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dedication, they ought to practice themselves, sometimes I think it's a good thing that the Governor has somebody else driving him. It's a sort of a protection. It might be well we all had the advantage, at the beck and call we can have anyone or all 300 of the Patrolmen to see that you get safely home. We all don't have that protection. Now insofar as swipes are concerned, I welcome his combat. I'll trade him swipe for swipe and before long, he'll wish he never heard of the name of Senator Carpenter. Now many of you people may think I hate him--I don't. I don't trust him as a result of experience and certainly I don't respect him and you can't have one without the other. Now I'm not heartbroken because of the fact that you have taken my amendment off. I think it was much-to-do about nothing. Now insofar as increasing the Highway Patrol, I'd be opposed to that. They are not properly allocated, they are not properly directed, they are not in the field doing what they should be doing, not because of their lack of capability, but the lack of a sense of direction from Mr. Kruger, Col. Kruger and the Governor of this State. They're exactly what they want them to be, no more, no less. Now I understand the other day we had only 10 Highway Patrolmen on the entire State of Nebraska on the highway, that's hearsay. I think it's basically true. You can't have these men on the highway when they're in court half the time trying to extract \$15 or \$20 from an unsuspecting speeder when they ought to be on the highways taking care of what they do. I know from observation they spend hours in a court of law waiting their turn in order to prosecute those people who violated the laws in the area of speeding. I think they've got better things to do than that. If they are revenue people in order to create revenue for State purposes, that's one thing. If they're there in order to protect the convenience and necessity of the people of this State and attempt to keep people from being killed as a result of speed to the excessive, that's another thing so I only want to say that I had no desire in the beginning, neither did I have any knowledge this would create the furor that it does in the Governor's office of this State and this body is always going to be apprehensive every time he is going to veto a bill, you're going to be in a state of shock all the time. Are you Senators or aren't you Senators? Is the Governor of this State going to tell you people what to do and everything that he wants done? Are you willing to bare your back and because of some thing you may think you can extract from his glorious government and administration, are you going to follow his lead? If you do, you'll be disappointed and disillusioned like I was. To follow him you'll get into a pitfall. You'll get nothing except being discredited because you are not desirable. You're not principled people. Only he is the one who is right and has all the answers. In closing I only want to say that when you surround yourself with stupid people as he has in his office, generally you get stupid answers and that's what gets him in such trouble most of this time.

PRESIDENT: Motion is to strike the enacting clause to LB 45. Senator Keyes, did you wish to be recognized? Senator Carpenter asking unanimous consent to withdraw the motion. Are there objections? Hearing none, so ordered. Are there other amendments now to 45 on select file.

CLERK: Yes. Amendment read.

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: Mr. President and Members of the Legislature. I move for the adoption of these amendments. These were picked