

commentary. This was included in Congressman Schwengel's program in the committee's report, and we would expect to——

Mr. GRAY. This would be available at all times, then, without special arrangements?

Mr. JETT. Yes, sir.

Secretary UDALL. Mr. Chairman, I would like to express the hope, too, because I think we ought to be hospitable to people from other countries, I think we ought to make it just as pleasant for them. I am sure with the use of modern communication media, electronics and so on, that in 5 or 10 years from now, we have for people, let's say, who do not speak English at all, not only participation interpretative facilities, but maybe when they go on a tour bus, you could have the sort of thing they have in the National Gallery now, where you can put on a headset and you are told in your language what you are seeing as you go along.

I think we ought to have this kind of care and pride in what we do so that the foreign visitor enjoys it just as much as the American.

Mr. GRAY. I agree with you implicitly.

Mr. AUERBACH. I would like to go up one floor. At this point we have a hostel. On the upper floors, on the mezzanine we have a nursery and infirmary, which would take care of short stays for the babies while mom and dad go to spend an hour in the Capitol and then come back, or maybe it could be expanded to broader service than that. But I think all of us who are fathers know that that could be an invaluable service.

Also the usual infirmary, taking care of those unfortunate victims of a fall or what-have-you.

On the upper floor, on the second floor we have the USO facilities, which are removed from their present location, but they are enlarged in the doing.

Mr. GRAY. Let me interrupt you at that point, if I may, because we do have a USO witness coming, and they are very much concerned. They will have, you say, more space than they have now?

Mr. AUERBACH. Yes, sir.

Mr. GRAY. I think that is a very vital part of our tourist facilities program. You know, a lot of our servicemen will be coming in by train. If we have the facilities there for them, I think this would be a very, very important part of our overall tourist service.

Mr. AUERBACH. Not only will it be larger, sir, but its entrance can be gained from the main hall at this point [indicating], rather than from the side entrance that is presently available to the USO.

Mr. GRAY. We can assure the witness who will appear later they will have improved facilities?

Mr. AUERBACH. Yes, sir.

Another point is that they will be adjacent on the second floor to such things as the Youth Hostel and short-stay hotel. The Short-stay Hotel is similar to the Air Wayte at the National Airport. That is a heck of a convenience to the serviceman. He may be able to catch a catnap after being on the train all night, or what have you.

I would like to point out at this time that the budget for reworking the building, in response to the \$5 million limit that we were told, has left out the trains and rest facilities and the student hostel, and those things which would be handled on a different basis. I think Secretary Udall can go into that in more detail.