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The Senate met at 12:30 p.m., on the expiration of the recess, and was called to order by the President pro tempore [Mr. THURMOND].

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Our new Chaplain is now with us, Dr. Lloyd Ogilvie. He will now open the Senate with a prayer. We are delighted to have this fine man with us.

PRAYER

The Senate Chaplain, Dr. Lloyd John Ogilvie, D.D., offered the following prayer:

Let us pray:

Almighty God, Lord of our lives and Sovereign of our beloved Nation, as we begin this new day filled with awesome responsibilities and soul-sized issues, we are irresistibly drawn into Your presence by the magnetism of Your love and by our need for Your guidance. We come to You at Your invitation. Our longing to know Your will is motivated by Your prevenient and greater desire to guide and inspire us. In the quiet of intimate communion with You, the tightly wound springs of pressure and stress are released and a profound inner peace invades our minds. We hear again the impelling cadences of the drumbeat of Your Spirit calling up to press on in the battle for truth, righteousness, and justice. Our minds snap to full attention, and our hearts salute You as sovereign Lord. You have given us minds capable of receiving Your mind, imaginations able to envision Your plan and purpose, and wills ready to do Your will. Anoint our minds with the liberating assurance that whatever You give us the vision to conceive, and the power to believe, we can completely trust You to help us achieve. Lord, fill our minds with Your spirit. Go before us to show us the way, behind us to press us forward, beside us to give us courage, above us to protect us, and within us to give us super-

natural wisdom and discernment. Continue to bless our President and his Cabinet, the House of Representatives, and the men and women of the Senate as together they serve You as partners in solving the problems which confront us and grasp the full potential of Your destiny for our great Nation.

In Your all-powerful name, amen.

RECOGNITION OF THE ACTING MAJORITY LEADER

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The acting majority leader is recognized.

WELCOMING OF NEW SENATE CHAPLAIN, DR. LLOYD JOHN OGILVIE

Mr. HATFIELD. Thank you, Mr. President.

It is my great honor to welcome the Senate's new Chaplain, Dr. Lloyd Ogilvie. It is my feeling that the Senate is going to be richly blessed by the presence of Dr. Ogilvie. Reverend Ogilvie is undertaking a difficult task, because he is succeeding our good friend, Richard Halverson. Reverend Halverson not only leaves a spiritual legacy behind him, but he also leaves some very difficult shoes to fill. Richard Halverson offered this body an example of humility, gentleness, and personal integrity. He will be missed, not only by the Senators, but also by the staff, support workers, pages, and the various workers who experienced his ministry.

In the committee's search of hundreds of extremely qualified applicants, Dr. Ogilvie stood out because of his emphasis on nurturing others through personal relationships. I am pleased to hear of his determination to keep the office of Chaplain nonpolitical, nonsectarian, and nonpartisan. He has indicated that his role as Chaplain is to

act as an intercessor for the Senators, serving as a trusted prayer partner and a faithful counselor. In his opening prayers, he is committed to praying to God, not preaching to the Senators. I believe this is the correct approach to the chaplaincy. The last thing we need in the Senate is another bully pulpit, instructing us as to the proper political decision or action. Dr. Ogilvie will minister through friendships and relationships with Members. His emphasis will be encouragement, not persuasion.

When I mentioned all these qualified applicants, let me suggest one further fact. Dr. Ogilvie did not apply for the office of Chaplain. He was sought out for the office.

I am so excited that Dr. Ogilvie will be joining us in this capacity. I would like to take some time to reflect on his many accomplishments. I will highlight some of his greater accomplishments and then enter his resumé into the RECORD. If I were to highlight all of his life work, I am afraid my colleagues would accuse me of filibustering. Dr. Ogilvie is leaving his congregation at First Presbyterian Church in Hollywood, CA, where he has ministered since 1972. In his capacity as pastor of First Presbyterian in Hollywood, he sought to encourage leaders in entertainment, business, and the community in the Los Angeles area.

