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House of Representatives

The House met at 9:30 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Ms. WEXTON).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
May 26, 2020.

I hereby appoint the Honorable JENNIFER WEXTON to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NANCY PELOSI,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Patrick J. Conroy, offered the following prayer:

God, Father of us all, thank You for giving us another day. Inspire the men and women of Congress during this time of social distancing to find ways of serving their constituents and our Nation as best they can. May their efforts and cooperative work with local government efforts help to lift those Americans who struggle most in these days.

So many habits and traditions are scattered by this horrible pandemic. In the wake of this past weekend, let us not forget the great sacrifice of years, some freedoms, and even life, of those who chose or have chosen to serve our Nation in the Armed Forces. We thank You, and them, for their gift of self in service to a greater cause.

As the summer begins, may all Americans remain vigilant in honoring their neighbors with their respect of appropriate distance and attention to the danger of the coronavirus. Keep us safe and continue to bless those engaged in addressing this disease directly.

May everything done this day be for Your greater honor and glory.
Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(a) of House Resolution 967, 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.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(b) of House Resolution 967, the House stands adjourned until 10 a.m. tomorrow for morning-hour debate and noon for legislative business.

Thereupon (at 9 o'clock and 32 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, May 27, 2020, at 10 a.m. for morning-hour debate.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

4354. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of General Gustave F. Perna, United States Army, and his advancement to the grade of general on the retired list, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 1370(c)(1); Public Law 96-513, Sec. 112 (as amended by Public Law 104-106, Sec. 502(b)); (110 Stat. 293); to the Committee on Armed Services.

4355. A letter from the Deputy Chief, Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting The Commission's final rule — Review of the Emergency Alert System [EB

Docket No.: 04-296] [PS Docket No.: 15-94] received May 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4356. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's issuance of regulatory guide — Anchoring Components and Structural Supports in Concrete, Regulatory Guide 1.199, Revision 1, received May 1, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4357. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's issuance of regulatory guide — Standard Format and Content for Applications to Renew Nuclear Power Plant Operating Licenses, Regulatory Guide 1.188, Revision 2 received May 1, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4358. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's issuance of regulatory guide — Guidelines for Evaluating Electromagnetic and Radio-Frequency Interference in Safety-Related Instrumentation and Control Systems, Regulatory Guide 1.180, Revision 2, received May 1, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

4359. A letter from the General Counsel, Administrative Conference of the United States, transmitting the Conference's FY 2019 No FEAR Act report, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 2301 note; Public Law 107-174, 203(a) (as amended by Public Law 109-435, Sec. 604(f)); (120 Stat. 3242); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

4360. A letter from the Vice President, Government Relations, Office of Inspector General, Tennessee Valley Authority, transmitting a nomination, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3349(a); Public Law 105-277, 151(b); (112 Stat. 2681-614); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following

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titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. PHILLIPS (for himself, Mr. ROY, Mr. UPTON, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. ROUDA, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. SCHRIER, Mr. WELCH, Mr. BRINDISI, Mr. PAPPAS, Mrs. WALORSKI, Ms. MENG, Mr. JOYCE of Ohio, Ms. TORRES SMALL of New Mexico, Mr. BERGMAN, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mr. LAMALFA, Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY, Mr. BERA, Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER, Mr. VAN DREW, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. DUNN, Mr. O'HALLERAN, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. DEUTCH, Ms. STEFANIK, Mr. RYAN, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. KILMER, Mr. JOYCE of Pennsylvania, Mr. WRIGHT, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. CURTIS):

H.R. 7010. A bill to amend the Small Business Act and the CARES Act to modify certain provisions related to the forgiveness of loans under the paycheck protection program, to allow recipients of loan forgiveness under the paycheck protection program to defer payroll taxes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. NORTON, Ms. DELAURO, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. ROSE of New York, Mr. CISNEROS, Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas, Ms. PORTER, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. MORELLE, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. WILD, Mr. RYAN, Ms. TITUS, Ms. MENG, and Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois):

H.R. 7011. A bill to establish a Pandemic Risk Reinsurance Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. CICILLINE (for himself, Mr. CASTEN of Illinois, Mr. HASTINGS, Mrs. HAYES, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, and Mr. LYNCH):

