House Resolution 453 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 3610) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. CAMP as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

The Committee rose informally to receive a message from the Senate.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MCCRERY, assumed the Chair.

¶74.10 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate agrees to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 178) ''Concurrent resolution establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1997 and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002.''.

The Committee resumed its sitting; and after some further time spent therein,

¶74.11 RECORDED VOTE

A recorded vote by electronic device was ordered in the Committee of the Whole on the following amendment submitted by MR. YOUNG of Florida:

On page 17, line 9, strike ''$1,044,767,000'' and insert ''$988,567,000''.

On page 17, line 10, strike all after ''1999'' through the end of line 12, except the period.

On page 22, line 6, strike ''$4,719,930,000'' and insert ''$4,469,930,000''.

On page 24, line 17, strike ''$7,326,628,000'' and insert ''$7,274,628,000''.

On page 24, line 19, strike ''$54,700,000'' and insert ''$2,700,000''.

On page 29, line 10, strike ''$14,969,573,000'' and insert ''$14,869,573,000''.

On page 29, line 15, strike ''$1,698,486,000'' and insert ''$1,598,486,000''.

On page 82, line 6, strike ''$350,000,000''' and insert ''$400,000,000''.

On page 82, line 11, strike ''$226,400,000'' and insert ''$276,400,000''.

It was decided in the affirmative { Yeas ..... 396 / Nays ..... 25 }

¶74.12 [Roll No. 239]

AYES—396

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Allard
Andrews
Archer
Armey
Bachus
Baesler
Baker (CA)
Baker (LA)
Baldacci
Ballenger
Barcia
Barrett (NE)
Barrett (WI)
Barton
Bass
Bateman
Becerra
Beilenson
Bentsen
Bereuter
Berman
Bevill
Bilirakis
Bliley
Blumenauer
Blute
Boehlert
Boehner
Bonilla
Bono
Borski
Boucher
Brewster
Browder
Brown (CA)
Brown (FL)
Brown (OH)
Brownback
Bryant (TN)
Bryant (TX)
Bunn
Bunning
Burr
Burton
Buyer
Calvert
Camp
Campbell
Canady
Cardin
Castle
Chabot
Chambliss
Chapman
Chenoweth
Christensen
Chrysler
Clay
Clayton
Clement
Clinger
Coble
Coburn
Coleman
Collins (GA)
Collins (IL)
Collins (MI)
Combest
Condit
Conyers
Cooley
Costello
Cox
Coyne
Cramer
Crane
Crapo
Cremeans
Cubin
Cummings
Cunningham
Danner
Davis
de la Garza
Deal
DeFazio
DeLay
Dellums
Deutsch
Diaz-Balart
Dickey
Dicks
Dingell
Dixon
Doggett
Dooley
Doolittle
Dornan
Doyle
Dreier
Duncan
Dunn
Durbin
Edwards
Ehlers
Ehrlich
Emerson
Engel
English
Ensign
Eshoo
Evans
Farr
Fattah
Fawell
Fazio
Fields (LA)
Fields (TX)
Filner
Flake
Flanagan
Foglietta
Foley
Ford
Fowler
Fox
Frank (MA)
Franks (CT)
Franks (NJ)
Frelinghuysen
Frisa
Frost
Funderburk
Furse
Gallegly
Ganske
Gekas
Gephardt
Gibbons
Gilchrest
Gilman
Gonzalez
Goodlatte
Goodling
Gordon
Goss
Graham
Green (TX)
Greene (UT)
Greenwood
Gunderson
Gutierrez
Gutknecht
Hall (OH)
Hall (TX)
Hamilton
Hancock
Harman
Hastert
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Hayworth
Hefner
Heineman
Herger
Hilleary
Hilliard
Hinchey
Hobson
Hoekstra
Hoke
Holden
Horn
Hoyer
Hutchinson
Hyde
Inglis
Istook
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jacobs
Jefferson
Johnson (CT)
Johnson (SD)
Johnson, E. B.
Johnston
Jones
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kasich
Kelly
Kennedy (MA)
Kildee
Kim
King
Kingston
Kleczka
Klink
Klug
Knollenberg
Kolbe
LaFalce
LaHood
Lantos
Largent
Latham
LaTourette
Laughlin
Lazio
Leach
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Lewis (KY)
Lightfoot
Linder
Lipinski
Livingston
LoBiondo
Lofgren
Longley
Lucas
Luther
Maloney
Manton
Manzullo
Markey
Martinez
Martini
Mascara
Matsui
McCarthy
McCollum
McCrery
McDermott
McHale
McHugh
McInnis
McKeon
McKinney
McNulty
Meehan
Menendez
Metcalf
Meyers
Mica
Millender-McDonald
Miller (CA)
Miller (FL)
Minge
Mink
Moakley
Molinari
Mollohan
Moorhead
Morella
Murtha
Myers
Myrick
Nadler
Neal
Nethercutt
Neumann
Ney
Norwood
Nussle
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Orton
Owens
Oxley
Packard
Pallone
Parker
Pastor
Paxon
Payne (NJ)
Payne (VA)
Pelosi
Peterson (FL)
Peterson (MN)
Petri
Pombo
Pomeroy
Porter
Portman
Poshard
Pryce
Quillen
Quinn
Radanovich
Rahall
Ramstad
Rangel
Regula
Richardson
Riggs
Rivers
Roberts
Roemer
Rogers
Rohrabacher
Ros-Lehtinen
Rose
Roth
Roukema
Roybal-Allard
Royce
Rush
Sabo
Salmon
Sanders
Sanford
Sawyer
Saxton
Scarborough
Schaefer
Schiff
Schroeder
Scott
Seastrand
Sensenbrenner
Serrano
Shadegg
Shaw
Shays
Shuster
Skaggs
Skeen
Slaughter
Smith (MI)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Solomon
Souder
Spence
Spratt
Stark
Stearns
Stenholm
Stockman
Stokes
Studds
Stupak
Tanner
Tate
Tauzin
Taylor (NC)
Tejeda
Thomas
Thompson
Thornberry
Thornton
Thurman
Tiahrt
Torkildsen
Torres
Torricelli
Towns
Traficant
Upton
Velazquez
Vento
Visclosky
Volkmer
Vucanovich
Walker
Walsh
Wamp
Ward
Waters
Watt (NC)
Watts (OK)
Waxman
Weldon (FL)
Weldon (PA)
Weller
White
Whitfield
Wicker
Williams
Wilson
Wise
Wolf
Woolsey
Wynn
Yates
Young (AK)
Young (FL)
Zeliff
Zimmer

