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10:57 S. + G.



Tim

SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

Tuesday, March 27, 1990

8:00 am (15 min)	<u>Intelligence Briefing</u> (Scowcroft/Sununu)	Oval Office
8:15 am (30 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> (Scowcroft/Sununu)	Oval Office
8:45 am (30 min)	<u>Meeting with Governor Sununu</u>	Oval Office
9:15 am (45 min)	<u>Administrative Time</u>	Oval Office
10:00 am (5 min)	<u>Drop by Meeting of the African Development Bank Roundtable</u> (Scowcroft)	Indian Treaty Room (TAB A)
10:15 am (20 min)	<u>Meeting with Terri Lacy</u> (Presock)	Oval Office
10:35 am (55 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
11:30 am (5 min)	<u>Taping for Child Care Actuality</u> (Demarest)	Oval Office (TAB B)
11:45 am (10 min)	B <u>Photo with International Trans-Antarctica Expedition Team</u> (Demarest) ~~opwp~~ (Sills)	Rose Garden (TAB C)
12:00 pm (75 min)	B <u>Luncheon honoring Dwight D. Eisenhower Centennial</u> (McClure/Firestone) (opwp)	State Dining Room (TAB D)
1:15 pm (15 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
1:30 pm (30 min)	<u>Meeting with President Carter</u> (Scowcroft) opwp-2	Oval Office
2:00 pm (90 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office



3:30 pm
(30 min)

Congressional Hour
(McClure)

Oval Office
(TAB E)

4:00 pm
(30 min)

Administrative Time

Oval Office

4:30 pm
(30 min)

Meeting with Governor Sununu

Oval Office

5:30 pm
(20 min)

Attend NRSC Senatorial
Trust Reception
(Card/Firestone)

State Floor
(TAB F)

6:15 pm
(20 min)

Drop by NRSC Chairman's
Club Reception
(Card)

Under Blue Dome
5th Floor, OEOP
(TAB G)

7:59 add (b)(3) DCI, Bates, Acornoff + Sununu 8:20 (approx) DCI + Webster out
8:58 Bates + Acornoff out 9:25 Sununu out 9:47 add Sununu 9:54 Sununu out
9:56 dpt Oval in rth Indian Treaty Rm. 9:59 announced into Indian Treaty Rm - Remarks
10:09 dpt Indian Treaty Rm 10:12 an Oval 10:43 add Mrs. Bush 10:22 add Rhodes
10:38 Mrs. Bush out 10:36 Lacy + Rhodes out 10:51 add Fitzwater 10:55 add Sununu
10:56 add Bates 10:57 Bates, Sununu + Fitzwater out 11:15 add Sununu
11:18 Sununu out 11:31 add ^{Demarest} Kilberg, Luthringer + technicians (WHA) for radio taping
11:34 Kilberg out Luthringer + Technicians out 11:42 add Mrs. Bush
11:49 Poter + Mrs. Bush to Rose Garden for photos of Trans Atlantic Team
11:58 an Oval w/ Mrs. Bush 12:01 Mrs Bush dpt 12:15 dpt Oval
12:17 an State Flr - Poter + Mrs. Bush to Blue Rm for Reing Time 12:45 dpt State Flr. F + Scowen
1:46 an Roosevelt Rm - Brett Carter et al (check HSC); all to Oval 1:47 add Baker + Sununu
2:27 Conclude mtg. Carter dpt ~~at 2:27~~ 2:28 Bates + Acornoff out; Baker remains 2:31 add Sununu
(all out except Baker, Bates, + Scowen)
~~2:31 add Sununu + Baker out~~ 2:34 Sununu + Baker out
2:54 add Dorman + Sununu 3:28 Sununu + Dorman out (TAB "E") UNP 03/26/90
3:38 all out 3:40 add McClure, Sen. Shelby et al 3:50 all out 3:55 add McClure, Sen. McCain et al
3:55 all out 3:57 add Cong. Michel, McClure et al 4:00 all out
McClure, Sen. Lugar et al

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4:15 add John Magaw 4:22 Magaw out 4:35 add Sumner
(4:45 - 4:49 approx) Acrowcroft in & out

4:50 Sumner out 4:52 add Acrowcroft 4:55 Acrowcroft out 5:02 Acrowcroft in

5:09 Acrowcroft out 5:26 Potus to Fitzwater off 5:31 Potus announced into E. Room

5:43 conclude remarks 5:53 Potus to 2nd Flr Res. 5:59 add Mr. Albert ^{FAY} ~~Fay~~ to 2nd
~~(friend from Tx)~~ Flr Res.

6:10 Potus + ^{FAY} ~~Fay~~ dpt 2nd Flr (Drop ^{FAY} ~~Fay~~ on State Flr) Potus to OEOB

6:13 arr 5th Flr OEOB - for Reception 6:38 dpt Receptionist at Res.

— arr 2nd Flr Res. — question for Burt Lee B-day reception

7:40 approx - guests dpt

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

TELEPHONE MEMORANDUM

MARCH 27th

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PRESIDENT BUSH

	TIME		NAME	ACTION
	PLACED	DISC		
XXOUT	8:53 AM		SECRETARY JAMES BAKER A. III OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN. EXT. 420	TLKD TO MRS. PATRICIA (PATTY) PRESOCK 8:53 A.M.
INC	XXY PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	9:40 AM	9:43	SECRETARY NICHOLAS F. BRADY (b)(6)	TLKD-OK
XXINC	XXPM			
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	10:39 AM	10:43	MRS. BARBARA BUSH RES: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN, EXT. 551	TLKD-OK
XXXINC	XXY PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
XXXOUT	10:47 AM	10:50	SECRETARY JAMES A. BAKER III OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN. EXT. 420	TLKD-OK
INC	XXY PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XXAM		SENATOR CHRISTOPHER S. (KIT) BOND OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C.	TLKD-OK
XXXINC	12:12 PM	12:14	224-1534	
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
XXXOUT	XXAM		GOVERNOR BOB MARTINEZ OFC: TALLAHASSEE, FL. 904-488-2272	GOVERNOR JOHN H. SUNUNU TLKD ON CALL 3:31 P.M.
INC	3:28 PM			

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PRESIDENT BUSH

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	TIME		NAME	ACTION
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OUT	XXAM		MR. JOHN (JOHNNY) MORRIS OFC: SPRINGFIELD, MO. 417-887-1915	LW TO RETURN PRESUS CALL 3/28/ 90 AT NOON. TOLD
XXY INC	4:09 PM			
OUT	AM			MRS. PATRICIA (PATTY) PRESOCK.
INC	PM			
OUT	XXAM		MR. DOUG SANDERS OFC: HOUSTON, TX. 713-864-3684	
XXX INC	4:26 PM	4:30		TLKD-OK
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XXAM		DUTY OFFICER IN SITUATION ROOM	TLKD WITH MR. DAN RAY. TLKD-OK
XXY INC	4:32 PM	4:35	OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C.	
OUT	AM		WHITE HOUSE ADMIN. EXT. 659	
INC	PM			
XXY OUT	XXAM		SECRETARY NICHOLAS F. BRADY	
INC	7:38 PM	7:41	(b)(6)	TLKD-OK
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SIGNAL SWITCHBOARD

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~~QNT~~	AM		Conference Call: Prime Minister Ruud Lubbers (b)(6)	Tlkd-ok 4:26 PM
INC	4:26 PM	4:30		<i>disconnected</i>
OUT	AM		Mr. Robert L. Hutchings White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2264	
INC	PM			<i>disconnected</i>
OUT	AM		Conference Call: Prime Minister Ruud Lubbers (b)(6)	
~~INC~~	4:52 PM	4:53		Tlkd-ok 4:52 PM
OUT	AM		Mr. Robert L. Hutchings White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2264	<i>disconnected</i>
INC	PM			
OUT	AM		Conference Call: Prime Minister Ruud Lubbers (b)(6)	Tlkd-ok 5:02 PM
INC	5:02 PM	5:05		
OUT	AM		Mr. Robert L. Hutchings White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2264	
~~INC~~	PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
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PRESIDENTIAL MOVEMENTS

LOCATION Washington, D.C.

DATE 28 March 1990

TIME

MOVEMENTS

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News Summary

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TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1990 -- 6 a.m. EST EDITION

TODAY'S HEADLINES

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Army Deserters Rounded Up, Beaten By Soviet Soldiers -- Soviet soldiers stormed hospitals Tuesday and seized Lithuanians who deserted from the Red Army after their republic declared independence from Moscow. Witnesses said some men were beaten bloody.

(Toronto Globe and Mail, AP, Reuter)

Lithuanian Calls On West's Aid, Fears Moscow Will Use Force -- Lithuanian President Landsbergis said Tuesday he feared Moscow had decided to use force against his rebel Baltic republic and appealed for aid from the West.

(Reuter)

U.S. And Mexico Agree To Seek Free-Trade Pact -- The U.S. and Mexican leaders have agreed to negotiate a free-trade pact between the two nations, a move that effectively would create a united North American market, Bush Administration officials said.

(Wall Street Journal)

NATIONAL NEWS

White House Backs Off On Clean Air Bill -- The White House stepped back Monday from its threat to scuttle the clean air bill if it includes a costly provision to protect coal miners who could lose their jobs. (USA Today)

NETWORK NEWS (Monday evening)

LITHUANIA -- President Gorbachev reportedly pledged not to use force except to save lives.

SOUTH AFRICA -- At least eight people were killed when police opened fire on a protest march.

ABORTION/IDAHO -- The governor of Idaho said he still hasn't decided whether to sign a bill which would become the most restrictive abortion law in any state.

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS

ARMY DESERTERS ROUNDED UP, BEATEN BY SOVIET SOLDIERS

VILNIUS -- Soviet soldiers stormed hospitals Tuesday and seized Lithuanians who deserted from the Red Army after their republic declared independence from Moscow. Witnesses said some men were beaten bloody.

It was the first violence in the confrontation...since Lithuania's parliament voted March 11 to secede.

Soviet troops also took over the Communist Party headquarters, a showcase office building in the Lithuanian capital, making it the fifth building to be seized....

Speaking to reporters Tuesday, President Landsbergis called the Soviet raids "open acts of aggression" and accused Soviet authorities of fabricating stories of provocation to justify the use of force....

In Vilnius, a nurse said a dozen deserters at the psychiatric hospital escaped and others were beaten by their captors.

"They beat them with their fists," a duty nurse said of the Soviet soldiers who stormed the hospital. "I was afraid they would shoot me."

(Ann Imse, AP)

Soviet Paratroopers Take Lithuanian Communist Party Building

MOSCOW -- Armed Soviet paratroopers Tuesday seized the headquarters of the breakaway Lithuanian Communist Party in Vilnius, shortly after other forces dragged Lithuanian military deserters from their refuge, dissident political sources said.

Algis Zhukas, secretary to Lithuanian party chief Algirdas Brazauskas, told Reuters by telephone from Vilnius that soldiers had entered the Central Committee building en masse at 7:15 a.m. (11:15 p.m. EST).

"They came in with automatic weapons and radio receivers. This is a big military operation," Zhukas said.

"They are strolling through the corridors, walking to and from the windows. They are letting everyone here work normally and people are coming and going freely. I don't really know why they are here."

A spokesman for the pro-independence Sajudis movement said paratroopers entered a psychiatric hospital on the outskirts of Vilnius before dawn and seized 12 recruits who had taken refuge there. (Reuter)

Soviet Troops Round Up Lithuanian Deserters -- Radio

LONDON -- Soviet soldiers Tuesday entered a Vilnius psychiatric hospital and forcibly removed a number of Lithuanian army deserters who had taken refuge there, the BBC said.

Quoting its correspondent in Vilnius, the BBC said it was the first time the Soviet army had attempted to round up Lithuanian nationals since a weekend order for them to rejoin local military units....

The BBC quoted an unnamed Lithuanian government official as saying the deserters' detention created a "difficult situation." (Reuter)

Lithuanian Calls On West's Aid, Fears Moscow Will Use Force

MOSCOW -- Lithuanian President Landsbergis said Tuesday he feared Moscow had decided to use force against his rebel Baltic republic and appealed for aid from the West.

In a statement to reporters in Vilnius...Landsbergis said President Gorbachev's comments Monday that force would only be used if civilian lives were endangered signaled a basic change in Kremlin attitudes.

"In other words, force will be used, because they could create this threat very easily themselves," Landsbergis said. "We raise this question to the democratic nations -- Is the West once again willing to sell Lithuania to the Soviet Union?"

Landsbergis said Soviet armed forces had obviously already been told they could use violence because they had done so on breaking into a Vilnius psychiatric hospital before dawn, seizing Lithuanian deserters from the army and wounding some in the process.

"Last night a hospital was attacked and blood was shed and several dozens of people were abducted," he said.

In Kaunas...paratroopers had also broken into a hospital, cut the phone lines and abducted several patients, he said.

"So far there's been no reaction from the West," he said. (Reuter)

Soviet Army Tightens Grip Over Lithuania

MOSCOW -- Hours after Lithuanian leaders said the threatened flashpoint with Moscow had passed, the Soviet army tightened its grip over the Baltic republic by seizing another building.

Soviet soldiers occupied the Communist Party headquarters in the Baltic port of Klaipeda late Monday night.

Meanwhile, in Vilnius 75 miles away, helicopters once again dropped leaflets urging the populace to reject the Lithuanian government's declaration of independence from Moscow....

Sen. Kennedy, who met President Gorbachev in Moscow Monday, said Gorbachev told him that the use of military power had not been entirely ruled out. Kennedy said the Soviet leader told him "there would be no use of force unless the lives of others were threatened."

Tass quoted Gorbachev as telling Kennedy: "I think we have offered quite a few convincing proofs of our adherence to new thinking, to the policy of renouncing Cold War methods and the reliance of force, proofs of our respect for peoples' right to choose and to equal security."

But later in the long, ambiguous quotation, Tass said Gorbachev also warned that the Soviet constitution should not be violated and that it would be defended "using all means."

(Matthew Fisher, Toronto Globe and Mail)

LITHUANIAN LEADERS WORRIED ABOUT CLASHES AT PRO-MOSCOW RALLY

MOSCOW -- A hardline group trying to keep Lithuania within the Soviet Union planned a mass rally for Tuesday, raising fears among the republic's rebel leaders it could serve as pretext for army intervention....

"We cannot exclude the possibility that a provocation could occur tomorrow and the army might be called in," Kazimiera Motieka, a member of the presidium of the Lithuanian parliament, told a news conference Monday....

Vilnius radio said President Landsbergis appealed on television to Russian-speaking residents to stay calm and not to attend the rally.

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(Peter Conradi, Reuter)

GORBACHEV REASSURES KENNEDY ON USE OF VIOLENCE IN LITHUANIA

MOSCOW -- President Gorbachev pledged Monday not to use military force against the independence-minded republic of Lithuania unless "there is violence that threatens the lives of other citizens."

During a 75-minute meeting here with Sen. Kennedy, Gorbachev also insisted that the tiny nation annexed by Josef Stalin in 1939 is now a legal part of the USSR and can't leave except through constitutional processes.

According to sources on the Soviet leader's staff and in the Kennedy entourage, Gorbachev lashed out at President Bush during the meeting with Kennedy, accusing Bush and other Western leaders of recently violating past assurances that they would not take advantage of the massive problems he faces in reforming the decayed political and economic structures of his frayed society.

At one point, the sources said, Gorbachev said that if the outside pressure continues he would feel forced to consider changing the pace of the overall improvement in U.S.-Soviet relations of recent years....

In private, sources here said Kennedy told Gorbachev that there are still U.S. politicians who say the Soviet leader's reforms are not for real, and that the use of force could set back numerous efforts in Congress to hasten the pace of improved relations. (Thomas Oliphant, Boston Globe)

Lithuania Crisis Eased By Soviets

MOSCOW -- President Gorbachev's repeated assurance that the Kremlin will not seek to subjugate Lithuania by force and a key agreement between politicians and Soviet generals in Lithuania marked an easing of tensions Monday over the breakaway Baltic republic.

In a meeting with Sen. Kennedy, Gorbachev moved to cool the Lithuania crisis, saying that the Kremlin has shunned "Cold War methods" for good.

But he also betrayed some vexation with the West's worries about the situation, telling his visitor that the West is trying to milk Lithuania's secession for political gain and taking a swipe at the U.S. for finding logic to justify its interventions in Panama and other foreign lands while rejecting steps taken by the Kremlin to keep order at home.

"One's own actions, even in other countries, are measured by one standard, but the actions of others in their own country are [measured] by other standards and arouse 'concern,'" he told Kennedy, according to Tass. (John-Thor Dahlburg & Esther Schrader, Los Angeles Times, A1)

Lithuanians Say Crisis May Be Easing

VILNIUS -- After days of extraordinary tension and fear of Soviet military occupation, Lithuanian leaders said Monday they may have "passed the most dangerous period" of their confrontation with Moscow and even discerned signs that the Kremlin was ready to begin preliminary talks with the breakaway republic.

Following a morning meeting with Soviet military commanders in the republic, Lithuanian Deputy Prime Minister Ozolas said that while he had received no guarantees against further military interference by Moscow, he felt more confident that the Soviet army would not take over the legislature building here....

"The mood has changed," Ozolas told reporters after the meeting. "Neither side will take any actions now without first informing the other. I think this is even the basis for negotiations on a higher level."

(David Remnick, Washington Post, A1)

BUSH ADMINISTRATION WARNS MOSCOW ON LITHUANIA

The Bush Administration Monday turned up the diplomatic heat against Moscow, warning that "any effort to coerce or intimidate the Lithuanian people is bound to backfire" and "could be counter-productive for U.S.-Soviet relations."

But the Administration then turned the heat back down by refusing to define what actions it would find unacceptable.

Asked by reporters to define its terms, State Department spokeswoman Tutwiler replied, "I said that we weren't going to define what coercion was, intimidation or force. And so I don't want to get into characterizing various actions that...are going on."

"Why is that?" she was asked.

"Because that's what I was told to do," Tutwiler responded.