H.R. 7012. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to prohibit online platforms and certain intermediaries from targeting the dissemination of political advertisements to a specific group of individuals on the basis of online behavioral data or on the basis of demographic characteristics shared by members of the group, to require online platforms and certain intermediaries to maintain public records of certain political advertisements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. CRENSHAW:

H.R. 7013. A bill to amend title II of division A of the CARES Act to provide reemployment support benefits to recently unemployed individuals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. ESHOO:

H.R. 7014. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to prohibit online platforms from disseminating political advertisements which are targeted to an individual or to a group of individuals on any basis other than the recognized place in which the individual or group resides, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. CONNOLLY):

H.R. 7015. A bill to provide financial stability to the United States Postal Service during the coronavirus pandemic, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Over-

sight and Reform, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MAST:

H.R. 7016. A bill to waive the 60-day rule in case of rollover of otherwise required minimum distributions in 2020; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MCHENRY (for himself, Mr. MURPHY of North Carolina, and Mr. ROY):

H.R. 7017. A bill to allow States to approve the use of diagnostic tests during a public health emergency; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. POCAN (for himself, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, and Mr. CRIST):

H.R. 7018. A bill to require the President to use authorities under the Defense Production Act of 1950 to require emergency production of COVID-19 supplies to address the COVID-19 pandemic, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. SCALISE (for himself and Mr. CUELLAR):

H.R. 7019. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Energy to carry out a program to lease underutilized Strategic Petroleum Reserve facilities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, and Mr. CARTWRIGHT):

H.R. 7020. A bill to provide a cause of action for violations of laws related to COVID-19, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SOTO (for himself and Mr. FLORES):

H.R. 7021. A bill to facilitate access to electromagnetic spectrum for commercial space launches and commercial space reentries; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. QUIGLEY:

H. Res. 980. A resolution expressing support for designation of May 2020 as "National Brain Tumor Awareness Month"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

173. THE SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, relative to Senate Resolution No. 65, respectfully urging the President of the United States and the United States Congress to support the creation of the COVID-19 Business and Employee Continuity and Recovery Fund; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. PHILLIPS:

H.R. 7010.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 power to regulate commerce

Article I, Section 8 necessary and proper clause

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York:

H.R. 7011.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. CICILLINE:

H.R. 7012.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution of the United States

By Mr. CRENSHAW:

H.R. 7013.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution

By Ms. ESHOO:

H.R. 7014.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

By Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York:

H.R. 7015.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 7 of the Constitution of the United States grants the Congress the power to enact this law.

By Mr. MAST:

H.R. 7016.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution, "To make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing powers and all other powers vested by this Constitution in the government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof."

By Mr. MCHENRY:

H.R. 7017.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Amendment X: The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the states, are reserved to the states respectively, or to the people.

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several states, and with the Indian Tribes;

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. POCAN:

H.R. 7018.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. SCALISE:

H.R. 7019.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I Section 8

Section 8—Powers of Congress. To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY:

H.R. 7020.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clauses 3 and 18.

The Congress shall have Power . . .

To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of

the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof

By Mr. SOTO:

H.R. 7021.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, of the U.S. Constitution.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions, as follows:

- H.R. 2777: Mr. WALTZ.
- H.R. 4701: Mrs. HAYES.
- H.R. 4718: Mr. TED LIEU of California.
- H.R. 5125: Mr. STEUBE.
- H.R. 5434: Mr. COX of California.
- H.R. 5469: Mr. SERRANO, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. CÁRDENAS.
- H.R. 5595: Mr. JOYCE of Ohio.
- H.R. 5913: Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. GONZALEZ of Texas, and Mr. VELA.
- H.R. 6120: Mr. NORCROSS.
- H.R. 6450: Ms. WILSON of Florida.
- H.R. 6509: Mr. GOTTHEIMER.
- H.R. 6562: Mrs. LESKO.
- H.R. 6618: Mr. CISNEROS and Mr. HARDER of California.
- H.R. 6644: Mr. GARAMENDI and Ms. SEWELL of Alabama.

H.R. 6645: Mr. TRONE.

