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

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

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Ms. GARCIA of Texas. Mr. Speaker, due to illness, I was unable to vote today. Had I been able to vote, I would have voted: YEA on S. 284—Congressional Award Program Reauthorization Act (Sen. LUMMIS—Education and Workforce); and YEA on H.R. 3187—Conveyance of specified Forest Service property to Perry County, Arkansas (Rep. HILL—Natural Resources).

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. GOLDMAN of New York. Mr. Speaker, I was unable to vote today due to an important personal matter. Had I been present, I would have voted YEA on Roll Call No. 335 and YEA on Roll Call No. 336.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. NADLER. Mr. Speaker, I missed votes due to a personal matter. Had I been present, I would have voted YEA on Roll Call No. 335 and YEA on Roll Call No. 336.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. TURNER of Ohio. Mr. Speaker, due to a flight delay, I was unable to vote in the

House today. Had I been present, I would have voted YEA on Roll Call No. 335 and YEA on Roll Call No. 336.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. COURTNEY. Mr. Speaker, I was absent from the chamber today. Had I recorded my vote, I would have voted Yea on Roll Call No. 335, on the motion to suspend the rules and pass S. 284, and Yea on Roll Call No. 336, on the motion to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 3187.

MOMENT OF SILENCE IN HONOR OF VICTIMS OF BROWN UNIVERSITY MASS SHOOTING

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

Mr. AMO. Mr. Speaker, today, along-side my partner in the Rhode Island House delegation, SETH MAGAZINER, I rise to honor two students, Ella Cook and Mukhammad Aziz Umurzokov, whose lives were tragically ended in the horrific mass shooting at Brown University this weekend. Nine other students were injured in the shooting. Eight remain in the hospital.

Today, we hold in the light the victims, their families, Brown University, and the broader Rhode Island communities.

I thank Mayor Brett Smiley of Providence, Governor Dan McKee, and local leaders for their leadership in their ongoing response to this senseless tragedy.

We are grateful to the first responders for their prompt action on the scene and medical professionals for caring for the wounded.

As law enforcement continues their work, we thank them for their efforts and wish them strength in their pursuit to bring to justice whoever committed this horrific act.

For the extended Brown University, Providence and Rhode Island communities, and everyone impacted around the country, we continue to stand together and to heal and work together toward the safety we all deserve.

I ask all of my colleagues to join me in a moment of silence.

VISITING SALT LAKE TEMPLE

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

Mr. KENNEDY of Utah. Mr. Speaker, in 2027, beginning in April and ending in October, the Salt Lake Temple, which is to my left, will be open for public tours.

All are welcome, with 3 million to 5 million visitors expected during this historic event that will be important to Utahns and especially to those who will again worship and serve there. I invite all of my colleagues in the House and their friends to visit Salt Lake City and tour the temple with me.

Though it was not the first, it has become the most recognizable temple of

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latterday Saints.

Many visitors associate the temple with Utah's capital city. The temple is built of native granite and took 40 years to complete, with the goal to construct it so it would last throughout time.

Come experience the spirit of this event with me.

RECOGNIZING JEWISH BUSINESS NETWORK AWARDEES

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

Mr. LATIMER. Mr. Speaker, the Jewish Business Network, JBM, will be recognizing a group of outstanding business leaders at their breakfast in Tarrytown tomorrow, Tuesday, December 16.

The individuals saluted have made a positive impact on the business community in the region of Westchester County and surrounding counties.

Those to be honored include:

The Gabelli Leadership Awards will be given to Paul Adler, chief strategy officer of Rand Commercial; Adam Hammerman, vice president and CEO of New York Medical College; and Brad Schwartz, a partner at Zarin & Steinmetz law firm.

The Friedland Young Leadership Awards will be given to Samuel Adler of Rand Commercial and Lee Lefkowitz, partner for Zarin & Steinmetz.

Mr. Speaker, I salute these talented and committed professionals.

RECOGNIZING SIMONA ELVIN

(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 to celebrate my incredible Marine Corps fellow, Captain Simona Elvin, for her tremendous work this past year in my office.

Simona has been instrumental in helping prepare for legislation, meetings, and defense events. Her expertise has been crucial in crafting legislation that directly benefits our servicemembers in Oklahoma's Fifth Congressional District. Her hard work in my office and service to our Nation are applaudable.