(Fred Kaplan, Boston Globe)

OFFICIALS SEE BIG STAKE FOR BUSH IN LITHUANIA CRISIS

Although in many ways a bystander to the crisis, President Bush has a tremendous stake in the way President Gorbachev handles the confrontation over Lithuania, Administration officials and outside specialists said Monday....

The stakes for Bush include his plans to host a superpower summit in the U.S. this summer, his hope of reaching agreements on reducing strategic arms and conventional forces with the Soviet Union this year and the benefit he derives from continued improvement in relations with Moscow, the officials and experts said.

"The success of virtually everything we are pursuing is contingent on Gorbachev's success in managing this crisis and others coming up," a senior Administration official said. "That doesn't mean we are tying our policy to Gorbachev. It does mean that we can't operate along the same paths" if the Soviet leader uses force in Lithuania....

"If we don't have progress with the Soviets and everything that brings -- arms reductions, settlements in regional conflicts, maybe a peace dividend, democracy breaking out -- what are we going to have? A capital gains cut. Please. That's going to make America glad?"

(David Hoffman, Washington Post, A18)

SECESSIONIST BANDWAGON ROLLING IN SOVIET GEORGIA

TBILISI -- ...The secessionist bandwagon is starting to roll elsewhere in the Soviet Union, particularly in the traditionally volatile Transcaucasus region -- Georgia, Azerbaijan and Armenia....

Here in Georgia, the opposition movement is deeply divided. Most nationalist groups have called for a boycott of the Georgian legislative election, but others argued that a boycott would play into the hands of Moscow....

Many Georgians are convinced that Moscow is stirring up trouble among Georgia's ethnic minorities as part of a "divide and rule" policy.

(Michael Dobbs, Washington Post, A18)

SOVIETS ALSO SENT BANNED MISSILES TO BULGARIA

The Soviet Union has told the U.S. that it transferred SS-23 missiles to Bulgaria, as well as to Czechoslovakia and East Germany, before signing a treaty that bans the weapons from U.S. and Soviet arsenals, a State Department official said Monday.

Bulgaria has yet to confirm the transfer, which Moscow disclosed in a note to Washington within the past few days, the official said....

The clandestine transfer of the SS-23 missiles is fast becoming a significant and contentious issue in arms control relations between the superpowers. It raises questions of Soviet "good faith" in failing to reveal the transfers until challenged by the United States, U.S. officials say....

The Administration is waiting until it has all the information about all the missiles before deciding how it will handle the situation and its ramifications, officials said. (Robert Toth, Los Angeles Times, A7)

CENTRIST PARTIES SURGE IN HUNGARIAN VOTING

BUDAPEST -- The staunchly anti-Communist, center-right Hungarian Democratic Forum has apparently won a narrow victory over the center-left Alliance of Free Democrats in the initial round of the first free elections in Hungary in more than four decades.

With 80 percent of the Sunday vote tabulated, the Democratic Forum, a populist party appealing to traditional Hungarian values, had won about 24.5 percent. The Free Democrats, a party of former political dissidents who advocate radical free-market economic reform, had won about 21 percent. The Socialist Party...came away with 11 percent and conceded it will become a minority opposition party.

(Blaine Harden, Washington Post, A14)

U.S. WARNED ON FAST-PACED EUROPE UNITY

Top European policymakers have quietly warned the Bush Administration that the economic and political integration of Europe is moving far more rapidly than had been expected, a development that could have implications for U.S.-European relations.

European strategists now believe that sweeping changes...are likely to be completed by 1993 or 1994, rather than several years later.

The assessment, delivered in conversations over the weekend with senior Administration officials, attributed the speedup to the emergence of the East European democracies and the push to reunify Germany.

(Art Pine, Los Angeles Times, A6)

MARINE GENERAL: U.S. TROOPS MUST REMAIN IN JAPAN

CAMP BUTLER, Okinawa: U.S. troops must remain in Japan at least for the next decade in large part to prevent Japan from remilitarizing, the top Marine general here said in a recent interview.

Maj. Gen. Henry Stackpole, commander of Marine Corps Bases in Japan, said Japan will beef up "what is already a very, very potent military" if U.S. forces withdraw.

"No one wants a rearmed, resurgent Japan," the general said. "So we are a cap in the bottle, if you will." ...

He...said he doubts Japan will change its basic economic structure.

..."The Japanese consider themselves racially superior," he said. "They feel they have a handle on the truth, and their economic growth has proved that."

Fred Hiatt, Washington Post, A14)

Troops Must Stay In Japan, Philippines Is 'Basket Case'

A top U.S. general based in Japan said in an interview published Tuesday that the Japanese considered themselves "racially superior" and described the Philippines as a "basket case."

Maj. Gen. Henry Stackpole...was quoted in The Washington Post...as saying the Philippines...was a "basket case" because of official corruption and a widening gap between rich and poor.

A Marine Corps spokeswoman, Maj. Gen. Nancy LaLuntas, said the Corps had no comment on Stackpole's remarks. (Reuter)

JAPANESE GET SPECIFIC ON U.S. TRADE SOLUTIONS

Is the ownership of more than one credit card partly to blame for America's \$49 billion trade deficit with Japan? Or the tax exemption given by the federal government for home mortgages? Or the relatively low tax paid on gasoline in this country?

The Japanese government, taking an uncharacteristically aggressive stance in trade talks, has suggested that the Bush Administration get rid of these icons of American life and about 90 others so the American economy can compete better with Tokyo, U.S. officials said Monday....

"Most of their ideas were very interesting. They put a lot of thought into our economy," said a U.S. official.

For its part, the Bush Administration handed Japan a highly detailed list of 270 policy changes that it said would open the Japanese economy to more foreign goods and investments, some of them as big a shock to the Japanese system as some of Japan's suggestions are to Washington.

(Stuart Auerbach, Washington Post, D1)

U.S. AND MEXICO AGREE TO SEEK FREE-TRADE PACT

The U.S. and Mexican leaders have agreed to negotiate a free-trade pact between the two nations, a move that effectively would create a united North American market, Bush Administration officials said.

Officials from the two countries agreed during private meetings here at the end of February to negotiate such an accord....

President Bush is eager to pursue an agreement, and Secretary Baker and Secretary Mosbacher...are strong supporters, officials said. Moreover, President Salinas, believing the negotiations will help him politically, apparently wants publicity about them to peak before his country's mid-term congressional elections in July 1991.

(Peter Truell, Wall Street Journal, A3)

CHEAP, POWERFUL HEROIN FLOODING U.S., DEA SAYS

Huge quantities of increasingly pure heroin are flooding into the U.S., and authorities fear it may surpass cocaine as the nation's biggest drug problem.

The DEA says heroin imports into the U.S. have skyrocketed in the last year and that the purity of the drug is at unprecedented levels....

"The number of addicts in the United States has to be increasing," said Felix Jimenez, chief of the heroin section of the DEA. "Smoking heroin will be a big problem in the 1990s."

"In the next few years, we're going to be inundated with cheap, higher quality heroin," said David Robb, an aide to drug czar Bennett....

Authorities, however, say there is no evidence yet of a dramatic upsurge in heroin use. (Steve Goldberg, Scripps Howard).

WARNER: STEP UP DEFENSE BATTLE GROUND IN DRUG WAR

NORFOLK, Va. -- Sen. Warner says the Navy should sail ahead with drug interdiction efforts, carrying out surveillance efforts at sea as the military steps up its role in the war on drugs.

Warner, who spoke Monday to law enforcement and military officials at Little Creek Naval Amphibious Base, said the Navy can and should make a strong contribution toward drug interdiction efforts....

Warner said the international flap [over the planned Colombian naval blockade] should not discourage the U.S. from using Navy ships, including aircraft carriers, to help keep drugs from entering this country....

Special Agent Morris Davis, assistant supervising agent in charge for the DEA, who also spoke at the luncheon sponsored by the Naval Investigative Service, said the DEA is "severely limited" by its resources.

(Mitchell Miller, UPI)

W. GERMANY SOURCE OF DRUG CHEMICALS

West Germany became Colombia's top supplier of chemicals used to process cocaine last year after U.S. agents cracked down on American suppliers, DEA officials say.

West German shipments jumped more than 400 percent in 1989 as Colombian traffickers turned to Europe for solvents used by cocaine laboratories, according to the DEA.

But total U.S. chemicals shipped to Colombia also climbed 53 percent last year, a DEA spokesman said, mostly before new U.S. controls came into full force. (John Bennett, Scripps Howard, Washington Times, A3)

ANTI-DRUG GENERAL QUILTS IN COLOMBIA

Government Accused Of Losing Will To Fight

BOGOTA -- A close presidential adviser and leading figure in Colombia's war against cocaine trafficking has resigned and charged the government of President Barco will losing its will to fight the drug barons.

Carlos Lemos Simmonds resigned his powerful post as the minister of government Sunday night after coming under heavy political fire last week. His angry letter of resignation, made public Monday, angered many in Barco's government.

Barco replaced Lemos with Horacio Serpa, a senator who is widely respected but who has not been involved in the public fight against drug traffic. A government communique released Monday, in an apparent effort to take the sting out of Lemos's comments, said Serpa was being named because of his "uncompromising stand on drug trafficking."

(Douglas Farah, Washington Post, A16)

HONDURAS ANNOUNCES JOINT MILITARY EXERCISES WITH U.S.

TEGUCIGALPA -- Honduras announced Monday it would hold joint military exercises with U.S. troops, coinciding with a plan for disarming U.S.-backed Nicaraguan rebels camped in the country.

The exercises...will begin Tuesday and involve 900 U.S. troops participating in air, sea and field exercises in northern Honduras and off the Atlantic Coast, an armed forces statement said. (Reuter)

HONDURAS TO REVIEW U.S. TROOP LEVELS

TEGUCIGALPA -- President Callejas, apparently discouraged with the level of U.S. aid to his country, said Monday he would consider reducing the number of American troops in Honduras....

After a meeting with Costa Rican President Arias, Callejas said his government would have to review the U.S. troop levels in Honduras now that the U.S.-backed contra rebels in the country have agreed to demobilize....

"With the war in Nicaragua over and the establishment of a democratic government there, and with both sides reaching agreement, there is no justification for the presence of armed people in Honduras," Callejas said.

(Vilma Rosales, UPI)

U.S. WANTS EXPANDED U.N. OBSERVER FORCE FOR NICARAGUA

The State Department is calling on the U.N. to increase a proposed observer force for Nicaragua to keep tensions at a minimum when President-elect Chamorro takes office next month....

But under an agreement reached on Friday, the observers would be assigned to protect the security of enclaves in Nicaragua where contra rebel leaders said they would deploy their forces next month. The agreement also calls for an internationally supervised cease-fire in Nicaragua and for the disarming of contras based near the Honduran border by April 20....

On Monday, State Department spokeswoman Tutwiler called the agreement historic and congratulated the parties on it....

"We would encourage the parties to move forward as rapidly as possible," Tutwiler said. "Towards that end, we urge the United Nations to deploy an enlarged UNUCA [U.N. Observer Force For Central America] force to Nicaragua as rapidly as possible."

(George Gedda, AP)

TV MARTI: IGNITING WAR OF AIRWAVES

As Three-Month Test Nears, Cuba Threatens Retaliatory Jamming

MIAMI -- As Cuba attempts to avoid the tumult sweeping the rest of the communist world, a U.S. plan to bombard the island with television images from outside has touched off a war of the airwaves.

TV Marti...is poised to begin a three-month test run of game shows and basketball games to Havana several hours a day. But...visions of Tiananmen Square and bloody revolution in Romania are just around the corner, and President Castro is apparently steaming....

Friday evening, in what American broadcasters viewed as a "warning shot," a radio speech by Castro was beamed toward the U.S. mainland, disrupting six AM radio stations along the Florida coast....

"Cuban officials made it very clear that they intend to retaliate if TV Marti goes on the air," said Susan Kraus, spokeswoman for the National Association of Broadcasters, which opposes TV Marti broadcasts....

At TV Marti headquarters in Washington, officials discounted Friday's disruption as minor....

"We're looking at several possible ways to overcome the jamming, if there is jamming," said VOA spokesman Michael Schoenfeld.

(Laura Parker, Washington Post, A3)

CUBA'S AMBASSADOR, EXPELLED BY PANAMA, LEAVES FOR HAVANA

PANAMA CITY -- Cuba's ambassador to Panama, ordered expelled last week because Havana has refused to recognize the new government of President Endara, left for Cuba Monday evening aboard a commercial flight, a Foreign Ministry official said....

Foreign Minister Julio Linares...said Monday evening he had received no official reaction from Havana on the expulsion order. (Reuter)

SALVADOR GOVERNMENT DOES NOT SUPPORT AMNESTY REQUEST

SAN SALVADOR -- The Salvadoran government does not support a controversial amnesty petition from ex-members of the armed forces jailed for human rights violations and other crimes, President Cristiani told reporters.

The petition...is under consideration by a commission of the Salvadoran parliament.

"I don't think the executive has the wish to pass an amnesty which would give very generalized pardons," Cristiani told reporters. (Reuter)

SIHANOUK SAYS CHINA GUARANTEES ARMS SUPPLIES TO GUERRILLAS

BEIJING -- China has promised continued arms supplies to the three Cambodian armies fighting the Phnom Penh government, guerrilla leader Prince Norodom Sihanouk said Tuesday.

Sihanouk told reporters at his residence in the Chinese capital he was not optimistic about future negotiations on the Cambodian conflict.

"There are many stumbling blocks and differences," he said.

"Unless China and Vietnam can succeed in an agreement or compromise there will be no way for the Cambodians to stop fighting," he added....

"China will never cease to provide the three armed forces of Cambodia with multi-form aid, in particular weapons and ammunition," said Sihanouk. (Reuter)

MUBARAK LENDS BUSH, GADHAFI A HAND

Egyptian Said To Relay Assurances Following Chemical Plant Fire

CAIRO -- Egyptian President Mubarak appears intent on using recently improved relations with Libya to encourage a lessening of tensions between the U.S. and Moammar Gadhafi following the recent destruction of a Libyan chemical weapons factory.

A spokesman for Mubarak said that during a visit to Libya on Saturday, the President conveyed to Col. Gadhafi assurances he received in a phone call with President Bush that the U.S. had nothing to do with the fire that gutted the Libyan factory at Rabta on March 14....

Officials sought to show that Egypt's relationship with Libya is bearing fruit, and that Mubarak has influenced Gadhafi toward moderation....

Although Washington was "perhaps not totally comfortable" with the renewed ties between Libya and Egypt, "I think this has changed," because the Americans "have seen the influence of Mubarak on Gadhafi is more than the influence of Gadhafi on Mubarak," an Egyptian source who was in Libya with Mubarak said. (Caryle Murphy, Washington Post, A20)

ORTHODOX LEADER IN ISRAEL APPEARS TO SMITE PERES

TEL AVIV -- A 92-year-old rabbi may have dealt a death blow to Shimon Peres' chances of forming a new government Monday evening when he told more than 10,000 followers that they could not support the Labor Party because it was not supportive enough of strict Judaism.

The cleric, Rabbi Eliezer Menachem Schach, is the revered spiritual mentor of more than 100,000 religiously Orthodox Jews. His pronouncement, before a meeting of the tiny Torah Flag Party...not only hurt Labor's hopes but may also have ended any chance of movement on peace talks with Palestinians.

(Joel Brinkley, New York Times, A8)

S. AFRICAN POLICE KILL 8 PROTESTERS

JOHANNESBURG -- In an upsurge of violent racial clashes, South African police opened fire Monday on tens of thousands of black protesters in the township of Sebokeng, killing eight and injuring hundreds....

Sporadic clashes with police continued throughout the day in Sebokeng and Sharpeville, where police used tear gas to disperse thousands of protesters who threw rocks at municipal offices....

Law and Order Minister Adriaan Vlok promised Monday to reinforce police patrols in Sebokeng and other area townships.

(Scott Kraft, Washington Post, A14)

SUPPLIERS REJECT POISON GAS PROGRAM; U.S. MAY ACT

The Bush Administration is contemplating legal action against two chemical firms for refusing to sell an ingredient necessary for continued U.S. protection of poison gas artillery shells, Defense and Commerce Department officials said Monday.

The chemical, thionyl chloride, is needed to make Sarin, the lethal nerve agent produced when Army artillery shells are fired in battle....

The only domestic manufacturers of the substance, Mobay Corp. and Occidental Chemical Corp., cited internal policies against collaboration in chemical weapons production when they rejected Army purchase offers last year, according to company spokesmen.

"It is true; they did turn us down," said Defense Department spokesman Steven Roy, confirming a report in the newsletter Defense Week. He said the department is making "every effort" to obtain thionyl chloride from foreign sources.

But the Pentagon also has sought the Commerce Department's assistance in compelling sales by Mobay and Occidental under an obscure 1950 law known as the Defense Production Act.... Commerce Department spokeswoman Mildred Cooper said that "the matter [of compelling sales] is presently under review within the Administration" and that no decision has been made.

(R. Jeffrey Smith, Washington Post, A5)

EDITOR'S NOTES: "Intimidation Of Lithuania Stirs Doubts In Congress," by Major Garrett, appears in The Washington Times, page A3.

"Pentagon Review Insists B-2, C-17 Planes Are Essential," by Melissa Healy, appears in The Los Angeles Times, page A21.

"Pentagon's Maintenance Woes: A Boiling Issue For GSA," by Judith Havemann, appears in The Washington Post, A25.

NATIONAL NEWS

WHITE HOUSE BACKS OFF ON CLEAN AIR BILL

The White House stepped back Monday from its threat to scuttle the clean air bill if it includes a costly provision to protect coal miners who could lose their jobs.

White House opposition to the plan...to spend \$500 million to replace lost income by miners remains strong, said Roger Porter, Domestic Policy Adviser.

But the Bush Administration wants a clean air bill too much to see it go down the drain because of what some have termed a killer amendment.

"If we get a sound piece of environmental legislation, such as the clean air bill, with the Mitchell-Dole compromise to the Byrd amendment tacked on, that would not kill the bill," Porter said.

