

site, and funds to acquire additional historic property that was threatened by inappropriate development at the Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania National Battlefield Parks, and adjacent to the Colonial National Parkway.

In addition to the founding of Jamestown, and the defeat of Cornwallis at Yorktown, another major historic event occurred in the waters just off the Virginia Peninsula, the battle of the Monitor and Merrimac, or as the confederates called it, the Virginia. This one-day battle changed the course of Naval warfare forever. Unfortunately, the Monitor was lost soon afterward off the coast of North Carolina. The Monitor was located in 1972, and became the first United States National Marine Sanctuary. The Sanctuary headquarters is located at the Mariners' Museum only a few blocks from Herb and Laura's Newport News home. At Herb's request, Congress required the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) to prepare a report on the long-term conservation of the MONITOR. As a result of that study, a multi-year project is underway to stabilize the wreck, and recover, conserve, and display historically significant portions of the vessel. I am sure Herb will be pleased to know that these important historic artifacts will be protected and displayed so near his home.

Also near his home is the Monitor-Merrimac Memorial Bridge Tunnel. He helped secure the funds and permits for this important transportation project as well as the widening of the Coleman Bridge and I-95 improvements in the rapidly growing northern part of the district.

In addition to its military, historic and scientific research facilities, Herb's district includes important natural features. He represented most of Virginia adjacent to the Chesapeake Bay, including much of the James, York, Rappahannock and Potomac Rivers. His district also includes the last significant chain of underdeveloped barrier islands which run along the Atlantic Coast from Chincoteague to Cape Charles. These islands lie off the Eastern Shore of Virginia, a rural area of great natural beauty that Herb was particularly proud to serve. In addition to supporting funding for the federal Chesapeake Bay Program, he also authored legislation that was adopted by Congress to create the Eastern Shore of Virginia National Wildlife Refuge, supported the creation of the Rappahannock National Wildlife Refuge, and successfully sought funds to expand the Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge. This year, Congress is expected to approve funds he sought to begin construction of a new education and administrative center on Chincoteague, one of the most frequently visited refuges in the country. Herb also authored legislation to ban the use of highly toxic tributyltin paints in shallow waters. That ban has now been in effect for over a decade.

Herb was educated and worked in the historic areas he was so proud to represent. After attending Newport News High School, he, like Thomas Jefferson, graduated from the College of William and Mary. While in the Air Force, he completed a law degree at Georgetown University Law School at night. After leaving the Service, he joined the Newport News, Virginia, law firm of Jones, Blechman, Woltz and Kelly. He retired from the firm as a partner when he was elected to Congress. After coming to Congress, he received an honorary doctorate from his alma mater in 1997. He also received an honorary degree from Christopher

Newport College in 1992 and Mary Washington College in 1999.

This is not a comprehensive list of Herb's work and achievements during his time in Congress, but it shows you how his life and work were intertwined with the parts of tide-water Virginia that he so ably represented for 18 years. I know his constituents will miss him, and it saddens me to think that he will not be able to enjoy the retirement that he planned to begin in January. My sympathy goes out to Laura, his children Bert and Laura, Bert's wife Mary, and Herb's beloved grandchildren, Emmy, Hank and Sam.

Mr. SHUSTER. Mr. Speaker, Herb Bateman was more than an outstanding Congressman. He was an outstanding American and a fine gentleman. We contributed mightily to his District, his state and the nation. He served together on the Transportation and Infrastructure committee where his wise advice was sought and followed. We travelled together on several Delegation trips around the world, and he and his wife, Laura, were a delight to be with.

America is less bright today because of the passing of my friend and colleague, Herb Bateman. But America is better today because of his life. May he rest in peace.

Mr. JENKINS. Mr. Speaker, it is with great sadness and a heavy heart that I come to the floor to pay tribute to our colleague, Congressman Herb Bateman of Virginia.

