

people who did not want to do that want to bail out these elitists and they will win, just as the power companies and their ilk won on LB 72. This is not a Legislature of, by and for the people. This is a Legislature of, by and for powerful, special interest groups. I see abused spouses, abused children, homeless people of special interest groups, they have special needs, but there is no particular interest of a special kind to address their needs. I think this is a bad bill. If Ak-Sar-Ben has not made money down through the years, is it suddenly going to make money because Douglas County bails them out? Absolutely not. When they talked at Douglas County, at the board, about not using any tax money, as Senator Ashford who supports the liars has said, they didn't tell the truth and they are after tax money right now. So they haven't told the truth on how they are going to finance this operation. If we can read, we know that they have been losing money steadily, year after year after year, on the racing side. How are they suddenly going to become a moneymaking operation because they get these tax concessions? And if they lose \$1,300,000 next year, and the predictions or the hopes that Senator Landis expresses that somehow these bondholders are going to go to this losing operation and say we are going to let you further eat up the value of our investment by some cockamamie scheme or other, and they continue to lose on it, first of all, that is not going to happen. But let's say that it does. Then a point is going to be reached where they will come down here and they will get an appropriation from the Legislature. When Omaha wanted to get a half-cent sales taxing authority, they argued, in justification of that, the fact that they all don't charge a garbage fee like other cities do. That was one of the arguments for getting the taxing authority, and once they got it, now they want to charge the garbage fee. They don't tell the truth and they don't have to, and they are smart not to tell the truth. When you've got some suckers, that guy who had the circuses said, every time you find a sucker, bump his or her head.

SENATOR MORRISSEY: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: In those days when they weren't concerned about being gender neutral, they said bump his head. So this is the body of suckers and their heads are being bumped again, and they will be bumped again, and some senators will either pretending that they didn't realize that tax money was involved in this subsidy of a losing proposition, Ak-Sar-Ben is losing money, and Senator Will wants to send good money after bad. I