H.R. 6697: Mr. MULLIN.

H.R. 6707: Mr. TONKO.

H.R. 6742: Mr. HAGEDORN, Mr. GONZALEZ of Ohio, Mr. NEWHOUSE, and Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky.

H.R. 6766: Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN.

H.R. 6814: Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 6829: Miss RICE of New York.

H.R. 6834: Ms. JAYAPAL.

H.R. 6874: Mr. COOPER, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. CASTEN of Illinois, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. CORREA, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. CLEAVER, Ms. NORTON, Mr. CONNOLLY, Ms. STEVENS, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mrs. DEMINGS, and Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 6949: Mr. KENNEDY and Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 6957: Mrs. AXNE.

H. Res. 902: Ms. LEE of California, Mr. STIVERS, Mr. VELA, Mr. NADLER, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. FOSTER, Ms. BASS, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. HARDER of California, Ms. HAALAND, Mr. KATKO, and Mrs. HAYES.

H. Res. 974: Mr. GONZALEZ of Ohio.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

96. The SPEAKER presented a petition of Mr. Gregory Watson, a citizen of Austin, TX, relative to requesting passage of legislation which would incentivize American-based manufacturers of medical equipment and medical supplies to produce that equipment and those supplies domestically within the United States so as to eliminate--or at least reduce--America's dependency upon the fabrication of such equipment and supplies in foreign nations and the concomitant danger of critical shortages of such equipment and supplies to address the healthcare needs of United States citizens; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

97. Also, a petition of the Morris County Board of Chosen Freeholders, relative to Res-2020-298, urging the State of New Jersey to provide direct stabilization funding to Morris County from the Coronavirus Relief Fund in an amount consistent with the allocation made to counties that have populations slightly over 500,000, by utilizing the formula applied through the CARES Act.; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.



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Senate

The Senate met at 9:30 a.m. and was called to order by the Honorable JOSH HAWLEY, a Senator from the State of Missouri.

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will please read a communication to the Senate from the President pro tempore (Mr. GRASSLEY).

The Parliamentarian read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,
Washington, DC, May 26, 2020.

To the Senate:

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable JOSH HAWLEY, a Senator from the State of Missouri, to perform the duties of the Chair.

CHUCK GRASSLEY,
President pro tempore.

Mr. HAWLEY thereupon assumed the Chair as Acting President pro tempore.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL THURSDAY,
MAY 28, 2020, AT 11 A.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 11 a.m. on Thursday, May 28, 2020.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 9:30 and 31 seconds a.m., adjourned until Thursday, May 28, 2020, at 11 a.m.

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EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

IN RECOGNITION OF KENT
CORNISH

HON. SHARICE DAVIDS

OF KANSAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Ms. DAVIDS of Kansas. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize Kent Cornish, who is retiring from the Kansas Association of Broadcasters after serving as the President and Executive Director for 12 years.

Kent, a graduate of the University of Kansas, has nearly 25 years of broadcasting experience in Kansas and is a tireless advocate for the local broadcasting community. He started his career as news reporter, anchor and assistant news director at WIBW until serving as executive director of the Kansas Manufactured Housing Institute in 1980. Kent returned to WIBW a few years later and was named program director/operations manager. He also spent 10 years at KTKA TV in Topeka before becoming vice president/general manager at KSAS/KMTW in Wichita.

Kent has left a lasting mark on Kansas. He has earned numerous broadcast awards including the Grover Cobb award from the University of Kansas and General Manager of the Year from the Broadcast Professionals of Wichita.

Madam Speaker, please join me in congratulating Kent Cornish on his years of dedication and outstanding service to Kansas. On behalf of Kansas' Third District, we are so proud of Kent's hard work and wish him the best in the next chapter of his life.

THANKING ALEXANDRA CASTILLO
FOR PROVIDING FOOD TO THOSE
IN NEED

HON. PETE OLSON

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Mr. OLSON. Madam Speaker, I rise to recognize the incredible effort to feed our community that is being done by Alexandra Castillo, a nine-year-old girl from Friendswood, Texas.

As we continue to weather the economic impact of the coronavirus, some in our community face a choice between shelter and food. Alexandra is helping some avoid making that choice.

