

from Bisbee, North Dakota, was employed by the Soo Line Railroad to select the town-site and was, as a Soo agent, given the privilege of naming the new town. Lots were sold August 9, 1905, and on August 23, 1905, the country store and post office called "Lakeview" relocated in the town.

Today, most families in the Egeland area are involved in farming the land. Crops such as wheat, flax, and barley are typical, and farming provides an excellent livelihood for the area's residents. Due to its small size, the youth of Egeland attend school and participate in athletics in the nearby town of Cando. However, the rural nature of the community and the interconnectedness of its members make Egeland a wonderful location to raise a family.

I ask the United States Senate to join me in congratulating Egeland, ND, and its residents on their first 100 years and in wishing them well through the next century. By honoring Egeland and all the other historic small towns of North Dakota, we keep the pioneering frontier spirit alive for future generations. It is places such as Egeland that have helped to shape this country into what it is today, which is why Egeland is deserving of our recognition.

Egeland has a proud past and a bright future.●

TRIBUTE TO SHERIFF JUAN HERNANDEZ

● Mr. DOMENICI. Mr. President, I rise to pay tribute to one of New Mexico's finest public servants, Sheriff Juan Hernandez of Las Cruces whom I am honored to consider a good friend as well.

There are few people in my State's history who have been honored with a special day to recognize their legacy and accomplishments. On December 31, 2004, the Doña Ana County Commission honored retiring Doña Ana County Sheriff Juan Hernandez for his 6 years of service by proclaiming Friday the 31st as Juan Hernandez Day.

Today, I seek to honor this man who has given greatly to his community and to the people of Doña Ana County through his allegiance to public service. Juan has worked in law enforcement for 34 years with both the Sheriff's Department and the Las Cruces Police Department. He served as the Doña Ana County Sheriff from January of 1999 to January of 2005, and I believe it is for this post Juan will always be remembered.

In this elected position, Juan sought not to just serve his county but to find ways to improve it. Though his official title was "Sheriff," he earned himself an added title as the "Grant Writing Machine." Over the past 6 years, Juan Hernandez secured \$4.8 million in Federal grants for a variety of programs whose missions ranged from combating drug use and drunk driving to fighting crime and terrorism within the county.

Juan Hernandez's accolades are numerous and his hard work undeniable.

While I could certainly continue at great length in listing his accomplishments, I believe his own words most eloquently describe the man behind the badge: "When you really make an effort to make a difference, the rewards are greater than you can ever imagine."

I feel especially honored to have seen this man's work first-hand and to have joined his efforts over the past years to develop Doña Ana County. Juan, you have made a difference in many lives, and for that you have my and the State of New Mexico's continued respect and admiration.●

A CENTURY FOR A "COMPANY TOWN"

● Mr. CRAPO. Mr. President, a small town in Idaho celebrates its 100th birthday this month. Potlatch, named after the lumber company that made its home there in the early part of the 20th Century, was started by Frederick Weyerhaeuser after scouts reported that it would be a fine place to establish a lumber company. When the mill opened, it was the largest white pine sawmill in the world and, in a very interesting way, a social experiment. Weyerhaeuser built a "company town" including homes, churches, a post office, schools, commercial buildings and even an opera house and ensured the new towns connectivity to commerce by building a railroad. When you think about it, this is quite a phenomenal achievement even for a large company and showed tremendous business foresight as well as a consideration of the needs of its workers. Older residents even tell stories about the rather unique way that students were kept in line at school: if the students got into trouble, the parents were told that they would lose their job at the mill if the bad behavior continued. How times have changed!

Although the population is only about half of what it was in its heyday, and no longer a "company town," the notion of community that was bred over decades lives on in Potlatch residents today. I congratulate Potlatch on 100 years of community success.●

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Mr. Williams, one of his secretaries.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages from the President of the United States submitting sundry nominations and a withdrawal which were referred to the appropriate committees.

(The nominations received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

EXECUTIVE ORDER THAT TAKES ADDITIONAL STEPS WITH RESPECT TO THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY DECLARED IN EXECUTIVE ORDER 12938 OF NOVEMBER 14, 1994, AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER 12938 AND EXECUTIVE ORDER 13094 OF JULY 28, 1998, BY BLOCKING PROPERTY OF WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION PROLIFERATORS AND THEIR SUPPORTERS—PM 16

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

Pursuant to the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S.C. 1701 et seq. (IEEPA), I hereby report that I have issued an Executive Order that takes additional steps with respect to the national emergency declared in Executive Order 12938 of November 14, 1994, regarding the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction (WMD) and the means of delivering them, and the measures imposed by that order, as expanded by Executive Order 13094 of July 28, 1998.

This order is designed to combat WMD trafficking by blocking the property of persons that engage in proliferation activities and their support networks. It is intended to advance international cooperative efforts against WMD financing, including with our G-8 partners and through the Proliferation Security Initiative. This order also provides a model for other nations to follow in adopting laws to stem the flow of financial and other support for proliferation activities, as decided in United Nations Security Council Resolution 1540. It further implements a key recommendation of the Silberman-Robb WMD Commission.

Executive Order 12938, as amended, authorizes the Secretary of State to impose certain measures against foreign persons (individuals or entities) determined to have materially contributed to the proliferation efforts of any foreign country, project, or entity of proliferation concern. The measures that the Secretary of State may choose to impose under Executive Order 12938, as amended, are a ban on U.S. Government procurement from the designated foreign person; a ban on U.S. Government assistance to the designated foreign person; and a ban on imports from the designated foreign person.

Recognizing the need for additional tools to defeat the proliferation of WMD, I have signed the new order, which authorizes the imposition of a new measure—blocking—against WMD proliferators and their support networks. This action, sometimes referred to as freezing, will apply to property and interests in property of persons designated under the order and will