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installations. A goodly portion of this sum is set aside for barracks and related facilities. These have already been reduced below the amount requested by the Department of Defense. I must point out that the approval of this amendment will in effect deprive our troops of badly needed housing and mess facilities, training facilities, medical and dental care, and most important, repair facilities to keep their overtaxed equipment operating. We have already taken out of this bill every project we could find that did not get into the bone and sinew of the program.

Finally, Mr. President, I might point out that if this amendment is adopted it will reduce the authority to be granted the Army by about \$30 million more than the first amendment proposed by the senior Senator from Pennsylvania.

The position of the Senator from Pennsylvania is not valid in another regard. The Senator has heretofore said, "Let us take all of the money out of Germany." He was trying to strike \$17 million in Germany. Then, he said, "Take 10 percent out of all overseas and U.S. installations." But he has modified his position now to say, "Leave it all overseas," and he has eliminated from the amendment the items in the Pacific, the Southern Command, the Materiel Command, the Army Security Agency overseas, in Europe and in Germany, and the Army Strategic Communications overseas. He has eliminated all those items.

Instead of saying it should be taken out of funds for overseas, he now wants to take it out in the United States at the many installations that badly need some of these construction facilities. This is being pound wise and penny foolish. I hope the Senate does not agree to the amendment of the Senator from Pennsylvania.

(At this point, Mr. BURDICK assumed the chair.)

Mr. LAUSCHE. Mr. President, will the Senator yield for a question?

Mr. CANNON. I yield.

Mr. LAUSCHE. Mr. President, the Senator from Nevada just stated that this amendment would embrace a cut of \$30 million more than was provided in the proposal the Senator from Pennsylvania previously offered. Will the Senator from Nevada elaborate on that point?

Mr. CANNON. The Senator from Pennsylvania initially offered an overall amendment that would have cut out \$5.69 million. That amendment was offered earlier today.

Now, in this amendment he has proposed a \$36.5 million reduction directly for the Army in the face of his previous amendment which provided for a reduction of \$5.69 million.

Mr. LAUSCHE. By how many millions of dollars does this amendment exceed the previous amendment offered by the Senator from Pennsylvania, which was rejected?

Mr. CANNON. For the Army, and it related only to the Army, it is a little over \$30 million more than the amendment he previously offered for the Army. It is slightly over \$30 million.

Mr. LAUSCHE. I thank the Senator.

Mr. CANNON. Mr. President, in view of the fact that we have an agreement not to vote before 1:30, I suggest the absence of a quorum, the time to be charged against my time.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The assistant legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask for the yeas and nays on the pending amendment.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

Mr. CANNON. Mr. President, I am prepared to yield back the time of the opponents on the amendment.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, it is my understanding the Senator from Pennsylvania is prepared to yield back his time on the amendment.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. All remaining time on the amendment has been yielded back. The question is on agreeing to the amendment of the Senator from Pennsylvania, as modified. The yeas and nays have been ordered, and the clerk will call the roll.

The assistant legislative clerk called the roll.

Mr. BYRD of West Virginia. I announce that the Senator from Alaska [Mr. BARTLETT], the Senator from Idaho [Mr. CHURCH], the Senator from North Carolina [Mr. ERVIN], the Senator from Arkansas [Mr. FULBRIGHT], the Senator from Indiana [Mr. HARTKE], the Senator from Massachusetts [Mr. KENNEDY], the Senator from Missouri [Mr. LONG], the Senator from Minnesota [Mr. MCCARTHY], the Senator from Oklahoma [Mr. MONRONEY], the Senator from New Mexico [Mr. MONTROYA], the Senator from Georgia [Mr. RUSSELL], and the Senator from Florida [Mr. SMATHERS] are necessarily absent.

I also announce that the Senator from Alaska [Mr. GRUENING] and the Senator from Georgia [Mr. TALMADGE] are absent on official business.

On this vote the Senator from Alaska [Mr. GRUENING] is paired with the Senator from North Carolina [Mr. ERVIN]. If present and voting, the Senator from Alaska would vote "yea," and the Senator from North Carolina would vote "nay."

On this vote the Senator from Indiana [Mr. HARTKE] is paired with the Senator from Georgia [Mr. RUSSELL]. If present and voting, the Senator from Indiana would vote "yea," and the Senator from Georgia would vote "nay."

I further announce that, if present and voting, the Senator from Alaska [Mr. BARTLETT], and the Senator from Oklahoma [Mr. MONRONEY] would each vote "nay."

Mr. KUCHEL. I announce that the Senator from Colorado [Mr. ALLOTT], the Senator from New York [Mr. JAVITS], the Senator from Kentucky [Mr. MORTON], and the Senator from Texas [Mr. TOWER] are necessarily absent.

If present and voting, the Senator from Colorado [Mr. ALLOTT] and the Senator from Texas [Mr. TOWER] would each vote "nay."

The result was announced—yeas 21, nays 60, as follows:

[No. 194 Leg.]

YEAS—21

Bayh	Hatfield	Pell
Brooke	Jordan, Idaho	Proxmire
Burdick	McGovern	Randolph
Clark	Mondale	Ribicoff
Cooper	Morse	Symington
Gore	Moss	Tydings
Harris	Nelson	Young, Ohio

NAYS—60

Aiken	Fong	McIntyre
Anderson	Griffin	Metcalf
Baker	Hansen	Miller
Bennett	Hart	Mundt
Bible	Hayden	Murphy
Boggs	Hickenlooper	Muskie
Brewster	Hill	Pastore
Byrd, Va.	Holland	Pearson
Byrd, W. Va.	Hollings	Percy
Cannon	Hruska	Prouty
Carlson	Inouye	Scott
Case	Jackson	Smith
Cotton	Jordan, N.C.	Sparkman
Curtis	Kuchel	Spong
Dirksen	Lausche	Stennis
Dodd	Long, La.	Thurmond
Dominick	Magnuson	Williams, N.J.
Eastland	Mansfield	Williams, Del.
Ellender	McClellan	Yarborough
Fannin	McGee	Young, N. Dak.

NOT VOTING—18

Allott	Hartke	Montoya
Bartlett	Javits	Morton
Church	Kennedy	Russell
Ervin	Long, Mo.	Smathers
Fulbright	McCarthy	Talmadge
Gruening	Monroney	Tower

So Mr. CLARK's amendment (No. 858), as modified, was rejected.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill is open to further amendment.

#### APPOINTMENT OF SENATOR MONDALE TO THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND PUBLIC WELFARE

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I yield myself 1 minute on the bill.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from Montana is recognized.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I send to the desk a resolution and ask for its immediate consideration.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The resolution will be stated.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

S. RES. 307

*Resolved*, That Mr. Mondale, of Minnesota, be, and he is hereby, assigned to service on the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, in lieu of Mr. Kennedy, of New York, deceased, Mr. Mondale having resigned from the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the resolution?

There being no objection, the resolution (S. Res. 307) was considered and agreed to.

#### CONSTRUCTION AT MILITARY INSTALLATIONS

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill (H.R. 16703) to authorize certain construction at military installations, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 864

Mr. CLARK. Mr. President, I call up my amendment (No. 864), and ask that it be stated.