

we are forced to rely on news reports, and what I am reading in the news is not good.

The article that I just included in the RECORD also quotes a Harvard professor who says: "Think of this as the if-you-have-rheumatoid-arthritis-you-should-pay-\$30,000 provision."

The article says that we could go back to a world where insurers could simply tell the mother of a mentally ill child that she couldn't buy insurance. It is ironic that the Republicans want to take away a woman's choice about a pregnancy, and then it looks like they are going to take away any insurance she needs for prenatal care or maternity care.

What are we doing here, Mr. Speaker? What will we be asked to vote on later today? If these sorts of dangerous ideas are being considered, we, the American people, deserve to know. Twenty-four million people are going to lose their insurance under the proposal the Republicans are considering. People will pay more and get less. There will be huge tax cuts for the rich. Again, we don't even have the final text. This is awful. This is unacceptable.

I will remind my colleagues that this is about the American people. Put the people of this country ahead of your party, ahead of your ideology, and ahead of this President who just discovered that health care is complicated.

This is a life-or-death issue for many in this country. Health care is very personal. Don't take it away from people. Let's work in a bipartisan way to make the improvements in the Affordable Care Act that we all know need to be made, but don't just tear apart a healthcare system that is providing an additional 20 million Americans health insurance.

Please don't do this. Slow down. Provide us the text of the bill. Let's have hearings. Let's bring the American people into the Congress and listen to what they have to say. Listen to what your own constituents have been saying to you in townhalls. They don't want what you are selling here today. They don't want your rescue plan. They want health care for themselves and their families, and that is what they deserve.

So, please, vote down this martial law rule and go back to the drawing board.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. SESSIONS. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Seven years ago, Mr. Speaker, this town was abuzz with this new healthcare plan, the Affordable Care Act, that was signed by the President of the United States. We were promised an enormous opportunity to make health care better.

Mr. Speaker, fortunately, the American people had a chance to make a decision, and the American people—after watching and seeing not only people in-

capable of putting databases together, incapable of understanding marketplaces, and incapable of understanding the limits of the American people's real need to understand and to have a better healthcare system—gave up on ObamaCare, the Affordable Care Act. They gave up on it because, after 7 long years, they understood it simply didn't equal what they were sold.

The Republican Party is selling what we believe in, and this is the beginning of that sell. It is a beginning of an understanding for most Members of this body and the American people to understand you can keep your own doctor and you can keep your own healthcare plan, but you, too, can make your own decisions. You can become a consumer.

Oh, my gosh, somebody from Washington isn't going to tell us exactly what to do? Let's scare everybody; let's make them think that the American people can't make their own decisions without the IRS or Washington telling them what to do.

I understand there are some frustrations. I get that. I can be frustrated; I am not. It is true last week I held a townhall meeting in Dallas, Texas. It is true a bunch of people yelled and screamed at me. They simply wanted to know: Yes or no, yes or no.

Mr. Speaker, policy is not like that in our country. The Republican Party does owe people thoughts, ideas, and plans. We will have the bill, and when we do it, we will own it, and we will be proud of it.

Mr. Speaker, I urge my colleagues to support this rule.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time, and I move the previous question on the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on ordering the previous question.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. MCGOVERN. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, further proceedings on this question will be postponed.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. Curtis, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has agreed to without amendment a joint resolution of the House of the following title:

H.J. Res. 83. Joint Resolution disapproving the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to "Clarification of Employer's Continuing Obligation to Make and Maintain an Accurate Record of Each Recordable Injury and Illness".

The message also announced that pursuant to section 9355(a) of title 10, United States Code, the Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appoints the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy:

The Senator from New Mexico (Mr. UDALL) (Committee on Appropriations).

The Senator from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO) (Committee on Armed Services).

The message also announced that pursuant to section 4355(a) of title 10, United States Code, the Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appoints the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Military Academy:

The Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) (Committee on Armed Services).