Alexandra was already sewing masks and giving them to those in need, but knew she could do more to help those around her. Seeing her neighbors go hungry, Alexandra had the idea of opening up a food pantry so that they could get the groceries they need.

When her mom heard about the idea, she got the word out on social media. Soon after, their neighbors came together to give their supplies and their time to make Alexandra's idea a reality.

Alexandra's ingenuity and compassion illustrate how one person can help an entire community in tough times. On behalf of the Twenty-Second Congressional District of Texas, we thank Alexandra—a young girl providing an example of selfless leadership to people of all ages.

RECOGNIZING A BEAUTIFUL RE-
MEMBRANCE OF NATIVE AMER-
ICAN AND APACHE VETERANS

HON. TOM O'HALLERAN

OF ARIZONA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Mr. O'HALLERAN. Madam Speaker, it is my honor to include in the RECORD the below piece, by Chairman Terry Rambler of the San Carlos Apache Tribe, which appeared in Indian Country Today in remembrance of Memorial Day. Chairman Rambler's piece is an excellent example of how we should honor Native American Veterans, and all Veterans, on Memorial Day.

Hello everyone. I will share with you some thoughts about Memorial Day. It is a day to honor our fallen heroes, a day to look at the flag and to remember the sacrifices made by our military members, to honor their place of final rest. For some, this is a day for picnics, family gatherings, and barbeques, but it is so much more.

For the past two months, we all have been consumed with the coronavirus. These are dark, fearful times. Congress has spent more than \$6 trillion on mitigation and economic recovery. Some 38 million Americans are unemployed. One in four businesses have closed temporarily, another 100,000 have gone out of business or declared bankruptcy, and some 7.5 million small businesses are at risk of closing permanently. Over 1.5 million Americans have been infected by this virus, and over 98,000 have died.

We have lived with a fear of a kind not known in our lifetimes. We wash our hands, sanitize, avoid crowds and keep everyone 6 feet or more away. Some liken this to a war. But it is not.

War happens when countries fight over ideals with known enemies. War happens on a battlefield. War brings a different sense of fear than this virus.

War happens when presidents and kings make their citizens warriors. Warriors put their lives at risk for what their flag stands for—God and country, patriotism, nationhood, protection of the homeland.

The smell and sound of war create horror and shock. In war, blood is spilled, lives are shattered, people are traumatized, many are maimed for life; others are permanently scarred mentally and spiritually, and lives are blown apart. Through it all, warriors fight to the death.

That is what our military forces do—they do as they are ordered; they fight to the death, for their flag, for their homeland, for the ideals of their country. Many fight with courage. Many fight with fear wrapped tightly around their heart.

Today, this Memorial Day, without question, every American must honor those who

died fighting for our great country and its ideals of democracy, freedom, equality and liberty. Our fallen warriors are our heroes, after all. They fought and sacrificed themselves for our greater good when we could not.

For these reasons Memorial Day is the day when we honor our fallen military warriors, our heroes. This day is thus a solemn day, one that was created out of respect for the more than 1 million soldiers who have died in the field of combat over the history of the United States.

As President Obama once said, Memorial Day is the day "when we recall all those who gave everything in the darkness of war so we could stand here in the glory of Spring."

Apaches, too, have served with valor and distinction. Many did not come home. They made the ultimate sacrifice for our country.

Of the many, many Apache warriors who died in the field of combat, the late United States Army PFC Ernest Stanley comes to mind. Private Stanley served with the 333rd Infantry Regiment and 84th Infantry Division. He was killed in action during the Battle of the Bulge. In December 1944, 410,000 German troops surged into Belgium, France and Luxembourg. During the 40 day battle, there were 89,000 American casualties and 19,000 killed.

Private Stanley died over 5,000 miles from home on a severely cold, winter day. He was a volunteer, a lone Apache warrior. He joined the Army to fight for our country. He fought for what was right. He fought against the tyranny of fascism and the racist hatred that the Nazis stood for. And, Private Stanley did so willingly and with his brothers at arms, because theirs was a fight for peace and humanity itself—that is the true irony of war; to fight for peace and security.

