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House of Representatives

The House met at 10:30 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. McHENRY).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
November 20, 2018.

I hereby appoint the Honorable PATRICK T. McHENRY to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

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

PRAYER

Rabbi Arnold E. Resnicoff, Retired Chaplain, U.S. Navy, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

Almighty God, we pray, reflect, meditate in different ways, but unite in condemnation when hatred rears its ugly head.

On this date in 1945 we helped convene a court in Nuremberg, proclaiming some actions so inhuman that they are crimes against humanity itself.

We condemned the false belief that any humans are less than human: "life unworthy of life."

Such thinking leads to slaughter, even here at home: dead children in their churches, hated for the color of their skin; beatings, killings, lynchings that stained our landscape, and our history, with what poets called the strange and bitter fruit of bodies hanging from the trees; and last month, in a Pittsburgh synagogue, men and women murdered because the shooter thought "all Jews should die."

God, we know that words and prayers still matter, when they are linked to action, grounded in our Nation's founding vision: that all are created equal, with rights to liberty and life, rights

and dreams we must forever honor, cherish, and protect.

And may we say, amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 2(a) of House Resolution 1142, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, November 16, 2018.

Hon. PAUL D. RYAN,
The Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on November 16, 2018, at 3:09 p.m.:

That the Senate agreed to Relative to the death of the Honorable Walter "Dee" Hudleston, former United States Senator for the State of Kentucky S. Res. 700.

That the Senate agrees to the House of Representatives amendment to the bill S. 2152.

That the Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 51.

That the Senate passed S. 3209.

That the Senate passed S. 3237.

That the Senate passed S. 3321.

That the Senate passed S. 3414.

That the Senate passed S. 3442.

That the Senate passed with amendments H.R. 4407.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 606.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 1209.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 2979.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 3230.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 4890.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 4913.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 4946.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 4960.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 5349.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 5504.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 5737.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 5784.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 5868.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 5935.

That the Senate passed without an amendment H.R. 6116.

Appointments:
United States-China Economic and Security Review Commission

National Security Commission on Artificial Intelligence

Cyberspace Solarium Commission

With best wishes, I am,
Sincerely,

KAREN L. HAAS.

SENATE BILLS REFERRED

Bills of the Senate of the following titles were taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 3209. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 413 Washington Avenue in Belleville, New Jersey, as the "Private Henry Svehla Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

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