But, Mr. Speaker, for America I say this: fear not, for the Guardians of America’s Honor shall ensure that the greatest days for this constitutional Republic lie ahead.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. DAVIS of Illinois (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for today on account of district/constituent matters.

Mr. JACKSON of Illinois (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for today.

Mr. PASTOR of Arizona (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for December 12 and until 4 p.m. December 13 on account of official business in the district.

**SENATE BILL REFERRED**

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker’s table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 1958. An act to extend the National Flood Insurance Program until May 31, 2012; to the Committee on Financial Services.

**SENATE ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED**

The Speaker announced his signature to enrolled bills of the Senate of the following titles:

S. 505. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to lease certain lands within Fort Pulaski National Monument, and for other purposes; to enrolled bills of the Senate of the following titles:


**ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. WEST. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 5 o’clock and 15 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Friday, December 9, 2011, at 11 a.m.

**EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.**

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker’s table and referred as follows:

4206. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Walnuts Grown in Certain Designated Counties in Idaho, and Malheur County, OR; Modification of Handling Regulations [Doc. No.: AMS-FV-11-0026; FV11-984-1 FR] received November 17, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4207. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Oranges Grown in California; Tree Area in Certain Designated Counties in Idaho, and Malheur County, OR; Modification of Handling Regulations [Doc. No.: AMS-FV-11-0025; FV11-984-1 FR] received November 17, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4208. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule — Abamectin (avermectin); Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-FRL-8989-02] received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4209. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule — Amides, C9-C15; (N-3-(dimethylaminomethyl)-propylamide, C6-C12; N-3-(dimethylamino)propyl); Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0582; FRL-8989-10] received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4210. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule — Fluridone; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0766; FRL-9002-06] received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4211. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule — Metaldehyde; Methactone [EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0587; FRL-8991-4] received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4212. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule — Methomyl; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0623; FRL-8991-5] received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4213. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule — Trifloxystrobin; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0636; FRL-8991-6] received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4214. A letter from the Deputy to the Chairman for External Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation’s final rule — Transfer and Redesignation of Certain Regulations Involving Asbestos for Export Administration, Department of Commerce [Doc. No.: FRL-94884] received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4215. A letter from the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission’s final rule — Regulatory Changes to Implement the United States/Australian Agreement for Peaceful Nuclear Cooperation [RIN: 1400-AC87] received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

4216. A letter from the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission’s final rule — Regulatory Changes to Implement the United States/Australian Agreement for Peaceful Nuclear Cooperation [RIN: 1400-AC87] received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.


4218. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Maryland; Adoption of Control Techniques Guidelines for Plastic and Parts Manufacturing Coatings [EPA-R03-OAR-2011-0600; FRL-9479-6] received October 11, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4219. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Vermont; Adoption of Control Techniques Guidelines for Small Engines and Marine Engines [EPA-R03-OAR-2011-0602; FRL-9479-10] received October 11, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4220. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule — Revisions to the California Surface Coating Rules [EPA-R05-OAR-2010-0519; FRL-94804] received October 11, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4221. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule — Methacrylic acid-methyl methacrylate; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0455; FRL-9490-1] received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4222. A letter from the Deputy to the Chairman for External Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation’s final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Arizona; Adoption of Control Techniques Guidelines for Air-Polluting Emissions [EPA-R03-OAR-2011-0610; FRL-9479-4] received October 11, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4223. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department’s final rule — Revisions to the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act of 2010 [RIN: 3004-AD82] received November 2, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4224. A letter from the Chief Acquisition Officer, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration’s final rule — Federal Acquisition Regulation; Set-Asides for Small Business [FAC 2005-54; FAR Case 2009-22; Item VIII; Docket 2011-0115; Sequence 01] (RIN: 9000-AM12) received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

4225. A letter from the Chief Acquisition Officer, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration’s final rule — Federal Acquisition Regulation; Set-Asides for Small Business [FAC 2005-54; FAR Case 2009-22; Item VIII; Docket 2011-0115; Sequence 01] (RIN: 9000-AM12) received November 4, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

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