

been voted down here on the Senate floor, or the bills to accomplish these ends have been bottled up in committee.

In the end, there is little Pentagon streamlining, little elimination of waste provided for in this bill. Instead, when faced with difficult choices between competing weapons systems, basic housing improvements for our troops, and other readiness requirements, the committee decided simply to appropriate funds to buy all of the big weapons systems, ships, and planes that \$10.1 billion could buy, larding the bill with special interest funding for defense contractors, and accelerating purchases not scheduled to be made for many years, if at all.

I believe this bill in its current form spends vastly more on defense than we can afford. The Joint Chiefs and the President agree with me. At a time when we are asked to spend billions less on education, health care, our children and our elderly, I urge my colleagues to vote against these huge and unwarranted increases in defense spending. If it passes, as I'm sure it will, I hope the President will veto it, and then require Congress to come to the negotiating table to more fairly distribute the burden of deficit reduction, eliminating defense pork while preserving our national security.

#### CENTENNIAL OLYMPIC GAMES

Mr. CAMPBELL. Mr. President. I take this opportunity to join my colleagues in recognizing the 1996 Centennial Olympic games to be held in Atlanta beginning Friday, July 19, and running through August 4.

The modern Olympics have seen a century of athletes from countries around the world coming together in the original spirit of the games—"international understanding and peace through sports." In 1896, Athens hosted the first modern Olympics, with 13 nations sending 311 athletes. The opening event was the triple jump, which was won by an American, James B. Connolly, after he arrived in Greece only 12 hours before the start. This young athlete led America to win the first title at an Olympic games in more than 1,500 years, when the ancient Greeks last awarded Olympic medals in 393 A.D.

The 1996 Olympic games is expected to be the largest and most widely attended in history. With 197 delegations being represented by almost 11,000 athletes, this games is 40 percent larger than the 1992 Olympics in competitors alone. Over 1,900 medals will be awarded during 271 events in 26 different sports. It is estimated that the between 1991 and 1997 the build-up to the games and the event itself will pump over \$5 billion into the economy.

The Olympics hold a special place in my heart, as I was fortunate enough to represent our country in the 1964 games as captain of the U.S. judo team, a sport offered for the first time that

year. Although I suffered injuries throughout the course of the games, it was an honor to carry the U.S. flag during the games' closing ceremonies. I am thrilled to know that my teammate from the 1964 games and fellow Coloradan, Al Oerter, will be carrying the Olympic flame into the stadium during the opening ceremonies in Atlanta. Al is the only American ever to win gold medals in four consecutive Olympics in the discus. He competing in 1956, 1960, 1964, and 1968.

There is no question that making a serious commitment to a sport at a young age gave my life purpose, channeled my energies, and taught me self-discipline. I was lucky to have had great coaches and mentors to nurture my love of judo and help me achieve my Olympic goals. For all of the athletes who strive to heights worthy of Olympic stature, I commend you. I urge all of you to represent our country with dignity and respect, and the sportsmanship that has brought you to Atlanta.

In particular, I would like to name for the RECORD the athletes representing Colorado. These are a varied group, with unique talents and skills. I join with all Coloradans in saying how proud we are of you.

Mark Coogan, Boulder, marathon; Anthony Washington, Aurora, discus; Rich Weiss, Steamboat Springs, slalom men's kayak; Susan DeMattei, Gunnison, mountain bike; Alison Dunlap, Colorado Springs, women's road race; Juli Furtado, Durango, mountain biking; Jeanne Golay, Glenwood Springs, women's road race.

Ned Overend, Durango, mountain biking; Elaine Cheris, Denver, women's fencing; Rebecca Snyder, Grand Junction, women's air pistol; Eric Uptagraff, Lake Wood, prone rifle; Amy Van Dyken, Highlands Ranch, 50m, 100m free, 100m fly, 400m relay in swimming; Laura Coenen, Peyton, team handball; and Mujaahid Maynard, Denver Greco-Roman wrestling.

I would also like to offer my sincere congratulations to Mr. Todd Riech of Montana. Todd is the only Native American representing the United States in the 1996 games. After overcoming potentially career-threatening injuries, he won his qualifying event for the javelin. Todd is setting an example of perseverance and commitment for all young Native Americans to follow. He is already a winner.

