

tional benefits under chapter 34 of such title; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. YATES:

H.R. 13665. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to increase from \$1,680 to \$2,400 the annual amount individuals are permitted to earn without suffering deductions from the insurance benefits payable to them under such title; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ANNUNZIO:

H.R. 13666. A bill to amend title XII of the National Housing Act to provide, under the urban property protection and reinsurance program, for direct Federal insurance against losses to habitational property for which insurance is not otherwise available or is available only at excessively surcharged rates, to make crime insurance mandatory under such program, to provide assistance to homeowners to aid in reducing the causes of excessive surcharges, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

By Mr. DELANEY:

H.R. 13667. A bill to amend title 18 and title 28 of the United States Code with respect to the trial and review of criminal actions involving obscenity, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DENNEY:

H.R. 13688. A bill to amend the Federal-aid Highway Act of 1968 to provide additional funds for highway safety programs by authorizing appropriations for such programs in an amount equal to 40 percent of the revenue collected from Federal taxes relating to alcohol; to the Committee on Public Works.

By Mr. ESHLEMAN:

H.R. 13669. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to require the public disclosure of all direct payments made to physicians and other medical practitioners under the medicare and medicaid programs; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. JACOBS:

H.R. 13670. A bill to provide Federal financial assistance to opportunities industrialization centers; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. MATSUNAGA:

H.R. 13671. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to allow an individual a deduction from gross income for certain expenses of employing housemaids, yardmen, and other household help; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PEPPER:

H.R. 13672. A bill to provide additional assistance for the reconstruction of areas in the States of Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, Virginia, and West Virginia

which were damaged by Hurricane Camille of 1969; to the Committee on Public Works.

By Mr. TUNNEY:

H.R. 13673. A bill to provide an equitable system for fixing and adjusting the rates of compensation of wage board employees; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. FASCELL:

H.J. Res. 887. Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and Vice President; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ROGERS of Colorado:

H.J. Res. 888. Resolution to authorize the President to designate the period beginning February 13, 1970, and ending February 19, 1970, as "Mineral Industry Week"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. THOMPSON of Georgia:

H.J. Res. 889. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States making citizens who have attained 18 years of age eligible to vote in Federal elections; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LONG of Maryland:

H. Con. Res. 325. Concurrent resolution protesting the treatment of American servicemen held prisoner by the Government of North Vietnam and backing the administration in its efforts on behalf of these servicemen held captive by the North Vietnamese Government; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. ROSENTHAL:

H. Con. Res. 326. Concurrent resolution to provide for a permanent United Nations peacekeeping force; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

#### PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, private bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. BOGGS:

H.R. 13674. A bill for the relief of Gabriel Garrido; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McMILLAN:

H.R. 13675. A bill for the relief of Tara Chand Sharma; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RIVERS:

H.R. 13676. A bill for the relief of certain retired officers of the Army, Navy, and Air Force; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RYAN:

H.R. 13677. A bill for the relief of Michael Davis; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H.R. 13678. A bill for the relief of Therese Liautaud; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H.R. 13679. A bill for the relief of Samuel Woletsky; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SPRINGER:

H.R. 13680. A bill for the relief of Chyn Hwang Liu; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. STAGGERS:

H.R. 13681. A bill for the relief of Giovanni Lovece; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DONOHUE:

H. Res. 533. Resolution to refer the bill (H.R. 3722) entitled "A bill for the relief of John S. Attinello" to the Chief Commissioner of the Court of Claims pursuant to sections 1492 and 2509 of title 28, United States Code, as amended; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

259. By the SPEAKER: A memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to the Federal food stamp and commodity distribution programs in California; to the Committee on Agriculture.

260. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to bilingual education programs; to the Committee on Appropriations.

261. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of California, relative to continuation of fund to federally impacted school areas; to the Committee on Appropriations.

262. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to offshore oil development operations; to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

#### PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, petitions and papers were laid on the Clerk's desk and referred as follows:

228. By the SPEAKER: Petition of the State Council of West Virginia, Junior Order, United American Mechanics, relative to display of the American flag in public school classrooms; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

229. Also, petition of Henry Stoner, York, Pa., relative to amending the rules of the House; to the Committee on Rules.

## SENATE—Monday, September 8, 1969

The Senate met at 11 o'clock a.m. and was called to order by the Vice President.

The Chaplain, the Reverend Edward L. R. Elson, D.D., offered the following prayer:

O Thou who are from everlasting to everlasting, come upon us this day with a vivid and intimate awareness of Thy presence, that we may know that neither life nor death, nor things present nor things to come shall ever separate us from Thy love, and that in Thee the temporal and the eternal have no distinction. Surround us with Thy love, impart to us Thy healing grace, and bring

to us the ministry of hallowed memory and sacred recollection.

We thank Thee for Thy servant and our comrade, EVERETT MCKINLEY DIRKSEN, who has fought a good fight, kept the faith, finished his course, and is at rest with Thee. For the nobility of his manhood, the magnanimity of his spirit, the hospitality of his mind, and the inclusiveness of his friendship we give Thee thanks. For his massive mind, his matchless speech, his powers of persuasion, and his parliamentary skills we give thanks to Thee. For his elevated patriotism and his manly piety, for his grace and dignity in public service we give Thee thanks. For his prodigious energy spent in self-

sacrificing public service, for his fortitude in suffering, and his witness to values which are everlasting we give Thee thanks. May the integrity of his manhood, the radiance of his character, his gentle but subtle humor, and his sense of the divine in all things human remain as an abiding legacy for all generations. May his golden voice now silenced on this side be lifted with the everlasting choirs invisible on the other side of the great divide. May the land he loved, the Nation he served, and the principles to which he was dedicated make this land more and more a foretaste of the kingdom whose builder and maker is God. In Thy holy name we pray. Amen.

