

right, they didn't necessarily inundate and run to the neighborhoods that they had been barred from," Mr. Sherman told The Sun in 2001.

He was later joined by other local brokers such as Russell T. Baker and Bill Wilson in the push for fair-housing laws that finally became a reality in 1968 when Congress passed legislation, but his crusade took a toll on his firm.

"Because he felt so strongly about these issues, it eventually put him out of business. It was a terrible thing to have happened," said Sandy Marenberg, president of MEI Real Estate in Baltimore.

"Mal held to his views all the way until the end of his life. He was a real hero and mentor in the Baltimore real estate community," Mr. Marenberg said.

In 1967, Mr. Sherman was named residential land sales director for the Rouse Co., and three years later was promoted to director of sales and land marketing in Columbia.

Mr. Sherman was named Rouse Co. vice president in 1971 with responsibilities for all residential land sales and helped steer Columbia toward racial diversity.

When he went to work for the Rouse Co., Mr. Sherman found a boon companion in Jim Rouse, the company founder, who shared his views.

"We were combating a trend, and Jim was frightened. He didn't want it [Columbia] to come out like the city," Mr. Sherman recalled in a 2000 interview in The Sun. "He wanted all of the people mixed all over the place; that was the social goal."

"He was a charismatic man always trying to help someone. He discriminated against no one," said James Holechek, a retired Baltimore public relations executive.

"It was a personal testimony when he was sought out and hired by Jim Rouse. To me, Mal Sherman was always Mr. Real Estate in Maryland," he said.

A liberal Democrat and an anti-war activist, Mr. Sherman found himself on the Nixon White House's enemies list after founding Businessmen Against the Vietnam War.

That's "great news" he told The Sun in 1973. "It's the best thing I have to tell my son about myself. I feel better about this than any kind of honor that could come to me," he said.

After leaving the Rouse Co. in the early 1970s, Mr. Sherman went to work for Phipps Land Co. and later Ackerman & Co., a real estate firm based in Atlanta. He returned from Atlanta in 1981 when he was appointed Baltimore-Washington area regional vice president for the firm.

Mr. Sherman continued working as a real estate consultant after leaving Ackerman. He retired in 2001.

"He was arguably the wisest, most caring adviser and thinker in the Baltimore real estate world," said Martin L. Millspaugh Jr., who was the first chief executive of Charles Center-Inner Harbor Management Inc.

"His life made a difference over many years, in ways that will become even more apparent as time goes by," Mr. Millspaugh said.

He was a former president of the Real Estate Board of Greater Baltimore and in 1999 was awarded the Maryland Real Estate Board Life Achievement Award. Recently, he was honored for his civil rights work by the National Association of Realtors.

A former resident of the Colonnade in Homewood, Mr. Sherman was a member of the Baltimore Hebrew Congregation.

Services will be held at 1 p.m. Sunday at Sol Levinson and Bros., 8900 Reisterstown Road, Pikesville.

Surviving are two daughters, Wendy R. Sherman of Bethesda and Andrea Sherman of Dobbs Ferry, N.Y.; and two grandchildren. His son, Douglas Sherman, died in 1981.●

REMEMBERING ROYAL J. "BUD" WOOD

● Mr. THUNE, Madam President, today I mourn the loss of Royal J. "Bud" Wood, of Warner SD. Bud passed away on November 19, 2009, at the age of 87.

Born and raised in Warner, Bud will be remembered as a man who committed his life to his family and community. Bud celebrated his life with his wife Dorothy, his 4 children, 12 grandchildren, and 6 great-grandchildren. His passion for his faith, family, and friends was unwavering as he spent much of his time at church and family activities.

Although Bud was extremely dedicated to his family, he will also be remembered for his service to the State of South Dakota. I got to know Bud when his wife Dorothy managed Senator James Abdnor's office in Aberdeen. Elected to the South Dakota House of Representatives in 1966, Bud was one of the longest serving representatives, working for the people of South Dakota for 26 years. While a member of the State legislature, he served in many different capacities including: assistant majority leader, speaker pro tempore, speaker of the house, along with vicechairman of the Legislative Research Council and chairman of the Local Government Study Commission and Local Government Standing Committee. Bud also served on the Presidential Task Force for both President Ronald Reagan and President George H.W. Bush.

Beyond his political career, Bud was a talented auctioneer at Hub City Livestock Auction for 25 years. He was on the board of directors for the South Dakota Wheat Growers, the Warner Elevator Board, and at one time a church council member at St. John's Lutheran Church in Warner.

Bud was a man who was always willing and determined to help out his neighbor. A mentor, confidant, and friend, he selflessly impacted his community in a positive way.

Today I wish to celebrate the life of an extraordinary public servant and leader. As we mourn the loss of this great South Dakotan, I extend my thoughts, prayers and best wishes to Bud's family, friends, and loved ones.●

TRIBUTE TO THOMAS KURT JAROS

● Mr. THUNE, Madam President, today I recognize Thomas Kurt Jaros, an intern in my Washington, DC, office, for all of the hard work he has done for me, my staff, and the State of South Dakota over the past several months.

Kurt is a graduate of Downers Grove South High School in Downers Grove, IL. Currently he is attending the Biola University, where he is majoring in philosophy and political science. He is a hard worker who has been dedicated to getting the most out of his internship experience.

I would like to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to Kurt for all

of the fine work he has done and wish him continued success in the years to come.●

TRIBUTE TO DENNIS D'AQUILA

● Mr. THUNE, Madam President, today I recognize Dennis D'Aquila, an intern in my Washington, DC, office, for all of the hard work he has done for me, my staff, and the State of South Dakota over the past several months.

