

As the number one seed in the 174-pound class at the NCAA championships, Levi won five consecutive matches. He concluded his collegiate career with a record of 99-4.

Levi's achievements were integral to Penn State's fifth—yes, I said fifth—consecutive NCAA championship for 13 of the past 16 years.

A graduate of Biglerville High School, Levi is the son of Ken and Aimee Haines.

On behalf of the constituents throughout Adams County and the entire 13th Congressional District, I congratulate Levi. I congratulate his parents, Ken and Aimee, and his wife, Madelin, on his remarkable collegiate wrestling career and offer him best wishes for continued success.

RECOGNIZING MARY JO CASALENA

Mr. JOYCE of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, I rise to recognize Mary Jo Casalena as the recipient of the Wayne Bailey Lifetime Achievement Award that was presented at the annual convention of the National Wild Turkey Federation.

This award recognizes a wildlife biologist, trapper, or wildlife manager who has devoted their career to the wild turkey and played a major role in the turkey's restoration and management.

Mary Jo officially retired last October after working 33 years for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, including 32 years for the Pennsylvania Game Commission. She was Pennsylvania's wild turkey expert for 26 years.

Mary Jo has noted that she wanted to speak up for wildlife since she was in the seventh grade. She has dedicated her career to working on the management and research of wild turkeys. She has been described as one of the most accomplished wild turkey managers of our time.

I congratulate Mary Jo on this prestigious award, and I offer best wishes for joy and contentment in her retirement.

HONORING LEHMAN'S FEED & HOME CENTER

Mr. JOYCE of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, I rise to honor Lehman's Feed & Home Center of York Springs, Pennsylvania, for 90 years of success as a source of home and agricultural products for customers throughout Adams County and the surrounding area.

Founded as Lehman's Feed Store in 1936 by J. Paul Lehman, the business originally focused on meeting the needs of the rural agricultural community through its feed mill and farm supplies. Lehman's also served as the local Purina dealer, supplying dairy and livestock feed to area farmers.

J. Paul Lehman and two of his sons owned the business for 60 years before selling it to Allen Hartzell. By expanding the inventory and range of services, Allen transitioned the operation to a one-stop destination for rural and household products.

I congratulate Allen Hartzell on this milestone anniversary and thank him for his continued efforts to support the agricultural industry in Adams County and beyond.

HONORING DAVID BURKET, SR.

Mr. JOYCE of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the life and agricultural legacy of David Burket, Sr., of East Freedom, Pennsylvania, who passed away earlier this month at his home on the family farm, where he was born.

Married to his late wife, Betty, for 72 years, David dedicated his professional life to establishing and successfully operating Burket Falls Farm with Betty and their family.

Over the years, thousands of visitors from over 40 different countries on six different continents were welcomed to the farm by the Burket family. The farm was recognized as one of the top 25 influential breeders in the world by Holstein International. David was recognized with numerous honors and awards.

As we pause to remember David, we also keep his loved ones in our prayers. Please join with me in remembering the life and the professional achievements of David Burket, Sr.

HONORING DENNIS DUNLAP

(Mr. SUBRAMANYAM of Virginia was recognized to address the House for 5 minutes.)

Mr. SUBRAMANYAM. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the life of Dennis Dunlap, who passed away this past weekend, just before his 105th birthday.

Born in Missouri during the Great Depression, Dennis grew up in a small farmhouse without electricity or water. When the U.S. entered World War II, Dennis answered the call to serve.

Dennis joined the United States Army Air Corps in 1943, serving as a corporal in North Africa and later on in Corsica. He actually repaired P-47 Thunderbolts damaged in combat. He played a major role in the war.

After the war, Dennis pursued his American Dream by becoming a master mechanic and starting a family. Despite all of his accomplishments throughout his life, what Dennis treasured most was the time he spent with his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. At 104 years old, he continued to inspire and remain active in his community in Prince William County.

His story is a reminder of a generation that built this Nation. It is a story of perseverance and purpose.

Today, we honor and celebrate Dennis' service and Dennis' life.

Rest in peace, Dennis.

SUPPORTING FEDERAL TRIO PROGRAMS

Mr. SUBRAMANYAM. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to support the Federal TRIO programs.

Federal TRIO programs provide services to disadvantaged students to support their success from middle school all the way through college and beyond.

