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it's not as though you have to come from another planet. But he chose not to take such a job. Now, when we get to this kind of material that I'm talking about, we're stripping away all of this smoke and mirrors, all of this nonsense about a boost to the economy of this state. If you give these special benefits to this narrow group of elitists, how's that going to help somebody in Scottsbluff? How's it going to help somebody in Arnold, in Alliance, in Grand Island? But what you will do is point out that you don't think all veterans are worthy and you are doing it for these private corporations. And I don't care about the stuff somebody gave Senator Redfield to read. What I read for you is a factual account of these military contractors opening companies, headquarters, facilities in Bellevue right now, and we're supposed to swallow this notion, well, they didn't know that they were not going to be able to find employees. International corporations don't know what the work force is? Why, you all ought to be ashamed of that, but you'll say anything to get this body to go along with nonsense. And this bill is nonsense. And this amendment is not the only thing I'm going to do to stop this bill. I have other motions that I'm going to offer and I'm going to keep us on this bill till the cows come home, and they will not be cows that jump over moons with the help of these money-grubbing, corrupt military contracting companies. That allusion is to a nursery rhyme: The cow jumped over the moon. / The little dog laughed to see such a sport, / And the dish ran away with the spoon. What is the dish? The corrupt corporations. What is the spoon? These special concessions granted to an elitist group of military retirees. They did not do anything that was that outstanding while they were on active duty. They could have been some of those who falsified intelligence reports that helped put this country into Iraq, where it is right now. This is not the first time I've stood on this floor to speak in behalf of all veterans being treated equally. Senator Preister and others supported an amendment that I offered after we had discussed the matter thoroughly when it came to certain benefits that veterans in this state could obtain. If a veteran had an other than honorable discharge, they were not going to be able to get these benefits. Those of us who know a little bit about the military pointed out that not every one of those discharges indicates that a person did not serve honorably, and the Legislature put