## THE JOURNAL

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, September 5, 1969, be dispensed with.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Without objection it is so ordered.

## MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS—UNANIMOUS-CONSENT AGREEMENT

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the unanimous-consent agreement which was entered to be effective today be vacated and applied to tomorrow.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Is there objection? The Chair hears none, and it is so ordered.

## DEATH OF SENATOR EVERETT MCKINLEY DIRKSEN

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, it is my sad duty to announce the death of Senator EVERETT MCKINLEY DIRKSEN at 4:52 p.m. on September 7. A great chair across the aisle stands empty.

At an appropriate time, the Senate will eulogize the late Senator. We shall set aside a day to dwell at length on the life and service of this decent man, this colleague of so many years.

In the first shock of his passing, the words do not come. It is too soon. The void has opened too suddenly. The emptiness is too complete. It is possible, now, only to sense the loss, to sense it in the profound sorrow which his death brings to us.

This is a time, then, not to eulogize, but to mourn. Nor is it a time to mourn for EVERETT MCKINLEY DIRKSEN, who has no need of it. Rather, it is a time to mourn for the Nation. It has suffered the grievous loss of a citizen-patriot and a distinguished political leader.

It is a time, too, to mourn for the State of Illinois, whose cities, towns, and prairies he loved so deeply, and whose praises he sang so well. His State is bereft of a dedicated son, a skilled legislator, and a pure personification in the Congress of the United States.

It is a time, finally, to mourn for those who were tied to Senator DIRKSEN in personal association, for his colleagues in the Senate and the Government of the United States, for his family and friends. Time after time, and time again, those of us who knew him turned to him. We turned to him to share a pleasure or a concern. We turned to him for the

sureness of his warmth, his graciousness, and his devotion, and we never failed to find it. We turned to him for that elusive flicker of human understanding, that unique spark which was EVERETT MCKINLEY DIRKSEN. It is gone now. So it is a time for mourning, a time for mourning what we have lost.

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, it will not be possible ever to replace, except in fond memories, the position held by the great leader of the minority party, a man whose memory will enlighten the recollection of all here present and of so many throughout the country.

Each day, as he came to the opening of the Senate, he had a bright and friendly comment. He added a spirit of accommodation and yet a spirit of full recognition of his responsibility as a Senator, as a citizen, and as the leader of his party.

As the distinguished majority leader has said, today is not the day for eulogy, but for mourning. But today is the beginning of a period in which we may have the opportunity to pay inadequate—altogether too inadequate—tribute to a great man, to a great leader, to a warm and compassionate man with a redeeming sense of humor who had perhaps one of the greatest of all qualities—the ability to view himself in due proportion as one of the creatures of the Lord Most High, and yet to recognize in that picture of himself the aspects of humor, the aspects of the presentation of position, and the aspects of the reaction of those with whom he dealt so well, so long, and so successfully.

Our grief is great for his family, one of whom is a distinguished colleague of ours. It is great for the Nation, for the State of Illinois, and for all those who knew him and loved him and worked with him. At the going down of the sun and in the morning we will remember him.

## GUARD OF RESPECT FOR SENATOR DIRKSEN

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, for the information of the Senate, it is requested that Senators be prepared to form a guard of respect at approximately a quarter to 12 tomorrow, prior to the arrival of the casket containing our late, beloved minority leader.

## ORDER FOR ADJOURNMENT TO 11 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate adjourns today it adjourn until 11 a.m. tomorrow.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Without objection, it is so ordered.

## RESOLUTION ON DEATH OF SENATOR DIRKSEN

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, for myself and Mr. SCOTT, I send to the desk a resolution and ask for its immediate consideration.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The resolution (S. Res. 253) will be read.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

S. RES. 253

*Resolved*, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow and deep regret the announcement of the death of Hon. Everett McKinley Dirksen, late a Senator from the State of Illinois.

*Resolved*, That the President of the Senate appoint a committee, of which he shall be a member, to attend the funeral of the deceased Senator.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Without objection, the resolution is considered and unanimously agreed to.

Pursuant to the second resolving clause, the Vice President appointed the entire membership of the Senate as the committee to attend the funeral of the deceased Senator DIRKSEN.

## MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR SENATOR DIRKSEN

Mr. SCOTT. Mr. President, for myself and Mr. MANSFIELD, I submit a resolution and ask for its immediate consideration.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The resolution (S. Res. 254) will be read.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

S. RES. 254

*Resolved*, That the Secretary invite the Members of the House of Representatives to attend memorial services for the Honorable Everett McKinley Dirksen in the rotunda of the Capitol on Tuesday, September 9, 1969, at 12 o'clock noon, and be it further

*Resolved*, That invitations be extended to the President of the United States and the members of the Cabinet, the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, the Diplomatic Corps (through the Secretary of State), the Chief of Staff of the Army, the Chief of Naval Operations of the Navy, the Chief of Staff of the Air Force, the Major General Commandant of the Marine Corps, and the Commandant of the Coast Guard to attend the memorial services in the rotunda of the Capitol.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Without objection, the resolution is considered and unanimously agreed to.

## ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 11 A.M. TOMORROW

The VICE PRESIDENT. The clerk will read the last resolving clause of the resolution (S. Res. 253) submitted by the Senator from Montana and agreed to by the Senate.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

*Resolved*, That as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, the Senate do now adjourn until 11 a.m. tomorrow.

Thereupon (at 11 o'clock and 12 minutes a.m.), the Senate adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday, September 9, 1969, at 11 a.m.