

Van Drew	Waltz	Wild
Van Duyne	Wasserman	Williams (GA)
Van Orden	Schultz	Williams (TX)
Vargas	Watson Coleman	Wilson (FL)
Vasquez	Weber (TX)	Wilson (SC)
Veasey	Webster (FL)	Wittman
Velázquez	Wenstrup	Womack
Wagner	Westerman	Yakym
Walberg	Wexton	Zinke

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Babin	Gallego	Ogles
Barragán	Garcia (IL)	Posey
Blumenauer	Gosar	Salazar
Buchanan	Grijalva	Smith (NE)
Burlison	Guest	Trone
Cartwright	Kelly (PA)	Waters
Costa	LaMalfa	Williams (NY)
Diaz-Balart	Mullin	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining.

□ 1858

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. WILLIAMS of New York. Madam Speaker, after a routine doctor's appointment found an important medical issue, I am now scheduled for a minimally invasive surgical procedure this week. This will impede my ability to vote. Had I been present today, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall No. 290, H.R. 1548 and "yea" on rollcall No. 291, H.R. 1096.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the unfinished business is the question on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal, which the Chair will put de novo.

The question is on the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

PERMISSION FOR MEMBER TO BE
CONSIDERED AS FIRST SPONSOR
OF H.R. 1118

Mr. PAPPAS. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that I may hereafter be considered to be the first sponsor of H.R. 1118, a bill originally introduced by Representative CICILLINE of Rhode Island, for the purpose of adding cosponsors and requesting reprintings pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from New Hampshire?

There was no objection.

MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR
WYNTER COLE SMITH

(Mr. JAMES asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. JAMES. Madam Speaker, over the weekend of July 4, sweet, precious, 2-year-old angel, Wynter Cole Smith of Lansing was kidnapped and killed by a truly evil person. Two years old, murdered with an iPhone charging cable. Everyone in Michigan is horrified by this heinous and despicable crime; a bright light snuffed out way too early.

Madam Speaker, our thoughts and prayers are with Wynter's family, and I ask that all Members in the Chamber and those in the gallery please rise for a moment of silence to honor and remember this beautiful, beautiful soul.

We love Wynter Cole Smith, and she will always be in our hearts.

CELEBRATING TEAM USA'S
LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP

(Mr. PAYNE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. PAYNE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to celebrate Team USA's recent World Lacrosse Championship.

On July 1, the U.S. defeated Canada 10-7 to claim the title. It was the second straight championship for the U.S. Men's team, and the 11th time in 14 tournaments that the U.S. has won it all.

This year, the team was a perfect seven wins and zero losses through the tournament, and it scored an incredible 86 goals in seven games.

The team was led by tournament Most Valuable Player Brennan O'Neill. As the youngest player on the U.S. national team, O'Neill scored 5 goals in the final and scored 15 goals throughout the tournament. But it was O'Neill's goal with close to 2 minutes left that sealed the victory for the Americans.

Again, I congratulate the U.S. team for its World Lacrosse Championship and hope we celebrate them again after next year's tournament.

HONORING THE LIFE OF MARY
BULLOCK DEMERE

(Mr. CARTER of Georgia asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. CARTER of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the life of Mary Bullock Demere, a friend to many in Savannah, Georgia.

A grandmother to 17 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren, Mary loved to spend time with her family and was known as the ultimate hostess, always entertaining those dearest to her.

You could find Mary gardening, sailing with her husband, or dancing the jitterbug in her free time, and her loving compassion extended not just to her friends and family but also to animals. In fact, Mary would tell you that she could even speak to bears.

Her generous and kind spirit led her to become an avid donor to numerous charities, and Mary also dedicated her

time and energy to organizations in Savannah like the Savannah Junior League and Savannah Garden Club.

I send my thoughts and prayers to Mary's family and thank God for having brought such a beacon of light and joy into this world.

HAPPY PRIDE MONTH SAN DIEGO

(Mr. PETERS asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. PETERS. Mr. Speaker, today I rise to recognize a celebration of love, acceptance, and diversity and a powerful testament to the resilience and spirit of the LGBTQ+ community, Pride Month in the city of San Diego.

San Diego has long been a beacon of progress and inclusivity, and at the heart of our great city lies Hillcrest, the vibrant LGBTQ+ center of San Diego in my congressional district.

Hillcrest stands as a symbol of hope and empowerment. Its colorful streets, adorned with rainbow flags, proudly reflect a community that has overcome adversity and fought for the rights and freedoms of all.

Let's take this moment to celebrate the achievements of the LGBTQ+ community and reaffirm our commitment to a future where every individual can live authentically and without fear of discrimination.

In San Diego, and across the Nation, let us build a society that celebrates diversity, cherishes our differences, ensures equality for all regardless of who they love or how they identify.

Happy Pride Month San Diego.

RECOGNIZING VAYDA BELL

(Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, I rise to recognize the kind actions of Vayda Bell of Bradford, Pennsylvania. After fires in her local town left five households in her community destroyed and the families in them displaced, 6-year-old Vayda decided to act.

Vayda Bell set out to help her community by setting up a lemonade and snack stand on her street. Hoping to raise \$100, she exchanged refreshing treats for donations a few dollars at a time. By the end of the day, she raised more than \$800 to help her neighbors in need, which was matched by a generous member of the community.

After setting out with the goal of helping five families in need with the support of her family and community, she earned more than \$1,600 to be donated.

Thank you, Vayda, for stepping up in such an impactful way. Your actions serve to inspire and instill your generosity in ourselves and those around us.