Through personal interaction and small group settings, Dr. Ogilvie attempted to help men and women find mutual support to face their problems and to follow their callings in their vocations by encouraging the individuals around them. One of the keys to Dr. Ogilvie's ministry has been listening. By listening closely to the concerns of those around him, he can respond by tailoring his ministry to directly respond to those concerns. I think this will be an invaluable tool in his ministries in the Senate. The Senate is a

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dynamic body thus requiring an individual that can carefully listen and respond to the many concerns that we confront each day.

Dr. Ogilvie is an accomplished author of approximately 50 books, and he is a contributing author in many current religious magazines and periodicals. He is leaving his nationally syndicated weekly television show, "Let God Love You," which has been on the air for 17 years. He is also ending his daily radio program of 10 years. Both of these programs are financed by Lloyd Ogilvie Ministries, a independent, nonprofit organization from which Ogilvie draws no salary or compensation.

It is my belief that Dr. Ogilvie will be successful because of his calling as a pastor to be available, approachable, and attentive. As he seeks to be influential in the spiritual lives of the Senators, I trust that he will always strive to be a faithful friend and confidant. And I know and am persuaded that he will be.

I look forward to his work, and I encourage all my distinguished colleagues to take the opportunity to get to know him.

Of course, like all of us, he brings to this new ministry his devoted, wonderful, accomplished wife, Mary Jane, as they have worked together on the Lord's ministry all of these years. He has a beautiful family who support him and each of whom is contributing to our society.

So, Mr. President, at this time, I ask unanimous consent that a biographical sketch, with background, education, degrees, awards, and pastorates be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the material was ordered to be printed in the RECORD.

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH—LLOYD JOHN OGILVIE BACKGROUND

Born in Kenosha, Wisconsin, September 2, 1930.

Married to Mary Jane Jenkins Ogilvie.
Children: Heather, Scott, Andrew.

EDUCATION

Public schools of Kenosha, Wisconsin.
Lake Forest College, Lake Forest, Illinois.
Garrett Theological Seminary, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois.

New College, University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland.

DEGREES

Bachelor of Arts (Lake Forest College).
Master of Theology (Garrett Theological Seminary).

Doctor of Divinity (Whitworth College).
Doctor of Humane Letters (University of Redlands).

Doctor of Humanities (Moravian College and Seminary).
Doctor of Laws (Eastern College).

AWARDS (PARTIAL LIST)

Distinguished Service Citation, Lake Forest College.

Preacher of the Year, Religion in Media.
Angel Award, Religion in Media.
1982, 1986—Silver Angel Award (to Television Ministry).

Gold Medallion Book Award, 1985, "Making Stress Work For You". Presented by the Evangelical Christian Publishers Assn.

Salvation Army's William Booth Award, 1992.

PASTORATES

Gurnee Community Church, Gurnee, Illinois (Student Pastor).

Winnetka Presbyterian Church, Winnetka, Illinois (1956-62).

First Presbyterian Church, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania (1962-72).

First Presbyterian Church, Hollywood, California (1972-).

MINISTRY FOCUS

The consistent focus of the ministry of Lloyd Ogilvie through the years has been on the care, encouragement and support of business, political and community leaders. Beginning his ministry in Winnetka, Illinois working with the business leaders of Chicago, he developed a deep appreciation for the impact of leaders on society and their need to receive sensitive pastoral care to live out their faith in the pressures, stresses and immense challenges of their work. During this time of his ministry, Dr. Ogilvie developed a small group strategy to help men and women leaders and their families find mutual support and networking to face the problems and grasp the opportunities of their calling to serve God in their personal relationships, at work, and in the community. This emphasis was continued in his ministry to leaders and their families in the steel industry when he served as Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. He has pursued this calling during the past twenty-two years as Pastor of the historic First Presbyterian Church of Hollywood where he seeks to enable leaders in the entertainment community as well as business and community leaders in the greater Los Angeles basin.