(Paul Clancy & Jessica Lee, USA Today, 4A).

S&Ls LOSE \$19 BILLION; WORST YEAR

New Intervention From White House, Congress Predicted

The nation's savings and loan associations lost a record \$19.2 billion last year, the government said Monday, and the mounting losses produced new predictions that the White House and Congress will have to intervene in the crisis again....

The unexpectedly large loss is the latest evidence that the \$164 billion rescue operation is faltering so badly that the White House and Congress will have to find new solutions quickly to avoid political repercussions..., congressional sources said.

"The losses for 1989 are up almost \$6 billion from a year ago and this rate cannot be sustained without the Treasury facing another onslaught," warned House Banking Committee Chairman Rep. Gonzalez, the Administration's most outspoken critic on the issue....

The report Monday...reignited calls in Congress to abolish the Office of Thrift Supervision and turn its duties over to the bank regulatory agencies. House Banking Committee members from both parties are suggesting Congress ought to start writing a sequel to last summer's S&L bailout bill. (Jerry Knight & Joel Glenn Brenner, Washington Post, A1)

ECONOMISTS SEE NO DROP IN INTEREST RATES

Consumer and business interest rates are unlikely to go lower in coming weeks despite political pressure on the Federal Reserve to abandon its tight-money policy, private economists say.

These analysts are forecasting that the prime lending rate offered by banks will stay at 10 percent....

This forecast is based on an assumption that Fed officials...will decide that inflationary risks make it unwise to reduce interest rates further.

"The economy is growing, although weakly, while at the same time inflation is unacceptably high. We have a tug of war between these two factors and that will produce no change" by the central bank, Allen Sinai, chief economist of the Boston Co., said Monday. (Martin Crutsinger, AP)

JACKSON BLASTS BUSH'S STATEHOOD COMMENTS

Jesse Jackson Monday assailed President Bush for his opposition to statehood for the District of Columbia, claiming the city is "subsidizing the federal government" although its residents have no voting representation in Congress.

Jackson, in a news conference calling for the D.C. City Council to pass legislation Tuesday to give the city a "shadow" delegation in Congress which would lobby for statehood, again criticized Bush for his statement last week that the city's federal funds come "almost exclusively from the federal government." In fact, only about 14 percent of the city's operating budget comes from the federal government's payment....

"But this federal payment itself is in lieu of taxes that are not being paid by the federal government on 41 percent of the land it occupies in the District," said Jackson. "If you consider all of the taxes that the federal government escapes and we lose because it is the occupier and we are the occupied, and then add in exemptions for foreign and diplomatic property, local services such as police and fire and streets that subsidize the federal government, you quickly realize that the District is, in fact, subsidizing the federal government." (UPI)

HELPER OF HOMELESS IS NAMED 100th 'POINT OF LIGHT'

President Bush Monday called a once-homeless woman who established a program to help homeless families in Kansas City to congratulate her on being his 100th "point of light."

"You know what it is. You've been through it yourself, been homeless," Bush told Barbara Tomblinson....

"Barbara and I were so moved by your own effort, your own history of helping homeless families and setting a great example for a lot of other Americans," Bush said. "So for that reason I wanted to call and say congratulations." (Short Takes, Washington Post, A25)

15 ALLEGED CRIME FIGURES ARRESTED

BOSTON -- The nation's top law-enforcement officials, claiming a decisive victory over organized crime, announced the arrests Monday of 15 alleged mobsters from New England, including the reputed "boss" of the Patriarca crime family....

For the first time, officials said, the investigation yielded detailed evidence of a secret "induction ceremony" in which four new members...were accepted after taking oaths in Italian and having blood drawn from their trigger fingers.

"The indictments announced today...should lay to rest once and for all any doubts that La Cosa Nostra is a figment of law enforcement's imagination," Attorney General Thornburgh told reporters at a news conference. (Christopher Daly, Washington Post, A3)

EX-NSC AIDE: POINDEXTER WARNED TWICE

An ex-Reagan White House official testified Monday that twice in 1986 he told then-national security adviser Poindexter of suspicious activities in the Iran-contra scandal, but Poindexter brushed aside his worries, telling him there was not "any problem."...

Rodney McDaniel, who was executive secretary to the NSC in 1986, said he was particularly uneasy about...Oliver North's efforts to support the Nicaraguan contras. (Joe Pichirallo, Washington Post, A4)

WORLD DEMAND FOR OIL MAY SOON REACH PRODUCTION CAPACITY: SCHLESINGER

In as little as two years, the world could be using oil as fast as it can be pumped out of the ground, says former Energy Secretary James Schlesinger.

OPEC has been producing at more than 30 percent of capacity, while Soviet production has dropped, Schlesinger told the Senate Energy Committee on Monday.

"With the call on OPEC growing at over a million barrels per day each year, we are only a couple of years away from the point that demand would theoretically reach the level of present capacity," Schlesinger said.

John Easton, an assistant energy secretary, gave the committee a more optimistic report, although he and Schlesinger agreed that U.S. oil production will continue to decline if present consumption and exploration trends continue. (Jim Luther, AP)

OUTLOOK FOR FARMERS, RANCHERS GOOD IN 1990s

FORT WORTH, Tex. -- Secretary Yeutter said Monday the outlook for farmers and ranchers in the 1990s is optimistic, with markets opening up in Japan, the Pacific Rim and Eastern Europe.

Yeutter told a meeting of the Texas and Southeastern Cattle Raisers Association the current economic expansion...is the longest in the country's history.

"The balance of American agriculture today is infinitely improved over what it was three years or four years ago," he said....

"We sold over \$1 billion of beef to Japan alone in 1989 and believe we can sell a great deal more in 1990," he said....

In a news conference following his speech, Yeutter said Eastern Europe also represents new markets, although those countries are short in foreign exchange capital.

"Over time we should be able to develop some export markets in Eastern Europe," he said. (Deborah Wormser, UPI)

COURT TO WEIGH WORKPLACE FETAL SAFETY Sex Discrimination Issue Raised In Case

The Supreme Court agreed Monday to decide whether companies can bar women capable of conceiving children from jobs that could expose their fetuses to hazardous materials....

Johnson Controls, a Milwaukee-based car battery manufacturer, adopted a fetal protection policy in 1982.... The United Auto Workers Union filed suit against the policy as illegal sex discrimination....

Voting 7 to 4, the full federal appeals court in Chicago threw out the suit, saying the fetal protection policy was "reasonably necessary to the industrial safety-based concern of protecting the unborn child from lead exposure."...

In asking the high court to review the appeals-court decision, the UAW argued that the ruling "is likely to encourage employers to impose broad new fetal-protection policies" that "could endanger the jobs of millions of women." (Ruth Marcus, Washington Post, A1)

BROCCOLI WARS -- THE FINAL CHAPTER?

Barbara Bush welcomed a shipment of broccoli from California growers who have seen sales sprout since President Bush declared that -- like new taxes -- broccoli will never pass his lips.

"We're doing a brisk business and it's because of the President," said Steve Adlesh, director of sales at Apio Produce of Guadalupe, Calif. "Broccoli has never enjoyed so much publicity."

In a media event rivaling any at the White House this month, reporters, photographers and television crews scurried to the South Lawn Monday to record the broccoli presentation. President Bush...remained inside.

"I love broccoli," the First Lady said.

"We know and we are grateful for that," said George Dunlop, president of the United Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Association. He wore a broccoli sprig on his lapel. (Thomas Ferraro, UPI)

EDITOR'S NOTES: "Washington Ways: Mrs. Bush's Inaugural Mission To Costa Rica," appears in The Washington Post, page C2.

"Abortion Issue Chills Research; Fetal Tissue Fund Ban Sidelines U.S. Experts," by Michael Specter, appears in The Washington Post, page A1.

"Child-Care Legislation: The Vision And New Reality; Two Similar House Measures Reflect Shift From Policy-Setting Plan To Anti-Poverty Program," by Frank Swoboda, appears in The Washington Post, page A9.

NETWORK NEWS

Monday evening, March 26

LITHUANIA

ABC's Peter Jennings: We begin tonight in Lithuania. Fifty years ago it was the power of the Soviet Red Army which guaranteed that independent Lithuania would be forced into the Soviet Union. Today it is the presence of Soviet soldiers in the Lithuanian capital Vilnius, which still makes it clear there is a real risk in defying the Kremlin. And yet the headline today is that both the Lithuanian and the Soviet political leadership seem to agree that for now, at least, negotiation is preferable to confrontation.

ABC's Jim Hickey reports that there was an uneasiness in Vilnius when the day began. Russian paratroopers still occupied schools belonging to the Lithuanian Communist Party after taking them over last night. After a series of late-night and early-morning meetings between top Soviet officers and Lithuanian leaders, nervousness began to subside. By afternoon there was careful optimism. "The mood has changed," said the deputy prime minister. "The meetings were a turning point in the standoff. The conflict will not escalate." He was quick to add, however, that meetings with Soviet officers did not mean talks with Moscow had begun -- only that they could, could lead to talks. None of that means that the psychological war has ended. A Soviet army helicopter flew over Vilnius dropping leaflets again today criticizing Lithuania's headlong rush for self-determination. "People are being pushed," read the leaflet, "into an abyss of the unknown." Not very many here agree with that. They are annoyed by Moscow's behavior but trying not to let it affect their daily routine. The leaflets also announced an anti-independence rally here tomorrow. Lithuanian leaders say it is provocative and illegal but will let it go ahead. Parliament continued full-speed ahead today in forming a government. Several more ministers were appointed. The thinking here is the faster they finish the job the quicker they'll be officially recognized by other countries like the U.S., making it more difficult for Moscow to interfere. However, Soviet soldiers still occupy Lithuanian Communist Party buildings tonight, a message from Moscow that if President Gorbachev is ever going to allow independence he's going to make it difficult.

(ABC-Lead)

NBC's Jane Pauley reports that President Gorbachev reportedly pledged not to use force except to save lives. Foreign Minister Shevardnadze echoed that statement, saying "dialogue is our weapon at home and abroad." The Bush Administration today sent a strong message to Moscow about Lithuania. It said further actions by the Soviet government could have adverse international repercussions and could be counterproductive for U.S.-Soviet relations.

(NBC-2)

CBS's Dan Rather reports that in Washington a spokesman for President Bush said Gorbachev had assured Bush publicly and privately that he has no intention of using force to settle the crisis. Still, the threat of force hangs in the air of the tiny republic trying to get back its independence.

CBS's Barry Petersen reports that Gorbachev used a Kremlin visit today by Sen. Kennedy to repeat a reassuring message.
(Kennedy: "The position of the Soviet Union was that there would be no use of force unless the lives of others were threatened.")

Rather: Tonight the President of Lithuania said he was alarmed by Gorbachev's statement that the Kremlin won't use force unless lives are threatened. He urged President Bush and other Americans to recognize that the Soviet leader was setting out conditions under which force could be used. (CBS-4)

HUNGARY

Jennings reports that in Hungary the man who is chairman of what used to be the Communist Party said, "Now we will be the opposition. This will be our penance." As expected the Communist Party was overwhelmingly defeated yesterday in Hungary's first free elections in more than 40 years. (ABC-3, NBC-3, CBS-5)

SOUTH AFRICA

Jennings reports that in South Africa at least eight people were killed and hundreds more were hurt when police opened fire on a protest march by thousands of black South Africans in a black township south of Johannesburg. They were demonstrating against the living and working conditions. After the shooting the demonstrators set government offices and other buildings on fire. (ABC-11, CBS-7)

NBC's Robin Lloyd reports that this was the second clash in the last three days. In Soweto over the weekend police moved against protesters calling for better living conditions. Authorities are looking to Nelson Mandela to diffuse mounting tensions and violence in the townships. But Mandela, concerned about losing the support of militant blacks, so far has been reluctant to call for a stop to the unrest. At rallies over the weekend Mandela called the use of violence counterproductive, but he blamed the recent disturbances on the government. (NBC-5)

HONECKER

Pauley: For East Germany's former communist boss, Erik Honecker, some good news today. The government said it is dropping treason charges against him and three other ousted officials. Prosecutors say there is no legal basis for that charge. But Honecker still faces charges of corruption and abuse of power. (NBC-4, CBS-6)

ABORTION/IDAHO

Jennings: The governor of Idaho said today he still hasn't decided whether to sign a bill which would become the most restrictive abortion law in any state. Supporters of the right to have an abortion have threatened to organize a nationwide boycott of Idaho potatoes if the governor does sign the bill. Potatoes are Idaho's number one cash crop. (ABC-5)

NY FIRE

NBC's Jane Pauley: A city mourns, families grieve, and a man is charged with mass murder, setting the fire that killed 87 people in New York City early yesterday. Until then most people had never heard of the Happyland Social Club. And then in a few moments happiness gave way to tragedy.

NBC's Stan Bernard reports that Julio Gonzalez has been charged with 87 counts of second-degree murder. Gonzalez, 36, came to this country from Cuba in 1980. Police officials say he admits having an argument with his former girlfriend who worked in the coat-check room of the social club. He was thrown out, went to a nearby service station, bought a dollar's worth of gas and back to the club where he poured gasoline inside the door and lit it with a match.

Pauley reports that Mayor Dinkins said the city would pay \$900 each for the victims' funerals. (NBC-Lead, ABC-7)

Rather: New York City authorities today charged a jobless man from [Cuba] with the biggest mass murder in U.S. history. Through much of the day friends and relatives attempted to identify the 87 victims of a social club arson fire. Many of the victims were recent arrivals from Honduras. Officials acted with an urgency born of the knowledge this tragedy could happen again in a lot of places in this country.

NBC's Richard Roth reports that New York officials are promising stricter controls on the shadow clubs, though the Happyland club had been inspected and shut down just 16 months ago. (CBS-Lead)

S&Ls

Jennings reports that it was the worst year ever for the nation's S&L industry. S&Ls lost a record \$19.2 billion last year. Most of the losses were at institutions that have since been taken over by the government. They are supposed to be turned around or presumably closed down. (ABC-9, NBC-9)

CBS's Terence Smith reports that today Charles Keating, who is fighting the federal government's takeover of his failed Lincoln S&L, attacked the tactics of the Resolution Trust Corp., the agency overseeing the S&L bailout.

(Keating: "Confiscating these hundreds of billions of dollars of assets and putting them in some pile in a warehouse somewhere and giving them to amateurs to sell isn't going to get anybody anywhere. The RTC's a joke, and so are the people running it.") (CBS-2)

DRINKING/PILOTS

Jennings says that ABC's Jim Slade reports today that the FAA will propose new rules to identify pilots with drinking problems. It would require pilots to report any alcohol-related convictions -- drunk driving, for example -- and revoke a pilot's license after the second conviction. (ABC-6)

DIET PROGRAMS

Jennings reports that there was a warning today to the millions of Americans trying to lose weight. A congressional hearing was told that dieters and would-be dieters are easy targets for a largely un-regulated diet industry, which could lead to serious health problems.

ABC's Bettina Gregory reports that the subcommittee claimed people pay hundreds of dollars at diet clinics. Much of it goes to products that are untested, counselors that are untrained, and methods that are unproven. A panel of witnesses claimed they suffered horrible side effects after going on diets prescribed by weight-loss clinics. The subcommittee demanded the government do more to police Nutrisystem and the rest of the diet industry. The FTC said it doesn't have enough people. (ABC-4, CBS-3)

NBC's Andrea Mitchell reports that today the Bush Administration promised to take a closer look -- not only at the egregious fad diets, but also at the established weight-loss clinics. (NBC-6)

BROCCOLI

Jennings: There is a truce in the broccoli wars. It all began, as you probably know, when the President said last week that he hates broccoli and will not eat it. Today Mrs. Bush, who likes broccoli, accepted a symbolic stalk from the United Fruit and Vegetable Association. The growers actually sent three crates of broccoli to the White House and 10 tons of it to Washington-area soup kitchens. Mrs. Bush told them that unfortunately the President is never going to eat broccoli, but she is never going to eat pork rinds -- ever. (ABC-10)

EDITORIALS/COLUMNISTS

HOMELESS COUNT

OK, We Still Don't Know -- "...The U.S. Census Bureau...tried for the first time to determine what the true number [of homeless] is. The enumerators concentrated initially on canvassing shelters and cheap hotels before fanning out to parks, alleys, highway underpasses and far more dangerous places. The ambitious effort was flawed. Census monitors found many homeless people who were not counted. Still, the tally was the first systematic attempt to count the nation's down and out.... There may be no way to determine, without controversy, how many homeless people the special tally missed. But while the totals are incomplete, the needs are clearly there, and they are great. That alone must prompt the government to invest more in health care, job training and affordable housing to help them." (Los Angeles Times, 3/23)

Being Counted -- "The census of the homeless was incomplete here and around the nation. But then, that was inevitable. Many of the homeless tend to hide, out of fear, out of a desire to avoid public scrutiny -- any number of reasons. Even so, and somewhat surprisingly, the census takers came across many in shelters who were anxious to cooperate. They liked being part of a national effort. Being counted as a person restored a small measure of dignity in a drab world." (Houston Chronicle, 3/23)

The Census -- Head Count Of The Homeless Is Important -- "...The Census Bureau's redoubled effort to enumerate as many of the homeless as possible -- person-by-person in shelters and street corners -- is an essential step in the process of focusing attention and resources upon their needs and upon the causes of homelessness. That is why the attitudes of some activist advocates of the cause of the homeless are counterproductive. Example: Mitch Snyder, the Washington, D.C., activist gadfly, cares deeply about the plight of the homeless. He devotes his life to publicizing it and demanding public action. But Snyder, and some others close to the problem, see past political side-stepping of the issue as a reason to criticize the current head-count. They hurt their cause, rather than advancing it, when they turn away census takers at shelter doors and question the motives behind the census. Private agencies need not depend on a census of homeless persons to provide shelter and food to all who show up to get it. But dealing with homelessness nationwide requires movement in public policy, and public policy needs numbers to establish the scope of the problem and to allocate whatever resources are necessary. Nor are public policy-makers apt to rely on Mitch Snyder's estimates. That is why being counted in the census is important to homeless Americans, and why all who care should be helping the census takers." (Ft. Worth Star-Telegram, 3/22)

Thinking About The Homeless -- "...All too often, conservatives don't seem to care about the homeless and that's wrong. At the same time, liberals must realize that it is wrong to imply that all we need is a tax increase and those who live on the streets will become productive members of society. The census count might not have been perfect, but it will probably be the best 'snapshot' we will have to date on just how many homeless people there are in this country and what kind of problem it is. There is no 'homeless solution,' because there is no single 'homeless problem.' That may not be a satisfying answer, but it does have the virtue of being the truth." (Detroit News, 3/22)

The Homeless Census -- "...Ten years ago census takers counted only the homeless in known shelters. Now a decade later, the number of shelters has increased markedly and, according to popular belief, so has the homeless population. The Census Bureau has said it will not announce an overall number of homeless because there is no official definition of the term. Instead, the bureau will report that the special count found so many in shelters, so many in doorways or on the street, so many in flop-houses, etc. That is clearly the best that can be done in a non-coercive census. And, despite the advance carping of the critics, what emerges will be the first realistic, and documented, indication of just how many homeless there are in the country and how big a challenge they pose to a caring society." (Indianapolis Star, 3/20)

Silly Idea Should Go Down For The Count -- "How's this for a self-fulfilling, self-destructive idea? Some homeless 'advocates' are telling homeless shelters not to cooperate in the Census Bureau's effort...to count the homeless. The rationale for not cooperating is the advocates' conviction that the Census Bureau's count will be inaccurate. It sure will be now. And thus the people who say the homeless problem is overstated will have even more ammunition.... Actually, we shouldn't accuse the advocates of advancing a self-destructive idea. It's the kind of idea that comes from do-gooders who think they know what's best for the folks the do-gooders have appointed themselves to represent. If the idea were truly self-destructive, then it would end up hurting the do-gooders and not the homeless. Instead, it's the homeless who are getting hurt." (Chicago Sun-Times, 3/19)

Double-Barreled Census Nonsense -- "...Many homeless advocates are actually discouraging participation [in the census]. They say that an undercount will be inevitable and that pols will try to use low figures to minimize the homeless problem. So they're calling for a 'census strike' in protest. That's dumb. Sure, it'll be tough -- if not impossible -- to get a precise count of this nation's homeless. But trying is better than not counting at all. Instead of scuttling the homeless census, advocates should be joining with other groups to insure the most accurate count possible. Setting aside two special days shows that the Census Bureau can make adjustments in its attempts to count all Americans. The Commerce Department's decision on rules for readjusting counts shows the importance of an accurate first count.... The only thing that matters is a count that's as accurate as humanly possible."

