

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining.

□ 1730

Mr. LEVIN changed his vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

MOMENT OF SILENCE HONORING ENSIGN SARAH MITCHELL

(Mr. FITZPATRICK asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. FITZPATRICK. Mr. Speaker, it is with a heavy heart that I rise today in memory of Ensign Sarah Mitchell, a naval officer serving on Active Duty who passed away on July 8 due to injuries sustained in a training accident in Aqaba, Jordan.

Sarah was raised in Feasterville, Pennsylvania, and attended Lower Southampton Elementary School and Poquessing Middle School before attending Neshaminy High School in Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

While at Neshaminy, Sarah excelled in the classroom, as well as being a member of the school’s field hockey team, basketball team, and track and field team.

Lisa Pennington, Sarah’s field hockey coach, described her as the person you would always remember as smiling and working hard to be successful.

Upon graduation from Neshaminy High School, Sarah attended and graduated from Virginia Tech University, where she was a member of the Corps of Cadets.

Regarded as an exceptional student athlete and member of our community, Sarah’s decision to serve our Nation came as no surprise to those who knew her best.

Her longtime friend Emily Curtin had these amazing words about Sarah in our local paper, the Bucks County Courier Times: “She was fearless in the pursuit of everything she wanted, never settling for less. Sarah never left anyone behind. Sarah’s loyalty to her family, fiancée, friends, and country was undeniable. She carried the burdens of others and helped every person” she encountered who was in need.

Mr. Speaker, may all of us use the legacy Sarah left us as a guide to live in a way that exemplifies patriotism and courage.

We send our deepest condolences to Sarah’s fiancée, Dave Collins; her parents, Jack and Betsy; her siblings, Kevin, Kristy, John, and Jillian.

Mr. Speaker, I ask our colleagues to join us in a moment of silence for Ensign Sarah Mitchell, an American hero.

A TAX REFORM SUCCESS STORY

(Mr. NORMAN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1

minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. NORMAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to bring your attention to yet another success story from tax reform.

A constituent of mine who is the founder and owner of All Pro Solutions, a small business in South Carolina, has benefited greatly from tax reform.

Tibi contacted my office with his recent success story, and he cannot downplay the positive impact he has seen.

All Pro Solutions is a digital archiving company of 10 employees, so they are in no way a big corporation. As a result of tax reform being signed into law, All Pro Solutions has been able to buy extra and newer equipment. They have already seen an increase in sales. They are now expanding their archiving work, and they will soon be hiring two more employees due to these wonderful circumstances.

His story proves that these tax cuts were for everyone. They are working on a local level, and these tax cuts are beneficial to all and working on a national level.

OPPOSING ADMINISTRATION PLANS TO ROB RYAN WHITE HIV/ AIDS PROGRAM FUNDS

(Mr. PAYNE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. PAYNE. Mr. Speaker, the vast majority of people in our country oppose the Trump administration’s cruel policy of jailing immigrant children. This administration is rotten to the core.

Just yesterday, news broke that the Department of Health and Human Services’ Office of Refugee Resettlement is preparing for possibly another surge of families to separate. They are planning for the possible detention of thousands more children, even though the office doesn’t have enough money to take care of these children.

So what is the administration’s plan for covering the cost of jailing children? According to internal documents obtained by reporters, HHS plans to pay for the child separation by robbing funds from the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program. In fact, HHS is already moving money out of the Ryan White program.

Mr. Speaker, this administration is wicked. Stealing from the underinsured and the uninsured people living with HIV in order to put children in jail is outrageous. Congress needs to step up and protect the Ryan White program and end child detention.

WHERE IS THE HEART IN THIS ADMINISTRATION

(Ms. JACKSON LEE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. JACKSON LEE. Mr. Speaker, I will be returning to the House Judici-

ary Committee. We have been there for more than 8 hours, maybe 11 hours, with Peter Strzok, an FBI agent who has been vindicated by the inspector general regarding the Hillary Clinton emails, which were found to have no effect on any violation or any criminal violation, but yet Republicans have continued over and over again to hold these hearings without addressing the question of jailed children snatched from their families.

Today, we understand that Health and Human Services is holding back the reunification of some of these babies under 5 to their moms and their dads on the basis of unrelatable or unnecessary predicaments of these parents, where they have been incarcerated for misdemeanors regarding immigration.

This is the administration that really has no caring and no love for people.

Finally, Mr. Speaker, the World Health Organization had the delegation from this Nation, not representing me, fight a country that was trying to support breastfeeding, and they wanted to condemn Ecuador for a resolution supporting breastfeeding for mothers around the world.

What are we coming to? Where is the heart in this administration?

HONORING THE LIFE OF SUSAN SMITH

(Mr. KIHUEN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. KIHUEN. Mr. Speaker, today I rise to remember the life of Susan Smith.

Susan attended the Route 91 festival in Las Vegas on October 1.

Susan was a wife and a mother of two. She worked as an office manager at Vista Fundamental Elementary School in Simi Valley, California.

Susan loved traveling, scrapbooking, and documenting countless memories for her family.

Susan had a contagious laugh and a great sense of humor. She was patient, strong, and kind.

Susan is remembered for her love of her family, her drive, and the beautiful way she treated others.

Mr. Speaker, I extend my condolences to Susan Smith’s family and friends. Please know that the city of Las Vegas, the State of Nevada, and the whole country grieve with you.

RECOGNIZING THE NATIONAL DAY OF CIVILITY

(Ms. TENNEY asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. TENNEY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize the special day that today is. It is the National Day of Civility, #nationaldayofcivility.

I wanted to recognize this day because last year, as a freshman Member,