In addition to his responsibilities as Pastor of the Hollywood Church, Dr. Ogilvie is a media communicator, author and frequent speaker throughout the nation.

Dr. Ogilvie believes that listening is the key to effective communication of the Gospel. His contemporary expositions of the Bible are in direct response to the most urgent questions and deepest needs of people in his congregation and throughout the nation. Through being attentive in conversations, extensive correspondence, and personal surveys of his national radio and television audiences, he seeks to feel the pulse of what people are thinking and feeling today. His messages, books, and the leadership of his congregation in Hollywood arise out of the ministry of listening to people's hopes and hurts and then to God for His answers in the Bible.

LOCAL CHURCH

As Pastor of his large congregation in the communications capitol, Dr. Ogilvie has developed the church's program in four major thrusts—as a worshipping congregation, a healing community, an equipping center for the ministry of the laity, and a deployment agency for evangelism and mission. His guiding conviction is that all Christians are called into ministry and that the role of the local church is to equip them to be a bold, articulate apostolate of hope in the structures of society. This equipping program is carried out in in-depth study of the Scriptures, small group meetings throughout the Los Angeles basin, and retreats and conferences. Dr. Ogilvie consistently monitors the effectiveness of the ministry with these questions: What kind of people are we called to deploy in the world? What kind of church sets free that kind of people? What kind of church officers enables that kind of church? and, What kind of pastoral leadership inspires that quality of vision?

Lloyd Ogilvie's strategy of leadership is to work with and through the lay Elders to

shape the goals and program of the church. Along with a team of four pastors and ten program staff people, Dr. Ogilvie seeks to lead the church as a laboratory of experimentation with new forms of church life and innovative methods of meeting the needs of the members so that they can be contagious communicators of their faith and courageous witnesses in social issues.

Located at the center of population spread of the greater Los Angeles community, the urban Hollywood church ministers to its immediate community and to members who live throughout the metropolitan and suburban areas. The vital program for members is coupled with a diversified outreach to meet the social needs of the community.

MEDIA MINISTRY

Lloyd Ogilvie's nationally syndicated radio and television ministry is called "Let God Love You." The weekly television program is celebrating its seventeenth anniversary and the daily radio program is going into its tenth year. This media ministry is guided by a strong national Board of Directors of the Lloyd Ogilvie Ministries, an independent, non-profit organization. In 1982, the Directors adopted "Ten Commitments" for the development of the ministry and its financial accountability.

Dr. Ogilvie brings to this media ministry the same commitment to listening he expresses as pastor of his church. His messages on the "Let God Love You" programs are his part of an ongoing dialogue with his listeners and viewers. On very program he encourages them to write him about what's on their minds and hearts. His voluminous correspondence with people and a special yearly inventory of their deepest concerns provide the focus of his personal sharing of grace. The central purpose is to help people turn life's struggles into stepping stones by linking their problems to the promises and power of God.

Beginning sixteen years ago with one television station in Los Angeles, the "Let God Love You" program is now seen throughout the nation on independent stations and cable networks. The media ministry is supported exclusively by viewer and listener contributions and all gifts are used only for costs of producing and airing the programs. Dr. Ogilvie receives no salary from the media ministry.

PUBLICATION MINISTRY: BOOKS AUTHORED BY LLOYD JOHN OGILVIE

A Future and A Hope; Word Books.
A Life Full of Surprises; Abingdon Press.
Ask Him Anything (Answers to Life's Deepest Questions); Word Books.

Autobiography of God, The (On the Parables); Regal Books.

Beauty of Caring, The; Harvest House.
Beauty of Friendship, The; Harvest House.
Beauty of Love, The; Harvest House.

Beauty of Sharing, The; Harvest House.
Bush Is Still Burning, The (The "I Am" Sayings of Jesus); Word Books.

