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they provide those things for you all. I understand the liquor industry provides entertainment and other things. When the senators went down the Disneyland, or wherever it was that they got criticized for going to, they got freebies, and that's not based on need, but your grubby little lobby palms were turned up accepting all the largess that the lobbyists would give. I get all those invitations to attend these golf functions, where you can play tennis and lounge around the pool, then they give you free food, but I don't go there, but you all do. And then you're going to say that these women who need help should not get it. Governor Nelson accepts freebies. There was some question, if I haven't got it mistaken, about him using campaign money to give somebody...take somebody on a trip with him, and a question was raised as to whether or not it was appropriate. That money didn't come out of his pocket. Politicians accept freebies. They accept free trips over to Europe, saying that they're going there for economic development for the state, but in the meantime they accept freebies and get a lot of fun and entertainment along the way. Then they can get up on their soapbox and talk about how we have to balance the budget on the backs of the poor and the defenseless and the helpless. But what makes it so bad is when the senators in this body, who have taken such a principle position in the past, go along with it also. Ralph Waldo Emerson was talking about the cut of a person that develops when they carry a certain way of looking at life and behaving. The expression on the face, the way they walk, nature fits you in the livery that goes along with what you are. And when you fly these different flags, paraphrasing Ralph Waldo Emerson,...

SPEAKER BAACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...I know not exactly the manner of person that you are. So when we have the venal politicians, who has always been against the poor, finding those who have professed to be for the poor, closing ranks and holding hands with them, I don't know what manner of person it is that I'm dealing with, that we're dealing with the manner of people who are on the floor of this Legislature. But I am not going to sell out the principles that I always claim guide my conduct and my political activity. Would that the other members of this body, who have taken those positions, would stand up to them, now that the challenge is here you vindicate a principle when it is challenged. The challenge comes when you have to decide whether or not you're going bow to a political desire by the Governor,