

year, Chris. I don't think the income tax level that Senator Schellpeper referred to would really hurt anyone. Now maybe the half cent sales tax is a little high, maybe we should have only 25 one-quarter instead of one-half percent there. Now, I don't know where...I noticed Senator Schmit said we ought to tax master's degrees and doctor's degrees, I hope he is not talking about retired people. I wouldn't be for that, but I want you to know I think that is a pretty good idea because all lawyers have a doctorate, see, and I think that would be a good source of revenue. And I would like to ask...is Senator Hall here? I would like to ask a question.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Hall, would you respond, please.

SENATOR ROBINSON: I want to make one comment. I think it was a good comment by, before I ask you this question, Senator Hall, a good comment by Senator Schmit. He talked about an unjust tax, and up in my neck of the woods, I think rural people are getting taxed too much. Now a question for you, Senator Hall, under senator...or under the Governor's plan, how much would you pay, personally?

SENATOR HALL: I haven't figured it out.

SENATOR ROBINSON: I wouldn't pay anything. And I wanted to ask Senator Will, Senator Will, could I ask you that question? How much would you pay under the Governor's plan?

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Will, would you respond?

SENATOR WILL: I haven't calculated it.

SENATOR ROBINSON: Well, what is there, three taxes? You'd pay a little on the sales tax in there that the retail merchant sent back, that is in there.

SENATOR WILL: To the extent the retailers increase their prices.

SENATOR ROBINSON: Yeah, would it cost you anything on a depreciation surcharge?

SENATOR WILL: No, I don't depreciate.

SENATOR ROBINSON: That wouldn't cost me anything either. How