These critical programs service over 800,000 students nationwide, including 15,000 in Virginia. They focus on vet-

erans, students with disabilities, low-income students, and first-generation college students.

TRIO programs are vital to the success of students across the country in preparing for and entering college. They also aid adult learners in preparing to enter the workforce.

Unfortunately, this administration and the Department of Education right now are failing to support Federal TRIO programs. Grant applications that should have opened last fall for two TRIO programs, the Talent Search and Education Opportunity Centers, are still nowhere to be found.

If these delays continue, programs will be unable to open on time come this August, harming students across the country. That is why I am calling on the Department of Education to immediately release this year's TRIO applications. We need to support these students' achievements, not hamper them.

I know many Senators have written a letter, as well, to the administration about this. It is bipartisan, and we need to get it done.

OPPOSITION TO CRIMINALIZATION OF WOMEN  
HAVING MISCARRIAGES

Mr. SUBRAMANYAM. Mr. Speaker, I don't usually do this, but I rise in opposition to a bill that hasn't reached the floor yet. It is called the Clean Water for All Life Act.

Apparently, this bill would make it illegal to flush abortion or miscarriage remains down a toilet to protect both human dignity and America's water systems.

The problem with this, of course, is that a lot of women who are having miscarriages don't even know that they are having a miscarriage, or maybe they don't realize that that blood clot was a miscarriage. There isn't really another place in many cases to have your miscarriage except on a toilet because of our healthcare system.

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It is usually the worst day in a woman's life. Now, with this bill, apparently it is a crime. Women can face up to 5 years in prison for that happening, and this is all in the name of protecting America's waterways, even though there is no credible evidence that this actually pollutes our waterways.

If Congress wants to protect our waterways, Congress should not pass the budget bills that make it easier to pollute them like has been done in this Congress. Congress should actually fund water infrastructure improvements in our country or create a healthcare system that makes women be able to manage this incredibly difficult time.

Mr. Speaker, I oppose criminalizing women for having miscarriages, and I hope this bill never sees the floor.

### HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANY PROFITS

(Mr. MURPHY of North Carolina was recognized to address the House for 5 minutes.)

Mr. MURPHY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to shed light on some of the egregious, profit-driven practices that American health insurance companies are using to wreak havoc on the American patient.

I have dedicated the last 35 years of my life to taking care of patients, primarily those in rural and underserved areas of eastern North Carolina. I have taken care of every patient who walked into my office, regardless of their ability to pay, but the American patient should not be one illness away from bankruptcy.

Yes, American patients are sick, but, unfortunately, the payment system of American healthcare is sicker.

Recently, I spoke passionately about this issue in a House Committee on Ways and Means hearing which hosted CEOs from the largest health insurance companies in this country for a hearing on healthcare affordability.

During my time, I exposed some of the unconscionable practices of a few insurance companies that are squeezing every last penny out of patients and those who care for patients.

This is a matter far beyond partisan politics.

These four insurance companies alone made more than \$1.1 trillion in revenue. In fact, take a look at the graph here that I pulled from Wendell Potter's recent Substack article titled: "2025: Big Insurance's \$1.7 Trillion Year." It shows the ridiculously insane profits of Centene, Cigna, CVS, Humana, and United over the last 2 years.

To illustrate how bad things have gotten, I am going to make an example out of UnitedHealthcare because they are the worst actor. It is the largest insurance company by over \$400 billion of revenue in 2024.

To give people an idea of how large United has become, there are just two companies that are on top of it in the Fortune 500 list. It is the most consolidated of all insurance companies, with over 2,700 in subsidiaries. They own doctors' offices, home health agencies, pharmacies, surgery centers, and because they make so much money, they are able to finance a large bank.

Size isn't just the problem. It is, however, their practice. They are mired in allegations of fraud and abuse. In fact, there are accusations right now that by playing the system to their own profit, United is currently under investigation by the Department of Justice for alleged Medicare Advantage billing and coding fraud.

In fact, in 2021, United scammed the Medicare Advantage system by adding diagnoses to patients' records for conditions that no doctor treated, which triggered an extra \$8.7 billion in payments.

Looking at this graph over here, United doctors diagnosed things a lot

more commonly in their Medicare Advantage plan than in a fee-for-service plan: A diagnosis of senile purpura, 732 to 26 in fee-for-service; obstructed leg arteries, 403 times compared to just 5 in fee-for-service; secondary hyperaldosteronism, 318 times compared to just 8 times in fee-for-service.

