people write to me about Planned Parenthood and a lady who they tell me was a racist and she organized Planned Parenthood and she wanted to get rid of all the black people, and if she was a racist how much different is she from the ones who are writing these letters to me? That's not a successful argument either. There have been racists who have been very bright and they may have been wrong on the issue of race, even some of these scientists who said they could establish scientifically that some groups are genetically inferior to others. It doesn't mean that everything that they had developed in the way of conclusions in their scientific studies are flawed simply because their attitude toward race was flawed. The guy who discovered...what was that he discovered, this...instead of having the big vacuum tubes, you have a little bitty thing now that you can use in place of it, and he used to go on a dog and pony show with Roy Inness around the country arguing about black people being inferior to white people, and they put on some grand shows and they'd hug each other and have a lot of fun while talking about one of the most serious subjects, one that had led to a lot of problems in this society. Those kind of things that he said, made him very foolish, but on his scientific matters he was as right as rain. So Senator Dierks is wrong on some of these things that he said, but when it comes to other things he is correct. His mind as a scientist, and when its functioning according to the principles of science, is objective, is precise and will be correct in its conclusions more times than it is incorrect, but when we come to