

Mr. Speaker, it is with great honor that I recognize Robin Read Brunelli today. I ask that my colleagues in the U.S. House of Representatives join me in honoring her today. I thank Robin for her service to the United States and know that her legacy of leadership and service will live on.

IN HONOR OF THE 100TH BIRTHDAY OF JAMES CECIL LINDLEY

**HON. MIKE ROGERS**

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, June 22, 2016*

Mr. ROGERS of Alabama. Mr. Speaker, I ask for the House's attention today to recognize the birthday of James Cecil Lindley. He will turn 100 on July 20th.

Mr. Lindley was born on July 20, 1916, in Randolph County, Alabama to James Pierce Lindley and Lettie Lipham Lindley. He attended school at New Home and Randolph County High. For college, he attended Snead College, Jacksonville State University and obtained a Master's Degree at the University of Alabama.

Mr. Lindley did his basic training for the Army in June of 1942 in Miami, Florida. He then went to Air Force training at Fort Logan, Colorado and later Peterson Field in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

He served in the 5th Air Force with the 20th mapping squadron. During World War II, he served in the Philippines. Mr. Lindley was discharged after World War II at Camp Shelby in October 1945.

Mr. Lindley married Audrey Cofield and had two children: Don and Doyle (deceased). He also has a daughter-in-law, Sheila Ponder Lindley. He was blessed with four grandchildren: Tracy Lindley, James Robert (Rob) Lindley (deceased), Cinda Lindley and Kerrie Lindley. And also blessed with four great-grandchildren: Lindley Thompson, Nic Thompson, Alycia Guyer and Eric Guyer.

Mr. Lindley taught vocational education in Piedmont and later in Oxford. He moved to Montgomery in 1964 as State Supervisor of Vocational Education (VICA) and later was inducted into the Alabama Educational Hall of Fame.

Mr. Speaker, please join me in recognizing the life and achievements of Mr. Lindley and wishing him a happy 100th birthday.

MAX CLELAND CONGRESSIONAL GOLD MEDAL ACT OF 2016

**HON. SANFORD D. BISHOP, JR.**

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, June 22, 2016*

Mr. BISHOP of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, I want to recognize the extraordinary contributions to our nation by Max Cleland, who served as a United States Senator from Georgia between 1997 and 2003, by introducing the Max Cleland Congressional Gold Medal Act of 2016.

Max Cleland's life in public service began as a young man when he joined the Reserve Officers' Training Corps at Stetson University. Following his graduation, he volunteered to

serve as an Army Officer in Vietnam, where he was awarded the Silver Star for his bravery at the Battle of Khe Sanh. He later suffered extensive injuries in combat, ultimately losing both of his legs and his right arm. Facing an uncertain future while recovering at Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Senator Cleland fought to overcome his injuries with both resilience and sheer fortitude.

Following his release from Walter Reed, Cleland became the youngest member of the Georgia State Senate in 1970. Seven years later, he was appointed to head the Veterans Administration by President Jimmy Carter. Cleland then served as Georgia's Secretary of State from 1982 to 1996, after which he was elected to the United States Senate, where he represented Georgia for six years. In the U.S. Senate, Cleland advocated for veterans and a strong national defense, helped to institute significant reforms at the U.S. Department of Defense, and became a respected leader in Congress. Upon leaving the Senate, he served on the 9/11 Commission and is currently the Secretary of the American Battle Monuments Commission, a position to which he was appointed by President Obama in 2009.

As a leader on behalf of veterans for over four decades, Senator Cleland has overcome immeasurable obstacles and demonstrated how disabilities do not have to hinder having an accomplished and fulfilled life. His service, life, and fortitude in the face of adversity are indeed an example for us all.

The Congressional Gold Medal is the proper means to honor this distinguished American who has given so much and continues to work tirelessly on behalf of the entire nation. I urge my colleagues to support this measure.

CLEMENTS HIGH SCHOOL'S ANGELA LIN NAMED H&R BLOCK BUDGET CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP WINNER

**HON. PETE OLSON**

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, June 22, 2016*

Mr. OLSON. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Clements High School senior Angela Lin of Sugar Land, TX for winning the H&R Block Budget Challenge grand prize scholarship.

With two older brothers attending the University of Houston, college tuition was going to pose a challenge for Angela. So she worked hard and entered the Bucket Challenge and won a \$120,000 scholarship from a competitive field of 150,000 students. The challenge was a 10-week financial literacy competition in which she developed spreadsheets, made choices on insurance deductibles, planned how to spend paychecks and how to pay bills. Angela's hard work paid off and she plans to earn a double major in management systems and marketing with a potential minor in entrepreneurship. Angela's potential is limitless.

On behalf of the Twenty-Second Congressional District of Texas, congratulations again to Angela Lin on winning the H&R Block Budget Challenge scholarship. Keep up the great work, and keep on pursuing your dreams Angela.

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate of February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Thursday, June 23, 2016 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

JUNE 28

9:30 a.m.

Committee on Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine improving strategic integration at the Department of Defense.

SH-216

10 a.m.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Subcommittee on Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine Infrastructure, Safety and Security

To hold hearings to examine how the Internet of Things (IoT) can bring United States transportation and infrastructure into the 21st century.

SR-253

Committee on Finance

To hold hearings to examine the proposed Medicare Part B drug demonstration.