I wish all the best of these and the other athletes representing us at these centennial summer games.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

At 9:38 am., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mr. Hayes, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House insists upon its amendment to the bill (S. 1316) to reauthorize and amend title XIV of the Public Health Service Act, commonly known as the "Safe Drinking Water Act", and for other purposes, and asks

a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon; and appoints the following Members as the managers of the conference on the part of the House:

*Resolved*, That the House insist upon its amendment to the bill (S. 1316) entitled "An Act to authorize and amend title XIV of the Public Health Service Act (commonly known as the "Safe Drinking Water Act"), and for other purposes," and ask a conference with the Senate on the disagreement votes of the two Houses thereon.

*Ordered*, That the following Members be the managers of the conference on the part of the House:

From the Committee on Commerce, for consideration of the Senate bill (except for sections 28(a) and 28(e)) and the House amendment (except for title V), and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Bliley, Mr. Bilirakis, Mr. Crapo, Mr. Bilbray, Mr. Dingell, Mr. Waxman, and Mr. Stupak.

From the Committee on Commerce, for consideration of sections 28(a) and 28(e) of the Senate bill, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Bliley, Mr. Bilirakis, and Mr. Dingell.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Science, for consideration of that portion of section 3 that adds a new section 1478 and sections 23, 25(f), and 28(f) of the Senate bill, and that portion of section 308 that adds a new section 1452(n) and section 402 and title VI of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Walker, Mr. Rohrabacher, and Mr. Roemer.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for the consideration of that portion of section 3 that adds a new section 1471(c) and sections 9, 17, 22(d), 25(a), 25(g), 28(a), 28(e), 28(h), and 28(i) of the Senate bill, and title V of the House amendment and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Shuster, Mr. Boehlert, Mr. Wamp, Mr. Borski, and Mr. Menendez. *Provided*, That Mr. Blute is appointed in lieu of Mr. Wamp for consideration of title V of the House amendment.

At 11:18 am., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mr. Hays, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 3161. An act to authorize the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (most-favored-nation treatment to the products of Romania.

H.R. 3166. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to the crime of false statement in a Government matter.

H.R. 3756. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to the crime of false statement in a Government matter.

The message also announced that the House disagrees to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 3230) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1997 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 1997, and for other purposes, and agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon; and appoints the following Members as the managers of the conference on the part of the House:

From the Committee on National Security, for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Spence, Mr. Stump, Mr. Hunter, Mr. Kasich, Mr. Bate-man, Mr. Hansen, Mr. Weldon of Pennsylvania, Mr. Hefley, Mr. Saxton, Mr.

Cunningham, Mr. Buyer, Mr. Torkildsen, Mrs. Fowler, Mr. McHugh, Mr. Talent, Mr. Watts of Oklahoma, Mr. Hostettler, Mr. Chambliss, Mr. Hilleary, Mr. Hastings of Washington, Mr. Dellums, Mr. Montgomery, Mrs. Schroeder, Mr. Skelton, Mr. Sisisky, Mr. Spratt, Mr. Ortiz, Mr. Pickett, Mr. Evans, Mr. Tanner, Mr. Browder, Mr. Taylor of Mississippi, Mr. Tejada, Mr. McHale, Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island, and Ms. DeLauro.

As additional conferees from the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, for consideration of matters within the jurisdiction of that committee under clause 2 of rule XLVIII: Mr. Combest, Mr. Lewis of California, and Mr. Dicks.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, for consideration of sections 1085 and 1089 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Castle, Mr. Bachus, and Mr. Gonzalez.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Commerce, for consideration of sections 601, 741, 742, 2863, 3154, and 3402 of the House bill, and sections 345-347, 561, 562, 601, 724, 1080, 2827, 3175, and 3181-3191 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Bliley, Mr. Bilirakis, and Mr. Dingell: *Provided*, That Mr. Richardson is appointed in lieu of Mr. Dingell and Mr. Schaefer is appointed in lieu of Mr. Bilirakis for consideration of sections 3181-3191 of the Senate amendment: *Provided further*, That Mr. Oxley is appointed in lieu of Mr. Bilirakis for the consideration of section 3154 of the House bill, and sections 345-347 and 3175 of the Senate amendment: *Provided further*, That Mr. Schaefer is appointed in lieu of Mr. Bilirakis for the consideration of sections 2863 and 3402 of the House bill, and section 2827 of the Senate amendment.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, for consideration of sections 572, 1086, and 1122 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Goodling, Mr. McKeon, and Mr. Clay.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, for consideration of sections 332-336, 362, 366, 807, 821-825, 1047, 3523-3539, 3542, and 3548 of the House bill, and sections 636, 809(b), 921, 924-925, 1081, 1082, 1101, 1102, 1104, 1105, 1109-1134, 1401-1434, and 2826 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Clinger, Mr. Mica, and Mrs. Collins of Illinois: *Provided*, That Mr. Horn is appointed in lieu of Mr. Mica for consideration of sections 362, 366, 807, and 821-825 of the House bill, and sections 809(b), 1081, 1401-1434, and 2826 of the Senate amendment: *Provided further*, That Mr. Zeff is appointed in lieu of Mr. Mica for consideration of section 1082 of the Senate amendment.

