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page 395 of the Legislative Journal.) All signed by Senator Will as Chair of the E & R Committee. Madam President, that is all that I have at this time.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We will proceed with Item 5, legislative resolutions.

CLERK: Madam President, LR 12 introduced by Senators Hillman and Baack. It is found on page 317 of the Legislative Journal. (Read LR 12.)

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. I'll recognize Senator Baack.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Madam President and colleagues. This is a resolution to...in honor of the Chimney Rock, in honor of the people who are working on the Chimney Rock Visitors Center. This is something that is an ongoing effort in our area. Chimney Rock does sit in my legislative district. It sits just outside of Bayard and it is one of the most visited attractions in the State of Nebraska, and I think it is very deserving of having a visitors center there. So there has been a lot of local effort put into this. The Historical Society has designated this as one of their top projects to get a visitors center at Chimney Rock and I think that the Legislature should honor these efforts on the part of the public to raise private funds to build the Chimney Rock Visitors Center. That is what this resolution is about and I would urge its adoption. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Baack. I will now recognize Senator Hillman.

SENATOR HILLMAN: Chimney Rock is probably the most famous and recognizable landmark along the Oregon Trail and there has been many efforts to market it and to promote it in the past. Few of the things that have happened is the State Department of Tourism has used Chimney Rock to depict Nebraska in many ways. One way last year was in a marketing campaign in Canada and there were billboards put throughout Canada to depict and promote Nebraska and the scene that was used was a sunset at Chimney Rock. Internationally, also, Chimney Rock is known. There was a quiz show in Japan, one of the most popular TV shows they had that would film places throughout the world and then question where they were. This film company, two years ago, flew into Bayard,