

purpose, (6) it imposes no restrictions on international legal maritime and serial navigation rights and freedoms, and (7) it does not affect the international legal rights of parties to grant or deny others transit privileges, including port calls and overflights;

Whereas the United States has signed and ratified the protocols to the Treaty for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America (the Treaty of Tlatelolco), establishing a nuclear-weapon-free zone in Latin America, whereby the United States committed itself not to test, manufacture, acquire, or store nuclear weapons in its territories in the region (namely Puerto Rico and the United States Virgin Islands), not to contribute to any violation of the treaty, and not to threaten to use nuclear weapons against the parties;

Whereas the United States is also a party to the Antarctic Treaty, the Seabed Arms Control Treaty, the Treaty on Principles Governing the Activities of States in the Exploration and Use of Outer Space, Including the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies, which preclude nuclear weapons from these regions;

Whereas support for these nuclear-weapon-free zones does not prejudice United States policy with respect to other proposed nuclear-weapon-free zones, each of which must be judged on its individual merits in accordance with United States national interests;

Whereas in order to maintain the security of United States military forces and their ability to contribute to nuclear deterrence, the United States must preserve the principle of neither confirming nor denying whether particular United States naval vessels or other military forces possess nuclear weapons;

Whereas the protocols to the Treaty of Rarotonga do not conflict with the United States policy of neither confirming nor denying the presence of nuclear weapons on United States vessels or aircraft and do not prohibit any current or anticipated activities in United States territories in the South Pacific or elsewhere in the region; and

Whereas past administrations have stated that while the United States could not, under circumstances prior to the cessation of the Cold War, sign the protocols to the Treaty of Rarotonga, United States practices and activities in the South Pacific Nuclear Free Zone region, then and now, are consistent with the treaty and its protocols: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That (a) it is the sense of the Congress that—

(1) the Treaty of Rarotonga is consistent with United States security commitments in the South Pacific since it does not prohibit port calls by naval vessels which are nuclear powered or may be carrying nuclear weapons and does not create other impediments to United States military operations in support of the Security Treaty between Australia, New Zealand and the United States (ANZUS Treaty);

(2) the Treaty of Rarotonga satisfies the 7 criteria, set forth in the preamble of this resolution, which have been established by the United States Government for judging the effectiveness of proposed nuclear-weapon-free zones;

(3) signature and ratification of the protocols to that treaty would be in the national interest of the United States by contributing to a comprehensive United States non-proliferation policy that would enhance prospects for extending the Nuclear Non-proliferation Treaty in 1995, particularly if such a policy were to include negotiations on a comprehensive nuclear test ban agreement; and

(4) signature and ratification of the protocols would not prejudice United States policy

with respect to proposals for nuclear-weapon-free zones in other regions, such as those in which the presence of an effective nuclear deterrent has contributed to United States national security by enhancing stability.

(b) Noting that the executive branch has indicated that United States practices and activities in the region are consistent with the Treaty of Rarotonga and its protocols, it is therefore the sense of the Congress that the United States should sign and ratify the protocols to that treaty.

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ENSURING STABILITY IN THE PACIFIC

(By Eni F.H. Faleomavaega)

In the afterglow of the recently concluded Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation meetings and the North American Free Trade Agreement, a new era of increased trade and economic growth is dawning. But the vision of Pacific prosperity is impossible to realize unless a foundation of peace and stability can be ensured. For half a century, the United States has provided this crucial element of security in the Asia-Pacific region, directly aiding the dynamic growth of Asia's economies. The US should build on this legacy by supporting the security arrangements necessary for economic prosperity.

Nuclear proliferation is a major threat to Pacific and US security, as exemplified by the crisis over North Korea. The Clinton administration has urged the indefinite renewal of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty and negotiation of a Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty. To bolster US nonproliferation policy, the president also should build support for nuclear-weapon-free zones and join the existing nuclear-free zone in the South Pacific.

Eleven Pacific island nations are members of the Rarotonga Treaty, establishing the South Pacific Nuclear-Free Zone (SPNFZ), which bans the testing, stationing, or use of nuclear weapons in the zone. The treaty, a symbol for the peoples of the South Pacific, expresses their repudiation over nuclear weapons and the possibility of a nuclear holocaust in the region. With France and the US having detonated more than 100 nuclear bombs in the South Pacific, the nations there have gained a firsthand appreciation of the hazards of nuclear weapons.

Since the treaty took effect, the island nations have eagerly sought US support for a nuclear-weapon-free South Pacific. By refusing to sign the treaty, the US is increasingly perceived as indifferent to the aspirations and concerns of its South Pacific allies—many of whom fought at our side during World War I, World War II, the Korean War, and the Vietnam War, and supported America in the cold war. Ironically, Russia and China have signed the treaty.

The treaty would advance US nonproliferation objectives without undermining US security policy in the South Pacific, as past administrations have conceded when testifying before Congress. It was carefully drafted to accommodate US interests, including our policy to neither confirm nor deny the presence of nuclear weapons on US warships or aircraft; and it protects free transit through the zone by US vessels and planes carrying nuclear weapons.

The US already supports nuclear-weapon-free zones around the world, and has signed treaties prohibiting nuclear weapons in Latin America, the Antarctic, the ocean floor, and outer space. Furthermore, the US supports creating nuclear-weapon-free zones in South Asia, the Middle East, and Africa. With the end of the cold war, justification for much of America's reluctance to join the SPNFZ has evaporated. The Soviet nuclear

threat in the Pacific no longer exists. Instead, the US and Russia are committed to keep reductions in their nuclear arsenals, the US has removed tactical nuclear weapons from its surface fleet, and all nuclear-weapon states except China are observing a nuclear-testing moratorium.

If the US is serious about promoting non-proliferation and free trade, then it should make use of nuclear-weapon-free zones that enhance the security that makes economic prosperity possible. Signing the Rarotonga Treaty would be an important step toward realizing the promise of a secure and prosperous "New Pacific Community."

