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Joyce (PA)	Pelosi	Walberg Waltz
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Kiley	Porter	Wexton
Kilmer Kim (CA)	Posey Quigley	Wild Williams (GA)
Kim (NJ)	Raskin	Williams (NY)
Krishnamoorthi	Reschenthaler	Williams (TX)

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NAYS—9

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Carson Omar Tlaib

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—1

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Davis (NC) Kelly (PA) Payne
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Gallego Mace Stewart
Jackson (IL) McBath

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE
The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remain-

ing.

□ 1825

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. DELUZIO. Mr. Speaker, had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall No. 338, expressing the sense of Congress supporting the State of Israel.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina. Mr. Speaker, I missed votes today due to a death in the family. Had I been present, I would have voted "nay" on rollcall No. 333, H.J. Res. 68-Relating to a national emergency declared by the President on October 27, 2006, "nay" on rollcall No. 334, H.J. Res. 70-Relating to a national emergency declared by the President on February 25, 2011, "nay" on rollcall No. 335, H.J. Res. 74-Relating to a national emergency declared by the President on May 16, 2012, "nay" on rollcall No. 336, H.J. Res. 71-Relating to a national emergency declared by the President on May 22, 2003, "nay" on rollcall No. 337, H.J. Res. 79-Relating to a national emergency declared by the President on May 11, 2004, and "yea" on rollcall No. 338, H. Con. Res. 57—Expressing the sense of Congress supporting the State of Israel.

HOUR OF MEETING ON TOMORROW

Mr. ALFORD. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 9 a.m. tomorrow.

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

There was no objection.

□ 1830

HONORING TYRONE BROWN

(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 Tyrone "Hollywood" Brown, who was recently inducted into the American Basketball Hall of Fame.

Tyrone Brown was born in Savannah, Georgia, where he went to Alfred E. Beach High School. After years of hard work at Savannah State University, Tyrone joined the Harlem Globetrotters in 1985.

He was a member of the Harlem Globetrotters for over 10 years. During his time with the Globetrotters, Tyrone put an emphasis on children's education and development.

He remained passionate about inspiring children to set goals and work hard, leading him to create the Ambassadors of Responsibility Foundation to enable former teammates to better serve elementary and middle school students across the country.

Tyrone also wrote a book "A Piece of Paper" that tells his own story of how he worked to become a Harlem Globetrotter.

Tyrone was inducted into the Hall of Fame this past June alongside many other basketball legends.

WELCOMING PRESIDENT HERZOG OF ISRAEL

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

Mr. LANDSMAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to welcome President Herzog of Israel to the Capitol tomorrow.

Israel is a critical partner of ours and essential to our national security. It is one of the most inclusive and progressive democracies in the world with high voter turnout, a diverse legislature, a Pride event in Tel Aviv that is one of the biggest Pride events in the world.

We must continue to grow our special relationship with Israel.

We also know that the path to peace and security and a two-state outcome will be a strong governing authority in the West Bank and then Gaza. This will help get the mostly Iranian-backed terror groups out of the West Bank. The key will be for European and Arab nations to help our Palestinian friends establish this legitimate governing authority.

With this, we will be on an historic path toward peace and better lives for both Israelis and Palestinians.

Again, I welcome President Herzog. We are so glad he is here, and I hope that this unique and special relationship between our countries continues to grow stronger and stronger all in our effort to promote peace and prosperity around the world.

THE RIGHT TO FREE SPEECH IS A CORNERSTONE OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY

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

Mr. JOYCE of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, since the Bill of Rights was ratified in 1791, the right to free speech has been the cornerstone of American democracy.

Sadly, we have seen deliberate and malicious attempts by President Biden

and his administration to censor and silence this unalienable right.

Under the guise of public health, the Biden administration has attempted to use the Oval Office as a bully pulpit to punish those who share beliefs that the President disagrees with and news that he doesn't like.

The Federal Government should never punish Americans for using First Amendment rights, and the decision by a U.S. district judge to limit the Biden administration's contact with social media companies is a positive first step toward correcting these wrongs.

My constituents who have been censored deserve accountability, and it is time for the Biden administration to fully admit to the actions that were taken to stifle free speech.

GUN VIOLENCE IS AN EPIDEMIC

(Ms. SCHRIER asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. SCHRIER. Mr. Speaker, I am here today to speak about the epidemic of gun violence that continues to plague our country. In fact, gun violence is now the leading cause of death for children.

As a pediatrician, I understand that we have to look at this as a public health crisis and work on multiple levels to keep our children and communities safe from gun violence.

I am focused on pragmatic solutions and proud that both parties came together last Congress to take some commonsense steps to keep guns away from people who are likely to pose a danger and to address the mental health crisis in this country that has led to higher rates of firearm suicide.

