

packing house than I did so I'm going to ask him. Senator Janssen, what sense does it make to have people who don't speak English working at a job which may be dangerous and have nobody there who speaks that language who can explain the dangers to that person?

SENATOR JANSSEN: Senator Chambers, in my shop we have caution signs on all of the equipment. Now I haven't been in a packing house for quite some time, but I believe that OSHA has probably made those companies also put these signs on pieces of equipment that, you know, it has a cross arm on it that says, don't do this. And I mean the figures that are attached to these pieces of equipment, any one of any...you don't have to speak English to understand them such as crosswalk signs on intersections and so on. They should be fairly knowledgeable in those signs to depict whether that is a dangerous piece of equipment or what to do or what not to do.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Janssen, suppose a problem arises with a piece of equipment and there is nobody to explain the nature of this problem? Let's say that a shielding mechanism cracks or breaks.

SENATOR JANSSEN: On a piece of equipment to keep you away from...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes.

SENATOR JANSSEN: ...say a drive shaft or something like that or any other thing.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes.

SENATOR JANSSEN: If I were working in a Danish butter factory and I saw a piece of equipment that was faulty say on a shaft, I certainly wouldn't go next to that even if...I don't speak Danish.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Janssen, if you had just come to work in this place, how would you understand all these things that you come to understand after you've been there a period of time?

SENATOR JANSSEN: How would I come to understand?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: How would you know, right, how would you know