

to head the Department of Property & Facilities. In 1988, he left city employment to join law firm Russell & Tesche, where he practiced until retiring in 2006.

In 1978, Allan married Pamela Dunham. Together they raised two children, operated the G Street B&B and went on family adventures. After seeing the community work of friend Nick Aguilar in San Diego, Pam supported Allan's plunge into local politics. Allan served nine years on the Anchorage Assembly. He championed many progressive policies and is credited with the adoption of property tax relief, liquor and tobacco control measures and urban beautification initiatives. Allan was a member of Central Lutheran Church, where he mentored neighborhood youths and served as Church Council president. After leaving the Assembly, Allan helped launch municipal consulting firm RMA Consulting Group and served as acting city administrator for the City of Akutan. He worked for Akutan until his death, and his efforts supporting new developments in Akutan are an ongoing testimony.

Allan is survived by his wife, Pamela; son, Frederick; daughter, Mary; brothers, Frederick and wife Sharon of Saluda, N.C., Thomas and wife Kim of Covington, Ky., and Daniel of Clovis, Calif.; sister, Caroline of Tampa, Fla.; father and mother-in-law, Richard and Carrie Dunham of Whidbey Island, Wash.; brothers- and sisters-in-law, Paul and Kathleen Dunham of Fresno, Calif., Larry and Susan Goodman of Seattle, Cynthia and Eric Olsen of Spokane, Wash., and Linda Wesson of Clovis, Calif.; and by his nieces and nephews.●

RECOGNIZING J. THOMAS CALHOON

● Mr. CARPER. Mr. President, today I wish to speak about a member of our country's greatest generation, the generation of my parents who selflessly served our Nation during a time of great turmoil in the world. This generation made countless contributions to our society and continues to give unselfishly today. I offer my warmest wishes to one of them—Mr. J. Thomas Calhoon, of Hilliard, OH—on his 84th birthday, on this Friday, the eighth anniversary of the attacks of September 11. I want to thank him for the many sacrifices he has made and continues to make for our great country.

Born on September 11, 1925, in Wellsville, OH, Tom Calhoon was raised in East Liverpool, OH, and graduated from Grandview High School, class of 1943.

On December 15, 1943, Tom enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps. While serving in Japan during World War II, Corporal Calhoon sustained extensive combat injuries in Okinawa in June of 1945, including the loss of his right leg and a bullet in his left arm that remains there today. He spent over 2 years in hospitals throughout the United States, including Philadelphia Hospital, where he met his wife, Sarah Mae Shoemaker, who was a volunteer.

He survived his injuries, and on August 29, 1947, Tom and Sarah were married and went on to have four sons, Thomas, Samuel, Donald, and Robert, and a daughter, Sarah. All five are children any parent would be proud of. Today, the Calhoon family has expanded to include seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren due later this fall.

During his time in the Marines, Cpl Tom Calhoon received two Purple Hearts and was a rifleman and an expert with the bayonet. After being discharged, he enrolled, in the fall of 1948, at the Ohio State University, of which he and all five of his children are alumni. It was at the Ohio State University that I first met two of his sons, one of whom is a close friend to this day.

Corporal Calhoon worked in public relations and advertising for 50 years in Columbus, OH. In addition to this full-time career, he spent countless hours of his time volunteering. As a member of the Lions Club, he received three national awards, including a Life Membership from the International Association of Lions Clubs Award in 1998 for 50 years of Outstanding Dedicated Service. He also served as president of the Tri-Village Lions, former director of the Franklin County Agriculture Society, is a life member of the Northwest Franklin County Historical Society, and a former director of Pilot Dogs, Inc.

An avid hunter and fisherman, Tom enjoys reading and watching war movies, which I hope he is getting to do on his birthday. Best wishes to you and your family, Tom, for many more.●

TRIBUTE TO DORIS WALLACE

● Mr. CRAPO. Mr. President, today I honor a woman who has contributed so much to the fabric of my home State of Idaho. Doris Wallace, the manager of the Eastern Idaho State Fair in Blackfoot, ID, will retire at the end of this month, following the completion of the 2009 Eastern Idaho State Fair. That will mark her 26th year with one of Idaho's most well-known fairs. The eastern Idaho State Fair covers 16 counties in eastern Idaho. Each county holds their individual county fairs with the blue ribbon winners advancing to competition at the Eastern Idaho State Fair.

Doris is a hometown girl, born in Blackfoot and raised in Bingham County. She married Ray Wallace. Together they have three children: Nicole, Stephanie, and Todd.

She began her career at the Eastern Idaho State Fair in 1983 when she began working as the office secretary. She was the "front desk" for the fair, and her personality, patience and friendliness represented the entire fair to those who entered her office to ask questions and complain about situations.

In 1987, Doris became the assistant manager, where she became the center of the fair operations. Her responsibilities included the exhibitor's handbook, all financial transactions, commercial and concession vendors and coordinator for spring, summer, and fall events taking place on the fairgrounds.

In 2000, Doris was promoted to fair manager by a five-member Fair Board. As manager, Doris used her years of experience to enhance an already-thriving annual event. She has encouraged participation of 4-H and Future Farmer of America projects and activities

including the 4-H dog show, 4-H horse show, and 4-H livestock, canning, cooking and sewing demonstration projects. Future Farmers of America leave their classrooms on Friday to spend the day on the fairgrounds to personally experience and participate in judging competitions.

In 2002, she was able to plan the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the Eastern Idaho State Fair. She produced an extravaganza of historical and colorful memories, which have made the fair a family tradition for those living in eastern Idaho.

