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So the amendment in the nature of a substitute was not agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. BOEHNER, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

¶19.10 NOTICE REQUIREMENT— CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION— QUESTION OF PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, pursuant to clause 2(a)(1) of rule IX, announced his intention to call up the resolution (H. Res. 57) to preserve the constitutional role of the House of Representatives to provide for the expenditure of public money and ensure that the executive branch of the United States Government remains accountable to the House of Representatives for each expenditure of public money, as a question of the privileges of the House.

¶19.11 ADJOURNMENT OVER

On motion of Mr. GOSS, by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Monday, February 6, 1995.

¶19.12 CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

On motion of Mr. GOSS, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That business in order for consideration on Wednesday, February 6, 1995, under clause 7, rule XXIV, the Calendar Wednesday rule, be dispensed

¶19.13 ORDER OF BUSINESS—FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That during further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2) to give the President item veto authority over appropriations Acts and targeted tax benefits in revenue Acts, pursuant to House Resolution 55, the chairman of the Committee of the Whole may postpone until a time during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and that the chairman of the Committee of the Whole may reduce to not less than five minutes the time for voting by electronic device on any postponed question that immediately follows another vote by electronic device without intervening business, provided that the time for voting by electronic device on the first in any series of questions shall be not less than 15 minutes.

¶19.14 ORDER OF BUSINESS— AMENDMENTS DURING FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent.

Ordered, That during further consideration the bill $(H.R.\ 2)$ to give the President item veto authority over appropriations Acts and targeted tax benefits in revenue Acts, under the fiveminute rule in the Committee of the Whole House on Monday, February 6, 1995, only six amendments, if offered, be considered; that time for debate be equally divided between proponents and opponents of the amendments with the debate not to exceed time allotted, as follows: Mr. Orton, one hour; Ms. Waters, 30 minutes; Mr. Tauzin, 30 minutes; and Mr. Traficant, 30 minutes; and that no amendments to the amendments may be offered; and

Ordered further, That two amendments in the nature of substitutes, one by Ms. Slaughter and one by Mr. Stenholm, also be considered, if offered; that time for debate be equally divided between proponents and opponents with debate not to exceed one hour for each substitute; that the substitute of Mr. Stenholm not be offered before 5 o'clock p.m.; and that no amendments

to the substitutes be offered.

¶19.15 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted-

To Mr. BARTLETT, for today;

To Mr. STOCKMAN, for today after 11 a.m.:

To Mr. KELLY, for today;

To Mr. McNulty, for today after 2 p.m.; and

To Mr. SISISKY, for today. And then,

¶19.16 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. FOLEY, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 4 o'clock and 13 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Monday, February 6, 1995.

¶19.17 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. BAESLER:

H.R. 813. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to establish a pilot program to evaluate the feasibility of county-based rural development boards, develop a strategy for adopton of national rural goals and objectives, establish a training program for local county board leaders, providing roles and responsibilities for State rural development councils, substate regional organizations, and 1862 and 1890 land grant institutions, and establish a grant program for financing various rural and small community development initiatives, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. BAKER of Louisiana (for himself, Mr. McCollum, Mr. Dreier, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. KING, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, and Mr. FLAKE):

H.R. 814. A bill to enhance competition in the financial services sector, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself, Mr. GEP-

HARDT, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. DELAURO, Mrs. SCHROEDER, Mr. BRY-ANT of Texas, Mr. KLINK, HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. FROST, Mr. WARD, Ms. LOWEY, and Mr. DURBIN):

H.R. 815. A bill to provide that the Bureau of Labor Statistics may not change, during the 104th Congress, the method of calculating the consumer price index if it would result in higher taxes unless the change has been approved by law; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. HAYES: H.R. 816. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, with respect to the treatment of certain transportation and subsistence expenses of retired judges; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HEFLEY:

H.R. 817. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Energy to lease lands within the naval oil shale reserves to private entities for the development and production of oil and natural gas; to the Committee on National Security, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

By Mr. HINCHEY (for himself, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. VELAZ-QUEZ, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Gutierrez, Mr. Serrano, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. MANTON, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SCHUMER, and Mr. McNulty):

