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## House of Representatives

The House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Rabbi Joseph S. Safsel, Congregation Shomrei Habrith, Reading, Pa., offered the following prayer:

Almighty G-d, who has been our source of comfort and spirit throughout all generations—and to whom Thy children turn in their moments of despair—we beseech Thy blessings upon this day, to instill within our hearts Thy divine wisdom and understanding to guide us through our deliberations in planning the laws of our beloved Nation.

Instill a love of mankind and understanding among Thy children wherever they may be, so that neighbor will live in peace with neighbor, and the seeds of hatred and unrest shall be turned into peace and tranquillity.

Guide us through these trying days of uncertainty with Thy light of truth; give us the moral courage to inspire mankind that the plow is mightier than the sword.

We pray that the words of Thy prophet be fulfilled: "And the L-rd shall be King over all the earth—in that day shall the L-rd be one, and His name One." Amen.

### THE JOURNAL

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was read and approved.

### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Arrington, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed without amendment bills of the House of the following titles:

H.R. 1997. An act to amend subsection (c) of section 1332 of title 28, United States Code, relating to diversity of citizenship;

H.R. 4088. An act for the relief of the Industrial Tractor Parts Co., Inc.;

H.R. 4871. An act for the relief of Glenn C. Delts and others;

H.R. 9372. An act to remove a cloud on the title of certain property owned by Wilmer Allers and Jane B. Allers, both of Malin, Oreg.;

H.R. 9521. An act to increase the authorization for appropriation for continuing work in the Missouri River Basin by the Secretary of the Interior; and

H.R. 11064. An act to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the United States situated in the State of Virginia.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed, with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 8611. An act to facilitate the performance of medical research and development within the Veterans' Administration, by providing for the indemnification of contractors.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed, with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 8000. An act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to impose a tax on acquisitions of certain foreign securities in order to equalize costs of longer term financing in the United States and in markets abroad, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendments to the foregoing bill, requests a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mr. BYRD of Virginia, Mr. LONG of Louisiana, Mr. SMATHERS, Mr. WILLIAMS of Delaware, and Mr. CARLSON to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed, with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 11296. An act making appropriations for sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, corporations, agencies, and offices, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendments to the foregoing bill, requests a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mr. MAGNUSON, Mr. ELLENDER, Mr. RUSSELL, Mr. HOLLAND, Mr. MONRONEY, Mr. ANDERSON, Mr. ALLOTT, Mr. YOUNG of North Dakota, and Mr. SALTONSTALL to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed bills of the following

titles, in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

S. 2048. An act to provide for the establishment of the Bighorn Canyon National Recreation Area, and for other purposes;

S. 2281. An act to clarify the components of, and to assist in the management of, the national debt and the tax structure;

S. 2711. An act for the relief of Frank S. Chow;

S. 2712. An act for the relief of Sime Dragutin Vulin;

S. 2741. An act for the relief of Palmerina Ca Ira and her minor children;

S. 2742. An act for the relief of Mrs. Styliani Papathanasiou;

S. 2812. An act for the relief of Joanne Irene Taylor; and

S. 3074. An act to give the consent of Congress to the construction of certain international bridges.

### SUBCOMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY POLICY OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. FEIGHAN. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that Subcommittee No. 1, on Immigration and Nationality Policy, of the Committee on the Judiciary, may be permitted to conduct hearings during general debate this afternoon.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Ohio?

Mr. HALL. I object, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Objection is heard.

### STEVENSON SPEAKS FOR AMERICA

(Mr. O'HARA of Illinois asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. O'HARA of Illinois. Mr. Speaker, the Chicago Tribune, which is a Republican newspaper and is supporting Senator GOLDWATER for the Presidency, devotes its lead editorial in this morning's edition to what it terms "Ambassador Adlai E. Stevenson's calm and lucid discussion before the United Nations yesterday of Communist torpedo attacks upon American warships off the coast of North Vietnam." The editorial is headed "Mr. Stevenson Speaks for America."

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I quote from the final paragraph of this editorial:

Mr. Stevenson has put Communist piratical acts and the systematic campaign to conquer South Vietnam and Laos in clear perspective. His unadorned recital of what has happened and is happening in southeast Asia will go a long way toward persuading the people that they now are informed about Communist objectives and the purpose of American counteraction.

Mr. Speaker, in times of national crises Americans close ranks and unity is the shield of patriotism. The Chicago Tribune is abiding by the finest traditions of our country in approving and praising the performance in this suspense-frightened occasion of a distinguished son of Illinois with whom on political occasions the Tribune usually is in disagreement. Truly, Mr. Stevenson spoke for America, and a united American people stand behind his words.

#### CORRECTION OF THE RECORD

Mr. RHODES of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the RECORD of July 29 may be corrected on page 16696, since certain words are incorrect. The word "fixing" in my remarks, column 1, should be "having", and the word "proposed", in column 3, should be "prospered".

I ask unanimous consent that the permanent RECORD be corrected accordingly.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

There was no objection.

