

report of the Thirtymile Fire and the prevention of future fire fatalities.

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AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs be authorized to meet during the Session of the Senate on October 17, 2001 to conduct a hearing on the nominations of Dr. Susan Schmidt Bies, of Tennessee, to be a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; and Mr. Mark W. Olson, of Minnesota, to be a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be authorized to meet on Wednesday, October 17, 2001, at 9:30 a.m. on pending committee business, including Rail Security.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Environment and Public Works be authorized to meet on Wednesday, October 17, 2001, at 9:30 a.m. to conduct a hearing to consider the following nominations: William W. Baxter to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority; Kimberly Terese Nelson to be an Assistant Administrator of the Office of Environmental Information, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency; and Steven A. Williams to be Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Department of the Interior.

The hearing will be held in room 406 of the Senate Dirksen Building.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet on Wednesday, October 17, 2001, at 9:30 a.m. for a hearing entitled "Federal Efforts to Coordinate and Prepare the United States for Bioterrorism: Are They Adequate?"

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on

Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, October 17, 2001, at 2:30 p.m. to hold a nomination hearing.

Nominees: Mr. Brian Carlson, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Latvia; Mr. Joseph DeThomas, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Estonia; Ms. Bonnie McElveen-Hunter, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Finland; Mr. John Ordway, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Armenia; Mr. John Palmer, of Mississippi, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Portugal; and Mr. Clifford Sobel, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Select Committee on Intelligence be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, October 17, 2001, at 2:30 p.m. to hold a closed hearing.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary Subcommittee on Immigration be authorized to meet to conduct a hearing on Wednesday, October 17, 2001, at 10:30 a.m. in Dirksen 226 on "Effective Immigration Controls To Deter Terrorism."

Panel I: Mary Ryan, Assistant Secretary of State for Consular Affairs, Department of State, Washington, DC; Mr. Lino Gutierrez, Assistant Secretary of State for Western Hemisphere Affairs, Department of State, Washington, DC; Mr. James Ziglar, Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Washington, DC.

Panel II: Ms. Jeanne Butterfield, Executive Director, American Immigration Lawyer's Association, Washington, DC; Dr. Demetrios Papademetriou, Co-Director, Migration Policy Institute, Washington, DC; Mr. Richard Norton, Executive Director, International Biometric Industry Association, Fairfax, VA.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

ESTABLISHING A MEMORIAL TO HONOR TOMAS G. MASARYK

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent that the Senate now proceed to the consideration of H.R. 1161 which is being held at the desk.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 1161) to authorize the American Friends of the Czech Republic to establish a memorial to honor Tomas G. Masaryk in the District of Columbia.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent the bill be read the third time and passed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and any statements relating to the bill be printed in the RECORD.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The bill (H.R. 1161) was read the third time and passed.

TO AUTHORIZE COMMEMORATIVE WORK TO HONOR PRESIDENT JOHN ADAMS AND FAMILY

Mr. REID. I ask consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of Calendar No. 179, H.R. 1668.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 1668) to authorize the Adams Memorial Foundation to establish commemorative work on Federal land in the District of Columbia and its environs to honor former President John Adams and his family.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent the bill be read three times, passed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and any statements relating thereto appear at the proper place in the RECORD as if given, with no intervening action or debate.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The bill (H.R. 1668) was read the third time and passed.

THE CALENDAR

Mr. REID. I ask consent that the Senate proceed en bloc to the consideration of the following calendar numbers: Calendar No. 171, No. 172, No. 173, No. 174, No. 175, No. 176, No. 177, and No. 178.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent that the following amendments be considered and agreed to en bloc: with respect to Calendar No. 174, S. 1097, the Bingaman amendment, No. 1903; and Calendar No. 175, S. 1105, the Thomas amendment, No. 1904; and the motions to reconsider be laid on the table en bloc.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. REID. I further ask unanimous consent any committee amendments, where applicable, be agreed to; the bills, as amended, where applicable, be read three times, passed, and the motions to reconsider be laid on the table en bloc; any statements relating to these matters be printed in the RECORD at the appropriate place as if read; and that the consideration of these items appear separately in the RECORD with no intervening action or debate.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

FORT CLATSOP NATIONAL MEMORIAL EXPANSION ACT OF 2001

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (S. 423) to amend the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment of Fort Clatsop National Memorial in the State of Oregon, and for other purposes," which had been reported from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with amendments, as follows:

(The parts of the bill intended to be stricken are shown in boldface brackets and the parts of the bill intended to be inserted are shown in italic.)