Climbing the Rainbow—Claiming the Covenant Promises of God; Word Books.

General Editor and Author of:
—Communicators Commentary on Book of Acts; Word Books.

—Communicators Commentary on Books of Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah; Word Books.

Congratulations—God Believes in You; Word Books.

Conversation With God; Harvest House.
Cup of Wonder, The (Communion Messages); Tyndale Books.

Discovering God's Will in Your Life; Harvest House.

Drumbeat of Love (Acts); Word Books.
Enjoying God; Word Books.

Falling into Greatness (Psalms); Thomas Nelson.

Freedom of the Spirit; Harvest House.
God's Best for My Life (Daily Devotional); Harvest House.

God's Transforming Love; Regal Books.
Greatest Counselor in the World, The; Servant Publications.

Heart of God, The; Regal Books.
If God Cares, Why Do I Still Have Problems?; Word Books.

If I Should Wake Before I Die; Regal Books.

Jesus The Healer [form. Why Not?] (The Healing Ministry); Revell Co.

Let God Love You; Word Books.

Living Without Limits; Word Books.

Living Without Fear; Word Books.

Longing to Be Free; Harvest House.

Lord of the Impossible; Abingdon Press.

Lord of the Loose Ends ("He is Able" claims of the Epistles); Word Books.

Lord of the Ups and Downs; Regal Books.

Magnificent Vision, The (Form. "Radiance of the Inner Splendor"); Vine Books.

Making Stress Work for You; Word Books.

Silent Strength (Daily Devotional); Harvest House.

Turn Your Struggles Into Steppingstones; Word Books.

Twelve Steps to Living Without Fear (Large Print); Word Books.

Understanding the Hard Sayings of Jesus (formerly "The Other Jesus"); Word Books.

When God First Thought of You (I, II, III John); Word Books.

You Are Loved and Forgiven; Regal Books.

You Can Live As It Was Meant To Be (I & II Thess.); Regal Books.

You Can Pray With Power; Regal Books.

You've Got Charisma; Abingdon Press.

Also, Dr. Ogilvie is the General Editor of the 32-volume Communicator's Commentary being published by Word Books, Inc. In addition, he is a contributing author in many current Christian magazines and periodicals.

SPEAKING MINISTRY

Lloyd Ogilvie's ministry as a speaker involves him in speaking engagements at conventions, conferences, renewal retreats for clergy and laity, and universities and secular gatherings.

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Who's Who in America.
Who's Who in the World.
Who's Who in the West.
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Contemporary Authors.

Mr. HATFIELD. Mr. President, I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The clerk will call the roll.

The legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. HATFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Mr. THOMAS). Without objection, it is so ordered.

UNANIMOUS-CONSENT AGREEMENT

Mr. HATFIELD. Mr. President, I am now going to propound, on behalf of the Republican leader, two unanimous-consent agreements that have been cleared on the Democratic side.

Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the Kassebaum amendment No. 331, scheduled for today, be vitiated and, further, that the vote now

occur on Wednesday, March 15, at 10:30 a.m.

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

Mr. HATFIELD. Mr. President, I further ask that the cloture vote scheduled for Tuesday of this week be postponed to occur on Thursday, March 16, at a time to be determined by the majority leader after consultation with the minority leader.

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

ORDER OF PROCEDURE

Mr. HATFIELD. Mr. President, I am authorized to indicate there will be no rollcall votes during today's session of the Senate.

I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. DOMENICI. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

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

Mr. DOMENICI. Mr. President, I ask that I may speak for 2 minutes as in morning business.

MORNING BUSINESS

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Under the previous order, there will now be a period for morning business not to extend beyond 30 minutes with Senators permitted to speak therein.

Mr. DOMENICI. Mr. President, last week during the debate on the balanced budget amendment, there was more than a little debate about the use of Social Security funds in calculating our annual Federal deficit. The fact is that much of the discussion was misleading, and some of it was just not true. But in all our discussions of the issue, few explain the truth of what this Government is doing more succinctly than columnist Charles Krauthammer did in his op-ed page in the Washington Post last Friday.

Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that that column, entitled "Social Security 'Trust Fund' Whopper," be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the article was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

[From the Washington Post, Mar. 10, 1995]

SOCIAL SECURITY "TRUST FUND" WHOPPER

(By Charles Krauthammer)

Last week, Sens. Kent Conrad and Byron Dorgan management to (1) kill the balanced budget amendment, (2) deal Republicans their first big defeat since November and (3) make Democrats the heroes of Social Security. A hat trick. How did they do it? By demanding that any balanced budget amendment "take Social Security off the table"—i.e., not count the current Social Security surplus in calculating the deficit—and thus stop "looting" the Social Security trust fund.

In my 17 years in Washington, this is the single most fraudulent argument I have

heard. I don't mean politically fraudulent, which is routine in Washington and a judgment call anyway. I mean logically, demonstrably, mathematically fraudulent, a condition rare even in Washington and not a judgment call at all. Consider:

In 1994 Smith runs up a credit card bill of \$100,000. Worried about his retirement, however, he puts his \$25,000 salary into a retirement account.

Come Dec. 31, Smith has two choices: (a) He can borrow \$75,000 from the bank and "loot" his retirement account to pay off the rest—which Conrad-Dorgan say is unconscionable. Or (b) he can borrow the full \$100,000 to pay off his credit card bill and keep the \$25,000 retirement account sacrosanct—which Conrad-Dorgan say is just swell and maintains a sacred trust and staves off the wolves and would have let them vote for the balanced budget amendment if only those senior-bashing Republicans had just done it their way.

But a child can see that courses (a) and (b) are identical. Either way, Smith is net \$75,000 in debt. The trust money in (b) is a fiction: It consists of 25,000 additionally borrowed dollars. His retirement is exactly as insecure one way or the other. Either way, if he wants to pay himself a pension when he retires, he is going to have to borrow the money.

According to Conrad-Dorgan, however, unless he declared his debt to be \$100,000 rather than \$75,000, he has looted his retirement account. But it matters not a whit what Smith declares his debt to be. It is not his declaration that is looting his retirement. It is his borrowing (and overspending).

Similarly for the federal government. In fiscal 1994, President Clinton crowed that he had reduced the federal deficit to \$200 billion. In fact, what Conrad calls the "operating budget" was about \$250 billion in deficit, but the Treasury counted the year's roughly \$50 billion Social Security surplus to make its books read \$200 billion. According to Conrad-Dorgan logic, President Clinton "looted" the Social Security trust fund to the tune of \$50 billion.

Did he? Of course not. If Clinton had declared the deficit to be \$250 billion and not "borrowed" \$50 billion Social Security surplus—which is nothing more than the federal government moving money from its left pocket to its right—would that have made an iota of difference to the status of our debt or of Social Security?

Whether or not you figure Social Security in calculating the federal deficit is merely an accounting device. Government cannot stash the Social Security surplus in a sock. As long as the federal deficit exceeds the Social Security surplus—that is, for the foreseeable future—we are increasing our net debt and making it harder to pay out Social Security (and everything else government does) in the future.

Why? Because the Social Security trust fund—like Smith's retirement account—is a fiction. The Social Security system is pay-as-you-go. The benefits going to old folks today do not come out of a huge vault stuffed with dollar bills on some South Pacific island. Current retirees get paid from the payroll taxes of current workers.

With so many boomers working today, pay-as-you-go produces a cash surplus. That cash does not go into a Pacific island vault either. In a government that runs a deficit, it cannot be saved at all—any more than Smith can really "save" his \$25,000 when he is running a \$100,000 deficit. The surplus necessarily is used to help pay for current government operations.

And pay-as-you-go will be true around the year 2015, when we boomers begin to retire. The chances of our Social Security benefits