

it. But I really don't believe this bill would accomplish Senator Kelly's desires.

PRESIDENT: Senator Fellman.

SENATOR FELLMAN: Will Senator Kelly yield to a question?

SENATOR KELLY: Yes.

SENATOR FELLMAN: On page 4 of your bill, section 3, it says future actions to support to enforce civil judgments to pay child support shall be brought in the county where the children reside. Now what, what happens if the person from whom you're trying to collect the money, the parent obligated, hasn't or doesn't reside in the county where the children reside. The children live in Hall County, the obligated parent lives in Lancaster County, what happens?

SENATOR KELLY: It would appear to me what would happen is that parent that would be liable for the payment would have to come to Hall County.

SENATOR FELLMAN: How would they get them there though?

SENATOR KELLY: How ever you get anybody into court.

SENATOR FELLMAN: What does this bill accomplish?

SENATOR KELLY: It accomplishes for this to be brought into the court where the problem is known.

SENATOR FELLMAN: But how isn't that....what's preventing that from being done today under the present law? What is there in the statutes today that prevents the very action you want to be taken?

SENATOR KELLY: The action has to be brought, it's not known there's a problem.

SENATOR FELLMAN: But who's to know now? This doesn't change notice. This doesn't change notice. This just.... I'm afraid Senator Kelly that though the intentions are good that this will mix up the procedures and in effect make it more difficult. What good does it do to bring an action in one county where the kids are when the person who is going to pay the money is someplace else.

PRESIDENT: Now, Senator Fellman, let him answer. We can't record the dialogue up here. Thank you.

SENATOR KELLY: The instructions that I gave to the bill drafter was that the only place that the problem was known and recognized is where the children is....where the children are. Now that's the place to start the action. Now this is what this is supposed to do and those people who are liable for the payment of those children should answer in the court where the problem is. Now if these words don't do it, our bill drafting process certainly should put words in there that will do it. Because the object we want to accomplish is certainly no mystery.

SENATOR FELLMAN: Do I still have the floor, Mr. President?

PRESIDENT: Senator Fellman, he's answered now, go ahead.

SENATOR FELLMAN: I sent around to the members of the Legislature two letters sent by the chairman of the Family Law