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| Hastings (WA) | McHale | Schroeder |
| Hayes | McHugh | Schumer |
| Hayworth | McInnis | Scott |
| Hefley | McIntosh | Sensenbrenner |
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| Heineman | McKinney | Shadegg |
| Herger | McNulty | Shays |
| Hilleary | MEEK | Shuster |
| Hilliard | Menendez | Sisisky |
| Hinchey | Metcalf | Skaggs |
| Hobson | Mica | Skeen |
| Hoke | Miller (CA) | Skelton |
| Holden | Miller (FL) | Slaughter |
| Horn | Minge | Smith (MI) |
| Hostettler | Mink | Smith (NJ) |
| Houghton | Molinaro | Smith (TX) |
| Hoyer | Mollohan | Smith (WA) |
| Hunter | Montgomery | Souder |
| Hutchinson | Moorhead | Spence |
| Hyde | Moran | Spratt |
| Inglis | Morella | Stark |
| Istook | Murtha | Stearns |
| Jackson (IL) | Myers | Stenholm |
| Jackson-Lee | Myrick | Stockman |
| (TX) | Nadler | Stokes |
| Jefferson | Neal | Studds |
| Johnson (CT) | Nethercutt | Stump |
| Johnson (SD) | Neumann | Stupak |
| Johnson, E. B. | Ney | Talent |
| Johnson, Sam | Norwood | Tanner |
| Johnston | Nussle | Tate |
| Jones | Oberstar | Tauzin |
| Kanjorski | Obey | Taylor (MS) |
| Kaptur | Olver | Taylor (NC) |
| Kasich | Ortiz | Tejeda |
| Kelly | Orton | Thomas |
| Kennedy (MA) | Owens | Thompson |
| Kennedy (RI) | Oxley | Thornberry |
| Kennelly | Pallone | Thornton |
| Kildee | Parker | Thurman |
| Kim | Pastor | Tiahrt |
| King | Paxon | Torkildsen |
| Kingston | Payne (NJ) | Torres |
| Klecicka | Payne (VA) | Torricelli |
| Klink | Pelosi | Towns |
| Klug | Peterson (MN) | Trafigant |
| Knollenberg | Petri | Upton |
| LaHood | Pickett | Velazquez |
| Lantos | Pombo | Vento |
| Largent | Pomeroy | Visclosky |
| Latham | Porter | Volkmer |
| LaTourette | Portman | Vucanovich |
| Laughlin | Poshard | Waldholtz |
| Lazio | Pryce | Walker |
| Leach | Quillen | Walke |
| Levin | Quinn | Walsh |
| Lewis (GA) | Rahall | Wamp |
| Lewis (KY) | Ramstad | Ward |
| Lightfoot | Rangel | Waters |
| Lincoln | Reed | Watt (NC) |
| Linder | Regula | Watts (OK) |
| Lipinski | Richardson | Waxman |
| Livingston | Riggs | Weldon (FL) |
| LoBiondo | Rivers | Weldon (PA) |
| Lofgren | Roberts | Weller |
| Longley | Roemer | White |
| Lowe | Rogers | Whitfield |
| Lucas | Rohrabacher | Wicker |
| Luther | Roth | Williams |
| Maloney | Roukema | Wise |
| Manzullo | Roybal-Allard | Wolf |
| Markey | Royce | Woolsey |
| Martini | Rush | Wyden |
| Mascara | Sabo | Wynn |
| Matsui | Salmon | Yates |
| McCarthy | Sawyer | Young (AK) |
| McCollum | Saxton | Young (FL) |
| McCrery | Scarborough | Zeliff |
| McDade | Schaefer | Zimmer |
| McDermott | Schiff | |

NOT VOTING—37

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| Baker (LA) | Gibbons | Packard |
| Becerra | Green | Peterson (FL) |
| Berman | Hoekstra | Radanovich |
| Bevill | Jacobs | Ros-Lehtinen |
| Bryant (TX) | Kolbe | Rose |
| Burton | LaFalce | Sanders |
| Callahan | Lewis (CA) | Sanford |
| Calvert | Manton | Seastrand |
| Chapman | Martinez | Shaw |
| Diaz-Balart | Meehan | Solomon |
| Ewing | Meyers | Wilson |
| Filner | Mfume | |
| Gallely | Moakley | |

So the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered. That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶11.22 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lungrean, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed with an amendment a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 2657. An Act to award a congressional gold medal to Ruth and Billy Graham.

