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Senate

The Senate met at 12 o'clock meridian, and was called to order by the President pro tempore.

The Chaplain, Rev. Frederick Brown Harris, D.D., offered the following prayer:

Father of all mankind, whose love no manmade barriers can shut out, we thank Thee that there is no other right that can veto our right to Thee.

As this day at the beginning of another week we ascend the world's great altar stairs, sloping through darkness up to Thee, we come, not with a philosophy of prayer, but in the practice of this greatest of all powers which, as with golden chains, ties our human race around the throne of the eternal.

To turn to Thee even for a brief pause in the midst of draining days is to be reminded that for each of us is coming a day when we shall look back at the finished span of our life, with its ardent ambitions, its hot, strenuous endeavors, its noise, and its rush and dust, and see that it is emptiness and shadows except when here and there we have turned aside to be thoughtful of others, and unselfish in our outreach as we set our hearts on little, unremembered acts of kindness and of love.

So may the circle of our concern be stretched out until it is as wide as all humanity.

We ask it in the name of the One who came, not to be ministered unto, but to minister. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

On request of Mr. HUMPHREY, and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, June 29, 1962, was dispensed with.

CONTINUATION OF AUTHORITY FOR REGULATION OF EXPORTS—MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE RECEIVED DURING ADJOURNMENT

On Saturday, June 30, 1962, the Secretary received a message from the House of Representatives announcing its agreement to the conference report on the bill (S. 3161) to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports, and for other purposes.

Subsequently, on the same day, the Secretary received the enrolled bill, which had been signed by the Speaker, and it was signed by the President pro tempore.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate reported that on June 30, 1962, he presented to the President of the United States the enrolled bill (S. 3161) to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports, and for other purposes.

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT—APPROVAL OF BILLS

Messages in writing from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Mr. Miller, one of his secretaries, and he announced that on July 1, 1962, the President had approved and signed the following acts:

S. 1834. An act to further amend the act of August 7, 1946 (60 Stat. 896), as amended, by providing for an increase in the authorization funds to be granted for the construction of hospital facilities in the District of Columbia; by extending the time in which grants may be made; and for other purposes; and

S. 3161. An act to provide for continuation of authority for regulation of exports, and for other purposes.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Bartlett, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House had passed, without amendment, the bill (S. 3062) to amend the Soil Bank Act so as to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to permit the harvesting of hay on conservation reserve acreage under certain conditions.

The message also announced that the House had passed the joint resolution (S.J. Res. 201) to amend section 316 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 to extend the time by which a lease transferring a tobacco acreage allotment may be filed, with an amendment, in which it requested the concurrence of the Senate.

The message further announced that the House had passed the bill (S. 1658) to amend the act of January 2, 1951,

prohibiting the transportation of gambling devices in interstate and foreign commerce, with an amendment, in which it requested the concurrence of the Senate; that the House insisted upon its amendment, asked a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and that Mr. HARRIS, Mr. WILLIAMS, Mr. STAGGERS, Mr. FRIEDEL, Mr. BENNETT of Michigan, Mr. SPRINGER, and Mr. YOUNGER were appointed managers on the part of the House at the conference.

The message also announced that the House had agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 8982) authorizing the Dow Chemical Co. to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Heath Crossing, Tex.

The message further announced that the House had agreed to the amendments of the Senate to each of the following bills of the House:

H.R. 9863. An act to authorize the San Benito International Bridge Co. to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Rio Grande near Los Indios, Tex.; and

H.R. 12061. An act to extend the Renegotiation Act of 1951.

The message also announced that the House had agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 12154) to amend and extend the provisions of the Sugar Act of 1948, as amended.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The message further announced that the Speaker had affixed his signature to the following enrolled bills, and they were signed by the President pro tempore:

H.R. 8031. An act to amend the Communications Act of 1934 in order to give the Federal Communications Commission certain regulatory authority over television receiving apparatus;

H.R. 8045. An act to change the name of the Hydrographic Office to U.S. Naval Oceanographic Office;

H.R. 8982. An act authorizing the Dow Chemical Co., to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Rio Grande at or near Heath Crossing, Tex.;

H.R. 9883. An act to authorize the San Benito International Bridge Co. to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Rio Grande near Los Indios, Tex., and to authorize the Starr-Camargo Bridge Co. to construct, maintain, and operate a toll bridge across the Rio Grande near Rio Grande City, Tex.;

H.R. 11221. An act to amend section 302 of the Career Compensation Act of 1949, as amended (37 U.S.C. 252), to increase the basic allowance for quarters of members of the uniformed services, and for other purposes; and

H.R. 12061. An act to extend the Renegotiation Act of 1951, and for other purposes.

CALL OF THE LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR DISPENSED WITH

On request of Mr. HUMPHREY, and by unanimous consent, the call of the Legislative Calendar was dispensed with.

