

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature, I've really been put into a box on this bill. I have said repeatedly I don't like lotteries. I don't like this bill. One of the things I didn't like has been taken out. These things can't go in stores where children will be in attendance or any of the places where children can be, but there can still be lotteries in churches where children go. There can be bingo in churches where children go and the gambling is done for the schools where the children are taught all kinds of moral principles. Senator Johnson came over and spoke to me briefly a minute ago and he said, this might be a way to deal with the difficult moral or social problem. Senator Hoagland spoke and I'm listening to everybody very carefully and he had the nerve to talk about people being made pretzels on this bill by having their vote taken off the kill motion. Hoagland is going to talk about somebody being made a pretzel! The man of steel himself and then he said, I deplore such tactics, the day after we had a discussion of his tactics on retrocession where he had promised not to kill the bill or take it up while I was gone, then let it be taken up and Senator Chizek did make the motion in committee to kill it, then wanted to withdraw it and Senator Hoagland said, no, that's all right, don't withdraw it. Senator Chizek tried twice so the committee didn't run, rush out over Senator Hoagland and make him do that. The mouse that roared has put me in a position now of feeling like he thinks he's got a whip over people. He was very arrogant a minute ago, almost to say I've got these people in the bag which would include me.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Were you through?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Of course not.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Oh, pardon me.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I wanted to talk to Senator Schmit before I spoke because I like Senator Schmit a lot. I'm probably one of the few people who stand on the floor and say that in connection with this issue. Senator Schmit has ten children and he has worked very hard. He has an interest in these machines in the same way that some of the people who are opposed to this bill have interests in farm land that would be benefitted by the bill passed the other day that the Governor is going to sign. We let Senator Pirsch be chairman of the Telecommunications Committee of the