

warrant for Mr. Taylor, private letters were hand-delivered to all representatives of a number of key governments in Freetown.

Mr. GREGG. Does the Senator share my view that the United States and other members of the international community should continue to strongly support the Special Court and vigorously pursue Mr. Taylor and other indicted war criminals?

Mr. LEAHY. Yes. In fact, I am going to work with Senator McCONNELL, with the goal of providing \$2 million in the fiscal year 2004 foreign operations bill for additional support to the Court.

Mr. GREGG. I support the efforts of the Senator from Vermont and thank him for discussing this issue with me.

Mr. LEAHY. I thank the Senator from New Hampshire. In closing, I would just add that there have been recent reports of a possible "deal" with Mr. Taylor under which he would go into exile in exchange for immunity from the Court. While I want to see an end to the fighting in West Africa, which has claimed many innocent lives, an immunity deal with Mr. Taylor would be a grave mistake. It will undermine peace and reconciliation efforts in the region. It will let a major war criminal escape justice. It would be unacceptable.

HONORING SERGEANT DUANE RIOS

Mr. BAYH. Mr. President, I rise today with great sadness and tremendous gratitude to honor the life of yet another brave Hoosier killed in action in Iraq. Sgt. Duane Rios of Griffith, IN was 25 years old. On Saturday, April 5, 2003, while serving as an engineer with the 1st Marine Expeditionary Force, Duane was mortally wounded. Duane had reached Eastern Baghdad, where he was killed in a firefight. Sgt. Rios was a brave American who left behind family, friends and the comforts of home to defend the principles of democracy and freedom that we all enjoy.

Duane Rios is the fourth Hoosier to be killed while bravely serving our Nation in Operation Iraqi Freedom. Today, I mourn along with Duane's family, friends, fellow Marines and community. While all are very proud of Duane, there is also a tremendous sense of loss. Duane's life was too short, yet he will always be remembered for his heroism and dedication to his country. Such a life shall serve as an inspiration to all as we continue to fight for the liberation of Iraq.

Duane Rios was a charismatic and friendly person who never passed someone without smiling and saying hello. Duane attended Griffith High School, graduating in 1996. After graduation he married his high school sweetheart, Erica. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. It was with great pride that he left for Iraq, prepared to do his duty and was willing to make the ultimate sacrifice, if fate dictated, for a country he loved dearly.

President Chester Arthur once said: "Men may die, but the fabrics of free

institutions remain unshaken." These words force us to see the larger picture and give some solace as we mourn the loss of Duane Rios and honor the sacrifice he made for America and for all humanity.

It is my sad duty to enter the name of Duane Rios in the official record of the U.S. Senate for his service to this country and for his profound commitment to freedom, democracy, and peace. When I think about this just cause in which we are engaged, and the unfortunate pain that comes with the loss of our heroes, I hope that families like Duane's can find comfort in the words of the prophet Isaiah, who said: "He will swallow up death in victory; and the Lord God will wipe away tears from off all faces."

May God grant strength and peace to those who mourn the loss of such young lives, and may God bless the United States of America.

VOTE EXPLANATION

Mr. EDWARDS. Mr. President, I was not present for rollcall vote No. 221 on the Graham amendment. Were I present for that vote, I would have voted in favor of the amendment.

Mr. President, I was not present for rollcall vote No. 222 on the Lautenberg amendment. Were I present for that vote, I would have voted in favor of the amendment.

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

THE AMERICAN SPA: HISTORIC BATHHOUSES OF HOT SPRINGS, ARKANSAS

• Mr. PRYOR. Mr. President, on May 29, 2003, the National Trust for Historic Preservation named Bathhouse Row in Hot Springs National Park, AR, one of America's 11 Most Endangered Historic Places.

I come to the floor today to applaud the National Trust's efforts to preserve these bathhouses. I also want to bring the dire condition of these historic sites to the Senate's attention and urge my colleagues to support my and Senator LINCOLN's work to provide critical funding this year to save the eight bathhouses in Hot Springs.