The Senator from Connecticut (Mr. MURPHY) (Committee on Appropriations).

The message also announced that pursuant to section 1295b(h) of title 46 App., United States Code, the Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appoints the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy:

The Senator from Michigan (Mr. PETERS) (At Large).

The Senator from Hawaii (Mr. SCHATZ) (Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation).

The message also announced that pursuant to section 194(a) of title 14, United States Code, as amended by Public Law 101-595, and further amended by Public Law 113-281, the Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appoints the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Coast Guard Academy:

The Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) (Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation).

The Senator from Connecticut (Mr. BLUMENTHAL) (At Large).

The message also announced that pursuant to section 6968(a) of title 10, United States Code, the Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appoints the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Naval Academy:

The Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) (Committee on Appropriations).

The Senator from Maryland (Mr. CARDIN) (At Large).

#### RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 22 minutes a.m.), the House stood in recess.

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#### AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. SIMPSON) at 8 o'clock and 5 minutes p.m.

#### COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, March 23, 2017.

Hon. PAUL D. RYAN,  
The Speaker, House of Representatives,  
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on March 23, 2017, at 1:36 p.m.:

That the Senate passed without amendment S.J. Res. 34.

With best wishes, I am,  
Sincerely,

KAREN L. HAAS.

**ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER  
PRO TEMPORE**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, proceedings will resume on questions previously postponed.

Notes will be taken in the following order:

Ordering the previous question on House Resolution 221;

Adopting House Resolution 221, if ordered; and

Agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal, if ordered.

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. Remaining electronic votes will be conducted as 5-minute votes.

**WAIVING A REQUIREMENT OF  
CLAUSE 6(a) OF RULE XIII WITH  
RESPECT TO CONSIDERATION OF  
CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS RE-  
PORTED FROM THE COMMITTEE  
ON RULES, AND PROVIDING FOR  
CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS TO  
SUSPEND THE RULES**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on ordering the previous question on the resolution (H. Res. 221) waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules, and providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on ordering the previous question.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 233, nays 185, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 188]

YEAS—233

Abraham	Biggs	Buck
Aderholt	Bilirakis	Bucshon
Allen	Bishop (MI)	Budd
Amash	Bishop (UT)	Burgess
Amodei	Black	Byrne
Arrington	Blackburn	Calvert
Babin	Blum	Carter (GA)
Bacon	Bost	Carter (TX)
Banks (IN)	Brat	Chabot
Barletta	Bridenstine	Chaffetz
Barr	Brooks (AL)	Cheney
Barton	Brooks (IN)	Coffman
Bergman	Buchanan	Cole

