

other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. BUNNING:

S. 3108. A bill to authorize the conveyance of a portion of the Bluegrass Army Depot, Kentucky, to preserve a historic Civil War battlefield; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. BUNNING:

S. 3109. A bill to authorize the conveyance of a portion of the Bluegrass Army Depot, Richmond, Kentucky, to facilitate construction of a State veterans' center; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. COLLINS:

S. 3110. A bill to require further study before amendment 13 to the Northeast Multispecies (Groundfish) Management Plan is implemented; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. RN35G

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. McCAIN (for himself, Mr. HOLINGS, Mr. BREAUX, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. CLELAND, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. CRAIG, Mrs. CLINTON, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. DODD, Mr. KERRY, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. HATCH, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. HUTCHINSON, and Ms. SNOWE):

S. Res. 338. A resolution designating the month of October, 2002, as "Children's Internet Safety Month"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. MURRAY (for herself and Ms. COLLINS):

S. Res. 339. A resolution designating November 2002, as "National Runaway Prevention Month"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. CLINTON (for herself and Mr. HAGEL):

S. Con. Res. 152. A concurrent resolution designating August 7, 2003, as "National Purple Heart Recognition Day"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 724

At the request of Mr. BOND, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 724, a bill to amend title XXI of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage of pregnancy-related assistance for targeted low-income pregnant women.

S. 987

At the request of Mr. TORRICELLI, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. WELLSTONE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 987, a bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to permit States the option to provide Medicaid coverage for low-income individuals infected with HIV.

S. 2006

At the request of Mr. GRAHAM, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. CHAFEE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2006, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify the eligibility of certain expenses for the low-income housing credit.

S. 2663

At the request of Mr. DORGAN, his name was added as a cosponsor of S.

2663, a bill to permit the designation of Israeli-Turkish qualifying industrial zones.

S. 2672

At the request of Mr. BINGAMAN, the name of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2672, a bill to provide opportunities for collaborative restoration projects on National Forest System and other public domain lands, and for other purposes.

S. 2790

At the request of Ms. CANTWELL, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. CORZINE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2790, a bill to provide lasting protection for inventoried roadless areas within the National Forest System.

S. 2848

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. JEFFORDS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2848, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for a clarification of the definition of homebound for purposes of determining eligibility for home health services under the Medicare program.

S. 2872

At the request of Mr. FITZGERALD, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2872, a bill to reinstate and extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Illinois.

S. 2903

At the request of Mr. JOHNSON, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. SNOWE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2903, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for a guaranteed adequate level of funding for veterans health care.

S. 2968

At the request of Mr. SARBANES, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mrs. HUTCHISON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2968, a bill to amend the American Battlefield Protection Act of 1996 to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to establish a battlefield acquisition grant program.

S. 2972

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. CHAFEE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2972, a bill to amend the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act to provide for a cooperative research and management program, and for other purposes.

S. 3018

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3018, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to enhance beneficiary access to quality health care services under the Medicare program, and for other purposes.

S. 3054

At the request of Mr. LIEBERMAN, the names of the Senator from Iowa (Mr. HARKIN) and the Senator from Lou-

isiana (Ms. LANDRIEU) were added as cosponsors of S. 3054, a bill to provide for full voting representation in Congress for the citizens of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

S. 3057

At the request of Ms. LANDRIEU, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3057, a bill to support the establishment or expansion and operation of programs using a network of public and private community entities to provide mentoring for children in foster care.

S.J. RES. 46

At the request of Mr. THURMOND, his name was added as a cosponsor of S.J. Res. 46, A joint resolution to authorize the use of United States Armed Forces against Iraq.

S.J. RES. 49

At the request of Mr. AKAKA, the name of the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) was added as a cosponsor of S.J. Res. 49, A joint resolution recognizing the contributions of Patsy Takemoto Mink.

S. RES. 307

At the request of Mr. TORRICELLI, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. BIDEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 307, A resolution reaffirming support of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide and anticipating the commemoration of the 15th anniversary of the enactment of the Genocide Convention Implementation Act of 1987 (the Proxmire Act) on November 4, 2003.

S. CON. RES. 3

At the request of Mr. FEINGOLD, the names of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. JEFFORDS) and the Senator from Montana (Mr. BURNS) were added as cosponsors of S. Con. Res. 3, A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued in honor of the U.S.S. *Wisconsin* and all those who served aboard her.

S. CON. RES. 11

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from Utah (Mr. HATCH) was added as a cosponsor of S. Con. Res. 11, A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress to fully use the powers of the Federal Government to enhance the science base required to more fully develop the field of health promotion and disease prevention, and to explore how strategies can be developed to integrate lifestyle improvement programs into national policy, our health care system, schools, workplaces, families and communities.

S. CON. RES. 135

At the request of Mr. NICKLES, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. LUGAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. Con. Res. 135, A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding housing affordability and urging fair and expeditious review by international trade tribunals to ensure

a competitive North American market for softwood lumber.

S. CON. RES. 138

At the request of Mr. REID, the name of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAPO) was added as a cosponsor of S. Con. Res. 138, A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the Secretary of Health And Human Services should conduct or support research on certain tests to screen for ovarian cancer, and Federal health care programs and group and individual health plans should cover the tests if demonstrated to be effective, and for other purposes.

S. CON. RES. 142

At the request of Mr. SMITH of Oregon, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mr. GREGG) was added as a cosponsor of S. Con. Res. 142, A concurrent resolution expressing support for the goals and ideas of a day of tribute to all firefighters who have died in the line of duty and recognizing the important mission of the Fallen Firefighters Foundation in assisting family members to overcome the loss of their fallen heroes.