(New York Daily News, 3/18)

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Floor Action: The House will take up a number of bills under suspension of the rules, including a bill (HR 3386) that would prohibit the transport of food in the same trucks and railroad cars that carry hazardous substances.

Members will then take up a measure (HR 3847) to establish a Department of Environmental Protection.

Debate on clean air legislation (S 1630) continues in the Senate. Members will vote on an amendment that sponsors Don Nickles, R-Okla., and Howell Heflin, D-Ala., say would streamline the process for obtaining emissions permits and allow businesses to adjust their manufacturing operations without applying for new permits.

The amendment is supported by the administration, but opposed by the bill's managers Max Baucus, D-Mont., and John H. Chafee, R-R.I. They say the proposal would make it more difficult for the Environmental Protection Agency to enforce emissions restrictions.

Clean Air: House Energy panel members will continue consideration of the smog-control section of clean air legislation (HR 3030). No major amendments are likely, as the panel gave near-unanimous approval last week to a substitute proposal on smog controls. The substitute would require progressively tougher emissions restrictions in smoggy areas, depending on the severity of pollution.

Later this week, the panel will turn to provisions on alternative, cleaner fuels. Three competing proposals are being pushed by various panel members, but ongoing negotiations could lead to a compromise.

At issue is what standard should define clean fuels, where to require the use of clean-fueled fleets of vehicles (such as urban buses) and whether to mandate the production of 1 million alternatively fueled cars annually, as originally recommended by President Bush.

Farm Bill: Markup of the 1990 farm bill (HR 3950) continues today in the House, with the wheat and peanuts titles among those under consideration by two Agriculture subcommittees.

According to a staffer, the Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains Subcommittee will spend its time reviewing the issues and is unlikely to take up any amendments. Subcommittee Chairman Dan Glickman, D-Kan., will unveil his plan for supporting the nation's wheat and corn farmers.

Glickman is proposing a freeze on target prices — an established "ideal" price compared with the market price to calculate a farmer's subsidies — for wheat and corn.

In other farm bill action, the Tobacco and Peanuts Subcommittee will review the peanut quota system. Lawmakers must decide whether to revise the quota system, which limits domestic sales of peanuts and the entry into the United States of lower-priced foreign peanuts.

Foreign Aid: The House Foreign Affairs Committee will resume its markup of draft legislation today to authorize aid to Nicaragua, Panama and other countries.

President Bush requested \$870 million in aid as a supplemental appropriation for fiscal 1990 on March 13 and asked Congress to pass the legislation by April 5. But the Foreign Affairs panel spent more than two hours arguing over details at a markup last week, and it appears likely that the bill will not be approved before the deadline.

In its draft bill, the committee has cut the amount of aid for Panama from the president's request of \$500 million to \$470 million. The \$30 million will replace money taken from various Africa accounts for the supplemental aid to Panama approved in February. The adminis-

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Hill News

SENATE FLOOR: Work continues on clean air legislation.

The Senate yesterday returned to debate on the compromise version of clean air legislation (S 1630), with sponsors challenging amendments they contend would weaken the bill.

Senators spent four hours debating an amendment by Don Nickles, R-Okla., and Howell Heflin, D-Ala., that would allow states to issue all routine environmental emissions permits to businesses without the need for full review by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Nickles claimed that small business owners and operators would face lengthy and expensive bureaucratic procedures under the permit provisions of S 1630.

But the bill's managers say the amendment would weaken the enforcement process by making it easier for businesses to challenge EPA decisions.

The Senate concluded its debate on the Nickles-Heflin amendment yesterday and will vote on it today.

The House conducted no legislative business yesterday.

FOREIGN OIL dependence spells trouble, Johnston warns.

Senate Energy Committee Chairman J. Bennett Johnston, D-La., warned yesterday that growing U.S. dependence on foreign oil will have grave consequences for the nation's economy over the next 20 years — an assertion that was backed by administration and other experts.

"I am extremely concerned about the trends," Johnston said, citing government and industry statistics showing that domestic oil production dropped by 7 percent last year and is expected to decline steadily while imports grow dramatically in the next 20 years.

The nation's oil import bill "could

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Status of Major Legislation

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Bill and Background	House	Senate	Final
Clean Air. (HR 3030, S 1630) The bills would revise and extend the 1964 Clean Air Act, last amended in 1977. Each combines three sections dealing with acid rain, toxic pollutants and smog. HR 3030 is President Bush's proposal to set new restrictions on electric utility sulfur dioxide emissions and new standards for industrial and auto emissions and to require new technology to reduce toxics.	Energy and Commerce Subcommittee on Health and the Environment approved HR 3030 10/11/89	Environment Committee approved S 1630 11/16/89	
Oil-Spill Liability and Compensation. (HR 1465, S 686) Both bills to provide comprehensive oil-spill liability and compensation, cleanup and prevention measures would leave states free to maintain their own oil-spill cleanup funds and enforce their own liability laws.	HR 1465 passed 11/9/89	S 686 passed as HR 1465 11/19/89	
Disabled Anti-Discrimination. (S 933, HR 2273) The Americans with Disabilities Act would extend to the disabled rights already guaranteed to women and racial, religious and ethnic minorities under the 1964 Civil Rights Act.	Education and Labor approved HR 2273 11/14/89 Public Works Subcommittee on Surface Transportation approved HR 2273 3/6/90 Energy and Commerce approved HR 2273 3/13/90	S 933 passed 9/7/89	
Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. (HR 3735, S 1112, S 1113) Both the omnibus House bill and the complementary Senate bills would revise and extend federal hazardous- and solid-waste regulation laws.			
Farm Programs Reauthorization. (HR 3950) Bills to revise and extend federal farm and nutrition programs must be acted on by the end of the year, when the 1985 farm bill (PL 99-198) expires.	Agriculture Subcommittee on Nutrition approved HR 3950 3/22/90		
Child-Care Programs. (S 5, HR 3) The Senate version of the Act for Better Child Care Services (ABC bill) would authorize \$1.75 billion in subsidies and increase tax credits for child care. HR 3 would increase tax credits, increase Title XX funding, expand Head Start and provide grants for before- and after-school care.	Competing versions of HR 3 approved as part of reconciliation (HR 3299) 10/5/89	S 5 passed 6/23/89	
Parental and Medical Leave. (HR 770, S 345) HR 770 would require companies with 50 or more workers to grant up to 10 weeks of job-protected leave over two years to employees to care for a newborn or seriously ill child or parent. S 345 would apply to companies with 20 or more workers. Workers with a serious illness could take up to 13 weeks a year of disability leave under S 345 or 15 weeks under HR 770.	Education and Labor approved HR 770 3/8/89 Post Office and Civil Service approved HR 770 4/12/89 House Administration approved HR 770 4/26/89	Labor approved S 345 4/19/89	
Vocational Education Reauthorization. (HR 7, S 1109) Both bills would reauthorize vocational education programs through fiscal 1995, urge coordination between high schools and postsecondary programs and abolish set-asides for specific groups.	HR 7 passed 5/9/89	Labor approved S 1109 11/1/89	
Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act (RICO). (S 438). The Senate bill would restrict civil remedies for violations of the 1970 RICO Act. A draft House bill would give judges more discretion to dismiss RICO suits.		Judiciary approved S 438 2/1/90	

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tration had promised that that money would be replaced by this supplemental. Administration officials said they could not yet support the committee proposal.

D.C. Supreme Court: Members of the District of Columbia Committee will try once again today to mark up legislation (HR 4257) to establish a Supreme Court for D.C., although the problems that prompted postponement of the markup last week still have not been resolved.

According to a Hill staffer, panel member Del. Walter E. Fauntroy, D-D.C., is opposed to a substitute amendment that the panel is expected to consider because he is concerned that the measure will give the federal government greater control over District affairs. In earlier versions of the bill, the D.C. government would have had a say in the selection of judges, but under the substitute those decisions have been left to the federal government.

A Fauntroy spokesman was only willing to say that Fauntroy was supporting his version of a D.C. courts bill (HR 3470) and had concerns about the "latest proposals" the panel was considering.

The measure is designed to free up the lower courts from appeals cases so they can tackle the burgeoning load of drug-related cases. Critics of the proposal contend the restructuring of the court system would be costly and slow down the judicial process.

Obscene Mail: The House Post Office Subcommittee on Postal Personnel will mark up a bill (HR 3805) to impose fines on firms that mail sexually explicit advertisements to individuals who have requested not to receive them.

Currently, people who do not wish to receive fliers touting X-rated videos and other pornographic materials may have their names placed on a U.S. Postal Service list designed to shield them from the unwanted mail. Firms are barred from mailing to people on the list.

But according to bill sponsor Frank McCloskey, D-Ind., the seamy ads have continued to reach many households on the list due to lax enforcement by the Justice Department and the Postal Service. Another problem may be that firms won't pay to obtain the list, which costs \$10,000.

HR 3805 would require the Postal Service to make the list available at no charge and would establish fines of \$500 to \$1,500 for each piece of sexually oriented mail sent to individuals on the list.

Panel members will consider an amendment to allow the Postal Service to charge a fee for the list to cover administrative costs. ■

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triple from \$50 billion to \$150 billion" in the foreseeable future, said Johnston, who is pushing a bill (S 2088) to expand the Strategic Petroleum Reserve from 750 million to 1 billion barrels. The Bush administration opposes the increase.

James R. Schlesinger, a former secretary of energy and defense, predicted that if current trends continue, the nation will be dependent on foreign sources for about 65 percent of its oil by the mid-1990s, when oil prices would surge to about \$30 a barrel.

The administration, whose policy is to let market forces determine the nation's energy supply, is preparing a national energy strategy to identify obstacles to reliance on the market, said Assistant Energy Secretary John J. Easton Jr. Greater conservation and better domestic productivity are among the policies the government should pursue, he said.

OTS REPORTS thrift losses increased last year.

The Office of Thrift Supervision (OTS) released figures yesterday showing that the nation's ailing thrifts continued to slide in 1989, with losses increasing by 43 percent to a record \$19.2 billion.

OTS also said that thrift institutions had a record net loss of \$6.5 billion in the fourth quarter of 1989, up from a \$4.9 billion third-quarter loss. Thrifts posted losses of \$13.4 billion in 1988.

The report also said that most of the losses last year were concentrated in financially troubled institutions that have been taken over by the federal government.

The Resolution Trust Corporation (RTC) has sold or liquidated 52 institutions since it was created last August under the government's thrift-bailout law.

The RTC has also sold about \$31 billion in assets seized from failed thrifts and has \$160 billion more for sale.

Oversight hearings on the thrift bailout by two House Banking panels are scheduled for today. The Financial Institutions Supervision Subcommittee will meet to discuss the thrift act adopted by Congress last year, including consideration of proposals to abolish the OTS. The Resolution Trust Corporation Task Force, formed by the House Banking Committee, will also hold an oversight hearing on the activities of the RTC.

DIET PLANS present misleading advertising, panel hears.

The chairman of a House Small Business subcommittee said yesterday that the government is doing very little to regulate the ballooning diet industry.

During a hearing on weight-loss programs before the Subcommittee on Regulation, Business Opportunity and Energy, Chairman Ron Wyden, D-Ore., said that

"consumers are being ripped off by grossly misleading advertising."

An investigation by the panel's staff revealed that Americans are spending \$33 billion a year on weight-loss programs.

Wyden said much of the problem lies with the refusal of the Office of Management and Budget to allow the Food and Drug Administration to conduct a survey to determine which diet products and services are legitimate.

Federal Trade Commission (FTC) Chairman Janet D. Steiger said the commission has brought suit against 12 companies during the past few years for promoting fraudulent weight reduction plans. But she said regulation and enforcement have been stymied due to large reductions in FTC staff and resources during the past eight years.

Steiger also said the FTC is trying to get state medical boards and state attorneys general involved in finding and stopping fraudulent diet programs. She promised to present the subcommittee with a complete assessment of the regulation and enforcement of the diet industry within 60 days. ■

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Committee Meetings Scheduled Today

Senate Committees

■ FY91 DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Defense Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

2:30pm SD-138 Dirksen Bldg March 27
Agenda:

March 27: Manpower/personnel: Meredith Neizer - chmn, Defense Advisory Cmte on Women in the Military; Rear Adm Roberta Hazard - Ofc of the Dpty Chief of Staff of Naval Operations; Chief Master Sgt Cathy Ballard - vpres for college relations; Army Sgt Major Julius Gates; Master Chief Petty Officer D R Bushey; Sgt Maj David Sommers; Chief Master Sgt James Binnicker; Maj Gen Girard Seitter III - cmdr, Tripler Army Medical Ctr

■ FY91 ENERGY AND WATER APPROPRIATIONS

Energy Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Johnston, D-La) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-G50 Dirksen Bldg March 27

2pm SD-192 Dirksen Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Members of Congress; outside witnesses

■ FY91 INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Interior Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Byrd, D-WVa) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9am & 1:30pm S-128 Capitol Bldg March 27

Agenda:

9am: Everett Rhodes - dir, Indian Health Service
1:30pm: John Turner - dir, Fish & Wildlife Service

■ FY91 LABOR-HHS APPROPRIATIONS

Labor HHS Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Harkin, D-Iowa) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Sens Hatch, R-Utah; Kerrey, D-Neb; Lieberman, D-Conn; Thomas Burks - American Society for Pharmacology & Experimental Therapeutics; C Douglas Maynard - Cojoint Cmte on Diagnostic Radiology; William Winters - American College of Cardiology; Charles Modica - St George's Univ School of Medicine; Thomas Fise - American College of Gastroenterology; John Farrar - Digestive Diseases Natl Coalition; Thelma King Theil - American Liver Foundation; Thomas Purcell - Natl Infant Sudden Death Syndrome Foundation; John David - American Society of Tropical Medicine & Hygiene; Gail Zimmerman - Coalition of Patient Advocates for Skin Diseases Research; Edward Horton - Natl Diabetes Advisory Bd; Harold Fallon - Natl Digestive Disease Advisory Bd; George Filo - Juvenile Diabetes Foundation; D Martin Carter - The Rockefeller Univ; Charles Carpenter - Intersociety Council for Research of the Kidney and Urinary Tract; E Darracott Vaughan Jr - American Urological Assn; Robert Meenan - Natl Advisory Bd for Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases; Joe Coulter - Assn of American Medical Colleges; Emil Paganini - Renal Physicians Assn; Lawrence Rigs - Natl Osteoporosis Foundation; Carlo Mainardi -

American College of Rheumatology; Alfred Baumeister - Mental Retardation Research Ctr; Christine Stevens - Society for Animal Protective Legislation; Mark Sperling - Public Policy Council

FY91 CONSUMER APPROPRIATIONS

VA, HUD Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Mikulski, D-Md) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs of consumer agencies.

11am S-126 Capitol Bldg March 27

Agenda:

Consumer Product Safety Commn: Jacqueline Jones-Smith - chmn; Carol Dawson - vchmn; Thomas Murr Jr - acting exec dir
Consumer Information Center: Teresa Nasif - dir; William Early Jr - dpty comptroller for budget
Ofc of Consumer Affairs: Bonnie Guiton - dir; Andrew Poate - dpty dir, Waverly Land - dir, Planning Budget & Evaluation

■ HUD INVESTIGATION

Senate Banking Committee

Special Investigation Subcommittee (Chmn Graham, D-Fla) will hold a hearing to examine abuses in the several programs of the Department of Housing and Urban Development. The hearing will focus on the HUD coinsurance program, which allows private insurers to help insure government housing projects.