Herb was a great gentleman and an excellent Congressman. Herb spent much of his life dedicated to the career of public service, serving his country in the United States Air Force during the Korean War, representing the people of Virginia in the Virginia State Senate for 15 years, and representing the First Congressional District of Virginia in the United States Congress for 18 years.

Herb was a man of honor and integrity who was respected by colleagues on both sides of the aisle. He fought for the principles of the people he represented, and he never wavered in those efforts. I am honored to have had the opportunity to work with Herb Bateman over the past four years. He was a good friend and a great Congressman. The United States House of Representatives was a better place with the service of Herb Bateman. I know that I share the entire sentiment of the Congress in offering the condolences of the Congress to Herb's family and friends. He will be sorely missed by all of us.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. BLILEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks and to include extraneous material on House Resolution 573.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SHAW). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Virginia?

There was no objection.

Mr. BLILEY. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time, and I move the previous question on the resolution.

The previous question was ordered.

The resolution was agreed to.

A motion to recommit was laid on the table.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule

XX, the Chair will now put the question on each motion to suspend the rules on which further proceedings were postponed in the order in which that motion was entertained.

Votes will be taken in the following order:

H.R. 2090, by the yeas and nays;
H.R. 4957, by the yeas and nays;
H.R. 3632, by the yeas and nays;
H.R. 4583, by the yeas and nays; and
S. 1374, by the yeas and nays.

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

EXPLORATION OF THE SEAS ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 2090, 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 New Jersey (Mr. SAXTON) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2090, as amended, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 390, nays 8, not voting 35, as follows:

[Roll No. 460]
YEAS—390

Abercrombie	Cardin	Everett
Aderholt	Carson	Ewing
Allen	Castle	Farr
Andrews	Chambliss	Fattah
Archer	Clayton	Fletcher
Armey	Clement	Foley
Baca	Clyburn	Forbes
Bachus	Coble	Ford
Baird	Coburn	Fossella
Baker	Collins	Fowler
Baldacci	Combest	Frank (MA)
Baldwin	Condit	Frelighuyzen
Ballenger	Cook	Frost
Barcia	Cooksey	Gallegly
Barrett (NE)	Costello	Ganske
Barrett (WI)	Cox	Gejdenson
Bartlett	Coyne	Gekas
Barton	Cramer	Gephardt
Bass	Crane	Gibbons
Bentsen	Cubin	Gilchrest
Bereuter	Cummings	Gillmor
Berkley	Cunningham	Gilman
Berman	Danner	Gonzalez
Berry	Davis (FL)	Goode
Biggert	Davis (IL)	Goodlatte
Bilbrey	Davis (VA)	Goodling
Bilirakis	Deal	Gordon
Bishop	Defazio	Goss
Blagojevich	DeGette	Graham
Bliley	Delahunt	Granger
Blumenauer	DeLauro	Green (TX)
Blunt	DeLay	Green (WI)
Boehner	DeMint	Greenwood
Bonior	Deutsch	Gutierrez
Bono	Diaz-Balart	Gutknecht
Boswell	Dickey	Hall (OH)
Boucher	Dicks	Hall (TX)
Boyd	Dingell	Hansen
Brady (PA)	Dixon	Hastings (FL)
Brady (TX)	Doggett	Hastings (WA)
Brown (FL)	Dooley	Hayes
Brown (OH)	Doolittle	Hayworth
Bryant	Doyle	Hefley
Burr	Dreier	Herger
Burton	Duncan	Hill (IN)
Buyer	Dunn	Hill (MT)
Callahan	Edwards	Hilleary
Calvert	Ehlers	Hilliard
Camp	Ehrlich	Hinchey
Canady	Emerson	Hinojosa
Cannon	English	Hobson
Capps	Etheridge	Hoefel
Capuano	Evans	Hoekstra

