

for \$4,900,000 approximately 5 million dollars and where do you suppose that is going to go? Wouldn't you know, in Omaha. Now some of my fellow Senators will accuse me of being against Omaha because I oppose this. But I will tell you who won't be against me and that is the tax payers in my district. Now I believe that in.....in some prison reform, and I think that we need to spend some money in this field but I don't think that we need to spend it in a few minutes the way we did. It should go through our regular budgetary process, and the budget committee is of course not always right, but they can't be \$15,000,000 wrong. Or else we have the wrong budget committee, and I want them to stand up on this floor and comment on it. If they are going to go against their own recommendation then they better do so this morning. Oh, now here is Senator Burbach's the...the Mayor of Devils Nest. He has got \$867,000 in there for access roads. Now where do you suppose those are? Well I'm going to tell you that I don't know but I would guess that they are probably around Devils Nest. Well you can get up Senator and tell us precisely where they are. It might be somewhere near Crofton, I don't know. Now Senator DeCamp got into the act but he is a modest spender, he only wants \$25,000 for a mill at Neligh. Well the next one is a conservative one, my friend Senator Stull. Now he is only asking for a \$100,000 for Fort Robinson a place which I dearly love and I hate to go against him on this but I am. Well here is our friend Senator Carpenter is back in again and he only wants \$50,000 and where do you suppose that is to be spent? He wants a million or a hundred million if he can get it. Now where have you heard that before? Yes.....that is what I am saying and that happens to be up around Lake Minatre now here is another little item from a man that tried to shut me off, and I understand why he tried to shut me off. Because Senator Waldron has a \$180,000 in and where do you suppose that is? The North Platte Experiment Station in his district. Now Senator Carpenter is back in the picture again with another amendment which he successfully passed and I admire him for his ability to do that. Improvement.. well this is what you meant by the million dollars. Here is another amendment for \$880,000 so added to the \$50,000 he is roughly correct in saying over a million dollars. Now the last one was by our friend another representative of the poor people, Senator Chambers. He only asked for over a quarter of a million. \$278,000 for a cottage and reception center at York, now I am about to close. There are three types of people who basically pay taxes. The rich, the poor and the middle class. Now by appropriating another 15 million you are not going to hurt the rich too much. What do they care about another thousand dollars or so, they don't because they are going to live just as good as they ever did, in fact some of them will live a lot better for if they are contractors or in the investment fields, you name them, you are going to help them. So in effect they are going to be paying lower taxes because their income is going to exceed their out-go. Now what about the poor? Certainly we should take care of the poor. I submit that the improvements to the athletic field are not exactly going to do that. Plus a bunch of other things on that list. Now what do the poor care how high taxes are? Now I have a soft spot in my heart for the poor and I'm going to vote them some money, but what do they care how high taxes are because they don't pay taxes, they don't pay income taxes, ahhhhh but you say they pay a sales tax. With whose money? With the governments money, so what do they care how high taxes are. But I want to tell you who does care. The middle class, they pay for everything down here and I can tell you that they are getting a little bit tired of it and I'm willing to vote money where 1