PROTECT OUR AMERICAN TROOPS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the Speaker's announced policy of May 12, 1995, the gentleman from California [Mr. DORNAN] is recognized for 60 minutes.

Mr. DORNAN. Let me adjust my gig line here for this prestigious well of the world's greatest legislature, straighten my First Armored Division pin, still thinking about bringing the men and women home from Bosnia, where European men and women should be doing the miserable ground duty while we do everything else, like air power, sea power, all the airlift, 99 percent of it, 99 percent of the ships at sea, most of the hospital supplies, the food, the fuel, most of the munitions, and of course 100 percent of the intelligence from our satellite architecture down to unmanned aerial vehicles like the fantastic predator program.

□ 1600

Why do American men and women have to be on the ground missing Easter with their families as they missed Christmas? So I guess we can free up European young people to work on the assembly line at places like Ferrari and Fiat, Jaguar, Rover, Rolls Royce, and the big-five in Germany, Mercedes, Audi, BMW, Volkswagen, and who am I forgetting? Porsche. We do not want to take people from those assembly lines, shipping products over here.

Let us just bankrupt the American people and pour our money into Haiti. The money we sent to Rwanda, they are back killing one another. Somalia, the fighting goes on without the BBC or the CNN cameras. And in Bosnia, 19 young people have died, two of them Americans, one from an accident, one a hero, Sergeant Donald Dugan of—his initials are D-A-D, dad. He left four sons behind. Donald A. Dugan. First Sergeant of the First Squadron of the First Battalion of the First Cavalry of the First Brigade of the First Armored Division, and he was an A troop to boot and was one of the first Bradleys. A picture of him in the turret crossing the Sava River right after Christmas.

Mr. Speaker, his last words—I learned this in Bosnia about a few weeks ago. His last words were to some children. He did not know whether they were Muslim heritage children, who are really Serbians who adopted the Islamic faith so that the Turkish

Ottoman empire would not confiscate their property. He did not know if they were Serbs of the Muslim faith or Serbs of the Orthodox Christian faith, or Croatian children of the Roman Catholic faith. He did not know what they were. He just knew they were children. His nickname was MacGyver, after the television series hero Richard Dean Anderson who played the swashbuckling expert with munitions, that was his proud name in the First Division, MacGyver. And Don Dugan, his last words to these children, he motioned them back, and he said mine, probably his own ethnic universal word for mine, mine. He says mine, boom, boom, boom, and then indicates get back. And the next boom was a real one tearing part of his face off.

And he had told his friends, they told me over there because I did not like the way the Clinton administration was putting a spin on this, that he had done something wrong so do not blame Bill Clinton. He had told his friends, our job here is to make this battlefield safe for children. We are going to get rid of these mines.

Now, that is not what he was sent there for, and he did not die in vain if all the other young men and women there take Donald Dugan's heroic death to heart and stay on the roads and stay out of the mine fields. He had marked this mine earlier, cut a trip wire from the mine set waist high in a tree to a barricade. There were cattle in this field. Kids are out. He cut that, marked the mine with a white flag. But then this thought kept coming back to his MacGyver nature, and he went back to the mine while his friend was around behind a building answering nature's call. And when his friends came back around, there was Don in the prenatal position bent over. The mine he tried to disarm, almost instantly killed by the blast.

Now, why in the name of heaven other than campaigning was Miss Hillary and their beautiful teenage daughter, Chelsea, what were they doing in a dangerous combat theater, graciously received by our troops, of course, as the President was graciously received and the men telling me, is he not here just to get reelected? Are these photo ops for him? Well, she was there. It is election year.

And we have not seen the end of Air Force One at tremendous expense to the American taxpayers, all the administration does this is a bipartisan, shameful way. I think that during the election year, there should be a hired campaign plane, as BOB DOLE, the majority leader, does, not use a congressional airplane. He uses a fully paid for campaign airplane. And when Mr. Clinton is going out on a fully paid campaign trip, it should be a hired, safe, four-engine, two-engine 757, 767, paid for by the millions of dollars flowing into the Clinton coffers by Republican businessmen saying, just in case you win, do not hurt us too much with your socialist liberal beliefs.

It is outrageous that all he pays, Clinton, is a first-class air ticket, and his purely campaign staff pays a first class air ticket, like 750 bucks from here to California. But all the rest of the people on this 747, and he has five others, six 747's at the disposal of the President.

Mr. Speaker, I told Mr. Bush when we flew from Chicago to here that it was excessive. He agreed. I said you ought to dump these 747's. You should have one or two E-4's, command and control birds, and one 747 for international trips only kept at Andrews and for domestic flying. You should have a Presidential 747, 757, not going to buy a French Airbus, and you should use Lear jets. Not Lear jets, the Gulfstream. And President Bush said, well, that is my favorite airplane. I like to fly on the C-20 Gulfstream because then I do not have the press on the airplane with me all over my back. Let them charter their own DC-10 as they do as backup, but selected press at a first-class air ticket paid for by the networks that are all money machines. They make so much money, they all get on the airplane in favored status.

I remember when I went at the 50th anniversary in Omaha Beach and the Normandy D-day landings and first we went down to Anzio to the Anzio cemetery. BOB DOLE spoke there the next day because that is where a lot of his friends were buried. And here at the airport at Naples were to 747's nose to nose, that beautiful Air Force One paint job on both, filled with prepubescent staffers who never served in the military, ditch the ceremony at the Anzio cemetery and went into Naples.

Then the same thing up in France. Half of the 700 people that went with the Presidential group to Normandy, half of them went into Paris and never made it to the 50th anniversary of D-day. Another one of those photo opportunities using our fine young men and women in uniform. And they say now that the Clinton campaign plan is to surround him with uniforms, school children in uniform, police, law enforcement people in uniform, and to use our U.S. military forces to get him around people in uniform and then maybe the triple draft dodging issue will never come up. Not as long as I am alive, have my health and have this well and various other media outlets around the country.

