ROLL CALL REPORT

Levin, Riegle vote for keeping Hatch Act tough

tric-area members of Congress were recorded on major roll call votes in the week ending July 16

HOUSE

Timber funds kept: By a vote of 164 for and 262 against, the House refused to cut \$11.9 millon from the National Forest Service's fiscal 1994 budget for building logging roads. The amendment sought to prevent logging in certain pristine forests. The vote occurred as the House passed an Interior Department appropriations bill (FR 2520) providing \$1.24 billion for the Forest Service.

Sponsor John Porter, R-III., sale extending logging to roadless forestending logging to roadless for

extending logging to roadless for-ests is economically unsound be-cause they "are extremely remote mountainous and not well suited to timber harvesting." Opponent Norman Dicks, D-Wash., called the amendment "enother hit on the timber industry that has already been savaged be-cause of the Endangered Species Act."

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Steamtown's funding continues: By a vote of 192 for and 229 against. the House rebused to strip HR 2520 (above) of \$3.1 million for the annual operating budget of the National Park service's Steamtown National Historic Site in Scranton, Pa. The operating funds follow federal expenditures of more than \$60 millioned t

lion that helped build the museum

of America's railroad heyday. Sponsor Mike Andrews, D-Tex., said "Steamtown is an embarrass

said "Steamtown is an embarrass-ment. It is a nunway train loaded with pork barrel. It's time to throw the switch. Let's stop it." Opponent Joseph McDade, R-Pa,, said "Now comes this de-structive amendment, well after the ainth inning, after 66 million in federal dollars has been approph-ated, that says . . . we're going to turn this into a rust bucket."

A yes vote opposed federal fund-ing of Steamtown's operating budget. Area representatives vot-ing yes wore Bob Carr, Palo Kil-dee, Sender Levin, Voting no: Jo-seph Knollenberg and William Ford.

Oil shale research funds eliminated: The House voted 395 for and 37 against to remove all funds for oil shale research from HR 2520 (above). This eliminated \$5 million for an ongoing Energy

Department subsidy of research by several major oil companies to de-velop a commercially viable recov-ery of oil from rock.

Sponsor Phillip Sharp, D-Ind. sponsor main snaip, binds, said "supporters of oil shale (re-search) claim that the big break-through is always around the cor-ner, but it never seems to arrive."

Opponent James Hansen, R-Utah, said that in three states alone "we have more oil in shale than in the entire Saudi Arabia... sitting there waiting to be devel-

A yes vote opposed continued A yes vote apposed continuous government subsidy of private sector oil shele research. Area representatives voting yes were: Klideo, Knollenberg, Levin, Ford. Voting no: Carr.

Another chapter in fiscal dispute: By a vote of 184 for and 238 against, the House turned

back a Republican bid for lower Medicare and Medicaid entitle-ment spending in the \$500 billion deficit-reduction bill (KR 2264) now defict-reduction bill (HR 2264) now before a House-Senate conference committee. With this procedural vote, the House shelved a non-blinding GOP recommendation that conferees accept a Senate-approved entitlement figure that was \$21 billion less than the comparable House-approved figure.

Supporter Christopher Shays, R-Conn., said "If you vote for this motion you are voling to save \$21 billion."

Opponent Martin Sabo, D-Minn., sald Democrats are "ending that gridlock..., We are going to pass a real package, it is going to have real spending cuts."

A yes vote was for more restraint on entitlement spending in the def-icit-reduction legislation. Area rep-resentatives voting yes were: Knollenberg, Voting no: Carr, Kli-dee, Levin and Ford.

Hatch Act at Issue: The Senate voted 62 for and 33 against to continue a ban on partisan political involvement by uniformed armed services personnel. The vote occurred during debate on a bill softening the 1939 Hatch Act to permit most forms of partisan politicking, short of running for office, by federal employees other than those in uniform. The bill (S 185) remained in debate. Sam Nunn, D-Ga, said "the nonpolitical, nonpartisan tradition of military service" should be maintained. Hatch Act at issue: The

John McCain, R-Arlz., expressed "great confidence . . . that this new freedom would not be abused or violated" by the military.

A yes vote opposed partisan political involvement by uniformed service personnel. Michigan Sens. Carl Levin, D and Donald Riegle, D, both voted yes.

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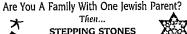
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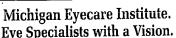




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