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does not make a war unjust. We do the best we can. We try to winnow out those crimes that are especially heinous. Senator Brashear mentioned one case with which I have some familiarity, it happened in Norfolk, Nebraska, it was Hunt. He described accurately what took place in that trailer. What he did not say, and he has the right to edit his remarks out for brevity, he did not say that three judges, in full consideration of the facts, condemned the man to death for a terrible, heinous crime against a woman that he had picked out from her wedding...from her engagement picture in the daily news. That was how he selected his victim. What Senator Brashear described took place. The man then went home and told his wife about it. She is the one who called the police. He was condemned to death. He was for all intents and purposes set free of the death penalty, but not prison, because he's here in Lincoln now, filing appeals.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR TYSON: He was set free of the death penalty by the Nebraska Supreme Court, who described his actions as not sufficiently heinous. And, if they were not, then none are. We try to be fair, we try to be consistent, we try to be just. And we should try to remember the value of the life of the victim. I talked with Senator Chambers last night, I said, what of the victim? Not his exact words, but he said, the victim's gone, the victim is dead, we have to pay attention to the man that is still alive. We denigrate, we lessen in value the life of the victim, if we do not, in heinous circumstances, exact the final penalty. This thing has been studied to exhaustion.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Time. Thank you, Senator Tyson. For continued deliberation on the Bruning amendment, Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I call the question on the Bruning amendment to the committee amendments to LB 76.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: There having been sufficient debate, do I see five hands? I see five hands. The question is, shall debate cease? Those in favor vote aye, those opposed nay. The question is, shall debate cease? Have you all voted? Please record.