H.R. 818. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to lower the maximum Federal medical assistance percentage that may be applied with respect to any State under the Medicaid Program and to increase such percentage with respect to all States under such program; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut:

H.R. 819. A bill to amend title IV of the Social Security Act to provide welfare families with the education, training job search, and work experience needed to prepare them to leave welfare within 2 years, to increase the rate of paternity establishment for children receiving welfare benefits, to provide States with greater flexibility in providing welfare, and to authorize States to conduct demonstration projects to test the effectiveness of policies designed to help people leave welfare and increase their financial security; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. LINCOLN (for herself, Mr. UPTON, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. MANTON, Mr. GILLMOR, and Mr. TAUZIN):

H.R. 820. A bill to amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to clarify liability under that act for certain recycling transactions; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. McINTOSH:

H.R. 821. A bill to reform the regulatory process, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, and Rules, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left$ committee concerned.

By Mr. MILLER of Florida (for himself, Mr. Minge, Mr. Allard, Mr. Barcia. Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin. Mr. CAL-VERT, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. COX, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FOX, Ms. FURSE, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOSS, Mr. HANCOCK. Ms. HARMAN. Mr. HERGER, Mr. KLUG, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. Peterson of Minnesota. Poshard, Mr. Royce, Mr. Sanford, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STENHOLM, and Mr. ZIMMER):

H.R. 822. A bill to provide a fair, nonpolitical process that will achieve \$45 billion in budget outlay reductions each fiscal year until a balanced budget is reached; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, and in addition to the Committees on Rules, and the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MILLER of Florida (for himself

and Mr. MINGE):
H.R. 823. A bill to provide a fair, nonpolitical process that will achieve \$45 billion in budget outlay reductions each fiscal year until a balanced budget is reached; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, and in addition to the Committees on Rules, and the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

> By Mr. OBEY (for himself, Mr. DURBIN, and Mr. STENHOLM):

H.R. 824. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act and other laws to return primary responsibility for disaster relief to the States, to establish a private corporation to insure States against risks and costs of disasters otherwise borne by the States, and to provide for reimbursable Federal assistance to States for activities in response to disasters, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Banking and Financial Services, Small Business, and Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. STEARNS:

H.R. 825. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow taxpayers to designate \$1 of their income tax liability and some or all of their income tax refunds, and to contribute additional amounts, for purposes of rehabilitation and treatment in

combating the war on drugs; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. WILSON: H.R. 826. A bill to extend the deadline for the completion of certain land exchanges involving the Big Thicket National Preserve in Texas; to the Committee on Resources. By Mr. STEARNS:

H.J. Res. 67. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to voluntary prayer in public schools; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island (for himself and Mr. SCHUMER):

H. Con. Res. 22. Concurrent resolution affirming the purpose and value of senior nutrition programs created under the Older Americans Act; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

By Mrs. KENNELLY (for herself, Mr. ROSE, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. JACOBS, Mr. Peterson of Minnesota, Mr. McDermott, and Mr. Pastor):

H. Con. Res. 23. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the current link between the levels of earnings allowed for blind individuals entitled to disability insurance benefits and the exempt amounts allowed for purposes of the Social Security earnings test for individuals who have attained retirement age should be maintained; to the Committee on Ways and

> By Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi (for himself, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. DANNER, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. KLINK, Mr. Sanders, Mr. Visclosky, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. DUN-CAN, and Mrs. THURMAN):

H. Res. 57. Resolution to preserve the constitutional role of the House of Representatives to provide for the expenditure of public money and ensure that the executive branch of the U.S. Government remains accountable to the House of Representatives for each expenditure of public money; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. FOLEY (for himself, Mr. Goss, Mr. JACOBS, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. REGULA, Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. COBURN, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. BROWNBACK, GUNDERSON, Mr. SANFORD, and Mr. BAKER of California):

H. Res. 58. Resolution requiring that copies of the United States Code for any Member of the House of Representatives be paid for from the appropriate official allowance of the Member; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. YATES:

H. Res. 59. Resolution to emphasize the importance of understanding the history of President Franklin Delano Roosevelt and to recognize the opening of the Roosevelt Memorial and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

¶19.18 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, private bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. BURTON of Indiana:

H.R. 827. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for the vessel *Alpha Tango*; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H.R. 828. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of