I thought of Private Stanley when I visited the American Indian Veterans National Memorial located at the Heard Museum. The Memorial honors the service and sacrifice of tribal members spanning more than 300 years. In the Memorial stands a sculpture known as Unconquered II, by Chiricahua Apache sculptor Allan Houser. It shows two Apache Scouts, one standing, holding a rifle; the other kneeling, holding a spear—both look out in the same direction, their eyes fixed on something in the distance. They are ready—ready to fight. These two bronze figures stand for all warriors, past and present.

Looking at that sculpture, one word comes to mind, Ahi'yi'é (thank you). Join with me and give thanks to all our fallen Apache warriors. Give thanks to those Apache warriors that died fighting for our Tribe and America, because they did so for our freedom and our liberty. We must all provide our deep, deep respects to our fallen warriors who, like Private Stanley, exemplify bravery, honor, courage, and service.

Barbeques and family picnics are a good thing. Many do this on Memorial Day. But this Memorial Day, I urge you to take a moment, honor our fallen heroes. Give thanks for those who you can name, and for those whose names have been forgotten to time. Their lives were sacrificed for an ideal—the American dream. They gave everything up for their homeland, so that our Reservation and all of America remains safe and protected. They gave their lives so that we can be here on this clear, beautiful Spring day.

May our Creator God bless our fallen warriors. God bless you and your families. God bless America. Ahi'yi'é.

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COOPERATION WITH TURKEY IN
FIGHTING COVID-19

HON. DANNY K. DAVIS

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois. Madam Speaker, the U.S. received two shipments of medical supplies from the Republic of Turkey to assist with our coronavirus response. On April 28, Turkey provided us with 500,000 surgical masks and 400 N95 masks, as well as protective clothing, disinfectant, goggles, and face shields. Two days later on April 30, a second shipment including personal protective equipment, masks, hazmat suits and disinfectants also arrived from Turkey. In a show of solidarity, our U.S. Ambassador to Turkey David Satterfield and the Turkish Deputy Foreign Minister, Selim Yavuz Kiran, were together watching as the second plane departed Turkey.

We are grateful to our strong ally Turkey for its generosity and leadership, and look forward to continued close cooperation into the future in fighting COVID-19 and also working together on many important issues of mutual concern.

RECOGNIZING THE BROOKWOOD
COMMUNITY FOR FEEDING OUR
FRONT LINE MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS

HON. PETE OLSON

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Mr. OLSON. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize the hard-working and dedicated Brookwood Community citizens who have stepped up to help our hospital heroes fighting COVID-19.

The Brookwood Community has been serving adults with disabilities since 1985, providing them with opportunity and the dignity that comes with work. Unfortunately, social distancing and quarantining has prevented many of them from traveling to their jobs and supporting their community.

But the Brookwood citizens didn't let COVID-19 stop them from finding a way to help. Through the Brookwood Café, these heroes have sold "Boxes for the Brave" to make sure our doctors and nurses are well-fed as they treat coronavirus patients. They also have been selling to-go meals and family meals to make sure the TX-22 community is nourished as well.

On behalf of the Twenty-Second Congressional District of Texas, I offer a Texas-sized thank you to these wonderful people for the important work they do and their continuing support for our doctors, nurses and healthcare community.

HONORING THE HEROIC SERVICE
AND SACRIFICE OF IMPD OFFICER
BREANN LEATH

HON. SUSAN W. BROOKS

OF INDIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana. Madam Speaker, it is with a heavy heart that I rise today to honor the life of an outstanding public servant, Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department Officer Breann Leath, who served her city and country with principle and integrity. Tragically, Officer Leath was killed in the line of duty on April 9, 2020, while responding to a domestic violence call.

Breann was born on December 30, 1995 in Hinesville, Georgia. Her family moved to Indiana and she graduated from Southport High School in 2014, where she served as captain of the dance squad. She was always a shining light in the eyes of her classmates and peers. She had a passion for public service, following in her father's footsteps who is also a police officer. After graduation, Breann enlisted in the Indiana Army National Guard and became a member of the military Honor Guard. Upon completing her service in the National Guard, Breann pursued her passion for service and protection by becoming a corrections officer at the Indiana Women's Prison.