¶11.23 COMMITTEE RESIGNATION—MAJORITY

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

FEBRUARY 1, 1996.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to your letter dated Jan. 29, 1996, I hereby resign as a member of the House Committee on the Budget, effective immediately.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

PETE HOEKSTRA,
Member of Congress.

By unanimous consent, the resignation was accepted.

¶11.24 COMMITTEE ELECTION—MAJORITY

Mr. ARMEY, by direction of the Republican Conference, submitted the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 357):

Resolved. That the following named Member be, and he is hereby, elected to the following standing committee of the House of Representatives:

Committee on Budget: Mr. Neumann of Wisconsin.

When said resolution was considered and agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶11.25 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE TO SIGN ENROLLMENTS

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
February 1, 1996.

I hereby designate the Honorable Constance A. Morella to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through Monday, February 26, 1996.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, the designation was accepted.

¶11.26 RESIGNATION AS MEMBER OF HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
January 19, 1996.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Attached herewith is a copy of my letter of resignation as presented

to the Governor of the State of Maryland, the Honorable Parris N. Glendening.

Effective February 18, 1996, I am resigning as Representative to the United States Congress from Maryland's 7th Congressional District.

Sincerely,

KWEISI MFUME,
Member of Congress.

¶11.27 RUTH AND BILLY GRAHAM GOLD MEDAL

On motion of Mr. CASTLE, by unanimous consent, the bill (H.R. 2657) to award a congressional gold medal to Ruth and Billy Graham; together with the following amendment of the Senate thereto, was taken from the Speaker's table:

Page 4, strike out lines 8 through 19.

On motion of Mr. CASTLE, said Senate amendment was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said Senate amendment was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶11.28 GENERAL LEAVE TO EXTEND REMARKS IN THE RECORD

On motion of Mr. CASTLE, by unanimous consent,

Ordered. That all Members of the House be permitted to extend their remarks and to include extraneous material in that section of the Record entitled "Extension of Remarks".

¶11.29 SPEAKER AND MINORITY LEADER TO ACCEPT RESIGNATIONS, APPOINT COMMISSIONS

On motion of Mr. CASTLE, by unanimous consent,

Ordered. That, notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Monday, February 26, 1996, the Speaker and Minority Leader be authorized to accept resignations and to appoint commissions, boards and committees duly authorized by law or by the House.

¶11.30 CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

On motion of Mr. CASTLE, by unanimous consent,

Ordered. That business in order for consideration on Wednesday, February 28, 1996, under clause 7, rule XXIV, the Calendar Wednesday rule, be dispensed with.

¶11.31 ADJOURNMENT OVER

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered. That when the House adjourns on the calendar day of Friday, February 2 (legislative day of Thursday, February 1), 1996, it stand adjourned until 8 p.m. on Tuesday, February 6, 1996, unless the House sooner receives a message from the Senate transmitting its concurrence in House Concurrent Resolution 141, in which case the House shall stand adjourned pursuant to said concurrent resolution.

¶11.32 RECESS—10:38 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. METCALF, pursuant to clause 12 of

rule I, declared the House in recess at 10 o'clock and 38 minutes p.m., subject to the call of the Chair

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2 (LEGISLATIVE DAY OF FEBRUARY 1), 1996

¶11.33 AFTER RECESS—12:01 A.M.

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

¶11.34 BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee did on the following days present to the President, for his approval, bills of the House of the following title:

On January 31:

H.R. 2029. An Act to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1971 to provide regulatory relief, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2111. An Act to designate the Federal building located at 1221 Nevin Avenue in Richmond, CA, as the "Frank Hagel Federal Building".

H.R. 2726. An Act to make certain technical corrections in laws relating to Native Americans, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1868. An Act making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, and for other purposes.

On February 1:

H.R. 2353. An Act to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out certain reports from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes.

¶11.35 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. RADANOVICH, for today after 4:30 p.m.; and

To Mrs. SEASTRAND, for today after 4:30 p.m. and balance of the week.