S. CON. RES. 148

At the request of Mr. BROWNBACK, the names of the Senator from Montana (Mr. BAUCUS), the Senator from Colorado (Mr. ALLARD), the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAIG), and the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. HUTCHINSON) were added as cosponsors of S. Con. Res. 148, A concurrent resolution recognizing the significance of bread in American history, culture, and daily diet.

AMENDMENT NO. 4856

At the request of Mr. THURMOND, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 4856 proposed to S.J. Res. 45, a joint resolution to authorize the use of United States Armed Forces against Iraq.

AMENDMENT NO. 4862

At the request of Mr. CORZINE, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 4862 proposed to S.J. Res. 45, a joint resolution to authorize the use of United States Armed Forces against Iraq.

AMENDMENT NO. 4868

At the request of Mrs. DAYTON, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 4868 proposed to S.J. Res. 45, a joint resolution to authorize the use of United States Armed Forces against Iraq.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. LEVIN:

S. 3089. A bill to authorize the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the products of Ukraine, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. President, today I introduce a bill to grant normal trade treatment to the products of Ukraine. My brother, Congressman SANDER

LEVIN, has introduced an identical bill, H.R. 4723, in the House. It is our hope that enactment of this legislation will help to build stronger economic ties between the United States and Ukraine.

The cold war era Jackson-Vanik immigration restrictions that deny most favored nation trade status to imports from former Soviet-Block countries are outdated and when applied to Ukraine, inappropriate. Those restrictions were established as a tool to pressure Communist nations to allow their people to freely emigrate in exchange for favorable trade treatment by the United States.

Ukraine does allow it citizens the right and opportunity to emigrate. It has met the Jackson-Vanik test. In fact, Ukraine has been found to be in full compliance with the freedom of emigration requirements under the Jackson-Vanik law. Ukraine has been certified as meeting the Jackson-Vanik requirements on an annual basis since 1992 when a bilateral trade agreement went into effect. It is time the United States recognize this reality by eliminating the Jackson-Vanik restrictions and granting Ukraine normal trading status on a permanent basis. Our bill does this as well as addressing traditional Jackson-Vanik issues such as emigration, religious freedom, restoration of property, and human rights. It also deals with the important trade issues that must be considered when granting a country permanent normal trade relations, PNTR, such as making progress toward World Trade Organization, WTO, accession and tariff and excise tax reductions.

Since reestablishing independence in 1991, Ukraine has taken important steps toward the creation of democratic institutions and a free-market economy. As a member state of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, OSCE, Ukraine is committed to developing a system of governance in accordance with the principles regarding human rights and humanitarian affairs that are set forth in the Final Act of the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe, the Helsinki Final Act. I believe that more needs to be done to reform Ukraine's economy and legal structures, but I believe that the hope for PNTR and thus PNTR itself, can encourage these reforms.

Drawing Ukraine into normal trade relations should lead Ukraine to achieve greater market reform and continue its commitment to safeguarding religious liberty and enforcing laws to combat discrimination as well as expand on the restitution of religious and communal properties. Also, PNTR status will hopefully do more than increase bilateral trade between the United States and Ukraine and encourage increased international investment in Ukraine. Hopefully it will also stimulate the reform we all want and Ukraine deserves on their way to achieving a mature nation statehood.

Ukraine is important to U.S. strategic interests and objectives in Central and Eastern Europe and has participated with the United States in its peacekeeping operations in Europe and has provided important cooperation in the global struggle against international terrorism. It's time we recognize Ukraine's accomplishments and status as an emerging democracy and market economy and graduate it from the Jackson-Vanik restrictions.

By Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself and Mr. KOHL):

S. 3090. A bill to provide for the testing of chronic wasting disease and other infectious disease in deer and elk herds, to establish the Interagency Task Force on Epizootic Hemorrhagic Disease, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

Mr. FEINGOLD. Mr. President. I rise today to introduce legislation to address two emergent wildlife diseases in my state, chronic wasting disease, or CWD, and epizootic hemorrhagic disease, or EHD, both of which have been found in Wisconsin's deer. I am pleased to be joined in introducing this legislation today by the Senior Senator from Wisconsin, Mr. KOHL. CWD was detected in wild deer in my state earlier this year, and, unfortunately, has now spread to captive herds. EHD was detected in wild deer in the last week of September. These diseases have become serious and substantial management problems in my home State of Wisconsin.

To address CWD, the State of Wisconsin has decided to eradicate free-ranging white tailed deer within eastern Iowa, western Dane, and southern Sauk counties in an effort to try to eradicate the disease. Wisconsin will sample and test another 50,000 deer statewide. This represents an unprecedented eradication and sampling effort in Wisconsin. Most likely, it is the largest ever undertaken in the United States.

For months, the Wisconsin delegation has been unified, on a bipartisan basis, in seeking Federal assistance from the Administration to combat this problem. We have sought assistance from the United States Department of Agriculture and the Department of the Interior. We have pursued any and every other Federal agency that might be able to provide us with assistance. Some help has been forthcoming, and we are grateful for the help that we have received.

But the help our State has gotten so far to combat CWD isn't near enough. We need to be ready for the deer hunt that begins next month. We need to expand the availability of CWD testing in our State, and we need to expand it now. Wisconsin is undertaking an unprecedented testing program, but USDA has refused to allow Wisconsin to certify private labs to run CWD tests. That is why I have authored this new bill to require USDA to make CWD