

PRESIDENT ROBAK: One minute.

SENATOR HALL: ...to alleviate the burden that exists out there right now in terms of property taxes. The issue that Senator Chambers raises about the lobby button-holing senators, I'm sure he didn't mean to say that somehow the lobby button-holed me. I think he knows better than that. And I think for all intents and purposes people are really, today, speaking their mind on this motion and I appreciate that. And I want them to take it very seriously because I do. Again, Madam President, I rise in opposition for the last time to indefinitely postpone the bill. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Hall. Senator Lynch.

SENATOR LYNCH: Madam President, members, just to finish what I was going to say, which won't take long. I think it's the first time I've talked twice on anything in the last four or five years. A few months ago I took Danny, we went up to Onawa, Iowa...no, Sloan, Iowa and it was eleven o'clock on Monday morning, the only thing I know how to do is a little blackjack. And they had \$2 tables, \$5, 10, 20, whatever it was. I...two bucks is enough for me. I never did get on a \$2 table because it was always full, could have gotten on a 5 or 10. I think as dumb as I am in some cases I'm smart enough to know that I'm not going to win. But two bucks, I thought it would be interesting to try. After about 15 minutes it got so boring I left anyhow, went outside while Danny and some of his friends rolled around inside on nickels and stuck them in the slot machines. And I counted cars, 150 I said I'd stop. So between about eleven-thirty and ten minutes after twelve I counted 150 cars. Of those 150 cars, 80 or them, 81 or 2, it was a little over 80 were from Nebraska. And of those 80, 40, half of them were from Douglas county. That makes no point at all except to point out to you that as, you know, as we try to discuss this issue we have to understand that whether we have any kind of gambling in Nebraska or not, there are people who will gamble. These two ads I mentioned to you, by the way, had to do with free bus rides to Sloan, Iowa and it left...the schedule when they would leave and when they would get back, and it's a free bus ride up there, and they give you a free buffet, a \$5 bonus in quarters, a free drink, a \$1 discount on the second drink, \$6 match play, two for one keno play, \$5 deposit refunded with a \$20 token purchase. And the World-Herald ran this ad. I won't read the other one, but that's what's interesting about this. When