

ington Monument for the observance of George Washington's Birthday on Thursday, February 22, 1996, are inserted in today's Congressional Record.

¶17.7 ADJOURNMENT OVER

On motion of Mr. MONTGOMERY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 27, 1996, for "morning hour" debates.

And then,

¶17.8 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Ms. NORTON, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 11 o'clock and 4 minutes a.m., the House adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 27, 1996.

¶17.9 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. SCHAEFER:

H.R. 2967. A bill to extend the authorization of the Uranium Mill Tailings Radiation Control Act of 1978, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. GEKAS (for himself and Mr. ROYCE):

H.R. 2968. A bill to prohibit the use of credit cards by officers and employees of the Federal Government; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. KLUG (for himself and Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts):

H.R. 2969. A bill to eliminate the Board of Tea Experts by repealing the Tea Importation Act of 1897; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, 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. MCCOLLUM (for himself and Mr. SHAW):

H.R. 2970. A bill to provide for a judicial remedy for U.S. persons injured as a result of violations by foreign states of their arbitral obligations under international law; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. THOMAS:

H.R. 2971. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the Social Security Act to reduce Social Security taxes and to provide for Social Security individual retirement accounts funded by Social Security payroll deductions; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, 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. BARR:

H. Res. 364. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 125) to repeal the ban on semiautomatic assault weapons and the ban on large capacity ammunition; to the Committee on Rules.

¶17.10 MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

201. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Maine, relative to memorializing the President and the Congress of the United

States to support full participation by the Republic of China on Taiwan in the United Nations; to the Committee on International Relations.

¶17.11 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 1701: Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 1884: Mr. DELLUMS.

H.R. 2270: Mr. NEY.

H.R. 2320: Mr. DICKEY and Mr. SOLOMON.

H.R. 2391: Mr. HERGER, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. ROHR-ABACHER, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. MCKEON, and Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 2604: Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. DORNAN.

H.R. 2912: Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. COSTELLO, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. JACOBS, Mr. EVANS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. SOLOMON, and Mr. BAKER of Louisiana.

H.R. 2922: Mr. FRAZER.

H.R. 2944: Mr. MINGE.

H.R. 2959: Mr. COYNE, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. WYNN, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. JACOBS, Mr. FATAH, Mr. FRAZER, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, and Mr. LAFALCE.

H. Res. 30: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. FRISA, Mrs. MALONEY, and Mr. GILMAN.

¶17.12 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII petitions and papers were laid on the Clerk's desk and referred as follows:

59. By the SPEAKER: Petition of the council of the city of New York, NY, relative to the Summer and Year-Round Youth Employment Programs; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

60. Also, petition of the city council of Chattanooga, TN, relative to the telecommunications bill; to the Committee on Commerce.

61. Also, petition of the city council of the city of Compton, CA, relative to the Barton-Stupak amendment in the telecommunications reform conference report; to the Committee on Commerce.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1996 (18)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. MORELLA, at 12:30 p.m., when, pursuant to the order of the House of Friday, February 23, 1996, Members were recognized for "morning hour" debates.

¶18.1 RECESS—1:36 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SHAYS, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 1 o'clock and 36 minutes p.m., until 2 p.m.

¶18.2 AFTER RECESS—2:00 P.M.

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

¶18.3 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. DUNCAN, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, February 23, 1996.

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

¶18.4 COMMUNICATIONS

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

2112. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting notification that the Department's defense manpower requirements report for fiscal year 1997, will be submitted by April 30, 1996; to the Committee on National Security.

2113. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the Board's reports entitled "1996 Salary Rates" for its employees in grade 1-15 and "Executive Level Salary Ranges" for its executive level employees, pursuant to section 1206 of the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989 [FIRREA]; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

2114. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting OMB estimate of the amount of change in outlays or receipts, as the case may be, in each fiscal year through fiscal year 2000 resulting from passage of H.R. 2353 and H.R. 2657, pursuant to Public Law 101-508, section 13101(a) (104 Stat. 1388-582); to the Committee on the Budget.

2115. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting OMB estimate of the amount of change in outlays or receipts, as the case may be, in each fiscal year through fiscal year 2000 resulting from passage of S. 652, H.R. 2029, and S. 1124, pursuant to Public Law 101-508, section 13101(a) (104 Stat. 1388-582); to the Committee on the Budget.

2116. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's third annual report to Congress on the implementation of the authority and use of fees collected under the Prescription Drug User Fee Act of 1992 [PDUFA] during the fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 379g note; to the Committee on Commerce.

2117. A letter from the Inspector general, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report on Superfund financial activities at the National Institute of Environmental Health Services and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry for fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 7501 note; to the Committee on Commerce.

2118. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting the 32d quarterly report to Congress on the status of Exxon and stripper well oil overcharge funds as of September 30, 1995; to the Committee on Commerce.

2119. Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

2120. Secretary of Transportation, transmitting the semiannual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1995, through September 30, 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2121. Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-213, "Closing of a Public Alley in Square N-699, S.O. 93-84, Act of 1996," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2122. Auditor, District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of a report entitled "Audit of the Boxing and Wrestling Commission for Fiscal Year 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 47-117(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2123. Auditor, District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of a report entitled "Review of the Boxing Event of October 15, 1995 Regulated by the District of Columbia Boxing and Wrestling Commission," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 47-117(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.