

lent of 2.15 cents per hundred weight. This savings represents only the differences in transportation charges between Sioux City and Yankton.

Mr. HARSHA. I have no further questions.

Mr. BLATNIK. This concludes the public hearings part of the rivers and harbors beach erosion section.

(Discussion off the record.)

Mr. McEWEN. Mr. Chairman, our colleague from New York, Mr. Conable, informed me today that since the subcommittee heard the report on the Cameron Beach, New York, New York State, that he has been advised by the Bureau of the Budget that they had cleared this project and that the Secretary of the Army has been so advised of that.

General Noble, you will check on that, sir?

General NOBLE. Yes, sir.

Mr. McEWEN. At the time it was here in the subcommittee it was my understanding that the Bureau of the Budget had not reported it out.

I just want to be sure that we have that.

Mr. BLATNIK. The public hearings are concluded, and the session is adjourned.

Thank you very much.

(Whereupon, at 5:04 p.m., the subcommittee concluded its public hearings.)

BASIN MONETARY AUTHORIZATION

The total amount is \$466 million for the requirements for 12 basins through calendar year 1969 and \$3 million for completion of the West Branch Susquehanna River Basin making a grand total of \$469 million.

The committee wishes to point out again that this is additional monetary authorization for projects already authorized.

Basin	Act of Congress	Monetary authorization required through CY 1969
Alabama-Coosa River.....	Mar. 2, 1945	\$29,000,000
Arkansas River.....	June 28, 1938	108,000,000
Brazos River.....	Sept. 3, 1954	2,000,000
Central and Southern Florida.....	June 30, 1948	15,000,000
Columbia River.....	June 28, 1938	193,000,000
Missouri River.....	do.	38,000,000
Ohio River.....	June 22, 1936	35,000,000
Ouachita River.....	May 17, 1950	10,000,000
San Joaquin River.....	Dec. 22, 1944	17,000,000
South Platte River.....	May 17, 1950	12,000,000
Upper Mississippi River.....	June 28, 1938	5,000,000
White River.....	do.	2,000,000
Total.....		466,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF BASINS

A description of the basins and the status of the monetary authorizations involved in S. 3710 are given in the following paragraphs. Amounts are rounded to millions of dollars. The specific projects on which these increased authorizations are intended to be used are shown for each basin.

ALABAMA-COOSA RIVER BASIN

The Alabama-Coosa River system drains an area of 22,800 square miles, of which about 130 square miles are in Tennessee, 5,350 square miles are in Georgia, and 17,320 square miles are in Alabama. The basin has a maximum width of 110 miles and extends about 320 miles from southeast Tennessee and northwest Georgia diagonally across Alabama to the southwest corner of the State.