

PRESIDENT: Well Senator Carpenter,

SENATOR CARPENTER: OK, forget it.

PRESIDENT: I think that you are out of order here. Senator Syas, and I'll add you on to the list here.

SENATOR SYAS: I'm not going to take very much time at all but I do want to.....I do like to see a little consistency. We heard here from the three speakers so far, Senator Whitney, Senator Stahmer and Senator Proud about the committee set-up and honor what the committee does I think we should do it as often as possible in the judgment, but lets analyze it just a little bit on just a few little situations that these same individuals haven't been quite consistent. Now you take Senator Proud, the Education Committee as I recall I don't think that we fully....I don't think that we killed it but I don't think that we put a \$60,000 bill out of his from the education committee to give him seed funds for north-east area on a 533. The other day he said that he believes in the committee system, the other day he tried to put it and maybe got it on, I don't object if he does really, to get the seed money to \$60,000 on a bill here by amendment. In otherwords he wasn't adversed when it applies to him of going around a committee and a committee hearing. Now, take Senator Whitney. He said that inflation and I think that it is bad, but he said that Government spending on it and I'm not going to say that the need isn't there but it was he that introduced a bill 432 that will cost considerable money. Of course that one will not be taken care of this year but that calls for quite a bit of increase. Senator Stahmer as I recall has if he believes so much in the committee system which I do, but I don't think that they are infallible he has raised bill from the dead of other committees right and left in this legislature. So if we are talking about the sanctity of committees then this type of speech should apply to all committees, not just the budget committee, so I would like to see the three persons that have already talked I think in my mind have been very inconsistent in their attitude.

PRESIDENT: Next to speak is Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I know what Senator Proud's difficulty is this morning. He has a television show in Omaha called Mr. Speaker and last night Senator Carpenter and I were on the show with him. Generally there are individuals who appear who have difficulties finding words to express themselves so there is much empty space and Senator Proud has the opportunity to talk. Last night and you can understand this from knowing Senator Carpenter and I, that he didn't have a chance to say very much so I think that there were all kinds of feelings and ideas welling up inside of him and being unable to express them before the camera and the people last night he became frustrated and this is a sounding board. The Legislature serves that purpose. I think that there are times when this body can be a therupatic function for all of us. We don't beat our wives, I know that I don't beat mine. Some of us couldn't beat ours if we try. We don't beat our children, most of us I don't believe. I know that I don't beat mine. So we have to have some outlet. Now I exercise whenever I feel this terrible feeling come over me that might make me do something that perhaps I shouldn't do, but in addition to exercising my body there comes a time when I want to exercise my mind. Down here steel sharpens steel, so we match wits and we play verbal games and we have jostling and deueling matches. This morning Senator Proud knew that he could put everybody in an uproar by offering