9:30am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled:

Larry Dale - senior vpres, Fed Natl Mortgage Assn (Fannie Mae); George Hipps - senior vpres, PW Funding; Thomas Craren - partner, Price Waterhouse; Alfred Dellabovi - under secy of housing and urban development; Peter Monroe - dpty asst of housing and urban development; Robert Kalish - exec vpres, Government Natl Mortgage Assn (Ginnie Mae); John Baecker - former pres and chief underwriter, United Guaranty Commercial Insurance Company; Robert Edelstein - Univ of Calif at Berkeley; Chris Greer - asst inspector gen, Dept of Housing and Urban Development

■ RESIDENTIAL ENERGY EFFICIENCY

Senate Energy Committee

Energy Regulation and Conservation Subcommittee (Chmn Metzenbaum, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1355) to assist private industry in establishing a uniform residential energy efficiency rating system.

9:30am SD-366 Dirksen Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Michael Davis - asst secy of energy for conservation & renewable energy

PANEL: Cherry Duckett - Natl Assn of State Energy Officials; Benny Folson - Southern Electric Internatl; Don Stafford - Natl Assn of Home Builders; Harley Ronda - Natl Assn of Realtors; Ron Hughes - Energy Rated Homes of America; William Prindle - Alliance to Save Energy

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

NOMINATIONS

Senate Environment Committee

(Chmn Burdick, D-ND) will hold a confirmation hearing on pending nominations.

11:15am SD-406 Dirksen Bldg March 27

Agenda:

L Joyce Hampers to be asst secy of commerce for economic development
Brig Gen Arthur Williams to be a mbr and pres of the Mississippi River Commn

■ SAVING & INVESTMENT INCENTIVES

Senate Finance Committee

The full committee (Chmn Bentsen, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on tax incentives for increasing savings and investment.

11am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Sen Graham, D-Fla; Michael Boskin - chmn, Council of Economic Advisers; Jame Gravelle - sr specialist in economic policy, CRS

PANEL: Kenneth Gideon - asst secy of Treasury for tax policy; Ronald Pearlman - chief of staff, Joint Economic Cmte

PANEL: Alan Auerbach - Univ of Pennsylvania; Mark Bloomfield - pres, American Council for Capital Formation; Henry Aaron - sr fellow, Brookings Institution

FOREIGN AGENTS REGISTRATION ACT

Senate Foreign Relations Committee

The full committee (Chmn Pell, D-RI) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 176) to strengthen the registration requirements of the Foreign Agents Registration Act and to provide civil penalties for failure to register.

11am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Sen Heinz, R-Pa; Owen Bieber - pres, UAW

ANDEAN CROP SUBSTITUTION

Senate Judiciary Committee

The full committee (Chmn Biden, D-Del) will hold a hearing on ways to encourage the Andean nations of South America to substitute coffee and other cash crops for coca, a plant used to manufacture cocaine.

11am SD-226 Dirksen Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: James Murphy - asst US trade rep for Latin America & the Caribbean; George Boecklin - pres, Natl Coffee Assn

Note: This hearing will be held in cooperation with the Caucus on International Narcotics.

■ ABORTION LEGISLATION

Senate Labor Committee

The full committee (Chmn Kennedy, D-Mass) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1912 - Freedom of Choice Act) to prohibit states from restricting the right of a woman to terminate a pregnancy before fetal viability or at any time if the termination is necessary to protect the health or life of the woman.

9am SD-430 Dirksen Bldg March 27

Background: The bill would codify the major principals of the 1973 Supreme Court decision that made abortion legal nationwide. Abortion-rights activists have been concerned that the July 3, 1989 *Webster v. Reproductive Health Services* Supreme Court decision would allow states to pass legislation severely restricting abortions. Under S 1912 and its companion bill in the House, HR 3700, states would not be able to restrict abortion before the fetus is able to live outside the womb.

Witnesses scheduled: Sens Cranston, D-Calif; Packwood, R-Ore; Humphrey, R-NH

PANEL 1: Sheri Metulus - Peoria, Ill; Marilyn Mosley - Birmingham, Ala; James Friedl - Concord, Calif

PANEL 2: Gabriela Bococ - dpty dir, post-basic education, Bucharest, Romania

PANEL 3: Dr Hebert Jones - Charlottesville, Va; Louis Gertsley III - Wyncote, Pa; Shari Richard - Union Lake, Mich

House Committees

OLDER AMERICANS ACT AMENDMENTS

House Select Aging Committee

Human Services Subcommittee (Chmn Downey, D-NY) will hold a hearing to review the implementation of the Older Americans Act Amendments of 1987.

9:30am B-318 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Janet Ottwell - pres, Natl Assn of State Units on Aging; Margaret Williams - pres of the bd, Natl Assn of Area Agencies on Aging; Daniel Thuraz - pres, Natl Council on Aging

PANEL: Samuel Simmons - pres, Natl Caucus & Ctr on Black Aged; David Affeldt - gen consultant, Natl Assn for Hispanic Elderly; Curtis Cook - exec dir, Natl Indian Council on Aging

PANEL: Toby Felcher - pres, Natl Assn of Nutrition & Aging Services Providers; Gail Martin - asst admin dir, Natl Assn of Meal Prgrms

COMMODITY PROMOTION

House Agriculture Committee

Livestock, Dairy and Poultry Subcommittee (Chmn Stenholm, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on programs to promote the benefits and use of commodities.

9:30am 1302 Longworth Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Daniel Haley - adminr, Agricultural Marketing Service, Agriculture Dept

PANEL: Ivan Strickler - chmn, Natl Dairy Promotion & Research Bd

PANEL: Herman Brubaker - pres, United Dairy Industry Assn; Irvin Elkin - pres, Associated Milk Producers; Marc Goldman - pres, Farmland Dairies

PANEL: Glen Klippenstein - chmn, Cattlemen's Beef Promotion and Research Bd

PANEL: Bob Josserand - former pres, Natl Cattlemen's Assn; Leon Locke - chmn, Natl Livestock & Meat Bd; Polly Owen - chairperson, Beef Industry Council of the Natl Livestock and Meat Bd; Bill Farr - Meat Export Fedn

PANEL: Jim Smith - pres, Natl Pork Bd

PANEL: Roger Wasson - pres, American Sheep Industry Assn; Brian May - pres, Mohair Council of America

PANEL: Gilbert Eckoff - vpres, American Egg Bd

1990 FARM BILL MARKUP

House Agriculture Committee

Tobacco and Peanuts Subcommittee (Chmn Rose, D-NC) will mark up peanut provisions of the 1990 farm bill (HR 3950 - Food and Agricultural Resources Act of 1990). HR 3950 will serve as a vehicle for the panel's deliberations on reauthorization of farm programs.

1pm 1302 Longworth Bldg March 27

1990 FARM BILL MARKUP

House Agriculture Committee

Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains Subcommittee (Chmn Glickman, D-Kan) will mark up the 1990 farm bill (HR 3950 - Food and Agricultural Resources Act of 1990). HR 3950 will serve as a vehicle for the panel's deliberations on reauthorization of farm programs.

2pm 1302 Longworth Bldg March 27

FY91 AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS

Agriculture Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Whitten, D-Miss) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

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priations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Max Lennon - Clemson Univ; Peggy Miller - Consumer Fedn of America; Bob Bergland - Natl Rural Electric Cooperative Assn; John O'Neal - Natl Rural Telecom Assn; Robert Shelton - Natl Telephone Cooperative Assn; Wayne Clark - US Telephone Assn; Louise Brown - Org for the Protection & Advancement of Small Telephone Companies; Walter Reckinger - Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors Natl Assn; C Kauffman - Univ of Mich; Charles Ottem - US Agricultural Export Development Council; Scott Sklar - US Export Council for Renewable Energy; Richard Gibson - American Assn of Crop Insurers; Abbey Meyers - Natl Org for Rare Disorders; Robert Kahrs - American Veterinary Medical Assn; Terry Lierman - FDA Council; Noel Buterbaugh - Health Industry Manufacturers Assn; Richard Godown - Industrial Biotechnology Assn; Gerald Mossinghoff - Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Assn; Robert Britain - Natl Electrical Manufacturers Assn; James Cope - Non-prescription Drug Manufacturers Assn; Rep Hall, D-Ohio; W Douglas Campbell - Coalition for FDA Resources; Carl Rausch - BIOPURE Corp; Dr John Kullberg - American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; Dr Melinda Novak - American Psychological Assn; Robin Lohnes - American Horse Protection Assn; Christine Stevens - Society for Animal Protective Legislation; Mike Wallace - Natl Coalition on Integrated Pest Mgmt; John Cady - Natl Food Processors Assn; Tom Cook - Natl Cattlemen's Assn; Dennis Teranishi - Hawaii Fruit Fly Cmte; Chauncey Ching - Ctr for Tropical & Subtropical Agriculture

FY91 COMMERCE, STATE,

JUSTICE APPROPRIATIONS Commerce Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Smith, D-Iowa) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am H-310 Capitol Bldg March 27

Note: This hearing has been rescheduled for April 3.

FY91 DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Defense Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Murtha, D-Pa) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am (open) & 1:30pm (closed) H-140 Capitol Bldg March 27

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

10am: Recruiting issues: Maj Gen Jack Wheeler - cmdr, Army Recruiting Council; Rear Adm Henry McKinney - cmdr, Navy Recruiting Council; Gary Brown - dir of personnel recruitment, Marine Corps; Brig Gen John Salvadore - cmdr, Air Force Recruiting Services

1:30pm: Navy weapons and other procurement: Rear Adm Richard Milligan - dir, Ofc of Budget and Reports, Navy; Rear Adm Theodore Lockhart - dir, Surface Combat Systems, Navy

FY91 ENERGY AND WATER APPROPRIATIONS

Energy Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Beville, D-Ala) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am & 2pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Agenda & witnesses scheduled: Reps Kaptur, D-Ohio; Schneider, R-RI; members of Alabama congressional delegation; Offa Nichols - Warrior-Tombigbee Development Assn; Ralph Clemens - Coosa-Alabama River Improvement Assn; William Sumption - Tri-Rivers Waterway Develop-

ment Corp; John McCarron - Ports & Waterways Task Force, Mobile Area Chamber of Commerce; John Dutton - Alabama State Docks; Charles Kelley - Alabama Dept of Conservation & Natural Resources; Richard Lawason - Natl Coal Assn; Rep Hochbrueckner, D-NY; Erik Stromberg - American Assn of Port Authorities; J Morris - Water Resources Congress; Rep Oberstar, D-Minn; Arthur Woodman - Interstate Cmte, Arkansas Basin Development Assn; Rep Olin, D-Va; Rep Porter, R-III; Rebecca Hughes - Assn of State Floodplain Managers, Inc

FY91 FOREIGN OPS APPROPRIATIONS

Foreign Ops Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Obey, D-Wis) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am 2360 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled:

Attacking problems of children:

UNICEF: Kul Gautum - dir, Planning; Lawrence Bruce - pres, US Cmte for UNICEF; Save the Children: Phyllis Dobyns - sr vpres; Neil Boothby - former dir, Mozambique; Thomas Harvey - exec dir, Catholic Charities; Roger Winter - dir, US Cmte on Refugees; Mark Edelman - dpty dir, Agency for Internatl Development; Princeton Lyman - dir, Ofc of Refugee Prgrms, State Dept

FY91 INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Interior Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Yates, D-III) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs of the Interior Department.

1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Building March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Lou Gallegos - asst secy for policy budget & admin; James Richards - inspector gen; Jennifer Salisbury - acting solicitor, Ofc of Construction Mgmt

FY91 HHS APPROPRIATIONS

HHS Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Natcher, D-Ky) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witness scheduled: Mary Sheila Gall - asst secy of HHS for human development (includes family social services)

FY91 TREASURY-POSTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Treasury Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Roybal, D-Calif) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

2pm H-164 Capitol Bldg March 27

Agenda & witnesses scheduled: Constance Newman - Ofc of Personnel Mgmt

FY91 VA, HUD APPROPRIATIONS

VA, HUD Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Traxler, D-Mich) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Agenda & witnesses scheduled: David Walker - mgr for space station assembly, Johnson Space Ctr; Charles Price - NASA Engineer, Johnson Space Ctr; Richard Kohrs - mgr level 1 space station, Johnson Space Ctr; William Lenoir - assoc adminr, Space Flight & Space Station

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CHANGING FORCE DEPLOYMENT

House Armed Services Committee

Defense Policy Panel (Chmn Aspin, D-Wis) will hold a hearing on how the declining availability of overseas bases and defense resources will affect the deployment of U.S. forces and weapons around the world.

9:30am 2118 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: John Lehman - former secy of the Navy; Gen Russell Dougherty - former cmdr in chief, Strategic Air Command

FY91 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION: READINESS

House Armed Services Committee

Readiness Subcommittee (Chmn Hutto, D-Fla) will continue hearings on the fiscal 1991 national defense authorization request.

2pm 2118 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Agenda & witnesses scheduled: Consolidation of military commissaries:

Lt Gen Donald Jones - dpty asst secy of defense for military manpower & personnel policy; Brig Gen Charles St Arnaud - commanding gen, US Army Troop Support Agency; Rear Adm Harvey Weatherstone - cmdr, Navy Resale & Services Support Ofc; Maj Gen Robert Swarts - cmdr, Air Force Commissary Service; Brig Gen Wayne Adams - dir, Facilities & Services Div, Marine Corps

THRIFT BAILOUT OVERSIGHT

House Banking Committee

Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance Subcommittee (Chmn Annunzio, D-Ill) will continue oversight hearings on the Financial Institutions Recovery, Reform and Enforcement Act (PL 101-73). The hearings will include consideration of proposals to abolish the Office of Thrift Supervision (OTS), which was created by the act.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Salvator Martoche - acting dir, OTS; James Cramer - exec vpres, American Inst of Architects; Martin Perlman - Natl Assn of Home Builders; John Schlosser - pres & chmn of the bd, St Francis Bank, Wis

AGRICULTURE LENDING

House Banking Committee

Policy Research and Insurance Subcommittee (Chmn Erdreich, D-Ala) will hold a hearing on lending practices within the Farm Credit System and the role of commercial banks and farm credit banks in meeting agricultural credit needs.

10am 2222 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: David Baer - chief examiner, Farm Credit Admin; James Kirk - pres & CEO, Farm Credit Bank; Bill Mcquillan - pres & CEO, City Natl Bank; Philip Burns - pres, Farmers & Merchants Natl Bank

THRIFT BAILOUT OVERSIGHT

House Banking Committee

Resolution Trust Corporation Task Force (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) will hold an oversight hearing on the activities of the Resolution Trust Corporation (RTC), which was created by thrift bailout legislation (PL 101-73) cleared last year. The panel will focus on the asset management and disposition policies of the RTC.

2pm 2128 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: H Roelle - dir, Resolutions & Operations, RTC; Lamar Kelly Jr - dir, Asset & Real Estate Mgmt Div, RTC

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DC SUPREME COURT MARKUP

House DC Committee

The full committee (Chmn Dellums, D-Calif) will mark up legislation (HR 4257) to create a Supreme Court in the District of Columbia.

1pm 1310A Longworth Bldg March 27

DC MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

House DC Committee

Fiscal Affairs and Health Subcommittee (Chmn Fauntroy, D-DC) will hold a hearing on D.C. mental health facilities and legislation.

9am 1310A Longworth Bldg March 27

Agenda & Witnesses:

1) Present state of the implementation of PL 98-621, the "Saint Elizabeths Hospital and District of Columbia Mental Health Services Act."

2) HR 4281 - DC Mental Health Program Assistance Act of 1990.

William Gadsby - General Accounting Office (GAO); Alan Leshner - dpty dir, Natl Institute of Mental Health, Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Carol Thompson - cit; adminr, DC; HR Crawford - chmn, Cmte on Human Services, DC City Council

PANEL: Mary Horne - American Fedn of State County and Municipal Employees; Elizabeth Jones - Mental Health Law Project; Hannal Schussheim - pres, Friends of St. Elizabeths

PANEL: John Dluhy - pres, Washington Psychiatric Society; Donna Cooper - American Psychological Assn

ASBESTOS REMOVAL

House Education and Labor Committee

Health and Safety Subcommittee (Chmn Gaydos, D-Pa) will hold a hearing on asbestos removal.

9:30am 2261 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: James Merloni - Laborers' Internatl Union

PANEL 1: AFL-CIO

PANEL 2: Natl Asbestos Council

PANEL 3: Christine Oliver - Mass Gen Hospital; James Melius - NY State Dept of Health; Philip Landrigan - Mt Sinai School of Medicine

CLEAN AIR MARKUP

House Energy and Commerce Committee

The full committee (Chmn Dingell, D-Mich) will continue to mark up legislation (HR 3030 - Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989) to amend the Clean Air Act to provide for the attainment and maintenance of the national ambient air quality standards, the control of toxic air pollutants, the prevention of acid deposition, and other improvements in the quality of the nation's air.

10am 2123 Rayburn Bldg March 27

FOREIGN AID MARKUP

House Foreign Affairs Committee

The full committee (Chmn Fancell, D-Fla) will mark up pending legislation.

10am & 1:30pm 2172 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Agenda:

Draft legislation to authorize aid for Panama, Nicaragua and other countries

Fiscal 1991 foreign affairs authorization

★ STATE DEPT AUTHORIZATION

House Foreign Affairs Committee

International Operations Subcommittee (Chmn Dymally, D-Calif) will hold a hearing

on the fiscal 1991 authorization request for the State Department.

9am 2200 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Jill Kent - chief financial officer, State Dept; John Bolton - asst secy of state for internatl orgs

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

House Intelligence Committee

Program and Budget Authority Subcommittee (Chmn Beilenson, D-Calif) will continue hearings on the fiscal 1991 intelligence budget.

