

Americans. And you have people who are in positions of responsibility saying that the instrumentality which leads to all this killing should be obtainable without restriction. Now I have mixed emotions about this because there are a lot of people who are interested in doing harmful things to people of my complexion and they have guns. So I recommend that all black people get guns, get good guns and learn how to use them. And don't get these little pea-shooters that you can hold with one hand that Senator Chizek and others are talking about. Do you realize that with one of those pea-shooters, .38 caliber, somebody can be running at you full blast and you shooting, the bullet will go right through them, and they just keep on coming? They may not even know that they've been shot unless you drill them straight through the heart. Can't shoot them in the head because you're not likely to hit anything that would be fatal there. There's another point that bothers me. You all want to stop felons from getting guns. I think that is wrong. I think it is unfair and it is unjust. These NRAites who support the right for people to have guns talk about...

SPEAKER BAACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...self-defense. When a person commits a crime and is convicted and sentenced, that person does not lose the right to defend himself or herself. If guns are recognized as a legitimate instrumentality for self-defense, the right to obtain that instrumentality should not be taken from anybody. Because a person was convicted of a felony does not mean that his or her life may not be threatened in a set of circumstances where a firearm is the necessary instrumentality for self-defense in the same way it would be for these NRAites. I'm going to have to put my light on and say a little bit more. But I do oppose Senator Chizek's amendment. And, as for that LB 108 (sic) that they're trying to put into this bill, that thing ought to be taken out to one of these feedlots and given to the animals because that's about how much good it has, but I think the animals would be too intelligent to consume something like that so I hope my colleagues will demonstrate at least as much intelligence as our bovine...I can't say colleagues, I can't say brothers and sisters...those creatures of a lower order who sometimes can give direction to those two-legged people who wear shoe leather and don't manifest the same degree of intelligence.

SPEAKER BAACK: Time. Thank you, Senator Chambers. Before we go to the next speaker, I would like to introduce some