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is designed to strengthen our bilateral economic ties. And ever conscious of security concerns, our U.S.-Tunisia military relationship has strengthened as well.

Mr. Speaker, the Republic of Tunisia has made very significant strides over the years. As Tunisians celebrate this 44th anniversary of their nation's independence, we join in celebrating with them and honoring Tunisia's many achievements.

A TRIBUTE TO GERRY AND DORIS POPE

HON. JERRY LEWIS

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in tribute to Gerry Pope, retiring Executive Director of the California Marine Affairs and Navigation Conference (C-MANC) and his wife Doris.

To all of us in the California Congressional Delegation, the 38 federally sponsored ports and harbors in California are emblematic of why the State is today the seventh largest economy in the world.

For almost a decade now, Gerry and Doris have worked as a team as the full time administrators of this statewide association. They have aptly managed C-MANC's affairs so that today, California's maritime and marine infrastructure is a symbol of how to enable both domestic economic expansion and international trade development through strong ports and harbors.

Mr. Speaker, I am sure all of the members of our State's delegation join me in paying tribute to the work Gerry and Doris Pope have done to ensure that California maintains its prominent position in the Pacific Rim. All of our congressional districts on the coast and inland throughout the State benefit from California's ports. We thank the dedication of these two people over the years to make it all happen.

I ask my colleagues to join me in thanking Gerry and Doris for their lengthy service and send them best wishes on the occasion of their retirement from service to their State and country.

ALICE ZABOROWSKI IN RECOGNITION OF HER WORK AS DISTRICT ONE PRESIDENT OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS LADIES AUXILIARY

HON. PAUL E. GILLMOR

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. GILLMOR. Mr. Speaker, today I pay a very special tribute to an outstanding individual from the state of Ohio. On Saturday, March 25, 2000, the Liberty Center Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6596 and the Ladies Auxiliary Post 2898 will honor Alice Zaborowski for her work as District One President of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary.

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

Alice Zaborowski is a member of the VFW Auxiliary Post 2898 in Toledo, OH, and has served as 1999-2000 District One President. As District One President, Mrs. Zaborowski has jurisdiction and responsibility for managing 28 Ladies Auxiliaries in eight counties in Northwest Ohio.

Alice Zaborowski has served in various positions during her time with the Ladies Auxiliary. She has served as President of the George Rill VFW Auxiliary No. 606 three times. During that time, she gave unselfishly of her time to work for veterans in our area. She then transferred her membership to the Lucas County Auxiliary No. 2898 in Toledo where she is a Life Member and currently holds the office of Secretary.

Alice's commitment to our nation's veterans runs very deeply as her husband, Edward Zaborowski, is a World War II veteran. She has been very active in various VFW Auxiliary groups and gives freely of her time to many volunteer organizations. Clearly, Alice Zaborowski lives each day by the theme she employed during her Presidency—"Protect the rights of those who fought for our freedom."

Mr. Speaker, our nation's veterans have paid the ultimate sacrifice in protecting the very freedom and liberty that we enjoy today. Alice Zaborowski has spent much of her life serving and working on behalf of our veterans. Her efforts are a true testament to her patriotism and her affection for those who served our country. I would urge the members of the 106th Congress to stand and join me in paying special tribute to District One President of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary, Alice Zaborowski. We thank her for all of her work and we wish her the very best in the future.

TRIBUTE TO ROSALIE GANN

HON. ANNA G. ESHOO

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. ESHOO. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor a distinguished American and proud Californian, Rosalie Gann, on the occasion of her induction into the San Mateo County Women's Hall of Fame.

Rosalie Gann began her volunteer service at the young age of thirteen as a Recreation Leader. As a Camp Fire Girl she was honored for her leadership in both service and citizenship oriented activities. While attending Mills College she established the Mills Community Outreach Corps, an organization which encourages Mills students to become involved in community action. She has also volunteered at Oakland Children's Hospital where she worked with chronically and terminally ill children.

Rosalie Gann has focused her professional life as an employee of Oracle Corporation on social welfare, championing community service through founding Oracle's Corporate Giving and Volunteer Programs. Because of Ms. Gann's leadership, Oracle's Corporate Giving Program has donated millions of dollars to causes that improve the quality of life of those whose communities are beset by problems and challenges. Oracle's Volunteer Program

enables employees to donate service hours in the Bay Area and has recently expanded to other Oracle field offices.

In 1992, Rosalie Gann was honored as a San Mateo County Outstanding Volunteer for her work with the Center for Domestic Violence. Her vision for social change, her personal volunteer experiences and her professional achievements in corporate community relations serve as a role model for all women and our entire community.

Rosalie Gann's life of leadership and community involvement is instructive to us all. Her dedication to the ideals of democracy and community commitment stands tall. It is fitting that she has been chosen to be inducted into the San Mateo County Women's Hall of Fame and I ask my colleagues, Mr. Speaker, to join me in honoring a great and good woman. We are indeed a better county, a better country and a better people because of her.

HONORING GENERAL WILLIAM F. MOORE ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE U.S. AIR FORCE

HON. CHARLES W. "CHIP" PICKERING

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, March 21, 2000

Mr. PICKERING. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and say farewell to a distinguished Air Force officer, Major General William F. Moore, upon his retirement from the Air Force after more than thirty years of commissioned service. Major General Moore has served with distinction, and it is my privilege to recognize this Meridian, Mississippi native for his many accomplishments, and to commend him for the superb service he provided to the Air Force and the Nation.

Major General Moore entered the United States Air Force Academy from Meridian, Mississippi in 1965. He received his commission as a Second Lieutenant in 1969 from the U.S. Air Force Academy. Since then, Major General Moore's assignments have made untold contributions to national security. Upon his graduation, General Moore served with the Drone and Remotely Piloted Vehicles System Program Office, Aeronautical Systems Division, at Wright Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio. He subsequently served in the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Development Plans, Andrews Air Force Base, Maryland. In 1976, General Moore received a Master's Degree in Business Administration from the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce, University of Pennsylvania, in Philadelphia.

General Moore's career is reflective of his commitment to our country. He served as Executive Officer with the Peacekeeper ICBM Engineering Directorate in California, and as Director of Program Control for the Advanced Medium Range Air to Air Missile, at Eglin Air Force Base, Florida. From there General Moore made many more contributions to our national security, serving as small ICBM Deputy Program Director, Norton Air Force Base, California, and deputy director of Strategic, Special Operations Forces and Airlift Programs, at the Pentagon, Washington, D.C. General Moore then served as the vice commander at San Antonio Air Logistics Center,

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