within the newly constituted Republic of Yugoslavia;

S. 2780. An Act to amend the Food Security Act of 1985 to remove certain easement requirements under the conservation reserve program, and for other purposes;

S. 2783. An Act to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to medical devices and for other purposes;

S. Con. Res. 122. Concurrent resolution recognizing the 50th anniversary of the Battle of the Coral Sea, paying tribute to the United States-Australian relationship, and reaffirming the importance of cooperation between the United States and Australia within the region; and

S. Con. Res. 123. Concurrent resolution authorizing the use of the East Front parking lot of the Capitol for an exhibit by NASA during the period beginning on June 1, 1992 and ending June 5, 1992.

¶59.5 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK—MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
*May 22, 1992.*

Hon. THOMAS S. FOLEY,
*The Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 5 of Rule III of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on Friday, May 22, 1992 at 2:25 p.m.: That the Senate agreed to the House amendment to S. 870; agreed to the House amendments to S. 2569; and agreed to the Conference Reports on H.R. 4990 and H. Con. Res. 287.

With great respect, I am,

Sincerely yours,

DONNALD K. ANDERSON,
*Clerk, House of Representatives.*

¶59.6 PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MONTGOMERY, announced that pursuant to rule XLIX, as a result of the adoption by the House and the Senate of the conference report on House Concurrent Resolution 287, House Joint Resolution 494, increasing the statutory limit on the public debt, has been engrossed and is deemed to have passed the House on May 21, 1992.

And then,

¶59.7 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. MORAN, at 1 o'clock and 54 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶59.8 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. WEISS, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. SYNAR, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. WISE, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. OWENS of New York, Mr. BUSTAMANTE, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mrs. MINK, Mr. THORNTON, and Mr. SANDERS):

H.R. 5259. A bill to authorize payments to units of general local government for fiscal years 1992 and 1993; to the Committee on Government Operations.

By Mr. ROSTENKOWSKI (for himself and Mr. DOWNEY):

H.R. 5260. A bill to extend the Emergency Unemployment Compensation Program, to revise the trigger provisions contained in the extended unemployment compensation program, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Government Operations.

By Mr. FAWELL (by request):

H.R. 5261. A bill to extend and amend the programs under the Runaway and Homeless Youth Act and the program for runaway and homeless youth under the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988; to consolidate authorities for programs for runaway and homeless youth; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. JONTZ:

H.R. 5262. A bill to amend the Water Resources Development Act of 1986 relating to diversion of water from the Great Lakes; to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

By Mr. MONTGOMERY (for himself, Mr. STUMP, Mr. HAMMERSCHMIDT, Mr. PICKLE, and Mr. GEREN of Texas):

H.R. 5263. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to conduct a demonstration project to determine the cost-effectiveness of certain health-care authorities; jointly, to the Committees on Veterans' Affairs, Ways and Means, and Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. MORAN:

H.R. 5264. A bill to regulate aboveground storage tanks used to store regulated substance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H. Con. Res. 324. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that women's soccer should be a medal sport at the 1996 centennial Olympic games in Atlanta, GA; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

¶59.9 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

Mr. MORAN introduced a bill (H.R. 5265) for the relief of Terrill W. Ramsey; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶59.10 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 25: Mr. GILMAN, Mr. MCCURDY, Mr. VENTO, and Mr. WILLIAMS.

H.R. 1495: Mr. BUSTAMANTE.

H.R. 2838: Mr. EDWARDS of Texas and Mr. BORSKI.

H.R. 3258: Mr. KOSTMAYER.

H.R. 3612: Mr. HUGHES.

H.R. 4399: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 4419: Mr. HUGHES.

H.R. 4954: Mr. GUARINI, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. MFUME, Mr. EVANS, Mr. ZELIFF, Mr. OWENS of New York, Mr. LANCASTER, Mr. ATKINS, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. WEISS.

H.J. Res. 411: Mrs. UNSOELD, Mr. WEISS, Mr. WYLIE, Mr. STOKES, and Mr. TRAFICANT.

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 1992 (60)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

¶60.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, May 26, 1992.

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

¶60.2 COMMUNICATIONS

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

3579. A letter from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled ''The Rural Telephone Loan Credit Quality Act of 1992''; to the Committee on Agriculture.

3580. A letter from the Department of the Navy, transmitting notification that the Department intends to offer for lease two naval vessels to the Republic of Korea, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 7307(b)(2); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3581. A letter from the Department of the Navy, transmitting notification that the Department intends to offer for lease a naval vessel to the Republic of Korea, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 7307(b)(2); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3582. A letter from the Office of General Counsel, Department of Defense, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to amend title 37, United States Code, to aid certain members of the uniformed services who are evacuated from areas outside the United States, or other places designated by the President; to the Committee on Armed Services.

3583. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting notice of Final Priority—Demonstration Projects for the Integration of Vocational and Academic Learning Program (Model Tech-Prep Education Projects), pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

3584. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment sold commercially to Korea (Transmittal No. OTC–17–92), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3585. A letter from the Solicitor, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1991, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Operations.

3586. A letter from the Secretary of Labor, transmitting the quarterly report on the expenditure and need for worker adjustment assistance training funds under the Trade Act of 1974, during the quarter ending March 30, 1992, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2296(a)(2); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3587. A letter from the Office of Thrift Supervision, transmitting the Office's 1991 Annual Consumer Report to Congress; jointly, to the Committees on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs and Energy and Commerce.

¶60.3 JOINT RE-REFERRAL—H.R. 5176

On motion of Mr. ROSTENKOWSKI, by unanimous consent, the bill (H.R. 5176) to terminate United States assistance to Indonesia; which had been jointly referred to the Committee on Agriculture, the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, the Committee on Foreign Affairs, be jointly re-referred to the Committee on Agriculture, the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and the Committee on Ways and Means.

¶60.4 ENERGY POLICY

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MFUME, pursuant to House Resolution 459 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 776) to provide for improved energy efficiency.

Mr. SKAGGS, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, resumed the