

Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania. I thank the gentleman, Mr. Speaker. I appreciate the opportunity to address the House and my colleagues.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. (Mr. ROGERS). Pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess until approximately 3 p.m.

Accordingly (at 2 o'clock and 15 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess until approximately 3 p.m.

□ 1501

AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. ROGERS) at 3 o'clock and 1 minute p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER
PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Debate has concluded on all motions to suspend the rules. Pursuant to clause 5 of rule I, the Chair will now put the question on approval of the Journal and then on each motion to suspend the rules on which further proceedings were postponed earlier today in the order in which the motion was entertained.

Votes will be taken in the following order:

Approval of the Journal; de novo;
H.R. 2778, de novo; and
H.R. 2853, de novo.

The Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the time for any electronic vote after the first such vote in this series.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 5 of rule I, the pending business is the question de novo of agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of the last day's proceedings.

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

SPECIAL TAX TREATMENT FOR
UNITED STATES TROOPS IN
BOSNIA

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question de novo of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 2778, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Kentucky [Mr. BUNNING] that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2778, as amended.

The question was taken.

Mr. BUNNING. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 416, not voting 15, as follows:

[Roll No. 44]

YEAS—416

Ackerman	Dellums	Holden
Allard	Deutsch	Horn
Andrews	Diaz-Balart	Hostettler
Archer	Dickey	Houghton
Armey	Dicks	Hoyer
Bachus	Dingell	Hunter
Baesler	Dixon	Hutchinson
Baker (CA)	Doggett	Hyde
Baker (LA)	Dooley	Inglis
Baldacci	Doolittle	Istook
Ballenger	Dornan	Jackson (IL)
Barcia	Doyle	Jackson-Lee
Barr	Dreier	(TX)
Barrett (NE)	Duncan	Jacobs
Barrett (WI)	Dunn	Jefferson
Bartlett	Edwards	Johnson (CT)
Barton	Ehlers	Johnson (SD)
Bass	Emerson	Johnson, E. B.
Bateman	Engel	Johnson, Sam
Becerra	English	Johnston
Beilenson	Ensign	Jones
Bentsen	Eshoo	Kanjorski
Bereuter	Evans	Kasich
Berman	Everett	Kelly
Bevill	Ewing	Kennedy (MA)
Bilbray	Farr	Kennedy (RI)
Bilirakis	Fattah	Kennelly
Bishop	Fawell	Kildee
Bliley	Fazio	Kim
Blute	Fields (LA)	King
Boehlert	Fields (TX)	Kingston
Boehner	Filner	Klecza
Bonilla	Flake	Klink
Bonior	Flanagan	Klug
Bono	Foglietta	Knollenberg
Borski	Foley	Kolbe
Boucher	Forbes	LaFalce
Brewster	Ford	LaHood
Browder	Fowler	Lantos
Brown (CA)	Fox	Largent
Brown (OH)	Frank (MA)	Latham
Brownback	Franks (CT)	Laughlin
Bryant (TN)	Franks (NJ)	Lazio
Bryant (TX)	Frelinghuysen	Leach
Bunn	Frisa	Levin
Bunning	Frost	Lewis (CA)
Burr	Funderburk	Lewis (GA)
Burton	Furse	Lewis (KY)
Buyer	Gallaghy	Lightfoot
Callahan	Ganske	Lincoln
Calvert	Gejdenson	Linder
Camp	Gekas	Livingston
Campbell	Gephardt	LoBiondo
Canady	Geren	Lofgren
Cardin	Gibbons	Longley
Castle	Gilchrest	Lowey
Chabot	Gillmor	Lucas
Chambliss	Gilman	Luther
Chapman	Gonzalez	Maloney
Christensen	Goodlatte	Manton
Chrysler	Goodling	Manzullo
Clay	Gordon	Markey
Clayton	Goss	Martinez
Clement	Graham	Martini
Clinger	Green	Mascara
Clyburn	Greenwood	Matsui
Coble	Gunderson	McCollum
Coburn	Gutierrez	McCrery
Coleman	Gutknecht	McDade
Collins (GA)	Hall (OH)	McDermott
Collins (IL)	Hall (TX)	McHale
Combest	Hamilton	McHugh
Condit	Hancock	McInnis
Conyers	Hansen	McIntosh
Cooley	Harman	McKeon
Costello	Hastert	McKinney
Cox	Hastings (FL)	McNulty
Coyne	Hastings (WA)	Meehan
Cramer	Hayes	Meek
Crane	Hayworth	Menendez
Crapo	Hefley	Metcalfe
Creameans	Hefner	Meyers
Cubin	Heineman	Mica
Cunningham	Herger	Miller (CA)
Danner	Hilleary	Miller (FL)
Davis	Hilliard	Minge
de la Garza	Hinchey	Mink
Deal	Hobson	Moakley
DeLauro	Hoekstra	Molinari
DeLay	Hoke	Mollohan