Dennis is a graduate of Wantagh High School in Wantagh, NY. Currently he is attending the Catholic University of America, where he is majoring in politics. He is a hard worker who has been dedicated to getting the most out of his internship experience.

I would like to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to Dennis for all of the fine work he has done and wish him continued success in the years to come.●

TRIBUTE TO DYLAN KESSLER

● Mr. THUNE, Madam President, today I recognize Dylan Thomas Kessler, an intern in my Washington, DC, office, for all of the hard work he has done for me, my staff, and the State of South Dakota over the past several months.

Dylan is a graduate of Roncalli High School in Aberdeen, SD. Currently he is attending the Hillsdale College, where he is majoring in English. He is a hard worker who has been dedicated to getting the most out of his internship experience.

I would like to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to Dylan for all of the fine work he has done and wish him continued success in the years to come.●

TRIBUTE TO BRITTONI PALKE

● Mr. THUNE, Madam President, today I recognize Brittoni Jo Palke, an intern in my Washington, DC, office, for all of the hard work she has done for me, my staff, and the State of South Dakota over the past several months.

Brittoni is a graduate of MACCRAY in Clara City, MN. Currently she is attending the Southeastern University, where she is majoring in journalism. She is a hard worker who has been dedicated to getting the most out of her internship experience.

I would like to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to Brittoni for all of the fine work she has done and wish her continued success in the years to come.●

TRIBUTE TO ALELI PARDO

● Mr. THUNE, Madam President, today I recognize Aleli Marie Pardo, an intern in my Washington, DC, office, for all of the hard work she has done for me, my staff, and the State of South Dakota over the past several months.

Aleli is a graduate of Carrollton School of the Sacred Heart in Miami,

FL. Currently she is attending the George Washington University, where she is majoring in political science. She is a hard worker who has been dedicated to getting the most out of her internship experience.

I would like to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to Aleli for all of the fine work she has done and wish her continued success in the years to come.●

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Mrs. Neiman, 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 which were referred to the appropriate committees.

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND:

S. 2817. A bill to amend part D of title V of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to provide grants to schools for the development of asthma management plans and the purchase of asthma inhalers and spacers for emergency use, as necessary; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. LEMIEUX:

S. 2818. A bill to amend the Energy Conservation and Production Act to improve weatherization for low-income persons, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN:

S. 2819. A bill to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act, the Federal Meat Inspection Act, and the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to require processors of food products to certify to the applicable Secretary that the processed food products are not adulterated; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. BENNETT (for himself and Mr. HATCH):

S. Res. 361. A resolution commending Real Salt Lake for winning the 2009 Major League Soccer Cup; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SHELBY (for himself, Mr. VITTER, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. CORNYN, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. ISAKSON, Mrs. SHAHEEN, and Mr. WICKER):

S. Res. 362. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the Secretary of the

Treasury should direct the United States Executive Directors to the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank to use the voice and vote of the United States to oppose making any loans to the Government of Antigua and Barbuda until that Government cooperates with the United States and compensates the victims of the Stanford Financial Group fraud; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. VOINOVICH (for himself and Mr. BROWN):

S. Res. 363. A resolution honoring the life and service of breast cancer advocate, Stefanie Spielman; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN (for herself and Mr. DURBIN):

S. Res. 364. A resolution supporting the observance of National Diabetes Month; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 254

At the request of Mrs. LINCOLN, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. BROWN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 254, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for the coverage of home infusion therapy under the Medicare Program.

S. 332

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 332, a bill to establish a comprehensive interagency response to reduce lung cancer mortality in a timely manner.

S. 354

At the request of Mr. WEBB, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KIRK) was added as a cosponsor of S. 354, a bill to provide that 4 of the 12 weeks of parental leave made available to a Federal employee shall be paid leave, and for other purposes.

S. 436

At the request of Mr. CORNYN, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. VITTER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 436, a bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to protect youth from exploitation by adults using the Internet, and for other purposes.

S. 456

At the request of Mr. DODD, the name of the Senator from Virginia (Mr. WARNER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 456, a bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services, in consultation with the Secretary of Education, to develop guidelines to be used on a voluntary basis to develop plans to manage the risk of food allergy and anaphylaxis in schools and early childhood education programs, to establish school-based food allergy management grants, and for other purposes.

S. 461

At the request of Mrs. LINCOLN, the names of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) and the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) were added as cosponsors of S. 461, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend and modify the railroad track maintenance credit.

S. 510

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the names of the Senator from Iowa (Mr. HARKIN) and the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. ENZI) were added as cosponsors of S. 510, a bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to the safety of the food supply.

S. 619

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 619, a bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to preserve the effectiveness of medically important antibiotics used in the treatment of human and animal diseases.

S. 678

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. CARDIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 678, a bill to reauthorize and improve the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974, and for other purposes.

S. 781

At the request of Mr. ROBERTS, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. CARPER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 781, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for collegiate housing and infrastructure grants.

S. 795

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the name of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 795, a bill to amend the Social Security Act to enhance the social security of the Nation by ensuring adequate public-private infrastructure and to resolve to prevent, detect, treat, intervene in, and prosecute elder abuse, neglect, and exploitation, and for other purposes.

S. 823

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. LEMIEUX) was added as a cosponsor of S. 823, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a 5-year carryback of operating losses, and for other purposes.

S. 870

At the request of Mrs. LINCOLN, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) was added as a cosponsor of S. 870, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand the credit for renewable electricity production to include electricity produced from biomass for on-site use and to modify the credit period for certain facilities producing electricity from open-loop biomass.

S. 987

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. VITTER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 987, a bill to protect girls in developing countries through the prevention of child marriage, and for other purposes.

S. 1008

At the request of Mr. THUNE, his name and the name of the Senator