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SENATOR DWORAK: But you seemed to be stopping that with this bill and saying that stopping the flow of capital into the State of Nebraska, if it doesn't originate in the United States. That seems to be the intent of this bill, therefore, you are restricting the amount of credit that could be available potentially. Is that what you intend to do, Senator Hefner?

SENATOR HEFNER: I don't think this is my intent, Senator Dworak, but if you believe that you can read this into the bill, well then I suppose that would be the case.

SENATOR DWORAK: Thank you, Senator Hefner.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Members of the Legislature, I also have a couple of questions I would like to ask Senator Hefner. Senator Hefner, are you opposed to "fureigners" owning land in Nebraska? Are you opposed to "fureigners" owning farmland in Nebraska?

SENATOR HEFNER: I suppose I would be opposed to a certain extent, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Did you vote for Senator Burrows' bill?

SENATOR HEFNER: I voted to bring it out of committee, yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And would you have voted for its passage?

SENATOR HEFNER: I would have to see what amendments were added to this particular bill.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But your main intent is to make sure that the "fureigners" don't own Nebraska land and take it from the farmers.

SENATOR HEFNER: I would say to a certain extent.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Would you be opposed to them buying stock or owning or constructing buildings in downtown Omaha?

SENATOR HEFNER: I would have to see to what extent this was being done.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Would you be opposed to them buying stock in, if a hospital operated that way, a hospital, a