

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Measures Introduced: 9 public bills, H.R. 4945–4953; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 98 and H. Res. 445, were introduced. **Pages H3600–01**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3307, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire the property known as Pemberton's Headquarters and to modify the boundary of Vicksburg National Military Park to include that property (H. Rept. 107–508);

H.R. 3858, to modify the boundaries of the New River Gorge National River, West Virginia (H. Rept. 107–509); and

H. Res. 444, providing for consideration of the Senate amendments to H.R. 327, to amend chapter 35 of title 44, United States Code, for the purpose of facilitating compliance by small businesses with certain Federal paperwork requirements and to establish a task force to examine the feasibility of streamlining paperwork requirements applicable to small businesses (H. Rept. 107–510). **Page H3600**

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Culberson to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H3565**

Journal: Agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of Thursday, June 13 by a yea-and-nay vote of 307 yeas to 45 nays, Roll No. 230.

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Recess: The House recessed at 12:43 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H3566**

Recess: The House recessed at 3:08 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m. **Page H3578**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Martin's Cove, Wyoming Land Transfer: H.R. 4103, amended, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to transfer certain public lands in Natrona County, Wyoming, to the Corporation of the Presiding Bishop; **Pages H3567–70**

James V. Hansen Shoshone National Trail: H.R. 3936, amended, to designate and provide for the management of the Shoshone National Recreation Trail. Agreed to amend the title so as to read: "A bill to designate and provide for the management of the James V. Hansen Shoshone National Trail, and for other purposes."; **Pages H3570–71**

Pu'uhonua O Honaunau National Historical Park, Hawaii Boundary Expansion: H.R. 1906,

amended, to amend the Act that established the Pu'uhonua O Honaunau National Historical Park to expand the boundaries of that park; **Pages H3571–73**

National Homeownership Month: H. Con. Res. 415, recognizing National Homeownership Month and the importance of homeownership in the United States (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 358 yeas with none voting "nay," Roll No. 231); and

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Meningitis Awareness Month: H. Con. Res. 340, supporting the goals and ideals of Meningitis Awareness Month (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 360 yeas with none voting "nay," Roll No. 232).

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Prescription Drug Benefit Plan: Agreed that the requirement of clause 2(c)(1) of rule XII not apply to a bill that includes a proposal to provide a prescription drug benefit plan. Clause 2(c)(1) of rule XII stipulates that the Speaker shall designate a committee of primary jurisdiction with respect to the referral of a matter. **Page H3580**

Senate Messages: Message received from the Senate today appears on page H3567.

Referrals: S. 672 and S. 1770 were held at the desk.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H3578–79, H3579, and H3579–80. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 9:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOMELAND SECURITY REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy and Human Resources held a hearing on "Homeland Security Reorganization: What Impact on Federal Law Enforcement and Drug Interdiction?" Testimony was heard from Adm. Robert E. Kramek (Ret.), USCG, former Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; the following former officials of the Department of Justice: Donnie Marshall, Administrator, DEA; and Douglas M. Kruhm, Assistant Commissioner, U.S. Border Patrol, INS; the former officials of the Department of the Treasury: Peter K. Nunez, Secretary for Enforcement; and Sam Banks, Acting Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service; and a public witness.