

the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1148 MARINE CORPS nomination of Carlos T. Jackson, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

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PN1129 NAVY nomination of Michael J. Tagaloa, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1130 NAVY nomination of Patcho N. Santiago, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1131 NAVY nomination of Bryan A. Boldon, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1132 NAVY nomination of Michael D. Cribbs, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1133 NAVY nomination of Brackery L. Battle, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1134 NAVY nomination of Joel D. Myers, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1135 NAVY nominations (108) beginning BRYAN M. ALLRED, and ending KENDRA M. YATES, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1136 NAVY nominations (138) beginning MARIO D. ADAME, and ending ANTHONY M. YOUNG, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1137 NAVY nominations (1117) beginning WILLIAM H. ABBITT, and ending RUBEN B. ZWEIBAN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1138 NAVY nominations (30) beginning KELLY W. AGHA, and ending AMY L. YOUNGER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1139 NAVY nominations (39) beginning KWADWO S. AGYEPONG, and ending SHAUN E. WILLIAMS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1140 NAVY nominations (6) beginning BRADLEY E. CHERRY, and ending NEIL W. WHITESELL, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1141 NAVY nominations (15) beginning HERNAN R. BORJA, and ending BRIAN E. YEE, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1142 NAVY nominations (15) beginning BENJAMIN T. ANDERSON, and ending MATTHEW A. STROUP, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1143 NAVY nominations (16) beginning NICK AVILA, and ending ATHANASIOS R. VARVOUTIS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1144 NAVY nominations (17) beginning MICHAEL ADAMSKI, JR., and ending AUSTIN C. WEST, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1145 NAVY nominations (60) beginning JASON C. ABELL, and ending JAMES M. ZWEIFEL, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1146 NAVY nominations (49) beginning GARRETT L. ADAMS, and ending IRIS P. WOOD, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 19, 2019.

PN1222 NAVY nomination of Joseph L. Coffey, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 15, 2019.

#### LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senate will now resume legislative session.

#### RESOLUTIONS SUBMITTED TODAY

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate now proceed to the en bloc consideration of the following Senate resolutions, which were submitted earlier today: S. Res. 399, S. Res. 400, and S. Res. 401.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolutions en bloc.

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the resolutions be agreed to, the preambles be agreed to, and the motions to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table, all en bloc.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The resolutions (S. Res. 399, S. Res. 400, S. Res. 401) were agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

(The resolutions, with their preambles, are printed in today's RECORD under "Submitted Resolutions.")

#### HONORING THE LIFE, WORK, AND LEGACY OF TONI MORRISON

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the consideration of S. Res. 402, which was submitted earlier today.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The senior assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 402) honoring the life, work, and legacy of Toni Morrison.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, I know of no further debate on the resolution.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there further debate?

Hearing none, the question is on adoption of the resolution.

The resolution (S. Res. 402) was agreed to.

Mr. MCCONNELL. I ask unanimous consent that the preamble be agreed to and the motions to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table with no intervening action or debate.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The preamble was agreed to.

(The resolution, with its preamble, is printed in today's RECORD under "Submitted Resolutions.")

#### NATIONAL FARM TO SCHOOL MONTH

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the consideration of S. Res. 403, submitted earlier today.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will read the resolution by title.

The senior assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 403) designating October 2019 as "National Farm to School Month".

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Mr. LEAHY. Mr. President, today I am proud to honor the contributions of farm to school programs around the country by introducing a resolution that designates October as "National Farm to School Month." I am glad Senators COLLINS, BROWN, and PERDUE joined me in introducing this resolution.

Under a provision I authored in the 2010 Healthy and Hunger-Free Kids Act, farm to school programs across the country have thrived. Grants have been awarded in all 50 States and the District of Columbia to support programs in more than 43,000 schools. We have learned that one of the best ways to help students make healthy choices is to teach them about their food and how it is grown. Making that connection makes a difference.

We all know that hungry children cannot learn. Studies have shown that healthy nutrition in a young person's diet is crucial to cognitive ability and better health in the long run. Food insecurity and obesity rates are still too high in this country, resulting in poor health and learning and behavioral difficulties at school. The school meal program has made tremendous strides in recent years to ensure not only that children have access to meals throughout the school day but that those meals are nutritious. The Farm to School Program has given children and schools across the country the tools to craft farm-fresh, healthy, and delicious meals that students enjoy.

In Vermont, I have seen firsthand how farm to school efforts have better connected children with the food in their cafeteria. Students participate in school gardens, sustainability projects, and taste tests for new school menu items. Earlier this month, I was glad to visit St. Albans, VT, to announce grants that will enhance classroom curriculum to help children become familiar with local food and how to eat healthfully.

