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121	5-20	N	N	Hatfield motion to table Moynihan, et al, amendment: States finding of Congress that President has proposed precipitous and severe reductions in Social Security benefits for men and women approaching retirement age and states that Congress will not support modifications in excess of those necessary to achieve financially sound system. (49-48)
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201	7-17	A	Y	Bradley, et al, amendment: Provides one-year targeted personal income tax rate cut which distributes benefits to middle- and low-income individuals. (24-61)
217	7-23	N	Y	Kennedy amendment: Makes increase in unified estate and gift credit to \$600,000 available immediately to farms and small businesses and retains present \$175,000 on all other estates. (9-87)
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243	7-30	Y	Y	Adoption of resolution of ratification. (98-0)
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245	7-30	Y	Y	Passage. (87-6)
				FARM BILL (S. 884, P.L. 97-98)
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				HOME MORTGAGE INTEREST TAX DEDUCTION (S. Res. 238)
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126 5-21 N N Adoption of conference report. (76-20)

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS AND RESCISSIONS, 1981 (H.R. 3512, P.L. 97-12)

129 5-21 Y Y Division I of Cochran, et al, amendment: Restores \$30 million in unrequested rescissions for developing institutions of higher education. (76-19)

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			FOOD STAMPS (S. 1007)
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			ENERGY-WATER APPROPRIATIONS, 1982 (H.R. 4144, P.L 97-88)
356	11-5	N N	Johnston motion to table Baker motion to reconsider Vote No. 355. (50-45)
365	11-12	N N	COMMERCE-JUSTICE-STATE APPROPRIATIONS, 1982 (H.R. 4169) Committee amendment: Strikes House language which prohibits prosecution of any one for failing to return 1978 agriculture census forms. (3-82)

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FIRST BUDGET RESOLUTION, 1982-84; BUDGET RECONCILIATION, 1981-84 (H. Con. Res. 115)

103 5-12 Y Y Metzenbaum amendment: Increases 1982 projected revenues by \$1.3 billion to be obtained by eliminating commodity tax straddles. (32-62)

COMMERCE-JUSTICE-STATE APPROPRIATIONS, 1982 (H.R. 4169)

370 11-13 N N Denton, et al, modified amendment: Strikes \$241 million appropriation for Legal Services Corporation. (21-61)

Adoption of resolution of ratification. (96-0)

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128 5-21 Y Y Hatfield motion to table Warner, et al, amendment: Appropriates \$20 million for binary chemical (nerve gas) munitions production facility in Pine Bluff, Arkansas, and comparably reduces Army Operations and Maintenance. (48-50)

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS, 1982 (H.J. Res. 325, P.L. 97-51)

303 9-30 Y

Y Senate concurrence in House amendment to Senate amendment filed in disagreement: Repeals \$25,000 cap on honoraria and creates, beginning in FY 1983, and provides permanent appropriation for "Compensation of Members" with annual increases at rate recommended by President for Federal employees for that fiscal year. (48-44)

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70 4-2 Y Y Eagleton, et al, amendment: Restores approximately \$80 million in 1981-83 funding for National Science Foundation. (21-77)

BUDGET RECONCILIATION (H.R. 3982, P.L. 97-35)

163 6-24 A N Stafford-Hatch amendment: Makes additional cut of \$812 million in 1984 authorizations for higher education programs, including guaranteed student loans. (60-37)

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195 7-16 A N Garn amendment (to Bentsen-Boren, et al, amendment--Vote No. 196): Requires targeting of only 50 percent instead of 75 percent of funds from tax-exempt all-savers certificates to farm and home loans (33-63)

PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT INCREASE (H.J. Res. 265, P.L. 97-49)

289 9-28 N N Dole motion to table Hart amendment: Reduces from 100 percent to 70 percent allowable deduction for business meals and entertainment and earmarks savings from this reduction for school lunch programs. (58-30)

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE (S. 1196, P.L. 97-113)

300 9-30 Y Y Proxmire, et al, amendment: Expresses sense of Congress that President should undertake diplomatic initiative to obtain payment by Soviet Union of arrearages to the United Nations for peacekeeping operations. (92-0)

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS, 1982 (H.J. Res. 357, Vetoed)

405 11-19 Y Y Cannon amendment: Eliminates language prohibiting funds to implement and enforce CAB ruling that U.S. airlines do not get antitrust immunity as members of an international cartel for price-fixing on North Atlantic routes. (60-35)

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS AND RESCISSIONS, 1981 (H.R. 3512, P.L. 97-12)

134 5-21 Y Y Passage. (95-0)

FOOD STAMPS (S. 1007)

144 6-10 Y Y Moynihan amendment: Delays effective date of food stamp block grant for Puerto Rico from April 1 to October 1, 1982. (36-56)

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140	6-10	N	N	Symms modified amendment: Reinstates purchase requirement for all food stamp recipients except elderly, blind, or disabled. (33-66)
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200	7-17	AY	Y	Adoption. (88-0)
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406	11-19	N	N	Schmitt motion to table Weicker, et al, amendment: Adds \$69.8 million for education of handicapped children. (39-56)
415	11-20	N	А	Hatfield motion to table DeConcini amendment: Specifies that disapproval of deferral of budget authority for VA health care facility construction shall have same effect as passage of impoundment resolution. (53-43)
				NETHERLANDS-U.S. EXTRADITION TREATY (Treaty Doc. No. 97-7)
438	12-2	Y	Y	Adoption of resolution of ratification. (96-0)

ELDERLY

FIRST BUDGET RESOLUTION, 1982-84; BUDGET RECONCILIATION, 1981-84 (H. Con. Res. 115)

97 5-8 Y Y Kennedy amendment: Increases funding for school lunch program by \$400 million in 1982 budget authority and outlays. (29-58)

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151 6-16 Y Y Cranston, et al, modified amendment, as amended: Provides health care eligibility and outpatient care priority to veterans for disabilities linked to Agent Orange, or toxic herbicides, defoliants, or malaria preventive medications used in Vietnam, or to nuclear weapons test radiation. (98-0)

TAX ACT (H.R. 4242, P.L. 97-34)

235 7-29 Y

Y

Eagleton-Stennis amendment: Requires report to Congress with budget summarizing requests for new budget authority, estimates of outlays and revenues and estimates of deficit or surplus for 3 Social Security Trust Funds, Federal Old Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund, Federal Disability Insurance Trust Fund, and Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund. (97-2)

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DOD APPROPRIATIONS, 1982 (H.R. 4995, P.L. 97-114)

432 12-1 A N Stevens motion to table Bradley amendment: Requires President to report to Congress by January 31, 1982, how 3-year tax cut and projected defense spending increases for 1982 through 1986 will affect inflation, interest rates, and unemployment given varying rates of economic growth. (56-36)

BALANCE BUDGET/SPENDING

FARM BILL (S. 884, P.L. 97-98)

259 9-16 N

N Mattingly modified amendment (as substitute for Lugar amendment--Vote No. 256): Eliminates peanut acreage allotments; maintains poundage quotas on all allotment acres that are actually productive farm land, and with farm base production poundage established for each farm which had acreage allotment for 1981 crop year, and minimum national poundage quota of 1,240,000 tons reduced by amount of forfeited quotas; and provides loan program beginning with 1982 peanut crop with minimum support level of \$596 per ton. (51-47)