As additional conferees from the Committee on International Relations, for consideration of sections 223-234, 237, 1041, 1043, 1052, 1101-1105, 1301, 1501-1553 of the House bill, sections 234, 1005, 1021, 1031, 1041-1043, 1045, 1323, 1332-1335, 1337, 1341-1344, and 1352-1354 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Gilman, Mr. Bereuter, and Mr. Hamilton.

As additional conferees from the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of sections 537, 543, 1066, 1080, 1088, 1201-1216, and 1313 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Hyde, Mr. McCollum, and Mr. Conyers: *Provided*, That Mr. Moorhead is appointed in lieu of Mr. McCollum for consideration of sections 537 and 1080 of the Senate amendment: *Provided further*, That Mr. Smith of Texas is appointed in lieu of Mr. McCollum for consideration of sections 1066 and 1201-1216 of the Senate amendment.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Resources, for consideration of sec-

tions 247, 601, 2821, 1401-1414, 2901-2913, and 2921-2931 of the House bill, and sections 251-252, 351, 601, 1074, 2821, 2836, and 2837 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Hansen, Mr. Saxton, and Mr. Miller of California.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Science, for consideration of sections 203, 211, 245, and 247 of the House bill, and sections 211 and 251-252 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Walker, Mr. Sensenbrenner, and Ms. Harman.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for consideration of sections 324, 327, 501, and 601 of the House bill, and sections 345-348, 536, 601, 641, 1004, 1009-1010, 1311, 1314, and 3162 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Shuster, Mr. Coble, and Mr. Barcia.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, for consideration of sections 556, 638, and 2821 of the House bill, and sections 538 and 2828 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Stump, Mr. Smith of New Jersey, and Mr. Montgomery.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of sections 905, 1041(c)(2), 1550(a)(2), and 3313 of the House bill, and sections 1045(c)(2), 1214, and 1323 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Crane, Mr. Thomas, and Mr. Gibbons.

#### ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

At 5:52 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Goetz, one of its reading clerks, announced that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled bills:

H.R. 743. An act to amend the National Labor Relations Act to allow labor management cooperative efforts that improve economic competitiveness in the United States to continue to thrive, and for other purposes.

S. 966. An act for the relief of Nathan C. Vance, and for other purposes.

S. 1899. An act entitled the "Mollie Beattie Alaska Wilderness Area Act".

The enrolled bills were signed subsequently by the President pro tempore [Mr. THURMOND].

At 6:01 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Goetz, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House agrees to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 743) to amend the National Labor Relations Act to allow labor management cooperative efforts that improve economic competitiveness in the United States to continue to thrive, and for other purposes.

At 8:35 a.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mr. Hays, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 3734. An act to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section (a)(1) of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1997.

The message also announced that pursuant to provisions of section 491 of the Higher Education Act, as amended by section 407 of Public Law 99-498, the Speaker appoints the following as

members from private life on the part of the House to the Advisory Committee on Student Financial Assistance: Mr. Thomas E. Dillion of California, and Mr. William A. Irwin of Pennsylvania.

The message further announced that pursuant to clause 6 of rule 10, the Speaker announces the following modification to the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 3230) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1997 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, and for other purposes:

Delete section 724 of the Senate amendment from the panel appointed from the Committee on Commerce.

The panel from the Committee on Commerce, consisting of Mr. BLILEY, Mr. OXLEY, and Mr. DINGELL, is also appointed for the consideration of section 3174 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference.

The panel from the Committee on Science is also appointed for the consideration of section 1044 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference.

#### MEASURES REFERRED

The following bills were read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred as indicated:

H.R. 3166. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to the crime of false statement in a Government matter; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H.R. 3756. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to the crime of false statement in a Government matter, to the Committee on Appropriations.

#### EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-3426. A communication from the Administrator, Food and Consumer Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Removal of the 'Cheese Alternate Products' specifications from the National School Lunch Program," (RIN0584-AC04) received on July 16, 1996; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-3427. A communication from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Karnal Bunt," received on July 16, 1996; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-3428. A communication from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to