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The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. ISSA).

### DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,  
June 6, 2018.

I hereby appoint the Honorable DARRELL E. ISSA to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

PAUL D. RYAN,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. Lasky, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has passed without amendment bills of the House of the following titles:

H.R. 2333. An act to amend the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 to increase the amount of leverage made available to small business investment companies.

H.R. 4743. An act to amend the Small Business Act to strengthen the Office of Credit Risk Management within the Small Business Administration, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate has agreed to without amendment a concurrent resolution of the House of the following title:

H. Con. Res. 113. Concurrent Resolution authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the Greater Washington Soap Box Derby.

### MORNING-HOUR DEBATE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the order of the House of January 8, 2018, the Chair will now recognize Members from lists submitted by the majority and minority leaders for morning-hour debate.

The Chair will alternate recognition between the parties. All time shall be equally allocated between the parties,

and in no event shall debate continue beyond 11:50 a.m. Each Member, other than the majority and minority leaders and the minority whip, shall be limited to 5 minutes.

### 126TH AIR REFUELING WING DAY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. BOST) for 5 minutes.

Mr. BOST. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize the important efforts of the 126th Air Refueling Wing at Scott Air Force Base in St. Clair County, Illinois.

On June 2, I celebrated the many achievements of this unit when I attended the 126th Air Refueling Wing Day, which was done by proclamation by the Governor of the State of Illinois.

The 126th Air Refueling Wing routinely succeeds in its missions of providing immediate, sustained, long-range air refueling of both nuclear and conventional aircraft for both the U.S. Armed Forces and NATO allies.

The 126th Air Refueling Wing has more than 1,000 Air National Guard Active Duty United States Air Force personnel, who recently received its eighth Air Force Outstanding Unit Award for service provided from December 2014 through December 2016.

The servicemembers of the 126th Air Refueling Wing routinely demonstrate their excellence in performance while supporting the United States Air Force operations.

The significant awards and recognition the 126th Illinois Air National Guard has received sets the foundational framework for being a strong center of excellence for military aircraft.

I am proud of their hard work and dedication to ensuring the best aircraft maintenance and repair work is done at Scott Air Force Base.

Our national defense depends on having our military aircraft able to fly in

a moment's notice, so the work that they do every day is critical in keeping all of us safe at home.

### RECOGNIZING WILBER HESTERBERG'S 100TH BIRTHDAY

Mr. BOST. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Wilber "Whip" Hesterberg of Maeystown, Illinois, who will turn 100 years old on June 24.

Whip worked for A&P Food Stores for many years, was a Teamster, and served in the Army for 4 years.

He likes to camp, garden, and do word searches. He can also still be seen driving around town slowly, it is reported.

Family and neighbors say he is "loved by everyone."

Every Wednesday night, Whip continues to host a family dinner at his house with some of his five children, 17 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren.

This year, Whip will be honored as the Grand Marshal of Maeystown Homecoming celebration on June 15 and 16.

Whip, southern Illinois wishes you a happy 100th birthday.

### 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF BELLEAU WOOD

Mr. BOST. Mr. Speaker, I also rise today and feel it is very important that we recognize and remember that today is D-day, but also that 100 years ago today was the battle of Belleau Wood in the First World War, where the Marines earned the title of Devil Dogs.

It was a very, very hard fought battle. We must remember that freedom is not free. So when we recognize not only D-day, but 100 years since that time on that day, we lost 1,086 Marines.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY, MATT MCAULIFFE

Mr. BOST. Mr. Speaker, I also want to recognize today someone who works in my office that everyone looks up to, because he is so tall, is my chief of staff, and it is his birthday, Matt McAuliffe. Happy birthday.

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