SD-215

Committee on Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine global efforts to defeat ISIS.

SD-419

Committee on the Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine the implementation of the Justice for Victims of Trafficking Act of 2015.

SD-226

2 p.m.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

Subcommittee on Primary Health and Retirement Security

To hold hearings to examine small business health care, focusing on costs and options.

SD-430

2:30 p.m.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

Subcommittee on Public Lands, Forests, and Mining

To hold an oversight hearing to examine the status of the the Bureau of Land Management and Forest Service's efforts to implement amendments to land use plans and specific management plans regarding sage grouse conservation, and those agencies' coordination activities with affected states.

SD-366

Committee on the Judiciary  
Subcommittee on Oversight, Agency Action, Federal Rights and Federal Courts

To hold hearings to examine the consequences of agency efforts to deemphasize radical Islam in combating terrorism.

SD-226

4 p.m.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Andrew Mayoock, of Illinois, to be Deputy Director for Management, Office of Management and Budget.

SD-342

JUNE 29

10 a.m.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.

SR-253

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine Every Student Succeeds Act implementation, focusing on an update from the Secretary of Education on proposed regulations.

SD-430

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine preparing for and protecting the nation from Zika.

SD-342

Committee on the Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine protecting older Americans from financial exploitation.

SD-226

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship

To hold hearings to examine the consequences of dwindling startup activity.

SR-428A

2:15 p.m.

Committee on Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine S. 2796, to repeal certain obsolete laws relating to Indians, S. 2959, to amend the White Mountain Apache Tribe Water Rights Quantification Act of 2010 to clarify the use of amounts in the WMAT Settlement Fund, and S. 3013, to authorize and implement the water rights compact among the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Indian Reservation, the State of Montana, and the United States.

SD-628

2:30 p.m.

Committee on Environment and Public Works

Subcommittee on Superfund, Waste Management, and Regulatory Oversight

To hold an oversight hearing to examine the Environmental Protection Agency enforcement and compliance programs.

SD-406

Committee on Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings to examine S. 244, to require an independent comprehensive

review of the process by which the Department of Veterans Affairs assesses cognitive impairments that result from traumatic brain injury for purposes of awarding disability compensation, S. 603, to amend title 38, United States Code, to make permanent the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to transport individuals to and from facilities of the Department of Veterans Affairs in connection with rehabilitation, counseling, examination, treatment, and care, S. 2210, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out a program to establish peer specialists in patient aligned care teams at medical centers of the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 2279, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out a program to increase efficiency in the recruitment and hiring by the Department of Veterans Affairs of health care workers that are undergoing separation from the Armed Forces, to create uniform credentialing standards for certain health care professionals of the Department, S. 2316, to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand the requirements for reissuance of veterans benefits in cases of misuse of benefits by certain fiduciaries to include misuse by all fiduciaries, and to improve oversight of fiduciaries, S. 2791, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for the treatment of veterans who participated in the cleanup of Enewetak Atoll as radiation exposed veterans for purposes of the presumption of service-connection of certain disabilities by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, S. 2958, to establish a pilot program on partnership agreements to construct new facilities for the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 3021, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the use of Post-9/11 Educational Assistance to pursue independent study programs at certain educational institutions that are not institutions of higher learning, S. 3023, to provide for the reconsideration of claims for disability compensation for veterans who were the subjects of experiments by the Department of Defense during World War II that were conducted to assess the effects of mustard gas or lewisite on people, S. 3032, to provide for an increase, effective December 1, 2016, in the rates of compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans, S. 3035, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out a pilot program to increase the use of medical scribes to maximize the efficiency of physicians at medical facilities of the Department of Veterans Affairs, S. 3055, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide a dental insurance plan to veterans and survivors and dependents of veterans, S. 3076, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to furnish caskets and urns for burial in cemeteries of States

and tribal organizations of veterans without next of kin or sufficient resources to provide for caskets or urns, S. 3081, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide certain employees of members of Congress with access to case-tracking information of the Department of Veterans Affairs, an original bill to clarify the scope of procedural rights of members of the uniformed services with respect to their employment and reemployment rights, to improve the enforcement of such employment and reemployment rights, an original bill to expand eligibility for readjustment counseling to certain members of the Selected Reserve of the Armed Forces, an original bill to authorize payment by the Department of Veterans Affairs for the costs associated with service by medical residents and interns at facilities operated by Indian tribes and tribal organizations, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out a pilot program to expand medical residencies and internships at such facilities, and an original bill to authorize the American Battle Monuments Commission to acquire, operate, and maintain the Lafayette Escadrille Memorial in Marnes-la-Coquette, France.

SR-418

JUNE 30

9 a.m.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

Subcommittee on Regulatory Affairs and Federal Management

To hold hearings to examine the use of agency regulatory guidance.

SD-342

10 a.m.

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship

To hold hearings to examine small business survival amidst flood insurance rate increases.

SR-428A

JULY 13

10:30 a.m.

Committee on Appropriations

Subcommittee on Military Construction and Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies

To hold hearings to examine a review of the Department of Veterans Affairs' electronic health record (VistA), progress toward interoperability with the Department of Defense's electronic health record, and plans for the future.

SD-124

JULY 14

10 a.m.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings to examine evaluating the financial risks of China.

SD-538