Collins (GA)	Jenkins (WV)	Rice (SC)	Kilmer	Nadler	Scott (VA)
Collins (NY)	Johnson (LA)	Roby	Kind	Napolitano	Scott, David
Comer	Johnson (OH)	Roe (TN)	Krishnamoorthi	Neal	Serrano
Comstock	Johnson, Sam	Rogers (AL)	Kuster (NH)	Nolan	Sewell (AL)
Conaway	Jones	Rogers (KY)	Langevin	Norcross	Shea-Porter
Cook	Jordan	Rohrabacher	Larsen (WA)	O'Halleran	Sherman
Costello (PA)	Joyce (OH)	Rokita	Larson (CT)	O'Rourke	Sinema
Cramer	Katko	Rooney, Francis	Lawrence	Pallone	Sires
Crawford	Kelly (MS)	Rooney, Thomas	Lawson (FL)	Panetta	Smith (WA)
Culberson	Kelly (PA)	J.	Lee	Pascrell	Soto
Curbelo (FL)	King (IA)	Ros-Lehtinen	Levin	Pelosi	Speier
Davidson	King (NY)	Roskam	Lewis (GA)	Perlmutter	Suozi
Davis, Rodney	Kinzie	Ross	Lipinski	Peters	Swalwell (CA)
Denham	Knight	Rothfus	Loeb sack	Peterson	Thompson (CA)
Dent	Kustoff (TN)	Rouzer	Lofgren	Pingree	Thompson (MS)
DeSantis	Labrador	Royce (CA)	Lowenthal	Pocan	Titus
DeJarlais	LaHood	Russell	Lowey	Polis	Tonko
Diaz-Balart	LaMalfa	Rutherford	Lujan Grisham,	Price (NC)	Torres
Donovan	Lamborn	Sanford	M.	Quigley	Vargas
Duffy	Lance	Scalise	Lujan, Ben Ray	Raskin	Veasey
Duncan (SC)	Latta	Schweikert	Lynch	Rice (NY)	Vela
Duncan (TN)	Lewis (MN)	Scott, Austin	Maloney,	Richmond	Velázquez
Dunn	LoBiondo	Sensenbrenner	Carolyn B.	Rosen	Visclosky
Emmer	Long	Sessions	Maloney, Sean	Roybal-Allard	Walz
Farenthold	Loudermilk	Shimkus	Matsui	Ruiz	Wasserman
Faso	Love	Shuster	McCollum	Ruppersberger	Wasserman
Ferguson	Lucas	Simpson	McEachin	Ryan (OH)	Schultz
Fitzpatrick	Luetkemeyer	Smith (MO)	McGovern	Sánchez	Waters, Maxine
Fleischmann	MacArthur	Smith (NJ)	McNerney	Sarbanes	Watson Coleman
Flores	Marchant	Smith (TX)	Meng	Schakowsky	Welch
Fortenberry	Marino	Smucker	Moore	Schiff	Wilson (FL)
Fox	Marshall	Mast	Moulton	Schneider	Yarmuth
Franks (AZ)	Massie	McCarthy	Murphy (FL)	Schrader	
Frelinghuysen	Mast	McCaul			
Gaetz	McCarthy	McClintock			
Gallagher	McCaul	McHenry			
Garrett	McClintock	McKinley			
Gibbs	McHenry	McMorris			
Gohmert	McKinley	Rodgers			
Goodlatte	McMorris	McSally			
Gosar	Rodgers	Meehan			
Gowdy	McSally	Messer			
Granger	Meehan	Mitchell			
Graves (GA)	Messer	Moolenaar			
Graves (LA)	Mitchell	Mooney (WV)			
Graves (MO)	Moolenaar	Mullin			
Griffith	Mooney (WV)	Murphy (PA)			
Grothman	Mullin	Newhouse			
Guthrie	Murphy (PA)	Noem			
Harper	Newhouse	Nunes			
Harris	Noem	Olson			
Hartzler	Nunes	Palazzo			
Hensarling	Olson	Palmer			
Herrera Beutler	Palazzo	Paulsen			
Hice, Jody B.	Palmer	Pearce			
Higgins (LA)	Paulsen	Perry			
Hill	Pearce	Pittenger			
Holding	Perry	Poe (TX)			
Hollingsworth	Pittenger	Poliquin			
Hudson	Poe (TX)	Posey			
Huizenga	Poliquin	Ratcliffe			
Hultgren	Posey	Reed			
Hunter	Ratcliffe	Reichert			
Hurd	Reed	Renacci			
Issa	Reichert				
Jenkins (KS)	Renacci				

