

Phil cofounded El Centro de la Causa, an agency that worked with Mexican-American youth and the Spanish-speaking population in the 1970s.

In his three decades at El Centro, Phil provided support and built the infrastructure that led to the founding of so many other organizations in the community.

For Phil, the ultimate goal was to give back to the community. Whether it was meeting with President Carter at the White House alongside Latino leaders or serving as a member of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights or through his work in our neighborhoods, Phil fulfilled the goal with every fiber in his being.

Madam Speaker, I thank Phil for his service. May he rest in peace.

CONGRATULATING BREVARD HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL TEAM

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

Mr. EDWARDS. Madam Speaker, I rise today to congratulate the Brevard High School volleyball team for winning the 2A volleyball State championship for North Carolina for the first time in their school's history.

The Brevard Blue Devils dominated Saturday's championship game in a 3-0 win against Camden County High School.

As a former high school athlete myself, I recognize the sacrifices and dedication that go into making this type of victory happen.

Senior and star middle hitter Meleah Foster, with her numerous kills and blocks, was named MVP of the State finals.

The Blue Devils have outstanding individual players, but what sets them apart is their unity as a team. Each and every member contributed to this historic victory.

Madam Speaker, I congratulate the Blue Devils. I wish all of them the very best in their future endeavors and encourage them to continue to strive for excellence on and off the court. They have made western North Carolina proud.

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF RUTH LAVINE

(Ms. KAMLAGER-DOVE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. KAMLAGER-DOVE. Madam Speaker, I rise today to mourn the loss of Ruth Lavine, who passed away at the age of 103.

Ruth was born in Hamburg, Germany, but emigrated to Los Angeles as the Nazi Party was rising to power in the 1930s.

Ruth became a lifelong Trojan, receiving both her undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Southern California. She was one of

only five female students in her USC Law School class.

Ruth and her husband, Dick, married in 1944, spending 50 wonderful years together.

Ruth enjoyed an active role in her children's lives and maintained involvement in the Women Lawyers Association of Los Angeles, the L.A. County Bar Association, and Jewish Family Service of Los Angeles.

Ruth established a scholarship in her husband's memory to help students at USC Law School, just one of her many philanthropic efforts for her alma mater in the heart of our district, the 37th.

She is survived by her children, Cathy and Raymond, and her three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Madam Speaker, I hope everyone will join me in mourning the loss of Ruth Lavine and celebrating her life of full love and learning.

HONORING FORMER VIRGINIA BEACH SHERIFF KEN STOLLE

(Mrs. KIGGANS of Virginia asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. KIGGANS of Virginia. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Virginia Beach Sheriff Ken Stolle, who recently retired after an incredibly successful 43-year career in public service.

During his 13-year tenure as sheriff, Ken Stolle brought about numerous positive changes for our local law enforcement officers and our community, including creating a successful transition program for inmates at the end of their sentences, implementing body cameras for all Virginia Beach sheriff's deputies, and establishing successful mental health programs for those serving time in the prison system.

Stolle was often quoted as saying he ran the largest mental health facility in Hampton Roads, and his emphasis on this issue led to policies that have been a blueprint for agencies across the country.

Before serving as sheriff of Virginia Beach, Ken worked for the Virginia Beach Police Department, practiced law in Hampton Roads, represented Virginia Beach in the Virginia State Senate, and served our great Nation as a United States Navy reservist.

Mr. Speaker, I thank Sheriff Stolle for his many years of service to our community, our Commonwealth, and our country. We wish him the best of luck in retirement.

CELEBRATING DECADES OF LEADERSHIP BY BISHOP DARRYL S. BRISTER

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

Mr. CARTER of Louisiana. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to celebrate three

decades of faithful leadership from New Orleans minister Bishop Darryl S. Brister.

Bishop Brister's life is a story of dedication and purpose. His commitment to his faith led him to leadership in the Full Gospel Baptist Church Fellowship International, becoming its second presiding bishop in 1996 at the tender age of 29 years old.

Bishop Brister's impact extends far beyond his church's walls. He has taken the Word of God around the world, from Japan to Africa. He also founded nonprofit organizations, including DSB International Ministries, which provides spiritual guidance to those incarcerated, and the Darryl S. Brister Scholarship Fund, which supports students' educational aspirations.

Bishop Brister's commitment to his calling remains steadfast. He continues to inspire, guide, and support his community, living a life that is dedicated to serving God and those around him.

It is an honor to celebrate Bishop Brister's 30 years of spiritual leadership. May he continue to shine as a spiritual light for all those he touches.

Mr. Speaker, I thank Bishop Brister for his extraordinary friendship, service, and commitment to the community and his unwavering commitment to spreading the Word of God.

REST IN PEACE, AVA FORRESTER

(Mrs. BICE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. BICE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today with a heavy heart to say good-bye to Ava Forrester, one of the last World War II Rosie the Riveters. Ava worked on the left wing of the C-47 cargo transport aircraft in Oklahoma City.

I had the tremendous honor of meeting Ava on her 105th birthday this last April. She was optimistic about life, willing to try anything, and funny, too.

It is imperative that we remember the legacies of women like Ava, who stepped up to serve her country in a time of need. Their work allowed the American war effort to be successful and powered an unprecedented age of American ingenuity.

It seems only fitting that as we approach Veterans Day, I have the blessing to recognize Mrs. Forrester. Rest in peace, Ava.

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REPORTING ON BORDER CROSSINGS

(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 request the press corps one more time that sometime, perhaps tomorrow, perhaps sometime next week, to release the new numbers of people coming

across our southern border, what we sometimes refer to as illegal aliens.

