

means to deprive the library nor have they deprived what "conceal" means...defined it. Now if you go down to lines 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, and look in that area, you will see where they say, "conceal library material with the intention of depriving the library of ownership." Do you know that the Lincoln Library conducts sales and you buy the material in the library? You can put it inside of a bag and you have deprived the library of ownership on purpose. You have concealed the material in your bag and you leave the library and that cannot be a crime but it is under this. It is under this. They have not said an exemption exists should the library have sold you the material which you take in that fashion and deprive them of ownership. If you look in line 21, they say you take the material without authority. You remove it from the library without authority. They don't say that you have to have any intent to unlawfully remove this material, nothing about intent, Senator Smith. If you have checked out four books and you lay them on a table and you pick up five, then the fact that one of those was taken without authority makes you guilty of an infraction. And, brothers and sisters, look at the bottom of the page. "Any person who buys, sells or receives library material knowing or believing it to be stolen commits an infraction." They are making you guilty of an infraction if you believe material is stolen and it is not. If you buy some material that you thought was stolen, you commit a crime because you thought it was stolen, even though, in fact, it wasn't. That is what the drafters are giving you to accept this morning and I am not making it up, I am reading the language of their amendment which Senator Marsh said takes care of problems. It creates worse problems than exist now. It takes away some of the protection that the libraries already have. Then if you go to the next page, in line 26 they are talking again about taking a book out of the library without authority. They don't allow for a mistake. This does not say, taking it with the intent to do this "and" without authority but "or", which means that particular act alone constitutes the crime. Then again Senator Hefner, Senator Lundy, Senator Higgins and others, and I have to mention Senator Higgins because she pointed out a problem I had on an insurance bill and didn't see it say again, "Any person who deliberately provides a library with false information concerning his or her identity and address with an intent to gain a pecuniary or other benefit for himself, herself or another shall be guilty of an infraction."