Now, Mr. Speaker, a friend of mine, Owen Frisbee, passed me in the hall and said, did you hear Paul Harvey in the last few days? He said, here is something that he said on his radio show recently that I think is worth a House resolution, a Senate resolution, a joint resolution to let the whole country know this before all the 50th anniversaries of the end of World War II are gone.

This is the year of the anniversary of Winston Churchill's great speech at a small college in Missouri named after Westminster, England, Westminster

College. It was there on my dad's birthday in March 1946, 50 years ago this month, that Churchill created that memorable sentence. He said the Communists have drawn a line from Stetyn in the Baltic down to Trieste on the Adriatic, an Iron Curtain has fallen. And fall it did. And more people died under the heel of Stalin before, during and after World War II times multiple factors than died under the tyranny of Hitler's vicious demonic 12-year Reich. Fifty-five million died because of the warlords in Japan, Mussolini's facism, Hitler's Nazism, but there were a lot of Americans naive enough to believe that Uncle Joe Stalin was not the fourth tyrant, creating the bloodiest century in all of civilization's history.

Here is what Paul Harvey said, for perspective. Hitler's Nazis must not be forgotten for their slaughter of some 6 million Jews. Six million other people, including Protestant ministers like Dietrich Bonnhover or Catholic priests like St. Maximilian Colby. I was there at the Vatican when he was elevated to sainthood, standing next to the man he saved in Auschwitz. Said to the German guards he spoke 10 languages, in German. Let me go, this man is married and has 10 children. His children were there with him. His wife was still alive. The man is still alive.

They said to Colby, the Nazi Gestapo guard was so taken aback, or SS guard, he said: Fine, you die in his place. And they put him in a cell. I went to that room. There is a beautiful bas relief, marble relief on the wall. There were some votive lights burning, a few aging flowers. The very bunker cell where they locked up Maximilian Colby, Father Colby and 10 others, and they allowed them to just starve over 10 days to 2 weeks. There were so skinny, it did not take the usual 3 weeks of you starving. And they came in and Father Colby was the last one still alive. And they injected him with air into his veins and he expired, dying in Christ's footsteps that he would give his life, John 15:13, so that another man may live.

While I am holding Mother Teresa's hand, I looked at this man. What day was that? October 10, 1982. Priest, priests, ministers, not just 6 million Jews were killed, 6 million other nonJews. But the Jewish slaughter has this ring of the Holocaust because they were targeted for death only because of what God had made them, people of Hebrew heritage. Unbelievable.

So I digress. Let me come back to Paul Harvey and start at the top. For perspective: Hitler's Nazis must not be forgotten for their slaughter of some 6 million Jews. For perspective, let history not forget that Russia's Communists, since the Bolshevik revolution of 1917, have killed over 100 million people, 6 million European Jews slaughtered by Hitler, men, women, and tiny little babies, children, 100 million, including women and children and little babies slaughtered by Russia's Communists.

So an effort is underway in Washington, DC, a memorial honoring Communism's victims and a reminder of another evil which free people must ever oppose, still oppose. Today in Russian, today in Vietnam, as I testified this morning, not to put another nickel into the U.S. embassy in Hanoi. Not another dime into our diplomatic mission there until the Communists in Hanoi account for our missing in action.

They can solve hundreds of cases out of the 2,140, hundreds of cases, 3,400 at a minimum this very day. They could solve these cases and bring instant relief to these heroes' families who are heroes themselves, the missing in action families, Communist Cuba. You notice the Communist Cubans out of Hanoi withdrew their protest at the United Nations that those three American aircraft were in Cuban waters. Not. They were in international waters. We proved it with hard copy from radar images and they withdrew their complaint, which means that Fidel Castro, through his officer corps of Communist officers, sell-outs, Judases every one. He ordered American aircraft, licensed in America, built in America, flown by Americans of Cuban birth and heritage, ordered them murdered.

That is the style of Castro, first degree murderer. And that is what Paul Harvey is saying to the largest radio audience on the planet Earth, a reminder of another evil, Communism, which people must ever oppose. In Point du Hoc, North Korea and that part of the Korean peninsula that they still crush with human rights violations, the sad little islands of Cuba, those 11 million people who bathe in sunlight and no freedom. And an emerging Communist Party crawling out from under the bloody rocks of most of this century of death trying to rebuild itself in Russia, and in a few other countries in that area. And the Communism of Vietnam and the Communism of the world's largest nation.

The United States will soon pass 266 million people. China has 266 million plus a billion. Five times the size of the United States. Go to a store at Disneyland or Disney World. Pick up the expensive china. Made in China, where china comes from. Pick up the tiniest little refrigerator magnet, made in China.

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Pick up a pencil curled in Mickey Mouse's ears, China, China, China, the most expensive toys, the cheapest toys, the stuffed animals, the expensive sweaters, shirts. China, China, China, where women work at slave labor wages exactly like the worst scandals in Dickens's England or the turn of this century and child labor as bad as any of the worst periods of this century or during the industrial revolution in Europe. Excellent, excellent commentary, Mr. Harvey.

Then not to be commenting upon tragic world-sweeping issues, Paul Har-

vey delivers the following short essay that is worthy of repeating in the well of the U.S. House of Representatives. Paul Harvey, again, the new protection racket, I want to mimic that inimitable great style of his that has become an institution, he says, Mr. Harvey, fear-mongering is unforgivable, whether by pessimistic politicians or unscrupulous booksellers or by scientists. Anybody who tries to come between you and your money by scaring you is a con man.

The winter of 1996, unprecedented blizzards marched across our Nation. Vast areas disappeared under a blanket of white, and airports became refugee centers and firefighters had to locate fire hydrants with metal detectors. It was so cold in Minnesota, somebody used a frozen banana to pound a spike into 5/8ths plywood thickness, yet undoubtedly, some scientists were insisting that our planet is threatened with global warming.

If Mr. Harvey will allow me, the inimitable Jay Leno, closet conservative, opened his show in New York one night in the middle of the blizzard, saying, by the way, an announcement New York's global warming conference is canceled until further notice. Big laugh, of course, from the audience. Mr. Harvey continues, anybody involved with government grants or private foundation money is constantly besieged by the fear-mongers. They have learned that if they can frighten us enough we will pay whatever it costs for protection.