Montgomery	Roemer	Talent
Moorhead	Rogers	Tanner
Moran	Rohrabacher	Tate
Murtha	Ros-Lehtinen	Tauzin
Myers	Rose	Taylor (MS)
Myrick	Roth	Taylor (NC)
Nadler	Roukema	Tejeda
Neal	Roybal-Allard	Thomas
Nethercutt	Royce	Thompson
Neumann	Rush	Thornberry
Ney	Sabo	Thornton
Norwood	Salmon	Thurman
Nussle	Sanders	Tiahrt
Oberstar	Sanford	Torkildsen
Obey	Sawyer	Torres
Olver	Saxton	Torricelli
Orton	Scarborough	Towns
Owens	Schaefer	Trafigant
Oxley	Schiff	Upton
Packard	Schroeder	Velazquez
Pallone	Schumer	Vento
Parker	Scott	Visclosky
Pastor	Seastrand	Volkmer
Paxon	Sensenbrenner	Vucanovich
Payne (NJ)	Serrano	Waldholtz
Payne (VA)	Shadegg	Walker
Pelosi	Shaw	Walsh
Peterson (FL)	Shays	Wamp
Peterson (MN)	Shuster	Ward
Petri	Siskis	Waters
Pickett	Skaggs	Watt (NC)
Pombo	Skeen	Watts (OK)
Pomeroy	Skelton	Waxman
Porter	Slaughter	Weldon (FL)
Portman	Smith (MI)	Weldon (PA)
Poshard	Smith (NJ)	Weller
Pryce	Smith (TX)	White
Quillen	Smith (WA)	Whitfield
Quinn	Solomon	Wicker
Radanovich	Souder	Williams
Rahall	Spence	Wilson
Ramstad	Spratt	Wise
Rangel	Stark	Wolf
Reed	Stearns	Woolsey
Regula	Stenholm	Yates
Richardson	Stockman	Young (AK)
Riggs	Studds	Young (FL)
Rivers	Stump	Zeliff
Roberts	Stupak	Zimmer

NOT VOTING—15

Abercrombie	Durbin	McCarthy
Brown (FL)	Ehrlich	Morella
Chenoweth	Kaptur	Ortiz
Collins (MI)	LaTourette	Stokes
DeFazio	Lipinski	Wynn

□ 1523

Mr. SCARBOROUGH changed his vote from "nay" to "yea."

So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended, and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. ABERCROMBIE. Mr. Speaker, earlier today the House considered on the suspension calendar, H.R. 2778, a bill to give special tax treatment to United States troops in Bosnia. As a strong supporter of the members of our Armed Forces I strongly support this measure. Had I been present on roll No. 44 I would have noted "aye."

MOST-FAVORED-NATION
TREATMENT FOR BULGARIA

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. ROGERS). The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 2853.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Illinois [Mr.

CRANE] that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2853.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

NAMING OF THE HONORABLE JIM BUNNING TO BASEBALL'S HALL OF FAME

(Mr. HYDE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. HYDE. Mr. Speaker, I have a very special announcement to make. One of our colleagues, the gentleman from Kentucky [Mr. BUNNING], was just named to the Baseball Hall of Fame.

Mr. Speaker, I am sure that my colleagues all know that the gentleman from Kentucky [Mr. BUNNING] is the only major league pitcher ever to pitch a no-hit game in both the National League and the American League and that his selection to the Hall of Fame was not by baseball writers, but by the veterans themselves, which makes it, it seems to me, a little loftier in stature.

□ 1530

Mr. Speaker, I might trespass upon my friendship with the gentleman from Kentucky [Mr. BUNNING] to tell the Members a true story. I think I have the year right. 1958. Maybe it was 1968, but I am going to say 1958. The gentleman from Kentucky [Mr. BUNNING] was pitching for the Detroit Tigers against the New York Yankees. The New York Yankees had a first base coach named Bob Turley, a former pitcher who was very skilled at stealing signs. Every time JIM would throw a fastball, Turley would whistle, and the batters knew what the pitch was.

Now, the first batter up was Bobby Richardson, and JIM got him out. The second batter up was Tony Kubek, the shortstop. JIM got him out. The third batter stepped in, Mickey Mantle, and JIM walked over to the first base coach, Turley, and he said, "If you whistle, I am going to hit him right in the back with a pitch." JIM took the mound. He got his sign and he was at the top of his windup when Turley whistled. JIM decided to cross everybody up. He threw a slider. It got away from him, and hit Mantle right in the back. Mantle headed toward the mound with his bat, but decided better of it, and trotted down to first base.

The next batter was Yogi Berra. Yogi stepped in, pounded the plate, looked at JIM BUNNING and said, "Hey, JIM, if Turley whistles, I ain't listening."

Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. HYDE. I yield to the gentleman from Pennsylvania.

Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, it is hard to top what our good friend, the gentleman from Illinois, has said about the wonderful gentleman

from Kentucky, JIM BUNNING. But I know that our friends in Philadelphia, like the gentlemen from Pennsylvania, CURT WELDON and JIM GREENWOOD, and many others, BOB BORSKI, TOM FOGLIETTA, all the other Members, know that the gentleman from Kentucky, JIM BUNNING, is a hero not only on the field of baseball, but JIM BUNNING has been a hero as a congressional leader and as someone who has held the great family principles of life, someone who is fair dealing, someone who cares about others, and someone who, in his lifetime, has really made a difference.

Mr. Speaker, I would ask my colleagues to stand and rise to this great American hero, the gentleman from Kentucky, JIM BUNNING.

Mr. HYDE. Mr. Speaker if I might yield very briefly to the gentleman from Pennsylvania, CURT WELDON, who formerly was the Congressman of JIM BUNNING.

Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, I thank my colleague for yielding to me.

Let me just say, Mr. Speaker, that there is no one that the members of the Pennsylvania delegation would fear more in coming back to our State and running for elective office than JIM BUNNING, because he is adored by all of our constituents, whether they be in the district of the gentlemen from Pennsylvania, TOM FOGLIETTA, CHAKA FATTAH, or BOB BORSKI's district, or whether they be over in the district of the gentleman from New Jersey, ROB ANDREWS, or the district of the gentleman from Delaware, MIKE CASTLE, or in our suburban districts around Philadelphia.

JIM is adored because the gentleman from Kentucky, years ago, and I will not say how long ago, was my boyhood idol when I was a Phillies fan growing up in the suburbs. I have told him that many times. But JIM BUNNING, years ago, represented the same ideals that Cal Ripken stands for today.

Mr. Speaker, while we acknowledge JIM BUNNING's leadership as a professional baseball player, let us also acknowledge his stature as a human being and as a father and as a husband and a man. As the proud parent of nine children, and who knows how many grandchildren, JIM BUNNING really epitomizes what is right with this country. I am proud to call him not just a colleague, but someone that all of us can look up to in this country as a true role model for America.

Congratulations, JIM. The people of Philadelphia are real proud to call you their own.

Mr. BOEHLERT. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. HYDE. I yield to the gentleman from New York.

Mr. BOEHLERT. I thank my colleague for yielding to me.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to tell my colleagues, as the Congressperson who was privileged to represent Cooperstown, NY, I would like to welcome the gentleman from Kentucky, JIM

BUNNING, to my constituency. I would like to point out to my colleagues that his election came from his peers, people like Ted Williams and Stan Musial and Yogi Berra and Pee Wee Reese and Bill White. The greats of baseball recognized another great.

For those of you who have dreams of coming to Cooperstown, NY, I would like to welcome you all to come up to that magnificent community to see the induction of the gentleman from Kentucky, JIM BUNNING, this year.

Mr. FOGLIETTA. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. HYDE. I yield to the gentleman from Pennsylvania for a brief comment.

Mr. FOGLIETTA. I thank the gentleman for yielding to me.

Mr. Speaker, not only is this an honor for Pennsylvania and for the city of Philadelphia, but the fact is that the gentleman from Kentucky, JIM BUNNING, achieved his greatness in the First Congressional District of Pennsylvania, in Philadelphia, that I now represent. JIM, it is a good, solid Democratic district.

The heritage in south Philadelphia was from Joe DiMaggio, and most of the kids in south Philadelphia were Yankee rooters, so we were thrilled when JIM finally came to Philadelphia with the Phillies, rather than with the A's, so he would not have to pitch against the Yankees anymore. But when he came to Philadelphia, all Philadelphia became fans of JIM BUNNING's.

Only last week in the article, letters to the editor, young people were writing praising the exploits of JIM BUNNING, and urging those who were going to vote to elect him to the Baseball Hall of Fame. I am so happy that they did. We admire you, JIM. You are a great, great, great Philadelphian.

Mr. HYDE. Mr. Speaker, I wonder if I might yield to the gentleman from Kentucky [Mr. BUNNING] for a few comments.

Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky. Mr. Speaker, I want to thank the gentleman from Illinois [Mr. HYDE].

Mr. Speaker, it is hard to speak after 25 years. I have been retired from baseball for 25 years. None of the numbers that were on the back of my card have changed in that time. They are all the same numbers that I retired with, so it has been a long waiting process. Thank God it happened while I was still on my feet. Sometimes it happens posthumously, and I really deeply appreciate the veterans committee. As the gentleman from Illinois, HENRY HYDE, said, "Those are some of your peers that voted you in."

Particularly I talked with Yogi Berra, who was on the committee, and I talked with Pee Wee Reese, who was on the committee. I talked to Bill White, one of my teammates from Philadelphia, after the vote was taken today. So it is deeply appreciated. I would be remiss if I did not mention Alan Lewis, who happened to be a writer, a beat writer in Philadelphia, when