Doris has competently managed fair operations of the Eastern Idaho State Fair, which attracts 250,000 fairgoers over the 8-day fair, beginning each year on Saturday preceding Labor Day. Events include traditional horse pulling, pari-mutuel horse racing, Indian relay races, junior and adult rodeos, professional entertainers, petting zoos and educational exhibits. The traditional tractor pull, demolition derby, and extreme bike riders are all part of Doris's management responsibilities as she has provided a fair of diverse attractions for a fairgoing audience of diverse ages, backgrounds and interests.

As manager, Doris supervises six full-time employees and approximately 400 employees during the fair week, including ticket takers, car parkers, custodial services, ground crews, and security.

Throughout her life and particularly during her career at the Eastern Idaho State Fair, Doris has contributed enormously, both privately and professionally, to the fair community, the city of Blackfoot, and all of eastern Idaho. Please join me in congratulating Doris Wallace on her years of service at the Eastern Idaho State Fair and wishing her well in her pending retirement.●

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE DURING ADJOURNMENT

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Under the authority of the order of the Senate of January 6, 2009, the Secretary of the Senate, on August 10, 2009, during the adjournment of the Senate, received a message from the House of Representatives announcing that the Speaker had signed the following bill:

H.R. 3325. An act to amend title XI of the Social Security Act to reauthorize for 1 year the Work Incentives Planning and Assistance program and the Protection and Advocacy for Beneficiaries of Social Security program.

The enrolled bill was subsequently signed during the session of the Senate by the President pro tempore (Mr. BYRD).

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 3:51 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by

Mrs. Cole, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 179. Concurrent resolution providing for a joint session of Congress to receive a message from the President.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

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

EC-2636. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Sodium Lauryl Sulfate; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance" (FRL No. 8430-5) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 13, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2637. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Certain Chemical Substances; Withdrawal of Significant New Use Rules" (FRL No. 8433-9) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2638. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Chlorantraniliprole; Pesticide Tolerances" (FRL No. 8413-6) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2639. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "1,2-ethanediamine, N,N,N',N'-tetramethyl, Polymer with 1,1'-oxybis[2-chloroethane]; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance" (FRL No. 8430-6) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2640. A communication from the Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Nectarines and Peaches Grown in California; Changes in Handling Requirements for Fresh Nectarines and Peaches" ((Docket No. AMS-FV-08-0108)(FV-09-916/917-1 FIR)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2641. A communication from the Acting Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Nectarines and Peaches Grown in California; Decreased Assessment Rates" ((Docket No. AMS-FV-09-0013)(FV-09-916/917-2

IFR)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2642. A communication from the Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Grapes Grown in a Designated Area of Southeastern California; Decreased Assessment Rate" ((Docket No. AMS-FV-08-0107)(FV-09-925-2 FIR)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2643. A communication from the Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Apricots Grown in Designated Counties in Washington; Decreased Assessment Rate" ((Docket No. AMS-FV-09-0038)(FV-09-922-1 IFR)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2644. A communication from the Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Onions Grown in South Texas; Decreased Assessment Rate" ((Docket No. AMS-FV-09-0044)(FV-09-959-2 IFR)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2645. A communication from the Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Irish Potatoes Grown in Colorado; Modification of the Handling Regulation for Area No. 2" ((Docket No. AMS-FV-08-0094)(FV-09-948-1 FIR)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2646. A communication from the Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Grapes Grown in a Designated Area of Southeastern California and Imported Table Grapes; Relaxation of Handling Requirements" ((Docket No. AMS-FV-08-0106)(FV-09-925-1 FIR)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2647. A communication from the Acting Administrator of Cotton and Tobacco Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "User Fees for 2009 Crop Cotton Classification Services to Growers" ((Docket No. AMS-CN-09-0011)(CN-09-001)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2648. A communication from the Acting Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Almonds Grown in California; Revision of Outgoing Quality Control Requirements"

((Docket No. AMS-FV-08-0045)(FV08-981-2 IFR)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2649. A communication from the Acting Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Peanut Promotion, Research, and Information Order; Section 610 Review" ((Docket No. AMS-FV-08-0110)(FV-08-704)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2650. A communication from the Acting Administrator of Cotton and Tobacco Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Cotton Board Rules and Regulations: Adjusting Supplemental Assessment on Imports (2009 Amendments)" ((Docket No. AMS-CN-09-0015)(CN-09-002)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2651. A communication from the Acting Associate Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Country of Origin Labeling of Packed Honey" ((Docket No. AMS-FV-08-0075)(FV-08-330)(RIN0581-AC89)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2652. A communication from the Administrator, Risk Management Agency, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Common Crop Insurance Regulations; Grape Crop Insurance Provisions and Table Grape Crop Insurance Provisions" ((7 CFR Part 457)(RIN0563-AC09)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 18, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2653. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Review Group, Commodity Credit Corporation, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Farm Storage Facility Loan and Sugar Storage Facility Loan Programs" ((7 CFR 1436)(RIN0560-AH60)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2654. A communication from the Acting Assistant Director of Directives and Regulations, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Sale and Disposal of National Forest System Timber; Downpayment and Periodic Payments" ((36 CFR Part 223)(RIN0596-AC80)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 20, 2009; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2655. A communication from the Administrator of Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Olives Grown in California; Increased Assessment Rate" ((Docket No. AMS-FV-08-0105)(FV09-932-1 FIR)) as received during adjournment of the Senate in the Office of the President of the Senate on August 31,