There is more to do, and I invite my Republican colleagues to join us to enhance background checks and close loopholes that allow some people to buy guns without a background check, to increase funding for research so that we can make evidence-based decisions in our legislation, and to incentivize safe storage because children should not have access to their parents' weapons.

There are areas where we worked together last Congress, and we can do more

Not a single Republican Member of Congress lost their race last year because they voted for commonsense safe gun ownership laws. We can do more to protect children and communities, and we should do it together.

STAND AGAINST ANTI-SEMITISM

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

Mr. ALFORD. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to stand against anti-Semitism.

I stand before you as a Republican Member of Congress to address the issue that transcends party lines and touches the very core of who we are as Americans. Anti-Semitism is a pernicious form of hatred that has persisted for far too long in our world. It undermines the principles of tolerance, acceptance, and compassion that we hold dear as Americans.

It is deeply troubling and entirely unacceptable that a colleague on the other side of the aisle has labeled Israel a racist state.

We must be resolute in our efforts to combat this hate and be unequivocal in our condemnation of anti-Semitism in all of its forms from all persons.

The Jewish people have shown incredible resilience and strength as they have faced unimaginable suffering throughout history—from the horrors of the Holocaust to the persistent prejudice that seeks to marginalize them today, as the Jewish people have been unjustly targeted.

Let us join hands in solidarity, Mr. Speaker, with our Jewish brothers and sisters and make it our mission to combat and eradicate anti-Semitism once and for all.

GUN VIOLENCE

(Ms. JACOBS asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. JACOBS. Mr. Speaker, gun violence is the number one killer of kids and teens in America.

For so many problems facing our country, we don't know what to do, we don't know exactly how to fix it. Gun violence is different. We know what to do, but Republicans lack the backbone to do it, and, frankly, their justifications why aren't good enough.

Bucking your party, alienating the NRA, or potentially risking your seat is worth it to save lives.

We can save lives by reinstating the Federal Assault Weapons Ban. The 1994 ban that was implemented when I was only 5 years old decreased gun massacres by 37 percent, and when that ban expired, gun massacres rose by 183 percent.

Reinstating this ban would prevent parents from having to say their final good-byes to their children. It would prevent the trauma we knowingly pass on to future generations. It would prevent the never-ending what-ifs, if-onlys, and what-could-have-beens when thinking about the loved ones we have lost.

I urge my colleagues to do the right thing and reinstate the Federal Assault Weapons Ban.

PAY ATTENTION

(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 rise today to talk a little bit about a hearing we are going to have tomorrow in the Oversight and Accountability Committee regarding members of President Biden's family.

It is a hearing I don't want to have. I think the President has done a pretty bad job, and politically he has made a lot of mistakes that have made him unpopular, but what we are dealing with here is significant sums of money, tens of millions of dollars, that appears to have flowed to his family from other countries around the world—in particular, China and Ukraine.

It is very difficult as a Congressman

It is very difficult as a Congressman to know exactly what American policy should be with regard to these countries, but it makes it even more difficult if it is apparent that the President of the United States or his family may have received significant amounts of money and may have even been subject to blackmail if the worst had happened.

I strongly encourage the American public and the Chair to tune into our hearing tomorrow because we are going to unveil a new witness whose name has not been publicly revealed, and I think it is important for all Americans to pay attention and see exactly what is going on.

CELEBRATING THE 95TH BIRTHDAY OF LOU PECORA

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

Mr. CORREA. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to celebrate the 95th birthday of Lou Pecora, a beloved member of our Orange County community.

Lou was born in Pennsylvania where his family business was making boots for coal miners. Many of his friends went to Wall Street, but Lou's passion was on Main Street where he found his love for education.

Lou began as a professor at Fairleigh Dickinson University where he taught business to English majors, preparing young professionals with all the skills necessary to succeed in a changing world.

It took getting stuck under a bridge during a snowstorm in Pennsylvania for Lou to decide to finally move to the West Coast. Naturally, he decided to move to our great city of Santa Ana, and he has been there ever since.

Lou believes in living a good life. He believes in friends, good friends, and giving back. He and his partner, Joe, were together for 55 years, and they have been embraced by our community because of their charisma and charm.

Mr. Speaker, I wish Lou a happy 95th birthday, and I wish him many more.

OPPOSITION TO STRIPPING FUND-ING FROM THE LGBT CENTER OF GREATER READING

(Ms. HOULAHAN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. HOULAHAN. Mr. Speaker, today Appropriations Committee Republicans struck down community project funding requests for three projects related to LGBTQ organizations, and one was from my community.