4pm H-405 Capitol Bldg closed March 27

Witnesses scheduled:

Panel 1: Michael Davis - asst secy for cons & renewable energy, DOE

Panel 2: James Munier - sr engineer, Allied Signal Aerospace Co; Harold Helms - chief engineer, Vehicular Turbine Power Products Group, Gen Motors; James Patten - exec dir for materials engineering, Cummins Engine Co

Panel 3: Richard Schweinberg - research mgr, Southern Calif Edison Co; Bradford Bates - Ford Motor Co

MINING SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

House Interior Committee

Mining and Natural Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Rahall, D-WVa) will meet to consider pending business.

Following hearing (above) 1324 Longworth Bldg March 27

Background: Among the four bills to be marked up is a measure (HR 544) that would create a fund to boost fish and wildlife programs on lands acquired by the federal government. The fund would be financed by a portion of the fees collected from federal mineral leases on these lands. The panel was to mark up legislation (HR 4053) to promote the re-mining of abandoned coal mines, but environmental concerns about potential water pollution from some mines has delayed action.

MARKUP:

HR 544 - to establish a state fish and wildlife assistance fund

HR 3058 - to provide for the exchange of certain fed coal leases from the Alton Coal Field in Utah and other federal coal leases in that state

HR 3533 - to improve the federal effort to reduce earthquake hazards

HR 4111 - to amend the Mining and Mineral Resources Research Institute Act of 1984

PRE-TRIAL DRUG USE

House Judiciary Committee

Criminal Justice Subcommittee (Chmn Schumer, D-NY) will hold a hearing on drug use by criminal defendants awaiting trial.

2:30pm 2237 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Charles Schuster - dir, Natl Inst of Drug Abuse, Dept of Health & Human Services; Eric Wish - sr research scientist, Narcotic & Drug Research, Inc; Robert Dupont - rep, Dupont & Assoc

PANEL: John Carver - dir, D.C. Pretrial Services Agency; Mark Kleiman - professor, Kennedy School of Govt, Harvard Univ

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FY91 AUTHORIZATION****House Merchant Marine Committee**

Panama Canal and Outer Continental Shelf Subcommittee (Chmn Dyson, D-Md) will hold a hearing on and mark up the authorization of the Panama Canal Commission Authority (HR 4383).

9:30am 1334 Longworth Bldg March 27

Witness scheduled: Robert Page - asst secy of the Army for civil works

■ CENSUS BUREAU FUNDING**House Post Office Committee**

Census and Population Subcommittee (Chmn Sawyer, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing to review the current funding situation of the Census Bureau.

10:30am 311 Cannon Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled: Thomas Murrin - dpty secy of commerce; Michael Darby - under secy of commerce for economic affs; Barbara Bryant - dir, Census Bureau; L Stevens - dir of govt business ops issues, GAO

OBSCENE MAIL MARKUP**House Post Office Committee**

Postal Personnel and Modernization Subcommittee (Chmn Hayes, D-Ill) will mark up legislation (HR 3805) to establish a civil penalty for mailing sexually oriented advertisements to individuals included on the Postal Service's list of persons who have indicated a desire not to receive any such mailings.

10am 304 Cannon Bldg March 27

RULES FOR FLOOR DEBATE**House Rules Committee**

The full committee (Chmn Moakley, D-Mass) will meet to consider rules for floor debate for pending legislation.

Noon H-313 Capitol Bldg March 27

Agenda:

HR 3 - Authorize appropriations to extend Head Start programs and programs under Elementary and Secondary Education Act to include child care services *Short title: Child Development and Education Act*

HR 1463 - Amend National Capital Transportation Act of 1969 relating to the Washington Metrorail system

TRANSPORTATION PROGRAMS**ENERGY DEPT****House Science Committee**

Transportation, Aviation and Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Torricelli, D-NJ) will hold a hearing on oversight of Department of Energy transportation programs.

2pm 2318 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Witnesses scheduled:

Panel 1: Michael Davis - asst secy for cons & renewable energy, DOE

Panel 2: James Munier - sr engineer, Allied Signal Aerospace Co; Harold Helms - chief engineer, Vehicular Turbine Power Products Group, Gen Motors; James Patten - exec dir for materials engineering, Cummings Engine Co

Panel 3: Richard Schweinberg - research mgr, Southern Calif Edison Co; Bradford Bates - Ford Motor Co

John Whitehead - chmn, AEA Investors; Allan Wendt - sr rep for internatl trade controls, State Dept; Richard Perle - American Enterprise Inst; Joachim Jahnke - German Ministry of Economics; Paul Wolfowitz - under secy of defense for policy

11am: Will Liberalization Bring New Opportunities for U.S. Business?

William Schneider - former under secy of state for security assistance; Dennis Kloske - under secy of commerce for export controls; Willard Workman - US Chamber of Commerce; Paul Freedenburg - internatl trade consultant; Howard Fish - LTV

1pm: Lunch - Sen Heinz, R-Pa

Note: There is a \$250 charge for this event. For reservations and information call John Harter at 338-4045.

ENVIRONMENT NEWS CONFERENCE

Leading environmentalists in the House of Representatives discuss the legislation to elevate the Environmental Protection Agency to Cabinet-level status. Appearing will be Reps Conyers, D-Mich, chairman of the House Government Operations Committee; Synar, D-Okla, chairman of the House Government Operations Environment, Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee; Waxman, D-Calif, chairman of the House Energy and Commerce Health and the Environment Subcommittee; and Eckart, D-Ohio, of the House Energy and Commerce Committee.

9:15am, House Radio-TV Gallery March 27

Contact: Deborah Johns, 202-225-0100 or Sara Silver, 202-225-2701

COMMUNICATIONS CONFERENCE

The Communications Workers of America, part of the AFL-CIO, holds its 1990 National Legislative-Political Conference. Second of four days.

9:15am to 5pm, Hyatt Regency on Capitol Hill, 400 New Jersey Ave NW March 27

Contact: Steve Rosenthal or Gaye Williams Mack, 202-728-2390, or the hotel, 202-787-1234

Highlights

9:15am: Speech by Sen Hollings, D-SC

9:45am: Speech by Sen Harkin, D-Iowa

10:30am: Speech by Sen Simon, D-Ill

11:15am: Speech by Rep Unsoeld, D-Wash

EXPORTS NEWS CONFERENCE

Sen Wilson, R-Calif, discusses the introduction of legislation to reauthorize the Targeted Export Assistance program. The Wilson-authored TEA program "uses surplus stocks from the Commodity Credit Corporation to assist agriculture exports damaged by unfair foreign trade practices."

11am, Russell Building, room 485 March 27

Contact: Lynda Schuler or Franz Wisner, 202-224-9652

IMPLICATIONS OF WEBSTER CASE

Women in Government Relations will hold a meeting to hear Sarah Weddington discuss the implications of the recent *Webster* Supreme Court case dealing with abortion rights.

Noon, Washington Court Hotel March 27

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$30 for members and \$40 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to WGR, to:

Lynne Lawrence
American Fertility Institute
409 12th St SW
Washington, DC 20024
Deadline is March 23

News Events Today

ELECTRONICS CONFERENCE

Electronic Industries Association holds its annual Spring Conference for discussions with Congress and administration officials on issues facing the electronics industry and the nation. Second of three days.

7:30am to 8pm, JW Marriott Hotel, 14th St and Pennsylvania Ave NW March 27

Contact: Mark Rosenker, 202-457-4980, or the hotel, 202-393-2000

Highlights

7:30am: Gallaudet University President Dr I King Jordan discusses his project with the Electronics Industries Foundation.

10:30am: Rep McCurdy, D-Okla, delivers an address titled, "US Defense Planning and the Changes in Eastern Europe."

Noon: Sen Dole, R-Kan, is the luncheon speaker.

2pm: Commerce Department Undersecretary for Export Administration Dennis Kloske and Exim Bank Vice President Eugene Lawson participate in a seminar titled, "Doing Business in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union."

8pm: House Speaker Thomas Foley, D-Wash, awards the EIA Medal of Honor to former TRW Inc chairman Ruben Mettler.

ICBM & ARMS CONTROL

Institute for Foreign Policy Analysis will sponsor a series of breakfast meetings for members of Congress and congressional staff working on defense related issues. At the session today Gen John Chain will discuss "The

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Military and Strategic Rationale for ICBMs: Enhanced Survivability with MXRG and SICBM."

8am to 9am Capitol Hill Club March 27

Contact: Peter Huessy at 463-7942

DEMOCRACY DISCUSSION

Kettering Foundation sponsors a town meeting titled, "Democracy Here and Abroad: How Well Are We Doing?" Among the panelists will be Sen Jeffords, R-Vt, and Reps Boggs, D-La, Gingrich, R-Ga, Leach, R-Iowa, Lewis, D-Ga, Okar, D-Ohio, Richardson, D-NM, and Smith, R-Vt. The moderator will be Hodding Carter.

8:15am, National Press Club, 14th and F Sts NW, auditorium March 27

Contact: Sandy Winston, 202-393-4478

STRATEGIC EXPORT CONTROLS

American Foreign Service Association and the Executive Council on Foreign Diplomats will sponsor a symposium on Strategic Export Controls.

8:45am March 27

Contact: John Harter at 338-4045

Agenda:

8:45am: Introduction - Caspar Weinberger, publisher *Forbes*

9:15am: Is COCOM Obsolete? Is Its Rationale Viable in the 1990s

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CONGRESS CONFERENCE

The American Consulting Engineers Council holds its "Consulting Congress Day '90" conference to allow council members an opportunity to educate members of Congress on issues ranging from liability reform and tax issues to deficit reduction proposals. The agenda includes legislative briefings by congressional and Bush administration members, and visits with elected officials. First of three days.

12:30pm to 7pm, Quality Hotel, Capitol Hill, 415 New Jersey Ave NW March 27

Contact: Alicia Barsanti, 202-347-7474, or the hotel, 202-638-1616

Highlight

1pm: Sen Symms, R-Ind, and Rep Brown, R-Colo, discuss issues of infrastructure, transportation, taxation of professional services and the Infrastructure Bond Act.

DOING BUSINESS IN EASTERN EUROPE & USSR

International Business Council of the Electronics Industries Association will sponsor a

meetings to discuss trade and investment in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union.

2pm to 5pm, J W Marriott Hotel, 1331 Pennsylvania Ave NW March 27

Contact: Kevin Shannon at 457-4902

Participants: Dennis Kloske - under secy of commerce for export admin; Chris Hankin - dpty asst secy of state for internatl trade controls; Eugene Lawson - first vpres & vchmn, US Export-Import Bank; Gordon Feller - pres, Integrated Strategies; Joseph Condon - sr vpres, Asea Brown Boveri

Note: There is a charge of \$75 for this event. Reservations are required. Call Adena Gross at 457-4924 for reservations and information.

PENSION ISSUES DISCUSSION

Rep Ballenger, R-NC, leads a discussion of pension issues at a U.S. Chamber of Commerce-sponsored event. Ballenger's address is titled, "Joint Trusteeship for Pension Plans."

2pm, 1615 H St NW, Herman Lay Room March 27

Contact: Sophia Werning, 202-463-5682

IMMIGRATION FORUM

Cato Institute holds a Policy Forum titled, "More Immigration Would Be Good for America?" The lead speaker will be Julian Simon, author of "The Economic Consequences of Immigration." Reps Lipinski, D-Ill, and Smith, R-Texas, will offer their insights and commentaries to Simon's proposals.

4pm to 5:15pm, Rayburn Building, room 2167 March 27

Contact: 202-546-0200 (RSVP acceptances only)

ECONOMIC INDICATORS AND REPORTS

No set time: Treasury Department auctions 2-year issues for settlement April 2.

Noon: Agriculture Department releases weekly world weather and crops summary.

4:30pm, approx.: American Petroleum Institute releases weekly report on petroleum inventories.

1990 Congressional Election Calendar

State	Primary Date ¹	Candidate Filing Deadline	State	Primary Date ¹	Candidate Filing Deadline
Alabama	June 5/June 26	April 6	Montana	June 5	March 22
Alaska	Aug. 28	June 1	Nebraska	May 15	March 1, 16 ²
Arizona	Sept. 11	June 28	Nevada	Sept. 4	May 8
Arkansas	May 29/June 12	April 3	New Hampshire	Sept. 11	June 15
California	June 5	March 9	New Jersey	June 5	April 12
Colorado	Aug. 14	June 10	New Mexico	June 5	March 6
Connecticut	Sept. 11	Aug. 6 ³	New York	Sept. 11	July 12
Delaware	Sept. 8	July 27	North Carolina	May 8/June 5	Feb. 5
Florida	Sept. 4/Oct. 2	May 11	North Dakota	June 12	April 13
Georgia	July 17/Aug. 7	April 27	Ohio	May 8	Feb. 22
Hawaii	Sept. 22	July 24	Oklahoma	Aug. 28/Sept. 18	July 11
Idaho	May 22	March 30	Oregon	May 15	March 6
Illinois	March 20	Dec. 18, 1989	Pennsylvania	May 15	March 6
Indiana	May 8	March 2	Rhode Island	Sept. 11	June 27
Iowa	June 5	March 16	South Carolina	June 12/June 26	April 30
Kansas	Aug. 7	June 11	South Dakota	June 5/June 19	April 3
Kentucky	May 29	Jan. 29	Tennessee	Aug. 2	June 7
Louisiana	Oct. 6/Nov. 6 ⁴	July 27	Texas	March 13/April 10	Jan. 2
Maine	June 12	April 2	Utah	Sept. 11	April 16
Maryland	Sept. 11	July 2	Vermont	Sept. 11	July 16
Massachusetts	Sept. 18	June 5	Virginia	June 12	April 13
Michigan	Aug. 7	June 5	Washington	Sept. 18	July 27
Minnesota	Sept. 11	July 17	West Virginia	May 8	Feb. 3
Mississippi	June 5/June 26	April 6	Wisconsin	Sept. 11	July 10
Missouri	Aug. 7	March 27	Wyoming	Aug. 21	June 8

¹ Where two dates are listed, the first is the primary and the second is the runoff, which is required when no candidate wins a majority in the primary. In North Carolina, pending Justice Department approval, a runoff occurs if no candidate receives 40 percent in the primary, and in South Dakota, a runoff occurs if no candidate receives 35 percent in the primary.

² In Nebraska, incumbents must file by March 1. New candidates have until March 16.

³ Connecticut's filing deadline is 14 days after each party's state convention, Aug. 6 at the latest. The Republican convention is set for July 20-21; the Democratic convention will be between July 5 and 23.

⁴ Louisiana's primary includes all candidates. The top two vote-getters in each race meet in the general election, regardless of party. A candidate receiving more than 50 percent of the primary vote is elected without a general election.

Senate Committees Future Listings

Agriculture, Nutrition & Forestry

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PESTICIDES ON IMPORTED FOOD

Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee (Chmn Leahy, D-Vt) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 2227) to prohibit the importation into the United States of food that is grown abroad and that has been sprayed with pesticides banned in this country.

9am SR-332 Russell Bldg March 28

1990 FARM BILL

Subcommittee Hearings

Agricultural Research and General Legislation Subcommittee (Chmn Daschle, D-SD) of Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee will continue hearings in preparation for drafting the 1990 farm bill.

3pm SR-332 Russell Bldg March 28

9:30am SR-332 Russell Bldg March 29

Witnesses and Agenda:

March 28: Noxious weeds

PANEL: James Glosser - dir, Animal Plant Health and Inspection Service; Howard Singletary - dir, Plant Industry Division, NC Dept of Agriculture; Don Schmitz - Fla Dept of Natural Resources

PANEL: Susan Cooper - Natl Coalition Against the Misuse of Pesticides; Jay Vroom - Natl Agricultural Assn; Faith Campbell - Natl Resource Defense Council; Reeves Petroff - weed control supervisor

March 29: Research title

PANEL: Harry Mussman - dpty asst secy of agriculture

PANEL: Jim Davidson - dir, Fla Experiment Station, Univ of Fla; Ken Cook - Center for Resource Economics

PANEL: Donald Uchtmann - dir, Ill Extension Service, Univ of Ill; Fred Kirschenmann - farmer

1990 FARM BILL

Subcommittee Hearing

Conservation and Forestry Subcommittee (Chmn Fowler, D-Ga) of Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee will continue hearings in preparation for drafting the 1990 farm bill.

2pm SR-332 Russell Bldg March 29

BARLEY DEFICIENCY PAYMENTS

Agricultural Production and Stabilization of Prices Subcommittee (Chmn Pryor, D-Ark) of Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee will hold a hearing to address problems with government deficiency payments to barley farmers.

10am SR-332 Russell Bldg April 2

★ New listing

Appropriations

224-3471

FY91 APPROPs

Full Committee Hearings

Senate Appropriations Committee (Chmn Byrd, D-WVa) will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations.