Mr. Patrick Michaels is an exception, Virginia State climatologist, Mr. Patrick Michaels has researched global climate for many years. He expects that there will never be an agreement among scientists on anthropogenic climate change. He notes a 1990 report about global warming in which scientists were utterly unable to agree on why our Earth had warmed one half a degree Celsius over the past 100 years. Quote, they still cannot agree, unquote.

I hope my classmate, AL GORE, who served in this House for 8 years, I hope he is listening tonight. Vice Presidents sometimes have afternoons to kill, and maybe out of sheer nostalgia he tunes in the House floor or the Senate that he went off to 1984.

Satellite records, Mr. Harvey continues, are our present best way to measure the Earth's temperature. They, in use since 1979, show that our world has in fact been cooling further. The Arctic, which, by the way, I sailed under the North Pole with the aforementioned AL GORE when he was a lowly Senator just the two of us, on codel DORNAN, went up there. I put him in the cockpit of a B-1 at Grand Forks, ND. He had never seen one. He was described on Meet the press as an expert in strategic areas. I took him down into a missile ICBM silo. This was in 1989. He had never seen an ICBM armed, armed, cocked, fired ready to go at some target on the other side of the Iron Curtain, and that I mentioned

Churchill's description of what was behind the Evil Empire, and AL and I learned a lot on that Arctic trip.

So further, the Arctic, where scientists say most warming should be happening, has seen no warming whatsoever in the past 50 years. The polar ice caps are not, not is underlined for Harvey's emphasis, not melting.

Now, the disciples of global warming, unquote, to perpetuate their profitable false alarm, are trying to contend that this year's record cold and snow are actually the result of global warming. Now, how are they going to explain this? They say their computers show global warming causes blizzards and extreme cold. Well, Harvey says, any computer geek, expert or novice, knows that computers are programmed by people. They do what humans direct them to do, and because scientists are feeding their own measurements into the computers their predictions are no more accurate than their own fuzzy logic.

The science of global climate change is complex. We are still learning how parts of our atmosphere interact. Yet all human experience suggests that there would be fewer major snowstorms in a greenhouse world. Somewhere up the road ahead other scholars may decide that planet Earth is cooling instead, but presently they have far too much invested in global warming theories to let go. Fear begets money, money to fund hundreds of millions of dollars' worth of research work being done by universities, by environmental organizations, and Government Agencies with U.S. hard-working taxpayers' dollars. Their jobs depend on keeping you scared.

Al Capone's enforcers used fear to force shopkeepers to buy insurance. Should you, the taxpayer, refuse to pay, they might smash your knees with a baseball bat. Today, you pay protection money in research grants, organization dues, or taxes. You are threatened with an impending apocalypse.

Perhaps the most negative of the new protection rackets is the degree to which eventual public disillusion may discourage investment in more legitimate research. Excellent. Thank you, Mr. Frisbee, for giving me what I missed on Harvey's broadcast.

Ladies and gentlemen, if you saw Meet the Press last Sunday, you were stunned, as I was, the two main guests were our colleague here, JOHN KASICH of Ohio and Pat Buchanan. But at the end of it Tim Russert, who mercifully escaped the acid tongue of Don Imus, at the most peculiar banquet, roast or dinner ever held inside the Beltway. Somebody taped it for me. I can hardly wait to see it given some of the blood-thirsty descriptions of what New York City's longest-running talk show host did to everybody in both parties from the White House down to Tim Russert. He said Tim Russert's job, somebody told me when he worked for a Senator, it was to hide the booze bottle. House rules and good taste prevent me from

repeating the name of my Senate friend in the other party, and they said his job for the former Governor of New York was to hide the bodies. He left no dignity, I guess, with Bill Clinton and NEWT GINGRICH sitting on one side. Imus, I understand, absolutely dumped a load of concrete all over the dais and the various Senators and media people in the audience. I understand he lectured one of the people on 60 Minutes that he was a newsman and not a pirate, so stop wearing an earring. I understand they laughed at that. But other than that they were pretty frozen by that point in the program. Anyway, he dumped on Russert more gently than others, I think. I think Tim Russert is probably one of the better hosts on Meet the Press that they have ever had. He is fair and a loyal Catholic, pro-life. I am a little prejudiced in his favor. At the end Mr. Russert says through an unidentified man, do we believe American values in some sense need reforming? He cuts to a very young Jerry Brown with a full head of dark hair, not the shaved head we see today in the prison denim shirt that is Jerry Brown's new image.

During the campaign for the Presidency, 4 years ago, it was white turtle-necks and a 900-number. Now it is a shaved head and a prison shirt, a bright guy, Jesuit-trained, just like yours truly. I must give you the date first: October 5, 1975, 20 years and 5 months ago. He says, I think American values need reassertion in terms of their fundamental roots. I think there has been an overemphasis on the ability of material comfort, on the ability of our economic machinery to provide human happiness. Sounds more like Pope John Paul or Billy Graham than the youngest Governor ever to serve in our biggest State, which had become the biggest State during the prior Governor, Ronald Reagan. Let us see, Jerry Brown was 36 when he got elected; he was in office 1 year. So he is 37 years old, he says, and I would not call it a reform in the sense it is something new, but it is a returning to a traditional view of human nature, that looks to fundamental principles, to right and wrong, to ethics, to morality, to a sense that human nature is constant. It, human nature, is weak. This is the reflection of our Jesuits in that period teaching us about original sin. It needs a type of government that recognizes that mankind is really brought down by its own instincts, and we ought to recognize that. Jerry Brown closes, "We are not going to create a new man or a new person in this country, and every civilization that has gone to a sensate, sensual culture has fallen." And I think that is a real possibility here, and to that extent I would like to see, here comes the rough Jerry Brown message, an austere, leaner commitment on the part of the people of this country. Yes, end of videotape. And Mr. Tim Russert, just a few days ago, comments, economic insecurity, fundamental values, sound famil-

iar? The same issues raised two decades ago, and we hear them today. We will be right back.