Mr. Speaker, I will miss Simona, not only for what she has brought to us legislatively but also for who she is as a person. From day one, it was obvious that she would fit well with Team Bice. Her attitude, spirit, and wit will be truly missed, especially at Monday morning coffee.

This past weekend was the 126th Army-Navy game. As a member of the Board of Visitors at West Point, this is not easy to say, but for Simona, I will: Congrats. Go Navy.

Mr. Speaker, she will be truly missed.

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NORTHWEST OHIO BIOFUELS SUMMIT

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

Ms. KAPTUR. Mr. Speaker, I say thank you so very much to Ohio's corn and soy farmers for their excellent agricultural summit in which I participated about a week ago in Defiance, Ohio. We discussed the importance of biofuels as a reliable source of income for northwest Ohio farmers, in fact, 44 percent of their income and rising.

This is a great victory for our country over the last three decades. Let me thank our region's farmers, processors, and growers for bringing together leaders from the biofuels industry, ag commodity groups, Ohio Farm Bureau, and refineries to hear directly about the increase in demand and production for biofuels as a new initiative every day to increase income for farmers as they lose export markets due to tariffs. Biofuels now comprise over 44 percent of their bottom line.

In the early days, I worked with Senators on both sides of the aisle and led the effort here in the House to make sure people had access to E85 ethanol at the fuel pumps. It has been a great gift of my career to have served long enough to see that we have been successful.

We also flew the first fighter jet F-16 out of our base 20 years ago using biofuels, and it worked. We are very proud of this industry as it grows. My hat is off to Ohio farmers and Midwest farmers who are making this reality in our lifetime. What America makes and grows makes and grows America.

CONGRATULATING USA MEN'S DEAF BASKETBALL TEAM

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

Mr. WIED. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate the outstanding USA Men's Deaf Basketball team that recently earned the gold medal while competing at the 2025 Deaflympics in Tokyo.

The team bested every other competing country, culminating in an electrifying 69-59 victory over Ukraine in the finals.

I give special recognition to one of my constituents, Patrick Danen of De Pere, who was a key member of this team and brought the gold medal home to Wisconsin's Eighth District.

Patrick, who attended my alma mater, St. Norbert College, had to learn to adapt to basketball after becoming deaf as a result of contracting meningitis at 6 months old. Despite this, he never let this stop him from excelling as a standout player in high school, college, and now the international level.

Patrick Danen and the rest of his teammates showed incredible skill, determination, and fortitude, and their victory was well deserved.

I also recognize the USA Women's Deaf Basketball team, who earned the silver medal in Tokyo, further demonstrating the strength of American athletes on the world stage.

While these games may not have gotten the attention from the media they rightfully deserve, it is my honor to stand here today on the House floor to recognize their achievement and ensure that they know just how proud they have made our country.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me once again in congratulating the USA Men's Deaf Basketball team for their outstanding gold medal victory at the Deaflympics, and I look forward to their future success.

PRESIDENT TRUMP'S OFFENSIVE

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

Ms. BALINT. Mr. Speaker, in light of the President's offensive and cruel post about the tragic murders of director Rob Reiner and his wife, producer and actress, Michele Reiner, I think it is important to speak out.

Mr. Speaker, may this be the last time America elects a President devoid of sympathy and compassion.

May this be the last time that we choose someone so heartless and cruel, who denies the basic dignity of honoring someone's life when they have been murdered.

May this be the last time we choose someone who divides us instead of unites us.

May this be the last time we elevate and celebrate a man unwilling to offer condolence or consolation or comfort.

May this be the last time we choose a leader wrapped up in spite and vindictiveness.

May this be the last time that we lose ourselves in our collective cruelty.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. Bresnahan). Members are reminded to refrain from engaging in personalities toward the President.

HONORING FRED W. GRETSCH

(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 Fred Gretsch, who celebrates 60 years leading Gretsch Drums and shaping one of the most respected names in percussion.

Mr. Gretsch joined the family business in 1965 and devoted his career to preserving his heritage while pushing forward thoughtful innovation. His leadership helped define the distinct Gretsch sound that musicians across generations continue to recognize.