In fact, taxpayers paid Medicare Advantage organizations \$50 billion in 2021 for diseases diagnosed but not treated—a total waste of taxpayer money. It is like being diagnosed with being left-handed. There is no reason to treat it, yet they charge the government anyway.

It is no wonder the cost of healthcare insurance premiums skyrocket every year. Right now the average premium cost for a family of four is \$27,000 a year. Make no mistake, the ridiculous climb in premium costs could have been prevented.

We all know that the Affordable Care Act was written by insurance companies for insurance companies. The unfortunate truth is that the ACA failed in its promise to lower healthcare costs.

These graphs here demonstrate that since ObamaCare came into use, insurance company profits have skyrocketed. But guess what else also skyrocketed—patient premiums. Inflation has risen by 2.6 percent since 1999, while insurance premiums have risen 6 percent per year. Over the last 5 years, nearly half of small employers have had to cut profit or suffered a loss to pay for insurance premiums.

The health insurance companies are bleeding the American people dry. They are destroying access to high-quality, affordable care in this country. Companies like United, which have destroyed the market with a profit-first-patient-last vertical integration, need to be broken up to restore competition in the marketplace. This is the best way to lower premiums.

Congress and the administration must act boldly and swiftly before it is too late. Insurance companies have a stranglehold on Washington, D.C., and that must be stopped.

### PRESERVING THE PAST FOR THE FUTURE IN NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

(Mr. BEAN of Florida was recognized to address the House for 5 minutes.)

Mr. BEAN of Florida. Mr. Speaker, sometimes the best way to preserve the past is to prepare for the future. That is exactly what has happened in Nassau County, Florida.

This year, Nassau County will be recognized by the United States Environmental Protection Agency with not one, but two national awards for the American Beach Water and Sewer Conversion Project, earning distinction for both community engagement and innovative financing. Out of the thousands of projects across the country, Nassau County, Florida, stood out in two categories.

At the heart of this recognition is American Beach, a place with a unique and important history. American Beach on Amelia Island, Florida, was founded during a dark time in history: segregation. It was a place where Black families could gather, rest, and build community along Florida's First Coast. That legacy still matters today, making the success of this project all the more significant.

This effort, Mr. Speaker, wasn't just about the infrastructure. It was about doing the job the right way: listening to residents; many community engagements; respecting the community's history; and delivering modern, safe, and clean-for-the-environment reliable systems that will serve families for generations.

It is especially near and dear for me. I was in the State legislature some 6, 7 years ago when this project first started, and I was instrumental in bringing in the State of Florida as a partner for this project.

Today, I recognize the Nassau team that made it possible, including the county commissioners: Commissioner John Martin, Commissioner "Hupp" Huppman, Commissioner Jeff Gray, Commissioner Alyson McCullough, and Commissioner Klynt Farmer. The Nassau team also was recognized, including County Manager Taco Pope, Brandy Carvalho, and Amy Bell, and the many others, Mr. Speaker, that worked together to make it happen.

Mr. Speaker, Nassau County didn't just complete a project. They set a standard, and I am happy that the Nation is now taking notice.

#### IS IT REAL OR IS IT FAKE

Mr. BEAN of Florida. Mr. Speaker, we have all been there before, watching a video online, and we pause to ask, is this real or is this fake?

What if, Mr. Speaker, there was a way that would tell us instantly? Is there a way to know is this fake or is it real? Hold your phone, Mr. Speaker. Help is on the way because today, I am proud to announce a group of students from the free State of Florida who are helping meet this challenge with creativity and skill.

Yes, they are the winners of Florida's Fourth Congressional District App Challenge from Stanton College Preparatory School in Jacksonville. They are: Sushaan Kandukoori, Jackson Miller, Avaneesh Parvathareddy, and Grishma Madukuri.

Together, these students developed TruthSnap, a mobile app that uses—get this—artificial intelligence to instantly verify the accuracy of any video content—and here is the kicker—without the users having to leave the platform they are already on.

By combining strong technical skills with thoughtful problem-solving, the team created a tool that empowers users to make informed decisions, learn the truth, and promotes greater digital literacy. Their work is a clear example of how students and student innovation can drive real-world impact and strengthen our communities.