Now, I am coming to the end of what I described in this well on February 7, 1995, the 40th anniversary of my getting that ring and my wings of silver in the Air Force 41 years ago. Now on February 7, 1995, I declared for the Republican nomination for President in this well. That is almost 14 months ago. That is a special date for me, February 7, because a quarter of a century ago, 26 years now, on the 15th anniversary of my getting my pilot wings, I pointed to this Montagnard, proper name, ethnic name is Hmong, Hmong people of the mountain people, the French called them, Montagnard is the French name, there long before the Vietnamese, the Lao, or the Yeo or any ethnic Chinese were there. I pointed to this bracelet on the very first Robert K. Dornan Show. I was 37 years of age, 36 years of age. I had just won two Emmys for a local show. My reward was 90 minutes live on Saturday night in the second biggest market on the planet, Los Angeles, and environs. I pointed to this bracelet and said I will wear this, to the first guest on my first show. I stayed on the air for 6 years straight, combining both shows. I said I will wear this for your heroes, for your missing-in-action, heroes, one Marine, three Air Force. They never did get back. They are heroes, those 4 wives and friends of mine who had just come back from a 5-week trip around the world, locked up in Moscow in an old hotel with no heat, 4 of us, including myself, became sick out of the 5. Bill Clinton was in Moscow that very week, January 1970, at a banquet called the Mir Banquet, same name of the Russian space satellite that is up in the sky right now, Mir means peace, a peace banquet. The guest of honor was a Senator who lasted 12 years, Eugene McCarthy, otherwise a loyal Catholic, there he is in the Evil Empire in the heart of it, in Moscow, in the shadow of the Kremlin, literally across the street from the Kremlin in the National Hotel.

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Twenty-three year old Bill Clinton ditching class at Oxford, where he never went to school, never earned his degree, just demonstrated against his country in a foreign land. He is in town. Ross Perot is in Copenhagen with a plane full of medicine for our POW's, which he had just flown in from Vientiane, Laos, home of the Montagnard people. He was told he could fly into Moscow if he would go into Copenhagen. Moscow keeps him on the ground, never does let him in.

I am under arrest with four wives, Pat Hardy, Pat Burns, Carol Hanson, now Carol Hanson Hickerson, and Connie Hessel, an African-American lady whose Colonel husband was head of academics at our gunnery school. Said he did not have to go. Did not have to go. Said it was his duty to go.

Never heard from again. Direct hit from a SAM on his F-4 Phantom.

I am with these wives, locked in a hotel. Clinton is in town being wined and dined as one of the sympathetic students who had organized the fall offensive named by the Communists for sympathetic demonstrations in Finland, Stockholm, Oslo, Norway, Paris, Clinton ran the ones in London, New York, here in the District of Columbia, Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Chicago. All around the world, a huge pro-Communist outpouring of love and affection for the Communist killers in Hanoi who meant to conquer, and eventually did, the freedom loving people in South Vietnam. What a week.

And I come home from that trip a month later, and God rewards me with the Robert K. Dornan Show, which led to me in the district that was the prime aerospace district in the country, represented then by the wealthiest man in the House, tough district, that show obviously gave me the name recognition to come to Congress 20 years ago.

So that date, February 7, the debut of the Robert K. Dornan Show, was special. So, of course, when it fell on a House day, in session, the 25th anniversary bracelet, 40th for my Air Force wings, I said "Today is the day I come to the well."

I do not live in the green room at "Meet the Press" like certain Senators. I did not have a nickel in the bank at that time. But I said, I think my words were, I am going to launch a mission that will be one of the great adventure of my life. And I am still a declared candidate. Buchanan, Jesuit educated Catholic, Keyes, the same, loyal Catholic, and DORNAN. And the winner, a hero of mine, BOB DOLE, always said he would win from day one. That is why I never raised much money. But I am still in.

It has been that great adventure I expected. I came in, announcing February 7, 1995, and then the formal announcement on Jefferson's birthday, April 13, at the Law Enforcement Memorial up here in Judiciary Square, to begin a trip up the east coast so that on Easter Sunday at the church where I was baptized, St. Patrick's Cathedral, 7th biggest church on Earth, where my parents were married in 1929, I would renew my wedding vows, because it was my 40th anniversary, on my wife's birthday. I married her on her 21st birthday.

It was quite a day, ruined a little bit by Connie Chung and a weird show called "TV Nation," pretending they were the BBC, lying in my face, tracking us all day with cameras in our face, out to the Statue of Liberty, ruining a day with 9 grandchildren, now 10. And we went up to New Hampshire, went to the birthplace of the Republican Party, nine grandkids running all over, Sally and I in the glow of our 40th anniversary and Sally's birthday. It began the formal part of the campaign.

I announced at Jefferson's Memorial that I had a message for my country. It

was very similar to Jerry Brown's message that man does not live by bread alone, we had a moral crisis in the White House, and that we had a moral crisis in our country. That we were heading toward financial bankruptcy, and that is what we have been debating here all day long and passed by voice vote, both sides are so exhausted and the White House is a little unsure of their polling numbers and their focus groups, by voice vote a few minutes ago, we continue the Government for another 2 or 3 weeks with a continuing resolution.

We still have half the Government unfunded by last year's authorization bill, and we are already into markup. I am the chairman of two subcommittees here, only two of us chair two subcommittees, because the two intelligence subcommittees do not count. That is the dark secret world. But I am the military personnel chairman, and I have had my hearings all jammed together and rushed in 6 weeks, and now I have to write, "markup" we call it, for next year's defense authorization.

Clinton signed this year's defense authorization on February 10. He took out three of the things that I worked on here for the last 20 years. He took out national missile defense, SDI is what Reagan called it, strategic defense initiative. Clinton took it out.

