

1 of the school fund could have any further application
2 here. Conceivably it would be possible by a budget
3 amendment to transfer a surplus in the State aid fund
4 to a purpose other than education, would it not,
5 assuming you got the necessary approvals?

6 MR. PERKINS: No, sir.

7 MR. ENEY: What would prevent it?

8 MR. CASE: Wouldn't the provision in the
9 Constitution that requires it be inviolate prevent it?

10 MR. ENEY: Yes.

11 MR. PERKINS: As long as I've been there,
12 we haven't transferred money from one department to
13 another. It's in the budget law, that we can't do
14 that. We just can't do it.

15 MR. CASE: Do we have any other questions
16 on this particular --

17 MRS. BOTHE: I just wanted to clarify some-
18 thing. I believe it was said that you couldn't revert
19 these funds to other purposes because they were in-
20 violate school funds, and I am wondering if you are
21 referring to Section 52 or to Article 8, Section 3,