Holden	Menendez	Sawyer
Holt	Metcalf	Saxton
Hooley	Mica	Scarborough
Horn	Millender-	Schakowsky
Houghton	McDonald	Scott
Hoyer	Miller (FL)	Sessions
Hulshof	Miller, Gary	Shadegg
Hunter	Miller, George	Shaw
Hutchinson	Minge	Shays
Hyde	Mink	Sherman
Inslee	Moakley	Sherwood
Isakson	Mollohan	Shimkus
Istook	Moore	Shows
Jackson (IL)	Moran (KS)	Shuster
Jackson-Lee	Moran (VA)	Simpson
(TX)	Morella	Sisisky
Jefferson	Murtha	Skeen
Jenkins	Myrick	Skelton
John	Nadler	Slaughter
Johnson (CT)	Napolitano	Smith (MI)
Johnson, Sam	Neal	Smith (NJ)
Jones (NC)	Nethercutt	Smith (TX)
Jones (OH)	Ney	Smith (WA)
Kanjorski	Northup	Snyder
Kaptur	Norwood	Spence
Kasich	Nussle	Spratt
Kelly	Oberstar	Stabenow
Kennedy	Obey	Stark
Kildee	Olver	Stearns
Kilpatrick	Ortiz	Stenholm
Kind (WI)	Ose	Strickland
King (NY)	Oxley	Stump
Kingston	Packard	Stupak
Klecka	Pallone	Sununu
Knollenberg	Pascrall	Talent
Kolbe	Pastor	Tancredo
Kucinich	Payne	Tanner
Kuykendall	Pease	Tauscher
LaFalce	Pelosi	Tauzin
LaHood	Peterson (MN)	Taylor (MS)
Lampson	Peterson (PA)	Taylor (NC)
Lantos	Petri	Terry
Largent	Phelps	Thomas
Larson	Pickering	Thompson (CA)
Latham	Pickett	Thompson (MS)
LaTourette	Pitts	Thornberry
Leach	Pombo	Thune
Lee	Pomeroy	Thurman
Levin	Porter	Tiahrt
Lewis (CA)	Portman	Tierney
Lewis (GA)	Price (NC)	Toomey
Lewis (KY)	Pryce (OH)	Traficant
Linder	Quinn	Turner
Lipinski	Radanovich	Udall (NM)
LoBiondo	Rahall	Upton
Lowey	Ramstad	Viscosky
Lucas (KY)	Rangel	Vitter
Lucas (OK)	Regula	Walden
Luther	Reyes	Walsh
Maloney (NY)	Reynolds	Wamp
Manzullo	Riley	Waters
Markey	Rivers	Watt (NC)
Martinez	Rodriguez	Watts (OK)
Mascara	Roemer	Waxman
Matsui	Rogan	Weldon (FL)
McCarthy (MO)	Rogers	Weldon (PA)
McCarthy (NY)	Rohrabacher	Weller
McCrary	Ros-Lehtinen	Wexler
McDermott	Roukema	Whitfield
McGovern	Royal-Allard	Wicker
McHugh	Rush	Wilson
McInnis	Ryan (WI)	Wolf
McIntyre	Ryun (KS)	Woolsey
McKeon	Sabo	Wu
McKinney	Salmon	Wynn
McNulty	Sanchez	Young (AK)
Meehan	Sanders	Young (FL)
Meeks (FL)	Sandusky	

NAYS-8

Barr Hostettler Sanford
Chabot Paul Sensenbrenner
Chenoweth-Hage Royce

NOT VOTING—35

Ackerman	Franks (NJ)	Serrano
Becerra	Johnson, E.B.	Souder
Boehlert	Klink	Sweeney
Bonilla	Lazio	Towns
Borski	Lofgren	Udall (CO)
Campbell	Maloney (CT)	Velazquez
Clay	McCollum	Vento
Conyers	McIntosh	Watkins
Crowley	Meeks (NY)	Weiner
Engel	Owens	Weygand
Eshoo	Rothman	Wise
Filner	Schaffer	

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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.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER
PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SHAW). Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on the additional motions to suspend the rules on which the Chair has postponed further proceedings.