We are told by careful polling that 80 percent of the people who visit this Chamber, 80 percent of intelligent, educated, Americans across this country, do not know that if some radical state, a communist state like Cuba or Korea, or a terrorist state like Iraq or Iran, launched one, uno, O-N-E, one nuclear missile, we could track it from the time the heat appeared on the launch pad through its accelerating trajectory, its mid-course, and its final trajectory, to wiping out a total American city, a medium-sized city like Raleigh, Sacramento or Anaheim, or an entire megalopolis, like New York, this whole Beltway and all the surrounding suburbs and areas in Maryland and Virginia, or all of the whole Los Angeles area, with fallout killing people, depending on the winds, in Santa Barbara or San Diego. One missile, We can track it from launch to impact. And the death of more Americans than every earthquake, fire, down to a single home fire, every hurricane, every flood, every natural disaster, for the entire last 15,000 years, since Asia man came down the Alberta Channel between the glaciers and populated this whole hemisphere from the Bering Straits to Patagonia in Argentina. More deaths in one instant of a flash of radioactivity than every natural disaster in the history of this hemisphere, all put together, times 3 or 4. And we cannot stop that missile.

And Clinton and his Secretary of Defense, Dr. Perry, say it is too soon to defend ourselves. It is not ready yet. Let the next President do it after my second term.

Then he takes out the biggest applause standing-ovation trigger for any

one of the 11 Republicans, when Wilson was hanging on and Forbes came in, they sort of replaced one another, we had 10 then, when we had 10 candidates, what I wrote for the Contract With America with JOHN DOOLITTLE of California, what was passed on this floor, what I helped put into the authorization bill, what Clinton vetoed, what we fought through two long arduous conference committees, and he finally demanded be taken out, was no U.S. troops under foreign command. When Governor Lamar Alexander said it, former governor, or Buchanan or Keyes, or Senate Leader BOB DOLE or me, it was an instant standing ovation from the crowd. No U.S. troops under U.N. or any foreign command.

Senator DOLE put it in on the other side, on the north end of this building. I put it in here. I used to sit there and somebody would whisper to me they are all taking credit for it, but you wrote it. I used to tell people, you know what Ronald Reagan had on his desk, a little sign that said if you do not care who gets credited, there is no end to what you can accomplish. But Clinton took that out, takes out defending our Nation.

By the way, we fought to get in theater missile defense. Now, what does that mean? That means that we are building a system to protect our men, now that we are putting women in combat, our women, in the field. And we also are going to protect our allies in the field as we send Patriot missiles to shoot down Scuds. You do not need to be told who is the good guys when the defense system is called Patriot and the evil system is called Scuds. But we gave that to Israel. We will protect, and Israel is working on a system we hope will work, called Arrow, a theater missile system, TMD, theater missile defense. He signed that. No, he is no fan of it, but he signed it. But he took out homeland defense.

So we defend allied foreign troops in the field, and we should, and our own troops, that is a moral obligation, but we do not defend their wives and their children or if it is a fighting mom, we do not defend Mr. Mom, who is taking care of the kids back home. Or their parents, or their grandparents, or everybody else's family. That is naked to attack. That comes out. And then we put people under foreign command. He says that is his prerogative and constitutionally it is not.

Then the third one he takes out, just as unseemly as the others, is Bosnia, Haiti, and Somalia, where 19 better men than he ever dreamed of being, died, two of them winning the Medal of Honor posthumously, dying to save Michael Durant, giving two lives for his one life. Another man was captured alive and beaten to death, their bodies torn apart, horrible story.

Clinton thinks he can do that without this House weighing in or the Senate. Clinton believes in his mind he can send us to Tibet tomorrow, and we have no role. He thinks he can send the

82d Airborne to bail out Tibet and recapture the big temple there and send the Dalai Lama home.

Now, it sounds absurd. He is not going to do it. He probably never thought about it. But constitutionally, he thinks he can send the 101st Airmobile, a former paratrooper unit, back to Rwanda. He has not sent them there, but he thinks he can send them there again. He thinks he can go back to Somalia in an election year if he feels like it, to get rid of that 19-man death and the 104 others wounded in his adventure there when Bush said we are through, we are finished, we fed 3,050,000, we are out of there. Operation Hope is closed down. And Clinton said let us help the U.N., let us avenge the 29 Pakistanis who were disemboweled. Let us go back and arrest Aideded.

Two weeks after our heroes were killed. They would not dare ask Army men to defend him. Aideded was ordered to be defended by U.S. Marines, but put on an armed C-12 Beachcraft and sent down to a seminar in Addis Ababa, the man whose people just murdered and cut the bodies apart of 19 of our heroes, the helicopter crew with the five dragged through television, desecrated before our eyes. The worst, mercifully not shown on American or some European channels, showed the full horror of it.

What is it that he thinks he can do this, because of one line in the Constitution? One line in this small Constitution of ours that says no, that the President's job is the commander-in-chief, period. That means when we declare war, when we decide what foreign operation will be undertaken, a smart war hero Senator actually said, Jefferson set the precedent. He sent a naval force and Marines over to the Barbary Coast. The Marines still sing about going to the shores of Tripoli. The truth is 180 degrees the opposite. Get educated, U.S. Senate.

Our Congress ordered our second President, John Adams, our third President, the aforementioned Thomas Jefferson, and the following father of our Constitution, 5-foot dynamite James Madison, we ordered them from this Chamber and the U.S. Senate 10 times with public law, go get the Barbary pirates. Jefferson is recorded, you can find it in his own handwriting in the archives or our Library of Congress, where he says as President, No. 3, as President, I cannot order our military to do anything but defend these 13 colonies if attacked, unless the Congress orders me to do something else. And now I came across a story refreshing my memory that the dean of Washington reporters, I believe it was Sarah McClendon, said to President Lyndon Baines Johnson, you do not have the constitutional right to have 400 young men die every week in Vietnam. The Tonkin Gulf thing was a resolution. It is 6 years old. You cannot continue this. That was 1964, he was out by 1968. She said it is 3 years old.