S. 423

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Fort Clatsop National Memorial Expansion Act of 2001".

SEC. 2. FINDINGS.

The Congress finds the following:

(1) In 1805, the members of the Lewis and Clark Expedition built Fort Clatsop at the mouth of the Columbia River near Astoria, Oregon, where they spent 106 days waiting for the end of winter and preparing for their journey home. The Fort Clatsop National Memorial was created by Congress in 1958 for the purpose of commemorating the culmination, and the winter encampment, of the Lewis and Clark Expedition following its successful crossing of the North American continent, and is the only National Park Service site solely dedicated to the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

(2) The 1995 General Management Plan for the Fort Clatsop National Memorial, prepared with input from the local community, calls for the addition of lands to the memorial to include the trail used by expedition members to travel from the fort to the Pacific Ocean and to include the shore and forest lands surrounding the fort and trail to protect their natural settings.

(3) The area near present day McGowan, [Washington] Washington, known as "Station Camp", where Lewis and Clark and the Corps of Discovery camped after reaching the Pacific Ocean, performed detailed surveying, and conducted the historic "vote" to determine where to spend the winter, is of undisputed national significance.

(4) The National Park Service and State of Washington should identify the best alternative for adequately and cost effectively protecting and interpreting the "Station Camp" site.

(5) Expansion of the Fort Clatsop National Memorial would require Federal legislation because the size of the memorial is currently limited by statute to 130 acres.

(6) Congressional action to allow for the expansion of Fort Clatsop for both the trail to the Pacific and, possibly, the Station Camp site would be both timely and appropriate before the start of the national bicentennial celebration of the Lewis and Clark Expedition planned to take place during the years 2004 through 2006.

ISEC. 3. ACQUISITION OF LANDS FOR FORT CLATSOP NATIONAL MEMORIAL.

[The Act entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment of Fort Clatsop National Memorial in the State of Oregon, and for

other purposes", approved May 29, 1958 (Chapter 158; 72 Stat. 153), is amended—

[(a) by inserting in section 2 "(a)" before "The Secretary".

[(b) by inserting in section 2 a period, ".", following "coast" and by striking the remainder of the section.

[(c) by inserting in section 2 the following new subsections:

["(b) The Memorial shall also include the lands depicted on the map entitled 'Fort Clatsop Boundary Map' numbered and dated '405-80016-CCO-June-1996'. The area designated in the map as a 'buffer zone' shall not be developed but shall be managed as a visual buffer between a commemorative trail that will run through the property, and contiguous private land holdings.

["(c) The total area designated as the Memorial shall contain no more than 1,500 acres."

[(d) by inserting at the end of section 3 the following:

["(b) Such lands included within the newly expanded boundary may be acquired from willing sellers only, with the exception of corporately owned timberlands.".]

SEC. 3. ACQUISITION OF LANDS FOR FORT CLATSOP NATIONAL MEMORIAL.

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(1) in section 2, by inserting "(a)" before "The Secretary",

(2) in section 2, by striking "coast" and all that follows through the end of the section and inserting "coast.";

(3) in section 2, by adding the following new subsections:

"(b) The Memorial shall also include the lands depicted as 'Addition Lands' on the map entitled 'Fort Clatsop Boundary Map' numbered and dated '405-80026A-CCO-June 1996'. The area designated in the map as the 'Buffer Zone' shall not be developed, but shall be managed as a visual buffer.

"(c) The total area for the Memorial shall not exceed 1,500 acres."

(4) in section 3, by inserting "(a)" before "Within".

(5) by inserting at the end of section 3 the following:

"(b) Such lands included within the boundary as depicted on the map referenced in section 2(b) may be acquired only from willing sellers, with the exception of corporately-owned timberlands."

SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF STUDY OF STATION CAMP.

The Secretary of the Interior shall conduct a study of the area known as "Station Camp" near McGowan, [Washington, to determine its] Washington, as well as the Megler Rest Area and Fort Canby State Park, to determine their suitability, feasibility, and national significance, for inclusion into the National Park System. The study shall be conducted in accordance with section 8 of Public Law 91-383 (16 U.S.C. 1a-5).

The committee amendments were agreed to.

The bill (S. 423) was ordered to be engrossed for a third reading, was read the third time and passed, as follows:

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