During her time at the Women's Prison, Breann recognized her true calling and passion for law enforcement. This prompted her to join the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department, known as IMPD. Officer Leath graduated the police academy in 2018, going on to serve and protect the people of Indianapolis for two and a half years.

On April 9, Officer Leath pinned on her badge and went to work on what she thought would be an ordinary day on the job. She responded to a domestic disturbance call on the far east side of Indianapolis where she was fatally shot. Officer Leath laid down her life to protect her community from a dangerous individual. Her service demonstrates the bravery and commitment that she and her brothers and sisters in uniform display every day while her last moments reflect the ultimate sacrifice law enforcement officers can make.

On April 16, I attended an historical event at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway (IMS) to honor the life and legacy of Officer Leath. Due to the Public health recommendations surrounding the pandemic of COVID-19, fellow officers and Hoosiers around the state took unprecedented actions to properly and safely lay Officer Leath to rest. As many as 1,900 people joined to watch a live broadcast of the 11 a.m. services across local media websites and on YouTube, tuning in to view the first funeral held at IMS in its 105-year history. The multiple suites at the Speedway were also used for officials and officers to pay respects at a safe social distance Just below the suites, four rows of patrol cars lined the 2.5-mile track, comprised of her shiftmates at IMPD's East District, her classmates in the department's recruiting class and other officers from across the state. Just over the horizon hung the Indianapolis skyline—a silhouette of the city that Leath spent her shortened life serving.

Officer Leath was only 24 years old. A leader with an infectious smile and positive atti-

tude, a veteran who served her country and a public servant who loved her community, Officer Leath is a shining example of the commitment to the oath of protection our men and women in uniform take, paying the ultimate price to protect the citizens of Indiana. She leaves behind her young son Zayn, her parents Tom and Jennifer, her sisters Jayla and Tiana, her aunt Sherry, uncles Yuri, Timothy Patrick and her grandparents David and Susanne Malone.

Officer Leath will forever be missed by family, friends and her colleagues at the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department. The people of Indiana's Fifth Congressional District are eternally grateful for Breann's contributions to our Hoosier community and it is my privilege to honor her today. On behalf of all Hoosiers, I salute Officer Breann Leath for her impact and service to our community. I extend my deepest condolences to Breann's family, her friends, the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department, and the fellow officers who mourn her loss.

RECOGNIZING JEANETTE MAUK

HON. TIM RYAN

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Mr. RYAN. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize Jeanette Mauk, who is retiring on June 5, 2020 after 25 years working tirelessly in the labor movement.

Over the past 13 years at the Ohio AFL-CIO, Jeanette always fought for her members and the hardworking men and women of Ohio. She knows that strong labor is essential to our nation's economic success and to our ability to raise wages and provide family-supporting jobs.

Back in 2018, Jeanette was awarded the Union Sportsmen's Alliance Conservation Steward of the Year. This award recognizes volunteers from each of the USA's charter unions who have made exceptional contributions to organize union volunteers to donate their time and unique trade skills in the preservation of North America's outdoor heritage.

Even with well-deserved accolades, Jeanette knew the real rewards of being involved in the labor movement were giving back to our communities, fostering solidarity among union members, and building bridges between unions and the public.

I thank Jeannette for standing shoulder to shoulder with us in our fight for strong organized labor. Her work has not gone unnoticed. All my best to her in her next chapter.

IN HONOR OF HELEN HORLACHER
EVANS

HON. ANDY BARR

OF KENTUCKY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Mr. BARR. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor Mrs. Helen Horlacher Evans. Mrs. Evans was born in Fortville, Indiana on June 11, 1920 and will soon be celebrating her 100th birthday.

Mrs. Evans graduated from the University of Kentucky and began teaching home economics at Versailles High School. After conversations with fellow teachers about the newly formed Women’s Army Auxiliary Corps, she joined the Army on a dare in 1942. She was in the first group of Kentucky women accepted for the WAC and at 21 years of age she was one of the youngest. She was accepted for the Officer Candidate School at Fort Des Moines, Iowa.

