

because I believe that, as those of us on this side of the aisle joined with Senators on the other side of the aisle to put through Alaskan statehood, so should we do so this year with respect to Hawaii.

I think there should be placed in the Record at this point the reason why I made the statement I did and the remarks that caused me to make it. I should like to quote from the statement by Mr. McCORMACK in the House of Representatives as it appears in the Record of yesterday, at page 13295. He said, among other things:

I am particularly pleased that Alaska's admission was by a Democratic-controlled Congress.

Then appears another paragraph, following which he said:

While personally I wish both could have been admitted at the same time, I am confident Hawaii's case will be acted upon early in the coming 86th Congress. The best chances of Hawaii's admission will be if the next Congress is Democratic. At the present time it is quite evident that both branches of the Congress will be Democratic, and by sharply increased majorities.

This will inure to the benefit of Hawaii. I have always felt that Hawaii's case was a strong one and a just one. Hawaii possesses every element for its admission as a State of the Union. I repeat, with the next Congress Democratic, I look forward with confidence to Hawaii's success, and the dreams and hopes of her people will materialize.

He continued in the same vein.

For many years I had very strong reservations personally about the admission of both Alaska and Hawaii to statehood. It was only after studying the question at great length that I decided not only one, but both Territories, deserve admission to statehood.

It was for a long time supposed that if Alaska were admitted to statehood her 1 Representative in the House of Representatives and her 2 Senators would be Democratic, and it was supposed for a long time that the reverse would be true if Hawaii were admitted to statehood. I personally do not believe anybody but the good God above us, who sees and watches our acts, knows what will happen in the elections. I can remember with great pain the election of 1948, when a Republican candidate thought for sure he was going to be elected to the presidency. I remember my own campaign for the Senate, in which almost everybody was sure my opponent would be the victor. So we cannot be certain about such matters, but of one thing I am sure: If we approach the question on a bipartisan basis, those who come to the Congress, whether from Alaska or from the sunny hills of Hawaii, will come as Americans. They will represent their States just as well, and with as much patriotism, dignity, and honor as any Member of the Senate can possibly do. I am looking forward to that. I am dreaming of the day when we shall add not simply 1 star to our flag, but 2 stars.

We must add the star of a Territory which I believe in many respects is far more advanced and more ready for statehood than Alaska, even though I now believe Alaska is ready for statehood.

So tonight, as we close this session, it is my sincere hope the majority leader and the acting majority leader will see fit to call up the Hawaiian statehood bill. It will most certainly be a very great shock and a very great blow to the people of Hawaii—it will be a shock to the peoples of the Asiatic countries—if we do not admit into our Union as a State that great Territory lying West of us, the Territory which absorbed the first great shock of World War II.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I join with the Senator from Colorado in what he has just said, and express the hope also that it will be bipartisan support which will bring Hawaii's case for statehood before the Senate. However, I believe we ought to be practical and realize that today is July 10. It might well be that by August 10 we will have adjourned the present session of Congress. So I express the hope that as soon as possible in the 86th Congress, whether it be Republican or Democrat, the issue of Hawaiian statehood will be before this body for consideration.

#### ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate reported that on today, July 10, 1958, he presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 602. An act to provide for the acquisition of additional land to be used in connection with the Cowpens National Battleground site;

S. 628. An act to direct the Secretary of the Army to convey certain property located at Boston Neck, Narragansett, Washington County, R. I., to the State of Rhode Island;

S. 692. An act to determine the rights and interests of the Navaho Tribe, Hopi Tribe, and individual Indians to the area set aside by Executive order of December 16, 1882, and for other purposes;

S. 832. An act for the relief of Matilda Strah;

S. 1524. An act for the relief of Laurance F. Safford;

S. 1593. An act for the relief of Elizabeth Lesch and her minor children, Gonda, Norbert, and Bobby;

S. 1901. An act to amend section 401 of the Federal Employees Pay Act of 1945, as amended;

S. 1975. An act for the relief of Peder Strand;

S. 2108. An act to amend the Public Buildings Act of 1949, to authorize the Administrator of General Services to name, rename, or otherwise designate any building under the custody and control of the General Services Administration;

S. 2109. An act to amend an act extending the authorized taking area for public building construction under the Public Buildings Act of 1926, as amended, to exclude therefrom the area within E and F Streets and Nineteenth Street and Virginia Avenue NW, in the District of Columbia;

S. 2318. An act to provide for the conveyance of certain land of the United States, to the city of Salem, Oreg.

S. 2474. An act directing the Secretary of the Navy to convey certain land situated in the State of Virginia to the Board of Supervisors of York County, Va.;

S. 2630. An act to authorize the Secretary of Defense to lend certain Army, Navy, and Air Force equipment, and to provide certain services to the Girl Scouts of the United States of America, and to permit use of certain lands of the Air Force Academy for use

at the Girl Scouts Senior Roundup Encampment, and for other purposes;

S. 2638. An act for the relief of Nicholas Christos Soullis;

S. 2665. An act for the relief of Jean Keouyoumdjian;

S. 2944. An act for the relief of Yoshiko Matsuhara and her minor child, Kerry;

S. 2950. An act for the relief of Peter Liszczynski;

S. 2964. An act granting the consent and approval of Congress to a compact between the State of Connecticut and the State of Massachusetts relating to flood control;

S. 2965. An act for the relief of Taeko Takamura Elliott;

S. 2984. An act for the relief of the Taka Motoki;

S. 2997. An act for the relief of Leobardo Castaneda Vargas;

S. 3019. An act for the relief of Herta Willmersdoerfer;

S. 3080. An act for the relief of Kimiko Araki;

S. 3159. An act for the relief of Cresencio Urbano Guerrero;

S. 3172. An act for the relief of Ryfka Bergmann;

S. 3173. An act for the relief of Frisco Di Flumeri;

S. 3175. An act for the relief of Gluseppina Fazio;

S. 3176. An act for the relief of Teofilo M. Palaganas;

S. 3269. An act for the relief of Mildred (Milka Krivec) Chester;

S. 3271. An act for the relief of Souhall Wadi Massad;

S. 3272. An act for the relief of Janez (Garantini) Bradek and Franciska (Garantini) Bradek;

S. 3314. An act for the relief of the city of Fort Myers, Fla., and Lee County, Fla.;

S. 3358. An act for the relief of John Demetriou Asteron;

S. 3364. An act for the relief of Antonios Thomas;

S. 3431. An act to provide for the addition of certain excess Federal property in the village of Hatteras, N. C., to the Cape Hatteras National Seashore Recreational Area, and for other purposes; and

S. 3506. An act to authorize the transfer of naval vessels to friendly foreign countries.

#### RECESS TO 10 A. M. TOMORROW

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, pursuant to the order previously entered, I now move that the Senate stand in recess until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The motion was agreed to; and (at 5 o'clock and 21 minutes p. m.) the Senate recessed, the recess being, under the order previously entered, until tomorrow, Friday, July 11, 1958, at 10 o'clock a. m.

#### CONFIRMATIONS

Executive nominations confirmed by the Senate July 10, 1958:

##### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

William H. G. FitzGerald, of Connecticut, to be Deputy Director for Management of the International Cooperation Administration, in the Department of State.

##### DIPLOMATIC AND FOREIGN SERVICE

Waldemar J. Gallman, of New York, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Arab Union.

##### CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD

Chan Gurney, of South Dakota, to be a member of the Civil Aeronautics Board for the term of 6 years expiring December 31, 1964.