

handling the caseload and being able to do justice to the various cases would be nigh on to impossible. So, consequently, I am asking you, this body, rather, to give the third judgeship which is created in 171 back to Douglas County Juvenile Court which means we would override the veto in this particular case for just 171, LB 171 only at this point. Thank you.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Wesely, please.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, members, I was the only vote against LB 171 on passage. I knew the Governor was going to veto it, and I guess I decided if he was going to veto it, I wasn't going to support an override, I might as well just vote against it on Final Reading anticipating that, but I could stand up here and give you one of the diatribes Lincoln has heard about how greedy Lincoln is and how we want everything and, you know, we have taken that from some of you over the last few weeks. And I could stand up and say how greedy Omaha is and how they want everything, they have got to have this extra judge, and how awful you are, but, in fact, nobody is ever really greedy, are they, other than representing their own district in the interest that they are elected to come down here for? I think it is time we started to recognize that each of us comes from a different district, perhaps a different town in this state. We all have different representations that we have to make and we have a job to do, and so just because you are representing your district doesn't mean that you are greedy, doesn't mean that you are excessive in what you are trying to achieve. What you are trying to do is accomplish a goal, trying to represent your people, trying to represent your city, and I don't see that as evil, wrong, or anything other than doing your job that you are elected to serve down here. So I think it is important to keep that in mind for a change that nobody is out of line trying to achieve a goal that benefits their district and, hopefully, the state, because that is what we are elected to do and nobody is greedy by trying to accomplish this override on LB 171. It is probably a justified bill. I will still continue to vote against it just because I recognize the Governor's role in vetoing it. He evidently thinks it is unjustified but that doesn't mean it is a bad bill, it doesn't mean it is not justified, and I'd sure encourage the Omaha Senators and hope you are successful, but I want to make that point clear. There has been a lot of animosity directed towards