FIREARMS SAFETY

□ 1915

(Mr. FROST asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. FROST. Mr. Speaker, right now virtually anyone in our country can walk into a store and purchase a firearm they don't know how to use or store.

I rise today in support of my amendment to the National Defense Authorization Act. It studies weapons training, safety, and storage standards in the military to see how we can implement them for civilians.

Through our Armed Forces, the United States has developed a system capable of ensuring the safety and training of gun users. Look at all of the steps our servicemembers must take before they can carry a gun. This is what our servicemembers must go through before they can even pick up a gun.

Hundreds of people die every year from unintentional shootings. Why not take our military's best practices in firearm safety and apply them to civilians so we can reduce gun accidents and save lives? That is exactly what my amendment seeks to do, and I urge folks to support it.

HONORING THE SERVICE OF
JEREMY STUTSMAN

(Mr. YAKYM asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. YAKYM. Mr. Speaker, I rise to congratulate Jeremy Stutsman, who recently completed his tenure of dedicated service as the mayor of Goshen, Indiana.

Before stepping down last month, Jeremy had served as mayor of Goshen since January of 2016, and he holds the distinction of being the youngest mayor elected in Goshen's history of nearly 200 years.

Prior to becoming mayor, Jeremy also served on the City Council and Redevelopment Commission, and his record of serving Goshen runs over two decades deep.

Jeremy and I might belong to different political parties, but I couldn't be more proud to count this good man with a servant's heart as a friend.

Since leaving the mayor's office, Jeremy has hit the ground running in his new role of CEO of Lacasa, a local nonprofit that helps lower-income Hoosiers attain affordable housing and achieve financial stability.

I saw Jeremy just a few weeks ago at a ribbon cutting ceremony for some of Lacasa's newly renovated homes, and I can attest that Lacasa is indeed in very good hands.

We congratulate Jeremy on a job well done as mayor. May he keep up the good work in his new role. May God bless him and his family.

UPDATING U.S. TRADE REMEDY
LAWS AND COMBATING UNFAIR
TRADE PRACTICES

(Mr. MRVAN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. MRVAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in support of Leveling the Playing Field Act 2.0, legislation recently introduced by my colleague Congresswoman SEWELL.

As vice chairman of the Congressional Steel Caucus, I was proud to join her and other colleagues in a Steel Caucus hearing recently with representatives from the domestic steel industry and the United Steelworkers. These representatives of the industry were united in their support for this critical legislation that will update U.S. trade remedy laws and combat unfair trade practices.

Every effort must be taken to ensure that American workers can compete on a level playing field and thrive in our global economy.

Mr. Speaker, I look forward to continuing to work with all of my colleagues to advance this critical legislation to support the ability of all American workers to grow our economy and provide for our national security.

OVERSEEING THE BIDEN
ADMINISTRATION

(Mr. LAMALFA asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. LAMALFA. Mr. Speaker, one of the cornerstones of our responsibilities in Congress is oversight of government operations, whether that is the agencies, the White House, courts, or ourselves.

What are we looking at right now with the Biden administration? They can't even keep the White House clean and orderly and honorable. The story coming out on this cocaine issue is embarrassing for the country, and it is embarrassing that the leader of the free world will not investigate and provide answers on that and some other tawdry activities that have gone on on the lawn there during other events.

Accountability is extremely important for people to have faith in what their government is doing, and to see the Department of Justice either not doing its job or being weaponized against individuals they disagree with politically really lowers the faith that people and we as legislators have in the process here.

We have to do better, and that starts with our ability to have oversight hearings that are attended and questions that are answered here in this House, but also maybe a little better self-governance by the White House and this place of acting right, of doing right, and being honorable in their jobs.

CELEBRATING THE BIRTHDAY OF
JACKIE ROWE-ADAMS

(Mr. GOLDMAN of New York asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. GOLDMAN of New York. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to celebrate the birthday of Ms. Jackie Rowe-Adams and her inspirational life and remarkable accomplishments.

Jackie suffered the devastating loss of not one but two sons to gun violence in her Harlem neighborhood. Rather than succumb to her sorrow, she turned her heartbreaking pain into a powerful purpose by founding Harlem Mothers S.A.V.E., an organization dedicated to ending the traumatic scourge of gun violence in this country.

Always dressed in brightly colored matching outfits, Jackie is a fixture in her community, having served on multiple community boards, as president of her school board, and on a number of other boards and commissions. However, it is her dedication to her neighborhood's youth and her activism in ending gun violence that has drawn the admiration and respect of everyone in New York City.

It is an honor to know Jackie and a privilege to consider her a friend, and it is an even greater honor to be able to share her inspiring story here on the House floor. I wish her the happiest of birthdays.

UNLAWFUL USE OF THE CBP1 APP

(Mr. GROTHMAN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. GROTHMAN. Mr. Speaker, I am here today to highlight the important work the House is doing in the 118th Congress to hold the Biden administration accountable.

My colleagues are familiar with all we are doing with regard to looking at student loan agreements, the abusive pandemic-era policies, but today, I want to focus on something the administration is doing at the southern border that it has no business doing.

Their new unlawful use of the CBP1 app is allowing an even greater number of people to come across our border. In addition to people, the got-aways, in addition to the family units, in addition to the unaccompanied minors, we have people using an app to sign up and wind up coming into our country.

In the current fiscal year, in each one of the 9 months, we had for that month an all-time record number of people coming here. I think in part because of the use of this app, the slumbering press corps is not paying attention to that.

Let me repeat that one more time. In each of the last 9 months, we had an all-time high in the number of people coming into the United States.

This is an absolute scandal. I am glad our committee is taking it on, and I