Time & room TBA Date TBA

Witnesses scheduled: Richard Darman - dir, OMB; Robert Reischauer - dir, CBO

FY91 AGRICULTURE APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chmn Burdick, D-ND) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg March 30, April 4

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 30: Farmers Home Admin; Fed Crop Insurance Corp; Rural Electrification Admin

April 4: Agricultural Stabilization & Conservation Service; Foreign Agricultural Service; Gen Sales Mgr; Soil Conservation Service

FY91 COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chmn Hollings, D-SC) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am S-146 Capitol Bldg March 29 April 19, 25 & 26, May 1 & 2

Agenda:

March 29: Natl Oceanic & Atmospheric Admin; Natl Inst of Standards & Technology

April 19: Small Business Admin; Legal Services Corp

April 25: Atty gen

April 26: Secy of state

May 1: Supreme Court; fed judiciary; Fed Trade Commn

May 2: FBI; Drug Enforcement Admin

■ FY91 DEFENSE APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Defense Subcommittee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

2:30pm SD-138 Dirksen Bldg March 27

10am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg March 29, April 3, 5, 24

10am S-407 Capitol Bldg closed April 26

10am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg May 1

9am S-407 Capitol Bldg closed May 3

10am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg May 8, 10 & 15

9am S-407 Capitol Bldg May 17

9am S-407 Capitol Bldg closed May 22

9am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg May 24, June 5

Agenda:

March 27: Manpower/personnel: Meredith Neizer - chmn, Defense Advisory Cmte on Women in the Military; Rear Adm Roberta Hazard - Ofc of the Dpty Chief of Staff of Naval Operations; Chief Master Sgt Cathy Ballard - vpres for

college relations; Army Sgt Major Julius Gates; Master Chief Petty Officer D R Bushey; Sgt Maj David Sommers; Chief Master Sgt James Binnicker; Maj Gen Girard Seitter III - cmdr, Tripler Army Medical Ctr

March 29: Army budget: Michael Stone - secy of the Army; Carl Vuono - Army chief of staff

April 3: Air Force budget

April 5: Navy/Marines budget

April 24: Guard & reserve

April 26: Intelligence programs

May 1: TBA

May 3: Strategic programs

May 8: Tactical airpower

May 10: Land warfare

May 15: Seapower

May 17: Space

May 22: Classified programs

May 24: Outside witnesses

June 5: Defense secy

FY91 ENERGY AND WATER APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Energy and Water Development Subcommittee (Chmn Johnston, D-La) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-G50 Dirksen Bldg March 27

2pm SD-192 Dirksen Bldg March 27

10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg March 28

10am SH-216 Hart Bldg March 29

2pm SD-192 Dirksen Bldg March 29

10am & 2pm SD-192 Dirksen Bldg April 4

FY91 FOREIGN OPS APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Foreign Operations Subcommittee (Chmn Leahy, D-Vt) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

Note: This schedule is tentative

2:30pm SD-192 Dirksen Bldg April 3

2pm SD-138 Dirksen Bldg April 19

2:30pm SD-138 Dirksen Bldg April 24, May 1, 8, 15 & 22, June 5 & 12

9am & 2:30pm Room TBA June 19

Agenda & witnesses:

April 3: US bilateral assistance: Mark Edelman - adminr, State Dept

April 19: Multilateral development banks

April 24: Global refugee crisis: Jewel Lafontant - asst secy of state; Princeton Lyman - asst secy of state for refugee programs; outside witnesses

May 1: Eastern Europe: Lawrence Eagleburger - asst secy of state

May 8: US military assistance in the 1990s: Reginald Bartholomew - under secy of state; Gen Charles Brown - dir, Defense Security Assistance

May 15: Population explosion: reps of AID; outside witnesses

May 22: The US & the global environment: reps of AID; outside witnesses

June 5: TBA

June 12: Managing US foreign aid: reps of AID; Gen Charles Brown - dir, Defense Security Assistance

June 19: Outside witnesses

■ FY91 INTERIOR APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Interior Subcommittee (Chmn Byrd, D-WVa) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9am & 1:30pm S-128 Capitol Bldg March 27

■ Revised listing

Senate continued...

10am S-128 Capitol Bldg April 2
 2pm S-128 Capitol Bldg April 18
 2pm SD-192 Dirksen Bldg April 23
 2pm S-128 Capitol Bldg April 30
 10am S-128 Capitol Bldg May 3, 7 & 14
Agenda:
March 27:
 10am: Everett Rhodes dir, Indian Health Service
 1:30pm: John Turner - dir, Fish & Wildlife Service
April 2: Bureau of Land Management
April 18: Natl Gallery of Art; Natl Park Service
April 23: Forest Service
April 30: Energy Dept: fossil energy, clean coal technology
May 3: Natl Endowment for the Arts; Natl Endowment for the Humanities; Bureau of Mines
May 7: Minerals Mgmt Service; Ofc of Surface Mining
May 14: Interior secy; energy secy; agriculture secy (tentative); congressional witnesses

FY91 LABOR-HHS APPROPs Subcommittee Hearings

Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chmn Harkin, D-Iowa) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg March 27
 9:30am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg March 28
 10am S-128 Capitol Bldg March 28
 9:30am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg March 29
Witnesses scheduled:
March 27, 28 & 29: public witnesses

FY91 LEGISLATIVE APPROPs Subcommittee Hearings

Legislative Branch Subcommittee (Chmn Reid, D-Nev) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg March 30
 10:30 SD-116 Dirksen Bldg April 6
Agenda:
March 30: Library of Congress; Ofc of Technology Assessment
April 6: Govt Printing Ofc; Gen Accounting Ofc

FY91 MIL CON APPROPs Subcommittee Hearing

Military Construction Subcommittee (Chmn Sasser, D-Tenn) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold a hearing on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10:30am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg April 2

FY91 TRANSPORTATION APPROPs Subcommittee Hearings

Transportation and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chmn Lautenberg, D-NJ) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg March 29, April 5, 19, 24 & 26, May 3 & 10
Agenda & witnesses scheduled:
March 29: Urban Mass Transportation Admin; Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority
April 5: Natl Highway Traffic Safety Admin; Research & Special Programs Admin
April 19: Fed Railroad Admin; Amtrak

★ *New listing*

April 24: Natl Transportation Safety Bd; Fed Highway Admin
 April 26: Gen Accounting Ofc
 May 3: Coast Guard
 May 10: Fed Aviation Admin

FY91 TREASURY-POSTAL APPROPs Subcommittee Hearings

Treasury-Postal Service and General Government Subcommittee (Chmn DeConcini, D-Ariz) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg March 28, April 5, 19 & 25

Agenda & witnesses scheduled (tentative):
March 28: Bureau of the Public Debt; Ofc of Personnel Mgmt
April 5: US Postal Service; Natl Archives
April 19: Ofc of Mgmt & Budget; Executive Ofc of the Pres
April 25: Gen Services Admin

FY91 VA, HUD APPROPs Subcommittee Hearings

VA, HUD & Independent Agencies Subcommittee (Chmn Mikulski, D-Md) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

11am S-126 Capitol Bldg March 27 & 29
 2pm SD-192 Dirksen Bldg April 5
 10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg April 18
 9:30am S-126 Capitol Bldg April 26
 10:30am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg May 3
 10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg May 4
 10am S-126 Capitol Bldg May 10
 11am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg May 15, 16 & 17

Agenda:
March 27:
 Consumer Product Safety Commn: Jacqueline Jones-Smith - chmn; Carol Dawson - vchmn; Thomas Murr Jr - acting exec dir
 Consumer Information Center: Teresa Nasif - dir; William Early Jr - dpty comptroller for budget; Bonnie Guiton - dir
 Ofc of Consumer Affairs: Andrew Poate - dpty dir, Waverly Land - dir, Planning Budget & Evaluation
March 29: Natl Science Foundation
April 5: Fed Emergency Mgmt Agency
April 18: HUD
April 26: NASA
May 3: Council on Environmental Quality; Science Adviser; Space Council
May 4: Resolution Trust Corp
May 10: Veterans Administration
May 15, 16 & 17: Public witnesses

Armed Services

224-3871

DEFENSE TECHNOLOGY

Defense Industry and Technology Subcommittee (Chmn Bingham, D-NM) of Senate Armed Services Committee will hold hearings on the defense authorization request for fiscal 1991 (S 2171), focusing on defense technology strategy.

9:30am SR-222 Russell Bldg March 28
 2pm SR-222 Russell Bldg April 2
Agenda & witnesses scheduled:
March 28: Defense critical technology plan
PANEL 1: Fred Ikle - former under secy of defense for policy; Hans Mark - former secy, Air Force
PANEL 2: Charles Herzfeld - dir of defense re-

search & engineering, Defense Dept; George Millburn - dpty dir of defense for research & engineering; Richard Hahn - dir, weapons research, Energy Dept

April 2: Defense manufacturing technology and quality assurance prgms

PANEL 1: Richard Donnelly - asst dpty under secy of defense for manufacturing & industrial programs; Willis Willoughby - dir for product integrity, Navy

PANEL 2: Laurie Broedling - dpty under secy of defense for total quality mgmt; Robert Costello - sr fellow, Hudson Inst

Banking, Housing & Urban Affairs

224-7391

HUD INVESTIGATION

Special Investigation Subcommittee (Chmn Graham, D-Fla) of Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing to examine abuses in the several programs of the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

9:30am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg March 27
 9am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg March 30

Agenda:
March 27: HUD coinsurance program, which allows private insurers to help insure government housing projects.
March 30: HUD's internal controls

★ THRIFT NOMINATION

Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee (Chmn Riegle, D-Mich) will hold a confirmation hearing on the nomination of Timothy Ryan Jr. to be director of the Office of Thrift Supervision (OTS).

2pm SD-538 Dirksen Bldg March 28
Witness scheduled: Timothy Ryan Jr - nominee

HIGH-TECHNOLOGY EXPORTS TO EASTERN BLOC

International Finance and Monetary Policy Subcommittee (Chmn Sarbanes, D-Md) of Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on U.S. business export of high-technology to Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union.

10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg March 28

HOUSING PROPOSAL

Housing and Urban Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) of Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the administration's Homeownership and Opportunity for People Everywhere (HOPE) housing proposal (S 2304).

9:30am SD-562 March 29

SEC & CFTC JURISDICTION

Securities Subcommittee (Chmn Dodd, D-Conn) of Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the jurisdiction of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Commodity Futures Trading Commission

10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg March 29

■ *Revised listing*

Senate continued...

Commerce, Science & Transportation

224-5115

NASA BUDGET OVERVIEW

Science, Technology and Space Subcommittee (Chmn Gore, D-Tenn) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will continue hearings on the NASA budget request, focusing on the space station and space shuttle.

9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg March 28

CABLE TV REREGULATION

Communications Subcommittee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold hearings on legislation (S 1880) to amend the Communications Act to ensure coverage on cable television of local news and other programming and to restore the right of local regulatory authorities to regulate cable television rates.

2pm SR-253 Russell Bldg March 29

9am SR-253 Russell Bldg April 4

EARTHQUAKE HAZARDS REDUCTION

Science, Technology and Space Subcommittee (Chmn Gore, D-Tenn) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on reauthorizing the National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program.

9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg March 29

MISSION TO PLANET EARTH

Science, Technology and Space Subcommittee (Chmn Gore, D-Tenn) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on NASA's Mission to Planet Earth program.

2pm SR-253 Russell Bldg April 3

PRODUCT LIABILITY

Consumer Subcommittee (Chmn Bryan, D-Nev) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on the potential effect on industry competitiveness and insurance of proposed legislation to provide for a uniform product liability law (S 1400).

9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg April 5

Energy & Natural Resources

224-4971

PUBLIC LANDS BILLS

Public Lands, National Parks and Forests Subcommittee (Chmn Bumpers, D-Ark) of Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee will hold a hearing on pending legislation.

★ New listing

2pm SD-366 Dirksen Bldg March 28

Agenda:

S 456/HR 1109 - Amend Natl Trails System Act to designate the Calif Natl Historic Trail and Pony Express Natl Historic Trail as components of the Natl Trails System

S 465/HR 1159 - Amend Natl Trails System Act by designating the Juan Bautista de Anza Natl Historic Trail

S 1756 - Provide for the preservation and interpretation of sites associated with Acadian culture in the state of Maine

S 1864/HR 76 - Amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to study the eligibility of the St Mary's River in the states of Fla and Ga for potential addition to the Wild and Scenic Rivers System

S 2059 - Establish the Weir Farm Natl Historic Site in the state of Conn

S 2208 - Provide for issuance of a seven-day permit for the Grand Circle Adventure comprising seven natl parks in Utah, Colo and Ariz

S 1770 - Assess the suitability and feasibility of including certain Shenandoah Valley Civil War sites in the natl park system *Short title: Shenandoah Valley Civil War Sites Study Act*

HYDROGEN RESEARCH

Energy Research and Development Subcommittee (Chmn Ford, D-Ky) of Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 639) to establish a hydrogen research and development program.

9:30am SD-366 Dirksen Bldg March 30

WASTE ISOLATION PLANT

Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee (Chmn Johnston, D-La) will hold hearings on the Energy Department's plan for the opening of the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant in Carlsbad, N.M. The plant will dispose of radioactive waste from Energy Department atomic weapons plants.

9:30am SD-366 Dirksen Bldg April 3

2pm SD-366 Dirksen Bldg April 26

ARIZONA LANDS BILLS

Public Lands, National Parks and Forests Subcommittee (Chmn Bumpers, D-Ark) of Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 2117, HR 2570) to designate certain lands as wilderness in the state of Arizona.

2pm SD-366 Dirksen Bldg April 5

SUPERCONDUCTING SUPERCOLLIDER

Energy Research and Development Subcommittee (Chmn Ford, D-Ky) of Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee will hold a hearing on the Department of Energy's superconducting supercollider program.

10am SD-366 Dirksen Bldg April 24

AMERICAN HERITAGE TRUST

Public Lands, National Parks and Forests Subcommittee (Chmn Bumpers, D-Ark) of Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 370 - American Heritage Trust Act) to amend the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act and the National Historic Preservation Act to establish the American Heritage Trust to enhance the protection of the nation's natural, historical, cultural and outdoor recreational heritage.

2pm SD-366 Dirksen Bldg April 25

URANIUM ENRICHMENT

Energy Research and Development Subcommittee (Chmn Ford, D-Ky) of Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee will hold a hearing on the Department of Energy's uranium enrichment program.

9:30am SD-366 Dirksen Bldg May 1

Environment & Public Works

224-6176

REGULATION OF LAWN CHEMICALS

Toxic Substances, Environmental Oversight, Research and Development Subcommittee (Chmn Reid, D-Nev) of Senate Environment and Public Works Committee will hold a hearing on the regulation of lawn chemicals.

9:30am SH-216 Hart Bldg March 28

Finance

224-4515

INVESTMENT & CAPITAL GAINS

Senate Finance Committee (Chmn Bentsen, D-Texas) will hold a hearing to examine investment trends in the United States and the administration proposal to lower the tax rate on capital gains income.

10am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg March 28

★ HHS NOMINATION Family Support

Senate Finance Committee (Chmn Bentsen, D-Texas) will hold a confirmation hearing on the nomination of Jo Anne Barnhart to be assistant secretary of health and human services for family support.

Following full cmtte hearing (above) SD-215 Dirksen Bldg March 28

Witness scheduled: Jo Anne Barnhart - nominee

Note: Following the hearing the committee will vote on the nomination

CORPORATE TAX SHORTFALL

Senate Finance Committee (Chmn Bentsen, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on the less-than-expected amount of revenue realized from the corporate income tax. One of the goals of the 1986 tax revision was to shift some of the tax burden from individuals to corporations, but that has not happened. The hearing will explore possible explanations for the shortfall.

10am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg March 29

SAFETY OF PENSIONS

Senate Finance Committee (Chmn Bentsen, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation insurance of retirement annuities provided by insurance companies. Some pension plans do not pay benefits directly to retirees; rather, the plan buys an annuity from an insurance company and benefits are paid by the annuity. The hearing will focus on whether such annuities have the same protection under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) as pension benefits paid directly by a pension fund.

10am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg April 5

■ Revised listing

Senate continued...**TAXPAYER RIGHTS**

Private Retirement Plans and Oversight of the Internal Revenue Service (Chmn Pryor, D-Ark) of Senate Finance Committee will hold a hearing to review the implementation of the Taxpayer's Bill of Rights by the Internal Revenue Service.

9:30am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg April 6

Foreign Relations

224-4651

PANAMA & NICARAGUA AID

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Chmn Pell, D-RI) will hold a hearing on the president's request for aid to Nicaragua and Panama.

4pm SD-419 Dirksen Bldg March 28

Witness scheduled: Bernard Aronson - asst secy of state for inter-American affs

★ BUSINESS & EASTERN EUROPE

European Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Biden, D-Del) of Senate Foreign Relations Committee will continue hearings on business initiatives in Eastern Europe.

9:30am SD-430 Dirksen Bldg March 28

★ FAMINE & AFRICA

African Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Simon, D-Ill) of Senate Foreign Relations Committee will hold a hearing on famine in the countries of the horn of Africa.

2:30pm SD-226 Dirksen Bldg open will close March 28

U.N. ZIONISM RESOLUTION

Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Moynihan, D-NY) of Senate Foreign Relations Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S J Res 246) requesting that the United Nations repeal General Assembly Resolution 3379, which equates Zionism with racism.

10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg March 30

Witness scheduled: John Bolton - asst secy of state for internatl orgs

Governmental Affairs

224-4751

GSA NOMINATION

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chmn Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a confirmation hearing on the nomination of Richard Austin to be administrator of the General Services Administration.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg March 28

■ GOVT AFFAIRS CMTE BUSINESS**Full Committee Markup**

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chmn Glenn, D-Ohio) will meet to consider pending business.

10am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg March 29

★ New listing

Agenda:

S 1742 - Further the goals of the Paperwork Reduction Act and provide for comprehensive information resources management of federal departments and agencies S 444 - Amend Federal Advisory Committee Act

HEALTH STATISTICS

Government Information and Regulation Subcommittee (Chmn Bingaman, D-NM) of Senate Governmental Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the quality of U.S. health statistics.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg April 6

EFFICIENT ACQUISITION

Oversight of Government Management Subcommittee (Chmn Levin, D-Mich) of Senate Governmental Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1957) to provide for the efficient and cost-effective acquisition of items for federal agencies.

2pm SD-342 Dirksen Bldg April 26

COMMERCE DEPT REORGANIZATION

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chmn Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1978) to reorganize the Commerce Department into an Industry and Technology Department.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg May 17

Indian Affairs

224-2251

TRIBAL RECOGNITION ISSUES

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on pending legislation.

2pm SR-485 Russell Bldg March 28

Agenda:

S 381 - Provide for federal recognition of the Mowa band of Choctaw Indians of Alabama
S 1413 - Settle all claims of the Aroostook Band of Micmacs resulting from the band's omission from the Maine Indian Claims Settlement
S 1747 - Provide for the restoration of federal recognition of the Ponca Tribe of Nebraska
S 1918 - Provide for federal recognition of the Jena Band of Choctaws of Louisiana

INDIAN FORESTRY

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1289) to improve the management of forests, woodlands, and the production of forest resources on Indian lands.

9:30am SR-485 Russell Bldg April 19

FEDERAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT PROCESS

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 611 & S 912) to establish administrative procedures to determine the status of certain Indian groups.