#### U.S. MARSHALS SHOULD ARREST AMERICANS RETURNING FROM CUBA

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

Mr. ROGERS of Florida. Mr. Speaker, there are currently some 84 American students touring Communist Cuba as guests of Fidel Castro. They are destined to return to the United States sometime Saturday, or shortly thereafter, according to reliable reports. Just as was done last year when a similar group defied the ban on such travel, this group will probably land at one of the airports in the New York area.

U.S. marshals should be on the spot to arrest these U.S. citizens who have violated U.S. law in the most flagrant manner. These same Americans should be prosecuted to the fullest extent under the law.

And adequate legal sanctions exist under 8 United States Code 1185, which prescribes penalty of 5 years in prison and \$5,000 fine, as well as 18 United States Code 371, carrying 5 years' imprisonment and \$10,000 fine. The first provision spells out the law dealing with violating the travel ban on Cuban visits. The second citation covers conspiracy, which it clearly appears to be in this case.

These American citizens went to Cuba completely aware of their violations. Each passport issued them bore the words "This passport not valid for travel to or in Communist-controlled portions

of Cuba." They had every intention of defying the United States by going on a Communist "Havana holiday."

I have contacted the Internal Security Division of the Department of Justice to urge that these arrests be made immediately, and these particular sections of the law be applied with full weight.

#### REAPPORTIONMENT

(Mr. VANIK asked and was given permission to extend his remarks at this point in the RECORD.)

Mr. VANIK. Mr. Speaker, if the efforts to attach a rider to the foreign aid authorization bill to suspend the recent reapportionment decision of the U.S. Supreme Court is successful, it will be my intention to vote against the bill.

The reapportionment decision of the Supreme Court was long overdue. The growth of the State of Ohio has been thwarted by the "cornstalk brigade" in the Ohio Assembly under the Hanna amendment which provided one legislator to every county, regardless of population. These rural legislators have consistently represented real estate instead of people in cruel disregard of growing urban needs.

The legislative rider would perpetuate the injustice of the present rural domination of State affairs. The tactic is designed to push constitutional amendments to nullify Supreme Court rulings through the several State legislatures while they are still illegally controlled by the "cornstalk brigade." The proposal is an act of legislative mischief which could permanently impair the equality of citizenship.

#### CORRECTION OF VOTE

Mr. ABBITT. Mr. Speaker, on roll-call No. 197 I am recorded as not voting. I was present and voted "yea." I ask unanimous consent that the permanent RECORD and Journal be corrected accordingly.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Virginia?

There was no objection.

#### COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication, which together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations:

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE,  
Washington, D.C. August 5, 1964.

Hon. JOHN W. McCORMACK,  
The Speaker,  
The House of Representatives,  
Washington, D.C.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the provisions of section 2 of the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act, as amended, the Committee on Agriculture today considered the following work plans transmitted to you by Executive communication and referred to this committee and unanimously approved each of such plans. The work plans involved are:

Watershed, State, and Executive communication number:

Mill Creek, Georgia, No. 2220, 88th Congress.

Turtle River, Georgia, No. 2220, 88th Congress.

Marshyhope Creek, Delaware and Maryland, No. 2220, 88th Congress.

Wellington-Napoleon, Missouri, No. 2220, 88th Congress.

One hundred and two river tributaries, Missouri, No. 1789, 88th Congress.

Sincerely yours,

HAROLD D. COOLEY,  
Chairman.

#### CALL OF THE HOUSE

Mr. ROOSEVELT. Mr. Speaker, I make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER. Evidently a quorum is not present.

Mr. ALBERT. Mr. Speaker, I move a call of the House.

A call of the House was ordered.

The Clerk called the roll, and the following Members failed to answer to their names:

[Roll No. 206]

Alger	Green, Oreg.	Passman
Ashley	Griffin	Pepper
Avery	Harvey, Mich.	Pillion
Baker	Healey	Powell
Baring	Jones, Mo.	Sheppard
Bass	Kee	Siler
Bennett, Mich.	Lankford	Staebler
Bolling	Lennon	Tollefson
Brock	Lesinski	Wallhauser
Buckley	Mailliard	Whitten
Davis, Tenn.	Meader	Wilson
Dingell	Miller, N.Y.	Charles H.
Everett	Morrison	Winstead
Ewins	Murray	
Fulton, Tenn.	Norblad	

The SPEAKER. On this rollcall, 389 Members have answered to their names, a quorum.

By unanimous consent, further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

#### VETERANS' PENSION BILL

Mr. ALBERT. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that on Monday next it may be in order for the Speaker to recognize the chairman of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, the gentleman from Texas [Mr. TEAGUE] to call up under suspension of the rules the bill, H.R. 1927, the veterans' pension bill.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Oklahoma?

There was no objection.

#### VETERANS' NURSING CARE AND NURSING CARE FACILITIES

Mr. TEAGUE of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the bill, H.R. 8009, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide certain veterans with urgently needed nursing home care and nursing care facilities while reducing the cost to the United States of caring for such veterans, and for other purposes, with the Senate amendments thereto, and concur in the Senate amendments.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The Clerk read the Senate amendments as follows:

Page 1, strike out all after line 7 over to and including line 3 on page 2 and insert: