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times hotter in the fire than is the original coal. We are asking here for a mere \$10,000 to get started on this project. We have made provisions for gifts to be received and handled by the Treasurer of the State of Nebraska, the committee would be empowered to accept gifts from corporations, individuals, government agencies and so on to further this work. We have already had an indication from one power company that they are more than a little bit interested in this type of research work, and I think that when we get going on it that there are a number of people that are really interested in it. I would think that the chemical companies would have a lot of interest in it. We are asking for the \$10,000 and we will go from there with your permission.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Any further discussion? If not the question is to adopt the committee amendments to LB826. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Will you please vote. Record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays.

SENATOR SAVAGE: The committee amendments are adopted. What are you going to do with the bill Senator Rumery?

CLERK: Those Mr. President, were not committee amendments. They were Senator Rumery's amendments.

SENATOR RUMERY: Yes, that is correct Mr. Clerk. Mr. President, I move that the bill be advanced.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Any further discussion? If not the question is to advance the bill to E & R for Engrossing. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Will you please vote? Have you all voted? The Clerk will record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to advance.

SENATOR SAVAGE: The bill is advanced. The Clerk will now read LB841.

CLERK: Read LB 841.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, this bill was introduced by the Committee on Agriculture and Environment for the Agriculture Products Industrial Utilization Committee. The reason for the bill is that the committee purchased approximately this amount of dollars worth of alcohol to be used in their road test experiment with the cooperative in Holdrege. The cooperative agreed to reimburse the Ag Products Committee for the purchase of the alcohol, but of course when it was reimbursed to the committee they were unable to spend it unless we passed this bill. It is no new money, it is money that has been with the department, with the committee, and the committee does need the money because they do not have the revolving fund procedure. I would move the advancement of the bill.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Any discussion? If not the question is to advance LB841. All in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Clerk will record.