LIMITATION OF DEBATE DURING THE MORNING HOUR

On request of Mr. HUMPHREY, and by unanimous consent, statements during the morning hour were ordered limited to 3 minutes.

COMMITTEE MEETING DURING SENATE SESSION

On request of Mr. HUMPHREY, and by unanimous consent, the Subcommittee on National Stockpile and Naval Petroleum Reserves of the Committee on Armed Services was authorized to meet during the session of the Senate today.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. HUMPHREY. Mr. President, I move that the Senate proceed to the consideration of executive business, to consider the nominations on the Executive Calendar.

The motion was agreed to; and the Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGE REFERRED

The PRESIDENT pro tempore laid before the Senate a message from the President of the United States submitting the nomination of Frank E. Smith, of Greenwood, Miss., to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority, which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

EXECUTIVE REPORT OF A COMMITTEE

The following favorable report of a nomination was submitted:

By Mr. KEATING (for Mr. MAGNUSON), from the Committee on Commerce:

Rear Adm. Donald McG. Morrison, U.S. Coast Guard, to be Assistant Commandant of the U.S. Coast Guard with the rank of vice admiral.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. If there be no further reports of commit-

tees, the nominations on the executive calendar will be stated.

DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE

The Chief Clerk read the nomination of William H. Orrick, Jr., of California, to be Deputy Under Secretary of State.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, the nomination is confirmed.

AMBASSADORS

The Chief Clerk read the nomination of Charles Edward Rhetts, of Indiana, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Liberia.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The question is, Will the Senate advise and consent to this nomination?

Without objection, the nomination is confirmed.

The next nomination on the Executive Calendar will be stated.

The Chief Clerk read the nomination of William M. Rountree, of Maryland, a Foreign Service officer of class 1, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of the Sudan.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, the nomination is confirmed.

The Chief Clerk read the nomination of Leonard Unger, of Maryland, a Foreign Service officer of class 1, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Kingdom of Laos.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, the nomination is confirmed.

DIPLOMATIC AND FOREIGN SERVICE

The Chief Clerk proceeded to read sundry nominations in the Diplomatic and Foreign Service.

Mr. HUMPHREY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that these nominations be considered en bloc.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, the nominations will be considered en bloc; and, without objection, they are confirmed.

Mr. HUMPHREY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the President be immediately notified of the confirmation of all these nominations.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, the President will be notified forthwith.

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Mr. HUMPHREY. Mr. President, I move that the Senate resume the consideration of legislative business.

The motion was agreed to; and the Senate resumed the consideration of legislative business.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore laid before the Senate the following letters, which were referred as indicated:

ELIGIBILITY OF BANKS IN AMERICAN SAMOA FOR INSURANCE UNDER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION ACT

A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Interior, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to make any bank organized under the laws of American Samoa eligible to apply for insurance under the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Act, and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR LOANS FOR HOUSING OF ELDERLY FAMILIES AND PERSONS

A letter from the Administrator, Housing and Home Finance Agency, Washington, D.C., transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to provide additional authorization under section 202 of the Housing Act of 1959 of appropriations for loans for the provision of housing for elderly families and persons (with accompanying papers); to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT ON TARIFF CLASSIFICATION STUDY

A letter from the Chairman, United States Tariff Commission, Washington, D.C., transmitting, pursuant to law, a second supplemental report on tariff classification study, dated June 1962 (with all accompanying report); to the Committee on Finance.

REPORT ON REVIEW OF SUPPLY MANAGEMENT OF HIGH-VALUE REPAIRABLE AVIATION ASSEMBLIES AND EQUIPMENT WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

A letter from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the review of the supply management of high-value repairable aviation assemblies and equipment within the Department of the Navy, dated June 1962 (with an accompanying report); to the Committee on Government Operations.

USE OF CERTAIN PUBLIC SPACE IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BY ADMINISTRATOR OF GENERAL SERVICES

A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, Washington, D.C., transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize the Administrator of General Services, in connection with the construction and maintenance of a Federal office building, to use the public space under and over 10th Street SW., in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes (with an accompanying paper); to the Committee on Public Works.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

Petitions, etc., were laid before the Senate, or presented, and referred as indicated:

By the PRESIDENT pro tempore:

A resolution of the Legislature of the Territory of Guam; to the Committee on Commerce:

"RESOLUTION 419

"Resolution relative to respectfully requesting the U.S. Congress to enact legislation excluding the territory of Guam from the provisions of the Shipping Act of 1916, as amended, and the Intercoastal Shipping Act of 1933, as amended

"Whereas the provisions of the Shipping Act of 1916, as amended, title 46, U.S.C.A., and the provisions of the Intercoastal Ship-