

against Indians was so severe, they were so totally lacking in political representation that a district system was imposed on Thurston County. So if some of the people who are against retrocession will boast about the fact that a Native American is on the county board, ask them why were their district elections imposed by the federal court? Some of you may not have realized that in Nebraska that had to be done. Now the jail standards that have been laid down for proper facilities are so far being violated in that county that the jail is going to be closed. This is the place where they would warehouse Native Americans. When the state determined that money from the state should go to that county or where there are Native Americans, people were talking about the necessity of rehabilitation and programs designed to prevent an improper application of the law on people who were considered outsiders. The money is not being used for that purpose. Native Americans can be arrested, put in jail and a charge can be made for the meals that are supposedly served, but may not be served. You hear people in Thurston County and those who talk for them saying they want respect for the law. How can you have respect for the law when the one whose job it is to uphold the law shows such contempt for it that he goes into another county with an armed deputy and using a stun gun on a man's own porch, subdues him and drags him back across the county line? That's what Sheriff Storie did and anybody can be brave and tough when they've got more guns, when they've got more guns and are bullying and using force to violate the sanctity of a man's home. There are farmers now saying and they're arming for this purpose in an area of Minnesota that if people come to my land to take me, they are going to have to fight me. So the home has been felt to be a person's castle. If you are reluctant to believe that Clyde Storie, the sheriff of Thurston County, if you're reluctant to believe that he is unjust in his handling of Indians, look at what he did to a white chief of police. The chief is a law enforcement officer commissioned to do a job and while not even in the county where Storie has jurisdiction, he is dealt with in a violent fashion, subjected to the use of a stun gun and dragged off and then charges are brought by the county attorney in Thurston County for words allegedly spoken on a telephone. There are some serious problems with law enforcement in Thurston County relative to anybody who disagrees with Clyde Storie and his band of deputies and we're going to have a chance to talk about this kind of law enforcement when we talk about a resolution that Senator