Mrs. Evans was trained in army food service and served as the Office of the Quartermaster General inspector for stateside WAC mess halls. In early 1945 she was assigned to the European Theatre of Operations with the Office of the Quartermaster General outside Paris, France. At the end of the war she was working along the banks of the Rhine feeding German prisoners of war. Mrs. Evans earned the rank of Captain. Her experience as a WAC is documented as part of the Veterans History Project in the Library of Congress.

Upon returning to civilian life, Mrs. Evans began work at the Veterans Administration in Louisville, KY, where she served as a senior training officer until 1951. She has served as a volunteer on many projects related to veterans, including serving as Kentucky’s representative on the committee to establish the National Women’s Memorial at Arlington Na-

tional Cemetery. She received the Spirit of Kentucky Award for Patriotism from the Kentucky Daughters of the American Revolution. In 2018, she was inducted into the Kentucky Veterans Hall of Fame.

It is my honor to recognize this amazing patriot, celebrate her 100th birthday, and thank her for her service and sacrifice to our nation during World War II. As a part of “The Greatest Generation”, Mrs. Evans was an important part of the war effort to preserve the freedoms that we enjoy today. I am forever grateful for Americans like Helen Horlacher Evans.

COMMENDING ZACH McALLISTER
FOR KEEPING OUR HOSPITAL
HEROES HEALTHY

HON. PETE OLSON

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Mr. OLSON. Madam Speaker, in unprecedented times like these where the will and spirit of America are tested, Americans band together to weather the storm. Heroes like Zach McAllister in Friendswood, Texas stand up to support their neighbors and defend our community from the invisible enemy known as coronavirus.

Supplies of hand sanitizer are depleting and have left the medical professionals working on the front lines of this crisis in critical need. Our doctors and nurses in TX-22 and across America need hand sanitizer to keep them healthy while they treat COVID-19 patients. Seeing the shortage, Mr. McAllister and his company Custom Chemicals and Coatings stepped up to produce the needed sanitizer at their warehouse in Pearland.

Soon, Mr. McAllister and the heroes at Custom Chemicals and Coatings were able to start selling their supply to hospitals and emergency responders as well as fire and police departments and EMT agencies.

Mr. McAllister’s decision to start manufacturing hand sanitizer in bulk helps defend our doctors, nurses and health care professionals. By taking action like this, Mr. McAllister and Custom Chemicals and Coatings are playing an integral part in stopping the spread of coronavirus and ensuring that their friends, families, neighbors and communities stay well.

On behalf of the Twenty-Second Congressional District of Texas, I want to commend Mr. McAllister for the important work he is doing to help our community. It should come as no surprise that our country has a friend in Friendswood.

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate met at 9:30:00 a.m. in pro forma session, and adjourned at 9:30:31 a.m. until 11 a.m., on Thursday, May 28, 2020.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 7010–7021; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 980, were introduced. **Pages H2281–82**

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Reports Filed: There were no reports filed today.

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Wexton to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H2281**

Quorum Calls—Votes: There were no Yea and Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 9:32 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 2020

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

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House

Committee on Rules, May 27, Full Committee, hearing on Senate Amendments to H.R. 6172, the “USA FREEDOM Reauthorization Act of 2020”, 9 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Ways and Means, May 27, Full Committee, hearing entitled “The Disproportionate Impact of COVID–19 on Communities of Color”, 12 p.m., Webex.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of May 27 through May 29, 2020

Senate Chamber

On *Thursday*, Senate will meet in a pro forma session.

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House Committees

Committee on Appropriations, May 28, Subcommittee on Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies, hearing entitled “Department of Veterans Affairs—Response to COVID–19”, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Education and Labor, May 28, Subcommittee on Workforce Protections, hearing entitled “Examining the Federal Government’s Actions to Protect Workers from COVID–19”, 10:15 a.m., 2175 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, May 29, Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation, hearing entitled “The Status of the U.S. Maritime

Supply Chain During the COVID–19 Pandemic”, 1 p.m., Webex.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

11 a.m., Thursday, May 28

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

10 a.m., Wednesday, May 27

Senate Chamber

Program for Thursday: Senate will meet in a pro forma session.

House Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Consideration of measures under suspension of the Rules.

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