BLACK REVOLUTIONARY WAR Patriots Memorial

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 4957.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Utah (Mr. HANSEN) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 4957, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 398, nays 0, not voting 35, as follows:

[Roll No. 461]

YEAS—398

Abercrombie	Burr	Deutsch	Kasich	Payne	Thompson
Aderholt	Burton	Diaz-Balart	Kelly	Pease	Thornberry
Allen	Buyer	Dickey	Kennedy	Pelosi	Thune
Andrews	Callahan	Dicks	Kildee	Peterson (MN)	Thurman
Archer	Calvert	Dingell	Kilpatrick	Peterson (PA)	Tiahrt
Armey	Camp	Dixon	Kind (WI)	Petri	Tierney
Baca	Canady	Doggett	King (NY)	Phelps	Toomey
Bachus	Cannon	Dooley	Kingston	Pickering	Traficant
Baird	Capps	Doolittle	Kleczka	Pickett	Turner
Baker	Capuano	Doyle	Knollenberg	Pitts	Udall (NM)
Baldacci	Cardin	Dreier	Colbe	Pombo	Upton
Baldwin	Carson	Duncan	Kucinich	Pomeroy	Viscosky
Ballenger	Castle	Dunn	Kuykendall	Porter	Vitter
Barcia	Chabot	Edwards	LaFalce	Portman	Walden
Barr	Chambliss	Ehlers	LaHood	Price (NC)	Walsh
Barrett (NE)	Clayton	Ehrlich	Lampson	Pryce (OH)	Wamp
Barrett (WI)	Clement	Emerson	Lantos	Quinn	Waters
Bartlett	Clyburn	English	Largent	Radanovich	Watt (NC)
Barton	Coble	Etheridge	Larson	Rahall	Watts (OK)
Bass	Coburn	Evans	Latham	Ramstad	Waxman
Bentsen	Collins	Everett	LaTourette	Rangel	Weldon (FL)
Bereuter	Combest	Ewing	Leach	Regula	Weldon (PA)
Berkley	Condit	Farr	Lee	Reyes	Weller
Berman	Cook	Fattah	Levin	Reynolds	Wexler
Berry	Cooksey	Fletcher	Lewis (CA)	Riley	Whitfield
Biggert	Costello	Foley	Lewis (GA)	Rivers	Wicker
Bilbray	Cox	Forbes	Lewis (KY)	Rodriguez	Wilson
Bilirakis	Coyne	Ford	Linder	Roemer	Wolf
Bishop	Cramer	Fossella	Lipinski	Rogan	Woolsey
Blagojevich	Crane	Fowler	LoBiondo	Rogers	Wu
Bliley	Cubin	Frank (MA)	Lowey	Rohrabacher	Wynn
Blumenauer	Cummings	Frelinghuysen	Lucas (KY)	Ros-Lehtinen	Young (AK)
Blunt	Cunningham	Frost	Lucas (OK)	Rothman	Young (FL)
Boehner	Danner	Gallegly	Luther	Roukema	
Bonior	Davis (FL)	Ganske	Maloney (NY)	Royal-Allard	
Bono	Davis (IL)	Gejdenson			
Boswell	Davis (VA)	Gekas			
Boucher	Deal	Gephart	Ackerman	Clay	Johnson, E.
Boyd	DeFazio	Gibbons	Becerra	Conyers	Klink
Brady (PA)	DeGette	Gilchrest	Boehlert	Crowley	Lazio
Brady (TX)	Delahunt	Gillmor	Bonilla	Engel	Lofgren
Brown (FL)	DeLauro	Gilman	Borski	Eshoo	Maloney (C)
Brown (OH)	DeLay	Gonzalez	Campbell	Filner	McCullom
Bryant	DeMint	Goode	Chenoweth-Hage	Franks (NJ)	McIntosh
NOT VOTING—35					