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You cannot continue this. He says, I have got the constitutional power. And that is what Clinton thinks. So he takes No. 3 out of the bill that he says that we infringed upon his constitutional power to demand that the U.S. Congress, under its constitutional authority, article I, section 8, says, we shall raise armies, build navies, and maintain them. Do you know that I am the chairman of the military personnel committee, Mr. Speaker? I know you know this. And Senator DAN COATES of Indiana, replaced Dan Quayle, is the military personnel chairman over there. Do you know we have the authority to change the color of the military uniforms, override the Joint Chiefs? We decide how much they will be paid, what their housing will be like, how big the units will be, how many ships will sail, whether we are going to buy the F-22, whether we are going to make more F-15's, 14's, 16's, 18's, what we are going to do with the Harrier, the AV-8B, the vertical take-off aircraft we are rebuilding, 10 to 20 of them, for night radar capability, an amazing system that after three decades walks away with every air show. We decide what kind of basic allowance for quarters. I just raised it 5.2 percent, got the Senate to go along with it and it is law now.

I put into the last bill that people who have the AIDS virus, are infected with the AIDS virus, and will probably die, not before 10 years, we hope, that is what we have extended it to if they live a clean life, exercise, and eat nutritious food, there are 1,049 in the military. They are not deployable. The three surgeons general said they must be brought home from Bosnia or Haiti or other misadventures. They can never be assigned to Korea, to Japan, to Europe. They cannot be a marine guard in an Embassy in any of the 191 nations in the world, 185 in the United Nations, including us, 7 others, 192 nations, including us, our status of treaty says that not a single nation in the world, 191, including the 6 not in the United Nations, that is like Taiwan, Switzerland, Tonga, Nauru, no nation wants an HIV-infected American citizen in uniform in their countries. And they will never go in combat again.

If a person tests HIV positive in Bosnia, he is brought home. He is grounded from his helicopter or his aircraft; he will never fly again. All of the technical schools, the training, it is all flushed. It is gone. Then we put out of the military, or do not recruit someone out of high school new, and give him the job of somebody we have let go who did not get infected with the HIV virus. It is an unbelievable story.

I passed it in the House, in subcommittee, committee. They would not debate it on the floor. Nobody would try to challenge me. They thought they would do it in the other Chamber. It got through two hard-fought conferences. And when Clinton vetoed the bill, he griped about na-

tional defense, stopping him from these adventures like Somalia, Bosnia, and Haiti, and United States troops under foreign command. He said that is his constitutional right. It is not. Even somebody as smart and as excellent a leader as BOB DOLE slipped and said, I know it is his constitutional right to send the troops to Bosnia. It is not. He said, but I do not think they should go. We should arm the Moslems. But even he did not understand fully the history of this. So when Clinton finally signed the defense authorization with 10 things in it that I had worked on, no more abortions in military hospitals. I won that battle. The staff did not even want me to do it. Do not, it is too contentious. We will lose on the floor. We won on the floor, 7 times. We won. The Senate tried to take it out. We beat them in conference twice. And Clinton with his own pen, I wish he would send me that pen, undid one of his five culture-of-death Executive orders. He had to undo it because of this Congressman from southern California. One down, four to go of the culture of death. They did not gripe about that one.

But guess what? Clinton says, you took out defending the homeland, the heartland of America or its big cities. I get to put people under U.N. foreign command. I get to send people to Bosnia, Somalia, Tibet, or any cockamamie place I darn well feel like, but I feel bad about this HIV thing. This is mean-spirited, bigoted. Goes on and on and then says, you people out there who want to sue this, sue the Government, sue the military, do it. My Justice Department, Janet Reno, will not counter it. You can sue with impunity. Meanwhile, homosexuals in the military, Janet Reno's Justice Department people are supporting the military policy, as screwed up and contradictory as it is, thanks to Les Aspin. Lord rest his soul and this confused President on this moral, cultural issue.

He is not going to, he is going to support the military orders there in this dumb mixed up policy on homosexuals in the military, but go ahead and sue on HIV.

So guess what, 3 hours ago, the conference of Senators and House Committee on Appropriations members still cannot decide whether they are going to try without a hearing, try without a hearing, without a bill, without an amendment on the Senate side, without any voting over there, they are going to try and strip out the Dornan language and keep HIV-AIDS-infected people on active duty who are jerked out of all their jobs that have anything to do with combat, even combat support, and who cannot go anywhere in the world, not even Hawaii or Alaska, let alone possessions like Puerto Rico, Guam, Samoa, the Virgin Islands, stay in the American States.

The figures here, most are in California and Virginia, two States with the highest land values and the highest tourist budgets. Unbelievable that he would make an issue out of that, Feb-

ruary 10. But that is the constitutional power of Congress under article I, section 8, to decide the total parameters of the size, pay and composition, and equipment of our military.

Clinton thinks they are his toys to be used for photo ops. I will make a charge on the floor right now, Mr. Speaker, that I have been studying for months. The entire intelligence process at the highest levels in Haiti has been politically debauched and compromised. The Aristide government, this man that the Vice President, Mr. Clinton tried to lionize, Aristide, this defrocked cleric, this man who publicly, I have heard it on tape, bragged about how the smell of burning flesh was exciting, telling people to put tires around people's necks and burn them alive with those tires, this defrocked cleric Aristide ordered through his Interior Ministry the death, the assassination of competitors in the recent Presidential election down there.

We found out about these assassination threats. And through a political destruction, and I cannot go any further than this, because of certain responsibilities I have here, because in the politicizing of our intelligence, people died. There are still reports bottled up on Somalia and Bosnia, 17 men dead, NATO Allies, 15, 2 of them our people, dozens injured, land mine accidents, bobby trap bombs in the buildings in Sarajevo, which I drove through a few weeks ago, thinking about my trip there in 1991 on the eve of the dissolution of the Communist cobbled together 8 provinces of the former Yugoslavia. I could hardly recognize this beautiful city of Sarajevo, the Olympic city of the same year that we had the Olympics in my Los Angeles, the Winter Olympics of 1984. Went by the beautiful stadium where Scott won the gold medal, I forget his last name. Now he is a narrator for skating events. That whole stadium collapsed, became a graveyard, the Olympic areas and fields mass graves, unbelievable what they did to themselves there. But 3 years before we used the air power, which I supported, to stop this sniping of women and children, killing mothers in front of their sons or vice versa.