NOES—25

Barr
Bartlett
Bishop
Clyburn
DeLauro
Everett
Gejdenson
Geren
Hansen
Hefley
Hostettler
Hunter
Johnson, Sam
Kennedy (RI)
Kennelly
McIntosh
Meek
Montgomery
Pickett
Reed
Sisisky
Skelton
Stump
Talent
Taylor (MS)

NOT VOTING—13

Bilbray
Bonior
Callahan
Ewing
Forbes
Gillmor
Hayes
Houghton
Lincoln
Lowey
McDade
Moran
Schumer

So the amendment was agreed to.

After some further time,

¶74.13 RECORDED VOTE

A recorded vote by electronic device was ordered in the Committee of the Whole on the following amendment submitted by Mr. OBEY:

Page 22, line 6, after the dollar amount, insert the following: ''(reduced by $404,000,000)''.

It was decided in the negative { Yeas ..... 143 / Nays ..... 285 }

¶74.14 [Roll No. 240]

AYES—143

Barrett (WI)
Becerra
Beilenson
Berman
Blumenauer
Boucher
Brown (CA)
Brown (OH)
Brownback
Bryant (TX)
Bunn
Campbell
Castle
Chabot
Chapman
Clay
Clayton
Coble
Coburn
Collins (IL)
Collins (MI)
Condit
Conyers
Coyne
Cummings
Danner
DeFazio
DeLauro
Dellums
Dingell
Doggett
Dooley
Duncan
Durbin
Ehlers
Engel
Ensign
Eshoo
Evans
Fattah
Filner
Flake
Foglietta
Foley
Ford
Frank (MA)
Franks (NJ)
Furse
Ganske
Gejdenson
Gibbons
Gunderson
Gutierrez
Gutknecht
Heineman
Hinchey
Hoekstra
Inglis
Jackson (IL)
Jacobs
Johnson (SD)
Kennedy (MA)
Kennedy (RI)
Kennelly
Klug
LaFalce
Levin
Linder
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Lofgren
Lowey
Luther
Maloney
Markey
Matsui
McCarthy
McDermott
McKinney
Meehan
Menendez
Meyers
Miller (CA)
Minge
Mink
Moakley
Morella
Nadler
Neal
Neumann
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Owens
Pallone
Pastor
Payne (NJ)
Pelosi
Peterson (MN)
Petri
Pomeroy
Porter
Poshard
Ramstad
Rangel
Reed
Riggs
Rivers
Rohrabacher
Roukema
Roybal-Allard
Royce
Rush
Sanders
Sanford
Sawyer
Schroeder
Sensenbrenner
Serrano
Shays
Skaggs
Smith (MI)
Stark
Stenholm
Stockman
Stokes
Studds
Stupak
Thurman
Torres
Towns
Upton
Velazquez
Vento
Volkmer
Waters
Watt (NC)