During the early 1900s, a variety of bathhouses were built in Hot Springs, AR, to accommodate the thousands of travelers who sought the curative waters from 47 natural thermal springs. These bathhouses were elaborately constructed with remarkable architectural design, including stained-glass skylights and patterned mosaic floors and walls. The bathhouse provided restful baths and services—some peculiar and bizarre—that inspired the resort nickname "The American Spa." In short, Bathhouse Row shaped America's "Golden Age of Bathing" and was internationally renowned, with the likes of Babe Ruth and the infamous Al Capone visiting the resort.

Arkansans have long known what the National Trust for Historic Preservation has announced to the Nation: that these one-of-a-kind historic treasures are on the verge of disappearing due to neglect. These amazing buildings are literally falling apart. But the story for the bathhouses doesn't have to end there. We have a plan that works for both preservationists and budget hawks. Reasonable Federal investment into reconditioning these buildings will be leveraged by private leasing agreements. Once restored, private ventures will breathe new life and usher a new generation of use into Bathhouse Row for all Americans to enjoy.

Lastly, I think that it is important to note that Congress has recognized the national importance of Hot Springs for 171 years. On April 20, 1832, the Congress had the foresight to establish Hot Springs Reservation—making it the oldest park currently in the National Park System. On March 4, 1921, Congress changed the name to Hot Springs National Park.

Today, Congress has the opportunity to act again in support of Hot Springs. I believe that our predecessors in Congress intended for the park to protect Bathhouse Row and the unique glimpse that it provides into our Nation's social and historic past.

I urge my colleagues to support funding in the fiscal year 2004 Interior appropriations bill for Bathhouse Row in Hot Springs National Park. ●

SALUTING LOUISIANA FAITH IN ACTION GRANTEEES

• Mr. BREAU. Mr. President, I am proud to serve as ranking member of the Senate Special Committee on Aging, a position which allows me to focus on issues important to older Americans. One of the most critical concerns of our Nation's seniors is the need for long-term care services. And though the lack of available long-term care service is a substantial problem today, the demand for long-term care services will overwhelm an already-strained system as our Nation's 77 million baby boomers age.

Family caregivers are the cornerstone of our long-term care system, providing 80 percent of all long-term care in this country. Most older and disabled Americans prefer to remain in their own homes or in the community and many do so, thanks to the support and love of family caregivers. But we all know that family caregivers cannot provide around-the-clock care—many have jobs and children to raise. Caregiving is stressful and it places heavy emotional, physical and financial burdens on caregivers. Research shows that caregivers need a variety of services to support them in their caregiving roles. One innovative and valuable service to family caregivers is the "Faith in Action" program sponsored by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation.

The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, one of our Nation's leading philanthropic health care organizations, has been supporting creative programs for the delivery of health care for many years. Their Faith in Action program is a faith-based initiative which enables elderly and disabled individuals to continue to live in their homes with the support of coordinated efforts between interfaith coalitions and social service agencies including senior centers, parish councils on aging, area agencies on aging, and hospitals.

The Faith in Action program provides grant money to help these groups provide services, including organizing outreach to the homebound; training group leaders who oversee outreach ministries; locating homebound people who have lost touch with their communities; recruiting volunteers from church congregations and communities; connecting with local medical and social services; and providing emotional support services to community members. All of these organizations share a common goal—to provide long-term care to their neighbors in need.

Next week, the 14 Faith in Action grantees in Louisiana and interested faith and community leaders will join me in New Orleans for an event where we will honor the current grantees and volunteers and encourage other interested groups and individuals to become Faith in Action grantees. Together they can use their expertise and energy to make a real difference in the lives of Louisiana seniors and disabled persons.

Mr. President, today I want to recognize these 14 existing grantees in Louisiana: Rapides Station Community Ministries, Inc., The Shepherd Center, Inter-Faith Caregivers of the Greater Baton Rouge Federation of Churches & Synagogues, The Mental Health Association of Louisiana, Faith in Action of Acadiana, Love Inc., of Acadiana, Volunteers of America Inc., Boys & Girls Club of Minden, Inc., Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association Northeast/Central Louisiana Chapter, G.T. Consultants Services, Inc., St. Francis Medical Center, Uptown Area Senior Adult Ministry, Inc., H.O.P.E. Ministry, Inc., and Shreveport-Bossier Community Renewal Inc.

