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that any change, which will attempt to equalize the load, also is wrong. So evidently they don't want anything done either to increase the food tax credit or to recognize some of the educational needs of the state. So I will support still the amendment that Senator Simpson and I introduced.

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Nore, then Fellman, then Anderson. We're speaking only on the Burbach amendment to the Marvel amendment.

SENATOR NORE: Mr. President, fellow members. I...maybe I don't get as much mail as most of you get but I get quite a bit but I haven't had anyone that's asked for this. I've heard a few politicians talk about it might be a good thing, that's about all. Now we're taking \$12 million dollars off of our property tax relief through LB772, which I voted for, and giving it to lower income families. The federal government is taking care of these low income families very well. In addition to the food stamp program, if a child comes to school and wants to apply for a free meal at noon, they can get it and I say again that if we keep putting in incentives to be lazy and not work, we're going to be having a shortage of food, shortage of consumer goods and a shortage of everything which we have today. And one of the reasons is because there's really no built in incentive to produce. Talk to almost anyone here in this Body on the income tax. The first thought they have is why work. Because you give most of it away anyway. Why not just do like a lot of them do, just don't make...don't produce too much. It's bad to produce too much because you have to give it away and you ruin your health and every other thing so just sit on your fanny and do nothing. That seems to be the smart thing to do nowadays and apply it for everything.

PRESIDENT: Senator Fellman and then Anderson, we're still speaking on the Burbach amendment to the Marvel amendment to LB632 on Select File. Senator Stahmer.

SENATOR STAHMER: Mr. President and members of the Body. I ask unanimous consent, I doubt if I'll get it, but to temporarily pass over this bill and go on to non-controversial bills so we can get bills advanced for the staff downstairs. And then have these amendments printed. We can take this up after lunch. I think this would be constructive to help the staff downstairs.

PRESIDENT: Are there objections to passing over the bill at this particular time and this particular shape? Are there objections? Does the Chair hear any objections? Senator Fellman, do you object?

SENATOR FELLMAN: I was going to give a fine speech but I won't.

PRESIDENT: Ha, ha, ha, ha. Well.....

SENATOR FELLMAN: With that....

SENATOR STAHMER: With that also I'd like to have these amendments passed out, then we can all look at them and vote more intelligently when we come back to the bill this afternoon.

PRESIDENT: All right, do we have other amendments to the bill? Stand by just a moment here. Are there other amendments to the bill? We have the Burbach amendment to the