

things that you have deliberately and consciously left out are the very things that your constituents may want to ask you about. The very things you would like to be able to tell them are the things you did not send delegates there to agree with. And the question will appropriately be asked, well, why didn't you put that in the resolution, since you put so many other things in it? You amended it to do other things, why couldn't you amend it with reference to these specifics that you knew Nebraskans would be concerned about? Were you a part of the hidden agenda makers? And if you were not, did you question them as to why they insist on denying the Legislature the right to amend this resolution? This is more than a mere resolution and the unwillingness to adopt those amendments proves it. And I want to tell you all why I would not be a delegate, and some of you have asked me, would I go, and it's nice to have that confidence expressed in me. I will not go. In this Legislature, with people that I work with every day, I cannot even amend a resolution. Now if I cannot amend a resolution dealing with members of the Nebraska Legislature, why in the world do you think people from high-powered legislatures around the country would pay any attention to anything that I would say? You all don't pay attention so why are you going to trick me...

SENATOR CROSBY: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...who recognizes trickery? Why do you think I'm going to let you trick me into going out there and getting my pants pressed and having my hat brought to me? You don't agree with what I say, you don't adopt an amendment to a resolution, so if they decide they're going to offer a proposal to amend the U.S. Constitution, why should they listen? Senator Hudkins won't listen to me. She smiles sweetly a lot of the time and votes no without changing her expression. Senator...who can I mess with? Senator Engel doesn't even pay attention, but knows automatically to vote no. I think my time is probably up at this point.

SENATOR CROSBY: Just about. Thank you, Senator Chambers, but your light happens to be next.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And, Madam President, we're at a point now where I can be a little more lighthearted because I see how the thing is going to be done on this resolution and I will support Senator Withem's amendment for the reasons that I gave. It's