Thanks to their contribution to their communities, these grantees have enabled over 1100 elderly and disabled persons in Louisiana to remain at home. Keeping families together and allowing our seniors and disabled persons to live independently saves money, improves quality of life and strengthens our communities. Again, I applaud the Louisiana Faith in Action grantees, community partners and volunteers for their contribution to Louisiana families and to broadening long-term care options for the people of Louisiana.●

ON THE RETIREMENT OF MR. ADRIAN DELL ROBERTS

● Mrs. BOXER. Mr. President. I rise to recognize the life work of Mr. Adrian

Dell Roberts as he retires from Riverside Unified School District after more than 38 years of dedicated service, leaving a legacy of community-building and a belief in the potential of young people.

Dell Roberts' ability to promote student safety, teamwork, and self-confidence has been apparent at every stage of his career with Riverside Unified School District; starting with his initial part-time position coaching track and football at Riverside Polytechnic High School in 1965, and culminating with his role as Administrative Assistant for Campus and Community Services. He also served as an administrative aid and assistant principal in charge of discipline at Riverside Polytechnic High School.

As Administrative Assistant for Campus and Community Services, Mr. Roberts has worked to identify and meet the needs of Riverside's youth. He has done much to help students and staff understand the diverse cultural values of the students in the district. Under his leadership, multi-cultural councils were established at high schools and middle schools, facilitating peaceful group problem solving. He also played a leading role in the successful formation of the Black Student Union at Riverside Polytechnic High School and is the founder and coordinator of the statewide Black Student Union.

In addition to his contributions on campus, Mr. Roberts has lent his involvement and leadership to organizations that work to improve the lives of young people and provide enriching educational and recreational resources to the Riverside community. Many, many students have had opportunities that would not have been available to them without Mr. Roberts' hard work to expand their horizons and perceptions of their own potentials.

Mr. Roberts' impressive accomplishments and affiliations are too numerous to mention in their entirety, but we can reflect on the important underlying beliefs that have guided his work. A portion of Mr. Roberts' biography includes his statement that he "... has faith in our youth because they are our present as well as our future." Indeed, Mr. Roberts' ability to reach out in friendship and support and to inspire respect between individuals and groups has enriched the lives of countless young people. I invite all of my colleagues to join me in commending Dell Roberts for his years of loving work for the academic and personal advancement of our children.●

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Ms. Evans, one of his secretaries.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages

from the President of the United States submitting sundry nominations and withdrawals which were referred to the appropriate communities.

(The nominations received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

REPORT ON ALL FEDERAL DRUG AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREAT- MENT, PREVENTION, EDUCATION, AND RESEARCH PROGRAMS—PM 39

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

To the Congress of the United States:

Consistent with section 2202 of Public Law 107-273, I hereby transmit a report prepared by my Administration detailing the findings of a comprehensive review of all Federal drug and substance abuse treatment, prevention, education, and research programs. The report also presents an inventory of all such programs, indicating the legal authority for each program and the amount of funding in the last 2 fiscal years.

GEORGE W. BUSH.
THE WHITE HOUSE, June 12, 2003.

REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE COASTAL ZONE MAN- AGEMENT ACT (CZMA) FOR FIS- CAL YEARS 2000 AND 2001—PM 40

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

To the Congress of the United States:

I am pleased to transmit the Biennial Report to Congress on the Administration of the Coastal Zone Management Act by the Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration for fiscal years 2000 and 2001. This report is submitted as required by section 316 of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1451, et seq.).

The report provides an overview of the Coastal Zone Management Act and describes progress in addressing the major goals of the Act; partnerships to enhance coastal and ocean management; and research, education, and technical assistance.

GEORGE W. BUSH.
THE WHITE HOUSE, June 12, 2003.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

At 12:10 p.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 bills, in which it requests that concurrence of the Senate: