

and restaurants, Cozy Harbor is aggressively seeking new venues and opportunities to expand through participation in seafood expositions, as seen through its recent involvement at the European Seafood Exposition and the upcoming Asian Seafood Show and China Fisheries Show later this year.

The seafood industry in Maine is more than a profession; it is a lifestyle. The passion, love, and dedication shown by those in my home State to producing a quality product not only reaps its benefits in the ledger books, it is also a major contributing factor in the development of the tradition and reputation of excellence that Maine seafood has come to be known for worldwide. Through programs such as the Gulf of Maine Responsibly Harvested Program, the sustainability of the fishing industry is further developed. Cozy Harbor also participates in the Trace Register which records the product's origin for consumers to view online, has been recognized internationally for high-quality product, and has received the British Retail Consortium's certification grade A level for food safety. These efforts not only increase quality standards, they ensure that the fishing industry is viable for generations to come.

Like many small businesses in Maine, Cozy Harbor is steadfast in serving the local community and giving back to the area. Its devotion is illustrated by its donation of approximately 500 lobsters to the Bike MS: Great Maine Getaway sponsored annually by the National MS Society's New England chapter, which supports multiple sclerosis research and programs in the New England area.

Cozy Harbor exhibits the ingenuity, commitment to quality, and dedication to competing in an ever-growing market that is so characteristic of entrepreneurs in Maine. I commend Cozy Harbor on its success and offer my best wishes for the future.●

TRIBUTE TO ARVID "BUTCH" HILLER

● Mr. TESTER. Mr. President, I rise to honor a fellow Montanan today as he retires from a long and distinguished career in the water utility business after 41 years. Arvid "Butch" Hiller retires from the Mountain Water Company in Missoula, where he is the general manager.

Butch Hiller was raised in Missoula. He spent 10 years supplying water to his community through Montana Power and 32 years when it became the Mountain Water Company. In other words, Mountain Water has never run a day without Butch Hiller contributing to its mission. His distinguished career at Mountain Water included recognition by his profession, including the Distinguished Public Service Award from the American Water Works Association in 2005. His contributions to the Missoula community and the State of Montana are numerous, including serv-

ice on the Missoula Rotary Club, the Missoula and the Montana Chambers of Commerce, the Montana Power Business Information Panel, and the Montana Ambassadors.

Butch has said one of the keys to his success has been to hire people who were better and smarter to help him do what he alone could not do. He also said he tried to give people the freedom to achieve success and to learn from their mistakes.

Mr. President, water is our most basic resource. Butch Hiller spent a career as a caretaker of that precious resource. As he and his wife Lynn begin their retirement and continue to enjoy their four children and five grandchildren, I would like to join with other Montana residents and thank Butch for his stewardship of our Montana water and the many contributions he has made to our community.●

OAHE DAM

● Mr. THUNE. Mr. President, today I wish to recognize the 50th anniversary of construction of the Oahe Dam.

In December 1944, President Franklin D. Roosevelt approved the Flood Control Act. This set into motion the construction of several dams across South Dakota. Construction on the Oahe Dam commenced in 1948 and was completed in 1962. In August of 1962, President John F. Kennedy dedicated the dam located in central South Dakota on the Missouri River. The dam was a massive endeavor for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, standing 245 feet tall with an earth fill volume of 92 million cubic yards and a concrete fill volume of 1,122,000 yards. The reservoir stretches 231 miles to Bismarck, ND. The Oahe Dam is the 14th largest manmade reservoir in the world.

Oahe Dam is beneficial not only to South Dakota but throughout the Midwest. The powerplant on the dam is the largest producer of energy on the Missouri River. North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Minnesota, and Montana receive power produced by the Oahe Dam. Local farmers and ranchers benefit from the irrigation that is provided from the reservoir.

I would like to recognize the efforts of all those who have contributed to the construction and maintenance of the Oahe Dam. It has become one of South Dakota's greatest resources.●

RECOGNIZING GROSSENBURG IMPLEMENT

● Mr. THUNE. Mr. President, today I wish to recognize the 75th anniversary of Grossenburg Implement. The company was founded during the Great Depression in 1937 by Charles Jacob Grossenburg in Tripp County, SD. The demand for two-cylinder tractors during World War II led to the company's success and prosperity. Since then, Grossenburg Implement has stayed true to their mission statement "to provide the best product at a reason-

able price and with the highest level of service." Along with products from John Deere, Grossenburg sold Oldsmobile and Cadillac automobiles. Throughout the years, the Grossenburg family remained dedicated to quality service and continued success.

Charlie, son of Barry and Marilyn Grossenburg, represents the fourth generation of the family business and is now the vice president. In 1998, Grossenburg Implement continued its success by adding a combine shop in Winner and subsequently an overhead crane to the shop in 2005. In 2009, the company also celebrated the opening of another combine shop in Pierre. Most recently in 2012, the company expanded their business by purchasing Northeast Equipment, Inc. in Nebraska. Today, the company has grown from one store to a projected \$150 million company.

I would like to congratulate the Grossenburg family and the employees of Grossenburg Implement for 75 years of success and wish them a prosperous future.●

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The President pro tempore (Mr. INOUE) announced that on today, July 26, 2012, he had signed the following enrolled bill, previously signed by the Speaker of the House:

S. 1335. An act to amend title 49, United States Code, to provide rights for pilots, and for other purposes.

At 1:32 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mrs. Cole, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 459. An act to require a full audit of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the Federal reserve banks by the Comptroller General of the United States, and for other purposes.

H.R. 6082. An act to officially replace, within the 60-day Congressional review period under the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act, President Obama's Proposed Final Outer Continental Shelf Oil & Gas Leasing Program (2012-2017) with a congressional plan that will conduct additional oil and natural gas lease sales to promote offshore energy development, job creation, and increased domestic energy production to ensure a more secure energy future in the United States, and for other purposes.

At 6:04 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. 134. Concurrent resolution condemning, in the strongest possible terms, the heinous atrocities that occurred in Aurora, Colorado.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The message further announced that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled bill:

H.R. 5872. An act to require the President to provide a report detailing the sequester

required by the Budget Control Act of 2011 on January 2, 2013.

The enrolled bill was subsequently signed by the President pro tempore (Mr. INOUE).

MEASURES READ THE FIRST TIME

The following bill was read the first time:

H.R. 6082. An act to officially replace, within the 60-day Congressional review period under the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act, President Obama's Proposed Final Outer Continental Shelf Oil & Gas Leasing Program (2012-2017) with a Congressional plan that will conduct additional oil and natural gas lease sales to promote offshore energy development, job creation, and increased domestic energy production to ensure a more secure energy future in the United States, and for other purposes.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate announced that on today, July 26, 2012, she had presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bill:

S. 1335. An act to amend title 49, United States Code, to provide rights for pilots, and for other purposes.

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-6935. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Significant New Use Rules on Certain Chemical Substances" (FRL No. 9354-2) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 19, 2012; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6936. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Significant New Use Rules on a Certain Chemical Substance; Removal of Significant New Use Rules" (FRL No. 9356-1) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 19, 2012; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6937. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Virginia; Removal of Administrative Requirements from the Regulation for the Control of Motor Vehicle Emissions in Northern Virginia" (FRL No. 9702-4) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 19, 2012; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6938. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans and Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Wisconsin; Redesignation of the Milwaukee-Racine Area to Attainment for 1997 8-hour Ozone Standard" (FRL No. 9702-9) received

in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 19, 2012; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6939. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Maryland; Offset Lithographic Printing and Letterpress Printing Regulations" (FRL No. 9702-2) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 19, 2012; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6940. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Tennessee; 110(a) (1) and (2) Infrastructure Requirements for the 1997 8-Hour Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards" (FRL No. 9699-5) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 19, 2012; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6941. A communication from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Receipts-Based, Small Business Size Standard" (RIN3150-AJ14) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 18, 2012; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6942. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the C-111 Spreader Canal Western project in Miami-Dade County, Florida; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6943. A communication from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Technical Corrections" (RIN3150-AJ16) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 18, 2012; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6944. A communication from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Communication with Transport Vehicles" (Regulatory Guide 5.32) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 18, 2012; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6945. A communication from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Issuing Final Guidance That Issues a New Branch Technical Position BTP 8-8—(Emergency Diesel Generators) and Off Site Power Sources Allowed Outage Time Extensions" (Publication of Revision 4 to SRP Section 8.1) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 18, 2012; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6946. A communication from the Chief of the Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Regulations Under Section 367(d) applicable to certain outbound asset reorganizations" (Notice 2012-39) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 19, 2012; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-6947. A communication from the Chief of the Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Tribal Economic Development Bonds" (Notice 2012-48) received in the Office of the President of the

Senate on July 19, 2012; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-6948. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the semiannual report on the continued compliance of Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Moldova, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan, and Uzbekistan with the 1974 Trade Act's freedom of emigration provisions, as required under the Jackson-Vanik Amendment; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-6949. A communication from the Chairman of the United States International Trade Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "The Year in Trade 2011"; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-6950. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, notice of proposed permanent transfer of significant military equipment pursuant to section 3(d) of the Arms Export Control Act (Transmittal No. RSAT-12-2990); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-6951. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, notice of proposed permanent transfer of significant military equipment pursuant to section 3(d) of the Arms Export Control Act (Transmittal No. RSAT-12-2917); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-6952. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, certification of proposed issuance of an export license pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act (Transmittal No. DDTC 12-080); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-6953. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, certification of proposed issuance of an export license pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act (Transmittal No. DDTC 12-084); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-6954. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, certification of proposed issuance of an export license pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act (Transmittal No. DDTC 12-078); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-6955. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, certification of proposed issuance of an export license pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act (Transmittal No. DDTC 12-038); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-6956. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, certification of proposed issuance of an export license pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act (Transmittal No. DDTC 12-048); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-6957. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, certification of proposed issuance of an export license pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act (Transmittal No. DDTC 12-086); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-6958. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, certification of proposed issuance of an export license pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act (Transmittal No. DDTC 12-049); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-6959. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, certification of proposed issuance of an export license pursuant to section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act (Transmittal No. DDTC 12-068); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.