I told George Bush, put a helicopter raid on those concentration camps. Look at this cover of Newsweek, Mr. President. What is this, Auschwitz all over again? What about the ringing words from the Holocaust, "never again." Put about 20 Blackhawks in there. Give them 20 Apaches or Cobra gunships to give them cover. Shoot up the gun towers. They will all run for the tall grass when they see 20 Apaches coming over the nape of the land and put all those prisoners whether they are Moslem-, Bosnian-, or mostly Serbian-held prisoners, put them in helicopters and take them to Strasbourg, France, dump them on the steps of the European Parliament. Not dump them, with great dignity and respect, after we fed them and clothed them, "present" them is the word I want for the European Parliament. And tell

them, you vowed never again, these are European human beings. What are you doing? Good idea, BOB, good plan. Cannot get involved. Not our deal.

I said, what are you going to do, wait for the Europeans until the death toll is so bad that we will have to get involved. Then Clinton fritters away 3 years. Now we are in there when there are so many blood debts built up over the last 4 years and they are still killing one another, still burning homes in the suburbs, that I drove through, of Sarajevo. Unbelievable that we are involved also on the ground to relieve what I said when I opened up, European young men and women to work in their industries, to build Airbus aircraft at Air France in Toulouse, France so they can sell them to our big airlines here.

Let me close, Mr. Speaker, on a few notes on the greatest health tragedy to ever hit the United States of America.

Mr. Speaker, nobody has made as many speeches on the floor of the House or on the floor of the Senate about AIDS as I have. Not Mr. Danne-meyer, who is retired, 4 years ago, not Mr. WAXMAN, when he was chairman of the Health Committee and Subcommittee of Commerce, no one has made as many speeches as I have.

My speeches have been rooted in mercy and compassion, and I have voted for every AIDS money appropriation in my last 10 years that I have been here because this is young people dying in their prime, where cancer and cardiac problems hit people generally at the later end of their life. Here are the new figures that I got out of the Atlanta Centers for Disease Control.

Mr. Speaker, you are an historian. You know that depending on your encyclopedia, 295,000 people died in combat in World War II or 312,000 is the high number. AIDS deaths, as of New Year's Eve, 315,928. We have 513,486 infected with AIDS and over 1 million positive with the human immunodeficiency virus, 1 million infected, half a million with AIDS and 62.3 percent dead. Let me add to that, children, almost 4,000, 3,921, for a cumulative total of 319,849.

You can add to that Dr. Koop, the former surgeon general, told me 30 to 40,000 who died in 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, where the doctors, mercifully to protect the family, only put down the proximate cause of death, heart, lungs, pneumonia, cancer, and did not say it was caused by a breakdown in their immune system.

So the figure is closer to 350,000, 50,000 more than died in the jungles, the deserts, the Arctic, the sea, the air, all over this planet in World War II, Americans. Now we are heading toward the Civil War figure. We have already passed Civil War combat deaths, but pneumonia, disease, and Andersonville, the Auschwitz of its time, we lost 618,000, another half a decade and we will pass the Civil War death toll. Never has a disease ever cut down so many young Americans, and it has always been handled as a public relations

problem, never as a pandemic, that is a worldwide epidemic, a pandemic killing plague, because people's reputations are more important than saving those innocent victims, those 4,000 children.

My heart goes out to the 1,049 people in our military. I am going to find out who is an innocent victim. I will prevail over Mr. Clinton again. During this break I am going to become a walking encyclopedia with visits to Walter Reed, Bethesda, and maybe to San Antonio's Wilford Hall, Air Force. I will not be beaten on this by Senator KENNEDY who does not have a clue of what this is all about.

FURTHER MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A further message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed without amendment bills of the House of the following titles:

H.J. Res. 170. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1996, and for other purposes; and

H. Con. Res. 157. Concurrent resolution providing for an adjournment or recess of the two Houses.

The message also announced that pursuant to Public Law 103-432, upon the recommendation of the majority leader, Jo Anne B. Barnhart of Virginia, Martin H. Gerry of Kansas, Gerald H. Miller of Michigan; and upon the recommendation of the minority leader, Paul E. Barton of New Jersey are named to the Advisory Board on Welfare Indicators.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. UNDERWOOD (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT), for today, on account of official business.

Mr. GOODLING (at the request of Mr. ARMEY), for today until 1 p.m., on account of attending a funeral.

SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. GOODLATTE) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. BUYER, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. CUBIN, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. NORWOOD, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MICA, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BEREUTER, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. WISE) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. SCHROEDER, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MOAKLEY, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Member (at his own request) to revise and extend his remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. TRAFICANT, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Member (at his own request) to revise and extend his remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, for 5 minutes, today.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled a bill and a joint resolution of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 3136. An act to provide for enactment of the Senior Citizen's Right to Work Act of 1996, the Line Item Veto Act, And the Small Business Growth and Fairness Act of 1996, and to provide for a permanent increase in the public debt limit; and

H.J. Res. 170. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1996, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. DORNAN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. (Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland). Pursuant to the provisions of House Concurrent Resolution 157 of the 104th Congress, the House stands adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Monday, April 15, 1996, for morning hour debates.

Thereupon (at 5 p.m.), pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 157, the House adjourned until Monday, April 15, 1996, at 12:30 p.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XXIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

2316. A letter from the Director, Test, Systems Engineering and Evaluations, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter notifying Congress of the intent to obligate funds for fiscal year 1996 Foreign Comparative Testing [FCT] Program, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2350a(g); to the Committee on National Security.

2317. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs and Public Liaison, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a copy of the 11th monthly report as required by the Mexican Debt Disclosure Act, pursuant to Public Law 104-6, section 404(a) (109 Stat. 90); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

2318. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Navy's proposed lease of defense articles to Turkey (Transmittal No. 16-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.