It is a story the press should never get tired of reporting, but apparently, they are. I remind them that every month lately 230,000 people cross our border, about 11 times the number of people who were crossing the border a little over 2 years ago. Of those, 70,000 are got-aways, which means they don't even go through the perfunctory checking in that you do if you ask for asylum. About 9,000 are unaccompanied minors.

It seems to me, about 5 years ago we were screaming bloody murder about families being torn apart when people were held apart from their parents who were breaking the law for just a couple weeks. Here we have 9,000 people who are permanently coming across the border without their parents, and apparently, we don't even care. Indeed, the Biden administration has stopped asking for DNA tests to sometimes see if they are related.

We are told by the Border Patrol that the people coming across are more aggressive than they have been in the past.

No issue is more important than this. If the press corps is on the ball in this country, we should be reporting every day, every week, the number of people coming across the border, as well as the countries they are coming across from.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Kevin F. McCumber, Clerk of the House, reported and found truly enrolled a bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 1226. An act to amend title 38, United States Code, to allow for the electronic request of certain records, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. GROTHMAN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 32 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Monday next, November 13, 2023, at noon for morning-hour debate.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. McCAUL: Committee on Foreign Affairs. H.R. 5961. A bill to freeze certain Iranian funds involved in the 2023 hostage deal between the United States and Iran, and for other purpose; with an amendment (Rept. 118-270, Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XIII, the following action was taken by the Speaker:

The Committee on Financial Services discharged from further consideration. H.R. 5961 referred to the Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union.

REPORTED BILL SEQUENTIALLY REFERRED

Under clause 2 of rule XII, bills and reports were delivered to the Clerk for printing, and bills referred as follows:

Mr. McCAUL: Committee on Foreign Affairs. H.R. 5961. A bill to freeze certain Iranian funds involved in the 2023 hostage deal between the United States and Iran, and for other purposes; with an amendment; Rept. 118-270, Pt. I; referred to the Committee on Financial Services for a period ending not later than November 9, 2023, for consideration of such provisions of the bill and amendment as fall within the jurisdiction of that committee pursuant to clause 1(h) of rule X.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Ms. BONAMICI (for herself and Ms. SALINAS):

H.R. 6321. A bill to establish a manufactured housing community improvement grant program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. STEIL (for himself and Ms. PETERSEN):

H.R. 6322. A bill to evaluate and disrupt financing to Hamas, and to amend title 31, United States Code, to prohibit the exchange stabilization fund from being used to deal in Special Drawing Rights from state sponsors of terrorism, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. KIM of California:

H.R. 6323. A bill to modify the availability of certain waiver authorities with respect to sanctions imposed with respect to the financial sector of Iran, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. BOST:

H.R. 6324. A bill to authorize major medical facility projects for the Department of Veterans Affairs for fiscal year 2024, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. BRECHEEN (for himself, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. NORMAN, and Mr. WEBER of Texas):

H.R. 6325. A bill to identify Ukrainian government officials in violation of the End-Use Monitoring agreement and to prohibit their entry into the United States; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. BUCSHON (for himself and Mr. PETERS):

H.R. 6326. A bill to amend the Nuclear Energy Innovation and Modernization Act to reduce regulatory costs for advanced nuclear

reactor application reviews, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Ms. STRICKLAND, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. CASE, Ms. DEAN of Pennsylvania, Ms. TITUS, Ms. CROCKETT, Mr. LYNCH, Ms. TOKUDA, Ms. NORTON, Mr. VICENTE GONZALEZ of Texas, Mr. CARTER of Louisiana, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. TRONE, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, and Mr. GRIJALVA):

H.R. 6327. A bill to improve the financial literacy of secondary school students; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CASTRO of Texas (for himself, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. CROCKETT, Ms. NORTON, Mr. VEASEY, Mr. ESPAILLAT, and Mr. RUIZ):

H.R. 6328. A bill to promote equity in advanced coursework and programs at elementary and secondary schools; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CASTRO of Texas (for himself and Mr. GALLAGHER):

H.R. 6329. A bill to increase the availability of open-source intelligence products in the Federal Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select).

By Mr. CROW (for himself, Mr. ELLZEY, Ms. ESCOBAR, Mr. CARSON, Mr. DELUZO, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. VAN ORDEN, and Mr. MCGARVEY):

H.R. 6330. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out a pilot program to collect and analyze data regarding suicides and attempted suicides by veterans on the property of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina (for himself and Mrs. GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN):

H.R. 6331. A bill to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish a pilot program to furnish doula services to veterans; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Ms. DE LA CRUZ (for herself, Mr. WEBER of Texas, and Mr. GOODEN of Texas):

H.R. 6332. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to limit the participation of staff of the Internal Revenue Service in conferences being carried out by the Independent Office of Appeals for the purposes of resolving a taxpayer dispute; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. DINGELL:

H.R. 6333. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to modify the limitation on reimbursement for emergency treatment of amounts owed to a third party or for which the veteran is responsible under a health-plan contract; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. EDWARDS (for himself and Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina):

H.R. 6334. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to relocate a memorial honoring the 9 Air Force crew members who lost their lives in an airplane crash in the Cherokee and Nantahala National Forests during a training mission on August 31, 1982; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. EDWARDS:

H.R. 6335. A bill to require the Bureau of the Census to collect information on citizenship status through the decennial census, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

By Mr. ESPAILLAT:

H.R. 6336. A bill to amend the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act to ensure that certain education and workforce development benefits administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs are treated as income by landlords evaluating the ability of a