

included in these of general fund money is \$87,500. The first one is for \$2,000 to the State Historical Society to construct the road at the courthouse at the Jail Rock in Merrill County, and only the rough grading of a road as I understand it. Number two is language which we put in another bill before. It's not controversial, indicating that a state agency that has capital construction, unless they apply for a sales tax exemption for the materials prior to the construction, that they would be prohibited from requesting a refund after construction for that sales tax and then which becomes cash funds and really ought to revert to the general fund or else it had not ought to be refunded, one or the other. This takes care of that. Number three is \$30,000 for the completion of the Ash Hollow State Historical Park visitor center which was constructed but has not been finished inside and there are the furnishings to complete that so that the facility can be utilized. Amendment number four is to the Department of Water Resources for a combination small laboratory, shop and storage building at Bridgeport for \$27,500. They currently are renting some old garage space and apparently have considerable problems of space. The next amendment has no impact in terms of dollars, number five, but it is I think, significant language directing as projects, construction projects for renovation, remodeling, expansion or new construction is done and they are funded wholly or in part from appropriations contained in the appropriation bill that all of the internal walls or as nearly as possible be fashioned so that they are constructed in such a way that they can be removed to allow for future modification of the structure. This is a point that we know a lot of buildings their use will change from time to time for a long period of time and reduce costs in renovation or remodeling can be accomplished if those interior walls are designed in such a fashion as to permit their easily being moved or relocated. Amendment number six is merely technical. It is the authorization for the expenditure of the funds under LB 309 which needs to be in there. The specific authority, LB 309, you will recall is the deferred maintenance appropriation, approximately at \$6,000,000 less the \$150,000 for the administration of it and amendment number seven is for \$28,000, the same amendment that was offered the other day for construction of a dam at the Neligh Mills. We did receive a letter from the State Historical Society which Senator DeCamp had requested from them indicating that some of the concerns that I understood might come up, they did not feel was a problem any longer so the Committee recommended that project as well. That is the sum total of the amendments. Again the total dollar amount that is added of the general fund appropriation, it's all general fund, is \$87,500.

PRESIDENT: Senator Warner, you want to take all these at once? Senator Warner? All right. You've heard the motion. Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of Senator Warner's Committee amendments, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The amendments are adopted, Senator. Senator Warner.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator George has an amendment but he has not arrived yet this morning. Mr. President, Senator Marsh now offers an amendment. Would you like me to read it, Senator? I'd be happy to. (Read Marsh amendment found on page 1470 of the Journal.) That's offered by Senator Marsh.