NAYS—185

Adams	Clyburn	Evans
Aguiar	Cohen	Foster
Barragán	Connolly	Frankel (FL)
Bass	Conyers	Fudge
Beatty	Cooper	Gabbard
Bera	Correa	Gallego
Beyer	Costa	Garamendi
Bishop (GA)	Courtney	Gonzalez (TX)
Blumenauer	Crist	Gottheimer
Blunt Rochester	Crowley	Green, Al
Bonamici	Cuellar	Green, Gene
Boyle, Brendan	Cummings	Grijalva
F.	Davis (CA)	Gutiérrez
Brady (PA)	Davis, Danny	Hanabusa
Brown (MD)	DeFazio	Hastings
Brownley (CA)	DeGette	Heck
Bustos	Delaney	Higgins (NY)
Butterfield	DeLauro	Himes
Capuano	DelBene	Hoyer
Carbajal	Demings	Huffman
Cárdenas	DeSaunier	Jackson Lee
Carson (IN)	DeSaulnier	Jayapal
Cartwright	Deutch	Johnson (GA)
Castor (FL)	Dingell	Johnson, E. B.
Castro (TX)	Doggett	Kaptur
Chu, Judy	Doyle, Michael	Keating
F.		Kelly (IL)
Ellison		Kennedy
Engel		Khanna
Eshoo		Kihuen
Españillat		Kildee
Esty		

Kilmer	Nadler	Scott (VA)
Kind	Napolitano	Scott, David
Krishnamoorthi	Neal	Serrano
Kuster (NH)	Nolan	Sewell (AL)
Langevin	Norcross	Shea-Porter
Larsen (WA)	O'Halleran	Sherman
Larson (CT)	O'Rourke	Sinema
Lawrence	Pallone	Sires
Lawson (FL)	Panetta	Smith (WA)
Lee	Pascrell	Soto
Levin	Pelosi	Speier
Lewis (GA)	Perlmutter	Suozi
Lipinski	Peters	Swalwell (CA)
Loeb sack	Peterson	Thompson (CA)
Lofgren	Pingree	Thompson (MS)
Lowenthal	Pocan	Titus
Lowey	Polis	Tonko
Lujan Grisham,	Price (NC)	Torres
M.	Quigley	Vargas
Lujan, Ben Ray	Raskin	Veasey
Lynch	Rice (NY)	Vela
Maloney,	Richmond	Velázquez
Carolyn B.	Rosen	Visclosky
Maloney, Sean	Roybal-Allard	Walz
Matsui	Ruiz	Wasserman
McCollum	Ruppersberger	Wasserman
McEachin	Ryan (OH)	Schultz
McGovern	Sánchez	Waters, Maxine
McNerney	Sarbanes	Watson Coleman
Meng	Schakowsky	Welch
Moore	Schiff	Wilson (FL)
Moulton	Schneider	Yarmuth
Murphy (FL)	Schrader	

NOT VOTING—11

Brady (TX)	Meeks	Takano
Jeffries	Payne	Tsongas
Lieu, Ted	Rush	Webster (FL)
Meadows	Slaughter	

□ 2044

Messrs. GONZALEZ of Texas and VELA changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Messrs. SMITH of New Jersey, CALVERT, KNIGHT, Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS, Messrs. POLLQUIN, and LAHOOD changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the previous question was ordered. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the resolution.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. MCGOVERN. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered. The SPEAKER pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 227, noes 189, not voting 13, as follows:

[Roll No. 189]

AYES—227

Abraham	Bridenstine	Cook
Aderholt	Brooks (AL)	Costello (PA)
Allen	Brooks (IN)	Cramer
Amodei	Buchanan	Crawford
Arrington	Buck	Culberson
Babin	Bucshon	Curbelo (FL)
Bacon	Budd	Davidson
Banks (IN)	Burgess	Davis, Rodney
Barletta	Byrne	Denham
Barr	Calvert	Dent
Barton	Carter (GA)	DeSantis
Bergman	Carter (TX)	DeJarlais
Biggs	Chabot	Donovan
Bilirakis	Chaffetz	Duffy
Bishop (MI)	Cheney	Duncan (SC)
Bishop (UT)	Coffman	Duncan (TN)
Bishop (WV)	Cole	Dunn
Blackburn	Collins (GA)	Emmer
Blum	Collins (NY)	Farenthold
Bost	Comer	Faso
Brat	Comstock	Ferguson
Bridenstine	Conaway	Fitzpatrick