Ensuring children have enough food to eat is an issue that unites us all. There is simply no excuse that in the wealthiest, most powerful Nation on Earth, people go hungry. Small changes in eating habits by children

will result in lifelong health benefits for generations to come. The Farm to School Program empowers children and their families to make healthy choices now and in the future. I am glad all Senators joined us in recognizing the importance of this program and recognizing October 2019 as National Farm to School Month.

Mr. McCONNELL. I know of no further debate on the measure.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. If there is no further debate, the question is on agreeing to the resolution.

The resolution (S. Res. 403) was agreed to.

Mr. McCONNELL. I ask unanimous consent that the preamble be agreed to and that the motions to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table with no intervening action or debate.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The preamble was agreed to.

(The resolution, with its preamble, is printed in today's RECORD under "Submitted Resolutions.")

#### WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE CENTENNIAL COMMEMORATIVE COIN ACT

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of H.R. 2423, which was received from the House.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The senior assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 2423) to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of ratification of the 19th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, giving women in the United States the right to vote.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. McCONNELL. I ask unanimous consent that the bill be considered read a third time and passed and that the motion to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The bill (H.R. 2423) was ordered to a third reading, was read the third time, and passed.

#### SUPPORTING THE GOALS AND IDEALS OF NATIONAL CYBERSECURITY AWARENESS MONTH TO RAISE AWARENESS ABOUT, AND ENHANCE THE STATE OF, CYBERSECURITY IN THE UNITED STATES

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be discharged from further consideration and the Senate now proceed to S. Res. 345.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The senior assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 345) supporting the goals and ideals of National Cybersecurity Awareness Month to raise awareness about, and enhance the state of, cybersecurity in the United States.

There being no objection, the committee was discharged, and the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Mr. McCONNELL. I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, and the motions to reconsider be considered made and laid upon the table.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The resolution (S. Res. 345) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

(The resolution, with its preamble, is printed in today's RECORD under "Submitted Resolutions.")

#### ORDERS FOR MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2019, AND TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2019

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn to then convene for pro forma session only, with no business being conducted, on Monday November 4, at 1 p.m. I further ask that when the Senate adjourns on Monday, November 4, it next convene at 10 a.m., Tuesday, November 5, and that following the prayer and pledge, the morning hour be expired, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, morning business be closed, and the Senate proceed to executive session and resume consideration of the Tapp nomination; further, notwithstanding the provisions of rule XXII, the cloture motions filed during today's session ripen at 2:15 p.m. Tuesday, November 5; finally, that the Senate recess from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m. to allow for the weekly conference meetings.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### ORDER FOR ADJOURNMENT

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask the Senate stand adjourned under the previous order following the remarks of Senator MURKOWSKI.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from Alaska.

#### REMEMBERING KAY HAGAN

Ms. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, I know that several of my colleagues have had an opportunity to take to the floor this week and today to speak to the memory of a woman, a Senator, and a friend—certainly a friend of mine—former Senator Kay Hagan from the State of North Carolina.

Kay was one of those women whom you naturally gravitated to. She was kind. She was generous in her southern manner and in her charm.

I rarely use the word "delightful" to describe people, but Kay was a delightful woman. She was a friend to so many of us, and she was a good colleague in the Senate.

We had an opportunity to work together on different legislative matters, whether it was initiatives I was leading on mineral security or initiatives she was working on with regard to small business and HUBZones, but the one area we really did connect on for a couple years was what we were trying to do with our sportsmen's bill.

We were successful in passing that through the Senate a couple years ago, but we worked on this back in 2014, and it gave us an opportunity, as two women from States where hunting and fishing and being engaged with the outdoors is something that Alaskans and North Carolinians do and enjoy. We shared stories. We shared just discussion about how we were able to reach common ground. We figured if these two women from these two parts of the country could figure this out and make it happen, that would really be a good day, a positive day.

Well, it didn't happen at that particular time, but I am pleased to say we were successful some years later, and I think much of that was due, in part, to the good work of Kay Hagan.

I know there have been references to her legislative work, to her quality as a woman and a leader. My heart is really with the Hagan family, with her husband, Chip, and her extended family who truly loved her and were very protective of her in so many ways. I know their loss is a significant one.

I want them all to know that this Senator from Alaska shares that love, shares that loss for a woman who served us all well. I wanted to make sure that my comments were included among the many who have spoken on Kay's life.

#### SAVANNA'S ACT

Ms. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, I want to speak to another matter this afternoon, a matter that as I think about my tenure in the Senate and those initiatives I have been engaged with that have really touched me in a way that make me want to work all that much harder because it is so challenging, it is so difficult, and in many, many ways, it is so dark that anything I can do to shine a light on it, I will do so.

I came to the Senate floor 2 years ago, joined by my former colleague from North Dakota, Senator Heidi Heitkamp. Heidi was on the floor speaking about a bill she had introduced, Savanna's Act, but together we were really working to speak to the urgency of addressing this epidemic, if you will, this growing number of missing and murdered Native women across America.

The awful truth in this country is that Native women are victims of violence in unprecedented proportions.