And then,

¶11.36 ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. METCALF, by unanimous consent and pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 12 o'clock and 2 minutes a.m., declared the House adjourned on Friday, February 2 (legislative day of February 1), 1996 until 8 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, February 6, 1996.

¶11.37 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. GOSS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 355. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2924) to guarantee the timely payment of Social Security benefits in March 1996 (Rept. No. 104-460). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. LEACH: Committee on Banking and Financial Services. H.R. 2406. A bill to repeal the United States Housing Act of 1937, deregulate the public housing program and the program for rental housing assistance for low-income families, and increase community control over such programs, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 104-461). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

¶11.38 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. ARCHER (for himself, Mr. CRANE, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. SHAW, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. HERGER, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. CAMP, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. HAYES, Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. ENSIGN, and Mr. CHRISTENSEN):

H.R. 2924. A bill to guarantee the timely payment of Social Security benefits in March 1996; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HYDE (for himself, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. COBLE, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. CANADY, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. CRANE, Mr. SHAW, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mr. HANCOCK):

H.R. 2925. A bill to modify the application of the antitrust laws to health care provider networks that provide health care services; and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. EWING (for himself, Mr. DREIER, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, and Mr. MANZULLO):

H.R. 2926. A bill to extend nondiscriminatory treatment (most-favored-nation treatment) to the products of certain non-market economy countries; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BILBRAY (for himself, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, and Mr. FILNER):

H.R. 2927. A bill to amend the Fair Housing Act regarding local and State laws and regulations governing residential care facilities; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. NEUMANN:

H.R. 2928. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to ensure the integrity of the Social Security trust funds by requiring the managing trustee to invest the annual surplus of such trust funds in marketable interest-bearing obligations of the United States and certificates of deposit in depository institutions insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, and to protect such trust funds from the public debt limit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 2929. A bill to amend title I of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 to deregulate the electric power industry; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. NEUMANN:

H.R. 2930. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide for an improved benefit computation formula for workers who attain age 65 in or after 1982 by providing a new 10-year rule governing the transition to the changes in benefit computation rules enacted in the Social Security amendments of 1977, and related beneficiaries and to provide prospectively for increases in their benefits accordingly, and for other purposes; 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. LUTHER:

H.R. 2931. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to expand the procurement program under which the Department of Defense assists State and local governments to purchase equipment suitable for counter-drug activities to include the purchase of any law enforcement equipment to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. BURR (for himself, Mr. COBURN, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. UPTON, Mr. BREWSTER, Mr. BILBRAY, Mrs. LINCOLN, and Mr. HEINEMAN):

H.R. 2932. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to revise the requirements of that act relating to the dissemination of scientific information on drugs; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BALDACCI (for himself, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. SISISKY, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. BENTSEN, and Mr. FLAKE):

H.R. 2933. A bill to amend the Small Business Act concerning the level of participation by the Small Business Administration in loans guaranteed under the Export Working Capital Program; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. BLUTE:

H.R. 2934. A bill to eliminate certain Federal programs and subsidies; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, 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. BUNN of Oregon (for himself, Mr. WHITE, Ms. DUNN of Washington, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H.R. 2935. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, to divide the Ninth Judicial Circuit of the United States into two circuits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CHAPMAN:

H.R. 2936. A bill to provide that if a member nation of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, the Republic of Korea, or Japan does not agree, by the end of fiscal year 1997, to contribute to the United States for each fiscal year an amount equal to the full direct costs to the United States of U.S. military forces permanently stationed ashore in that country for that fiscal year, all such United States forces assigned in that country shall be withdrawn not later than the end of fiscal year 1999 and to provide that the amount of all such contributions and the amount of savings from such withdrawals shall be deposited in the Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committees on National Security, and Ways and Means, 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. CLINGER (for himself, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. DELAY, Mr. WALKER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. DAVIS, Mr. FOX, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. MORELLA, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mr. BALLENGER, and Mr. EHRlich):

H.R. 2937. A bill for the reimbursement of legal expenses and related fees incurred by former employees of the White House Travel Office with respect to the termination of their employment in that Office on May 19, 1993; to the Committee on the Judiciary.