H.R. 218: Mr. RIGGS and Mr. WISE.
H.R. 580: Mr. FOLEY.
H.R. 940: Mr. BROWN of Ohio.
H.R. 1050: Mr. TORRES.
H.R. 1100: Mr. GREENWOOD.
H.R. 1573: Mr. STUMP.
H.R. 1684: Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. BOEHLERT, and Mr. LAFALCE.
H.R. 1758: Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. FRAZER, Mr. MINGE, Mr. THOMPSON, and Mr. FARR.
H.R. 1818: Mr. SHADEGG.
H.R. 2098: Mr. DREIER and Mr. SOLOMON.
H.R. 2264: Mr. SANDERS.
H.R. 2311: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.
H.R. 2335: Mr. PAXON, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. CANADY, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, and Mr. HUTCHINSON.
H.R. 2463: Mr. DICKS.
H.R. 2566: Mr. SCARBOROUGH.
H.R. 2648: Mr. BALLENGER and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.
H.R. 2658: Mr. LUTHER and Mrs. THURMAN.
H.R. 2723: Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. HERGER, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Mr. BISHOP.
H.R. 2731: Mr. FOLEY.
H.R. 2867: Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. METCALF, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. FUNDERBURK, and Mr. BACHUS.
H.R. 2896: Mr. COBURN, Mr. METCALF, Mr. BASS, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. MYRICK, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. EHLERS, and Mr. FORBES.
H. Con. Res. 127: Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. PAXON, Mr. OBEY, Mr. NEY, Mr. BUYER, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. LAFALCE, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. VISCLOSKY, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. QUINN, Mr. FROST, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. HOUGHTON, and Mr. KILDEE.
H. Con. Res. 134: Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, Mr. CREMEANS, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.
H. Res. 30: Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. UPTON, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. CAMP, and Mr. JACOBS.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1996 (10)

¶10.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. RADANOVICH, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,
January 31, 1996.

I hereby designate the Honorable GEORGE P. RADANOVICH to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶10.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. RADANOVICH, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, January 30, 1996.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

¶10.3 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

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

1988. A letter from the Director of Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense, transmitting the annual report to Congress describing the activities of the Defense Production Act fund, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. app. 2094; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

1989. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a copy of Presidential Determination No. 95–45: Exempting the U.S. Air Force's operating location near Groom Lake, NV, from any Federal State, interstate, or local hazardous or solid waste laws that might require the disclosure of classified information concerning that operating location to unauthorized persons, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 6961(a); to the Committee on Commerce.

1990. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting the Department's annual report on Federal Government energy management and conservation programs during fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 6361(c); to the Committee on Commerce.

1991. A letter from the Chairman, United States Merit Systems Merit Protection Board, transmitting the 1995 annual report in compliance with the Inspector General Act Amendments of 1988, pursuant to Public Law 100–504, section 104(a) (102 Stat. 2525); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

1992. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting the Department's report entitled ''Coal Research, Development, Demonstration, and Commercial Application Programs,'' pursuant to Public Law 102–486, section 1301(d) (106 Stat. 2972); to the Committee on Science.

1993. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report on proposed obligations of $5 million of unobligated funds remaining from fiscal year 1994 cooperative threat reduction [CTR] funds to complete defense conversion/housing activities in Ukraine and to obligate $5 million of unobligated funds remaining from fiscal year 1995 CTR defense military contracts funds to support strategic offensive arms elimination [SOAE] in Belarus, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 5955; jointly, to the Committees on National Security and International Relations.

1994. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's first annual report to the Congress on tribal program services and expenditures for the child care and development block grant [CCDBG], pursuant to Public Law 101–508, section 5082 (104 Stat. 1388–244); jointly, to the Committees on Economic and Educational Opportunities and Resources.

1995. A letter from the Director, Audit Oversight and Liaison, General Accounting Office, transmitting a report entitled ''Financial Audit: Expenditures by Six Independent Counsels for the Six Months Ended March 31, 1995'' (GOA/AIMD–95–233), pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 591 note; jointly, to the Committees on the Judiciary and Government Reform and Oversight.

1996. A letter from the Secretaries of the Army and Agriculture, transmitting notification of the intention of the Departments of the Army and Agriculture to interchange jurisdiction of civil works and national forest lands at the Sam Rayburn Dam and reservoir project and Angelina and Sabine National Forest, TX, pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 505a; jointly, to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Agriculture.

¶10.4 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one if its clerks, announced that the Senate agrees to the amendments of the House to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2353) ''An Act to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend certain expiring authorities of the Department of Veterans Affairs relating to delivery of health and medical care, and for other purposes.''.

The message also announced that the Senate has passed a concurrent resolution of the following title, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. Con. Res. 40. Concurrent Resolution to commemorate the sesquicentennial of Texas statehood.

The message also announced that pursuant to Public Law 103–227, the Chair, on behalf of the Republican leader, appoints Mr. JEFFORDS as a member of the national education goals panel, vice Mr. GREGG.

The message also announced that in accordance with Public Law 81–754, as amended by Public Law 93–536 and Public Law 100–365, the Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appoints Mr. HATFIELD to the National Historical Publications and Records Commission.

¶10.5 SUBMISSION OF CONFERENCE REPORT—H.R. 2546

Mr. LIVINGSTON submitted a conference report (Rept. No. 104–455) on the bill (H.R. 2546) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, and for other purposes; together with a statement thereon, for printing in the Record under the rule.

¶10.6 SUBPOENA

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HAYWORTH, laid before the House the following communication, which was read as follows:

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, January 22, 1996.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to formally notify you, pursuant to Rule L (50) of the Rules of the House of Representatives, that Meredith Cooper, my Chief of Staff, Royal Hart, my Deputy Chief of Staff, and the custodian of the records in my Washington office, have all been served with grand jury subpoenas duces tecum issued by the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan.

After consultation with the Office of General Counsel, I have determined that compliance with the subpoenas is consistent with the precedents and privileges of the House.

Sincerely,

BARBARA-ROSE COLLINS.

¶10.7 RECESS—4:16 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HAYWORTH, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 4 o'clock and 16 minutes p.m., subject to the call of the Chair, but no later than 5:00 p.m.

¶10.8 AFTER RECESS—4:28 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HAYWORTH, called the House to order.