

this country. There is going to be less reliance on government payments and the only way we're going to stay competitive with the rest of the world is to keep our research operating, to have research which provides methods of efficiency of production, that can make us stay ahead of the world in the efficiency of agricultural production. I think it's very basic that if we can't keep our research arm going, if we can't have the kinds of research that Senator Coordsen talked about for new varieties, disease resistant varieties, then the number one industry in this state is in trouble, it's in trouble. You know, we'll probably put a number of amendments on the budget bill. We won't hear a lot of talk about end runs in other areas but everyone of them is an end run of some sort. But this one is very important to the university. A number of agriculturally related organizations are supportive of it and I'm convinced that it needs to be done.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Warner, followed by Senator Lynch.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I...just the thought occurred to me one thing I should have added and you may have made the comment, Senator Coordsen, and I missed it. But one should not assume that this is the only funds that will be needed to complete the greenhouse project because there is an addition to this renovation money, a request for about a million three for some new construction as well, not before you at this time. But I wouldn't want someone to be critical of a request a year from now, or two, for additional funds for some new greenhouses on the assumption that this money completed all the greenhouse construction that might occur and I'm just...that's not to add or subtract from support of this particular proposal but to make sure that the body will understand that there is other construction that will be requested on down the line and this is only the renovation of existing and does not meet the request that will come in again, I'm sure, for some new additional greenhouses.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Senator Lynch.

SENATOR LYNCH: Question.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. Shall debate now cease? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record.