2pm SR-485 Russell Bldg April 23

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ISSUES

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will meet to con-

sider pending business.

2pm SR-485 Russell Bldg April 30

Agenda:**HEARING:**

S 1203 - Indian Economic Development Act
S 1650 - Indian Employment Opportunity Act of 1989

MARKUP:

S 143 - Indian Development Finance Act

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE NURSE SHORTAGES

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on nurse shortages in the Indian Health Service.

2pm SR-485 Russell Bldg May 7

TRIBAL LEADERS FORUM

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a tribal leaders forum.

2pm SR-485 Russell Bldg May 9

FUTURE INITIATIVES

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on initiatives for the 1990s.

2pm SR-485 Russell Bldg May 10

GRAVE PROTECTION/ CULTURAL PATRIMONY

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1021) to protect Indian graves and burial grounds and the Native American Repatriation of Cultural Patrimony Act (S 1980).

2pm SR-485 Russell Bldg May 14

HAWAIIAN HOMES

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on amendments to the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act.

Time & Place TBA May 30

INDIAN LEGISLATION

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on pending legislation.

2pm SR-485 Russell Bldg June 7

Agenda:

S 2203 - To settle certain claims of the Zuni Indian Tribe
S 2075 - To improve the capability of Indian tribal governments to regulate environmental quality
S 1934 - To provide for the payment of fees for certain services provided to Indian housing

CHILDREN'S PROTECTION/ SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on children's protective services and alcohol and substance abuse; and Trust Counsel proposals.

9:30am SR-485 Russell Bldg June 12

■ Revised listing

Senate continued...**Intelligence**

224-1700

INTELLIGENCE MATTERS

Senate Intelligence Committee (Chmn Boren, D-Okla) will hold a closed hearing on intelligence matters.

2pm SH-219 Hart Bldg closed April 5

Judiciary

224-5225

SEMICONDUCTOR COMPETITION

Technology and the Law Subcommittee (Chmn Leahy, D-Vt) of Senate Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on competitive issues facing the semiconductor industry.

10am SD-226 Dirksen Bldg March 29

DISCRIMINATION AGAINST IMMIGRANTS

Senate Judiciary Committee (Chmn Biden, D-Del) will hold a hearing on discrimination that has resulted from the 1986 Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA). A provision of that law imposes stiff penalties on employers who knowingly hire illegal aliens. As a result some employers refuse to hire any aliens, legal or illegal. A GAO report on the issue will be discussed during the hearing.

10:30am SD-226 Dirksen Bldg March 30

'GRAY MARKET' REGULATION

Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks Subcommittee (Chmn DeConcini, D-Ariz) of Senate Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 626 - Trademark Protection Act) to regulate the trade in "gray market" goods, which are manufactured abroad but bear trademarks identical with those of goods manufactured in the United States.

2pm SD-226 Dirksen Bldg April 4

Labor & Human Resources

224-5375

NATL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS

Education, Arts and Humanities Subcommittee (Chmn Pell, D-RI) of Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the National Endowment for the Arts.

10am SD-430 Dirksen Bldg March 29

LOW-INCOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE

Children, Family, Drugs and Alcoholism Subcommittee (Chmn Dodd, D-Conn) of Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee will hold a hearing on the low income home energy assistance program.

1:30pm SD-430 Dirksen Bldg March 29

DEVELOPMENT DISABILITY ACT

Disability Policy Subcommittee (Chmn Harkin, D-Iowa) of Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee will hold a hearing on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Development Disability Act.

9:30am SD-430 March 30

ALZHEIMER'S RESEARCH FUNDING Joint Hearing

Aging Subcommittee (Acting Chmn Metzbaum, D-Ohio) of Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee and House Select Aging Committee (Chmn Roybal, D-Calif) will hold a joint hearing on funding for research on Alzheimer's disease.

9:30am 2322 Rayburn Bldg April 3

Witnesses scheduled: Shelly Fabares - actress & daughter of an Alzheimer's victim; Bill Gold - son of an Alzheimer's victim; Hilda Pridgeon - mbr, Bd of Dirs, Natl Alzheimer's Assn; Franklin Williams - dir, Natl Inst on Aging

Small Business

224-5175

■ EUROPE 1992

Export Expansion Subcommittee (Chmn Mikulski, D-Md) of Senate Small Business Committee will hold a hearing to examine the effects on U.S. small businesses of the planned 1992 integration of the European market.

2:15pm SR-428 Russell Bldg March 28

SBA BUDGET

Senate Small Business Committee (Chmn Bumpers, D-Ark) will continue hearings on the fiscal 1991 budget for the Small Business Administration (SBA).

2pm SR-428 Russell Bldg April 4

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for March 27.

Veterans' Affairs

224-9126

VETERANS' HEALTH CARE

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) will hold a hearing on legislation to provide for the realignment and major mission changes of medical facilities of the Veterans Affairs Department (VA).

9:30am SR-418 Russell Bldg March 28

Agenda:

S 1398 - Department of Veterans Affairs Health Care Quality Assistance and Cost Effectiveness Act

S 1332 - Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Facilities Realignment Act

VETERANS' LEGISLATIVE AGENDA Joint Hearings

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) and House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Montgomery, D-Miss) will hold a joint hearing to receive the legislative agendas of the Vietnam Veterans of America, AMVETS and the Non-Commissioned Officers Association.

9:00am SH-216 Hart Bldg April 18

House Committees Future Listings

Aging

ALZHEIMER'S RESEARCH & LONG-TERM CARE

Joint Hearing

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(HR 3950 - Food and Agricultural Resources Act of 1990). HR 3950 will serve as a vehicle for the panel's deliberations on reauthorization of farm programs.

10am 1302 Longworth Bldg March 28

1990 FARM BILL Subcommittee Markup

Forests, Family Farms and Energy Subcommittee (Chmn Volkmer, D-Mo) of House Agriculture Committee will mark up forestry provisions of the 1990 farm bill (HR 3950 - Food and Agricultural Resources Act of 1990). HR 3950 will serve as a vehicle for the panel's deliberations on reauthorization of farm programs.

10am 340 Cannon Bldg March 28

1990 FARM BILL Subcommittee Markup

Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture Subcommittee (Chmn Brown, D-Calif) of House Agriculture Committee will mark up the 1990 farm bill (HR 3950 - Food and Agricultural Resources Act of 1990). HR 3950 will serve as a vehicle for the panel's deliberations on reauthorization of farm programs.

10am 1302 Longworth Bldg March 29

AFLATOXIN IN CORN

Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains Subcommittee (Chmn Glickman, D-Kan) of House Agriculture Committee will hold a hearing on aflatoxin in U.S. corn. Aflatoxin is a fungus carcinogen that cultivates in corn stocks. The panel will get the results of a General Accounting Office report on states' efforts to combat aflatoxin.

2pm 1302 Longworth Bldg April 2

1990 FARM BILL Subcommittee Markup

Livestock, Dairy and Poultry Subcommittee (Chmn Stenholm, D-Texas) of House Agriculture Committee will mark up the 1990 farm bill (HR 3950 - Food and Agricultural Resources Act of 1990). HR 3950 will serve as a vehicle for the panel's deliberations on reauthorization of farm programs.

10am 1300 Longworth Bldg April 3

NORTHERN SPOTTED OWL Joint Hearing

Forests, Family Farms and Energy Subcommittee (Chmn Volkmer, D-Mo) of House Agriculture Committee and the National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a joint hearing to review provisions of the fiscal 1990 Interior appropriations act designed to protect the northern spotted owl. The bill established timber sale levels and citizen advisory boards to review sales.

10am 1300 Longworth Bldg April 4

Appropriations

225-2771

FY91 AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chmn Whitten, D-Miss) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg March 27, 28 & 29
March 27, 28 & 29: Public witnesses, members of Congress

FY91 COMMERCE, STATE, JUSTICE APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chmn Smith, D-Iowa) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 2pm H-310 Capitol Bldg March 28 & 29

10am H-310 Capitol Bldg April 3

Agenda:

March 28:

10am: Legal Services Corp: Terence Wear - pres; George Wittgrass - chmn

2pm: Members of Congress; Public Witnesses

March 29: Members of Congress; public witnesses
April 3: Securities & Exchange Comm: Richard Breedren; Civil Rights Comm: Art Fletcher

FY91 DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

Defense Subcommittee (Chmn Murtha, D-Pa) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

Note: The following schedule is tentative.

10am (open) & 1:30pm (closed) H-140 Capitol Bldg March 27

1:30pm & 3pm H-140 Capitol Bldg March 28

10am & 1:30pm H-140 Capitol Bldg closed March 29

10am & 1:30pm H-405 Capitol Bldg closed April 3

10am & 1:30pm H-140 Capitol Bldg April 4, 5, 18, 19 & 24

10am (open) & 1:30pm (closed) H-140 Capitol Bldg April 25

10am H-140 Capitol Bldg April 26, May 1

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 27:

10am: Recruiting issues:

1:30pm: Navy weapons and other procurement

March 28:

1:30pm: Navy & Marine Corps operations & maintenance

3pm: Army operations & maintenance

March 29:

10am: Defense agencies RDT&E

1:30pm: Army weapons & tracked combat vehicles

April 3: Intelligence

April 4:

10am: Army ammunition

1:30pm: Guard & reserve

April 5:

10am: Automatic data processing

1:30pm: Air Force missiles and other procurement

■ Revised listing

Agriculture

225-2171

1990 FARM BILL

Subcommittee Markup

Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains Subcommittee (Chmn Glickman, D-Kan) of House Agriculture Committee will mark up the 1990 farm bill (HR 3950 - Food and Agricultural Resources Act of 1990). HR 3950 will serve as a vehicle for the panel's deliberations on reauthorization of farm programs.

2pm 1302 Longworth Bldg March 27

10am 1302 Longworth Bldg March 29

10am 1302 Longworth Bldg April 3, 4 & 5

1990 FARM BILL

Subcommittee Markup

Conservation, Credit and Rural Development Subcommittee (Chmn English, D-Okla) of House Agriculture Committee will mark up the 1990 farm bill (HR 3950 - Food and Agricultural Resources Act of 1990). HR 3950 will serve as a vehicle for the panel's deliberations on reauthorization of farm programs.

10am 1300 Longworth Bldg March 28

Agenda: Federal crop insurance (HR 4360)

1990 FARM BILL

Subcommittee Markup

Cotton, Rice and Sugar Subcommittee (Chmn Huckaby, D-La) of House Agriculture Committee will mark up the 1990 farm bill

★ New listing

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April 18:
10am: Air Force RDT&E
1:30pm: Air Force & defense agencies operations & maintenance
April 19: Special programs
April 24:
10am: Air Force aircraft procurement
1:30pm: Chemical weapons & demilitarization
April 25:
10am: Shipbuilding and conversion, Navy and overhauls
1:30pm: Intelligence
April 28: Strategic defense initiative
May 1: Public witnesses

FY91 ENERGY AND WATER APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

Energy and Water Development Subcommittee (Chmn Beville, D-Ala) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 2pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg March 27, 28 & 29, April 3

9:30am & 2pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg April 4
Witnesses scheduled:
March 28 & 29, April 3 & 4: Members of Congress & public witnesses

FY91 FOREIGN OPS APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

Foreign Operations Subcommittee (Chmn Obey, D-Wis) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am 2360 Rayburn Bldg March 27 & 29, April 3 & 4

Witnesses scheduled:
March 27: Attacking problems of children:
See "Committee Meetings Scheduled Today" section for witnesses

March 29: Misuse of foreign aid funds: Defense Dept inspector gen; Agency for Internatl Development inspector gen; Defense Audit Service; GAO

April 3: Environmental issues: State Dept; outside witnesses; Agency for Internatl Development; Treasury Dept; UN Environmental Program
April 4: Congressional & outside witnesses

FY91 INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

Interior Subcommittee (Chmn Yates, D-Ill) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Building March 27
10am B-308 Rayburn Bldg March 28
10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg March 29

1pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg April 2
10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Building
April 3, 4, 5, 18, 19,

1pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg April 23
10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Building
April 24, 25, 26 & 27

1pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg April 30
10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Building
May 1, 2, 3 & 4

1pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg May 7
10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Building
May 8

10am B-308 Rayburn Bldg May 9
10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Building
May 10

★ New listing

Agenda:

March 27: See "Committee Meetings Scheduled Today" section for witnesses

March 28: Inst of American Indian Art; Glen Urquhart - chmn, Natl Capital Planning Commn; Indian Education: John McDonald - asst secy for elementary & secondary education

March 29: Energy Dept fossil energy programs: Robert Gentile - asst secy for fossil energy

April 2: FDR Memorial Commn; Commn of Fine Arts; Natl Gallery of Art

April 3: Fish & Wildlife Service

April 4: Minerals Mgmt Service

April 5: Geological Survey

April 18: Smithsonian Inst

April 19: Natl Park Service

April 23: Navajo-Hopi Relocation Commn

April 24: Interior secy

April 25: Energy secy

April 28: Natl Endowment for the Arts

April 27: Energy Dept: Conservation pgms

April 30: Indian Health Service

May 1: Natl Endowment for the Humanities

May 2: Forest Service

May 3: Outside witnesses: NEA/NEH/IMS

May 4: Trust Territories

May 7: Bureau of Land Mgmt

May 8: Bureau of Indian Affairs

May 9: Woodrow Wilson, Holocaust

May 10: Members of Congress

FY91 LABOR-HHS APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chmn Natcher, D-Ky) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg March 27
10am & 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg March 28 & 29

2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg April 2
10am & 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg April 3

10am 2358 Rayburn Bldg April 4
Time & room TBA April 5

2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg April 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, 26 & 30

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:**HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES DEPT**

March 27: Mary Sheila Gall - asst secy for human development (includes Family Social Services)

March 28:

10am: Departmental Mgmt (all accounts):

2pm: Eunice Thomas - acting asst secy, Family Support Admin

RELATED AGENCIES

March 29:

10am: Jane Kenny - dir, ACTION; Ford Ford no bob, that's no typo - chmn, Fed Mine Safety & Health Review Commn

2pm: Donald Ledwig - pres & CEO, Corp for Public Broadcasting; Sandra Perrino - chmn, Natl Council on Disability

April 2: Soldiers' & Airmen's Home; Natl Commn on Libraries & Information Science/White House Conf on Libraries; Natl Labor Relations Bd

April 3:

10am: Natl Commn on AIDS; National Mediation Bd; Occupational Safety & Health Review Commn

2pm: Physician Payment Review Commn; Prospective Payment Assessment Commn; Fed Mediation & Conciliation Service

April 4: Railroad Retirement Bd; Railroad Retirement Bd Inspector Gen; US Inst for Peace

April 5: TBA

April 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, 26 & 30: public witnesses

FY91 MIL CON APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

Military Construction Subcommittee (Chmn Hefner, D-NC) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am B-300 Rayburn Bldg March 28 & 29

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 28: Family housing: Robert Stone - dpty asst secy of defense for installations; Rear Adm David Bottorff - commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command; Brig Gen Wayne Adams - dir, Facilities & Services Div, Marine Corps; Maj Gen Peter Offringa - asst chief of Army engineers; Major Gen Joseph Ahearn - dir, Air Force Engineering Services

March 29: Members of Congress; outside witnesses

FY91 TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

Transportation and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chmn Lehman, D-Fla) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg March 28, April 3, 4, 6, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25 & 26

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 28: Thomas Larson - adminr, Fed Highway Admin

April 3: Urban Mass Transportation Admin

April 4: Natl Highway Traffic Safety Admin

April 18: General Accounting Ofc; Federal Aviation Admin

April 19: Fed Aviation Admin

April 20: Ofc of the secy

April 24, 25 & 26: Public witnesses

FY91 TREASURY-POSTAL APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

Treasury, Postal Service and General Government Subcommittee (Chmn Roybal, D-Calif) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am H-164 Capitol Bldg March 27, 28 & 29, April 2 & 4

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 27: Constance Newman - Ofc of Personnel Mgmt

March 28: Roger Porter - asst to the president for economic and domestic policy, Ofc of Policy Development; David Alexander, dir of admin, Ofc of Policy Development; G Phillip Hughes - exec secy, Natl Security Council; D Allen Bromely - chmn (designee) Natl Critical Materials Council

March 29: Ofc of Economic Advisers; Ofc of Govt Ethics

April 2: Outside witnesses

April 4: Ofc of Mgmt & Budget

FY91 VA, HUD APPROPRIATIONS Subcommittee Hearings

VA, HUD and Independent Agencies Subcommittee (Chmn Traxler, D-Mich) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg March 27

10am & 2pm H-143 Capitol Bldg March 28

10am H-143 Capitol Bldg April 3, 4, 5, 24 & 25

10am & 2pm H-143 Capitol Bldg April 26

10am H-143 Capitol Bldg May 1, 2 & 3

■ Revised listing

House continued...

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 27: See "Committee Meetings Scheduled Today" section for witnesses

March 28: Fed Emergency Mgmt Agency

April 3, 4 & 5: Dept of Housing & Urban Development

April 24 & 25: Environmental Protection Agency

April 26:

10am: Council on Environmental Quality

2pm: Environmental Protection Agency; Natl Inst of Bldg Sciences; Neighborhood Reinvestment Corp; Natl Credit Union Admin

May 1, 2 & 3: Congressional & public witnesses

Armed Services

225-4151

FY91 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Readiness Subcommittee

Readiness Subcommittee (Chmn Hutto, D-Fla) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the fiscal 1991 national defense authorization request.

2pm 2118 Rayburn Bldg **March 27**

9:30am 2216 Rayburn Bldg **March 28**

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 27: See "Committee Meetings Scheduled Today" section for witnesses

March 28: Defense Department inventory management practices:

Frank Conahan - asst comptroller gen, Natl Security & Internatl Affs Div, GAO; Colin McMillan - asst secy of defense for production & logistics; Maj Gen Jackson Rozier Jr - dir of supply & maintenance, Ofc of the Dpty Chief of Staff for Logistics, Army; Rear Adm Robert Moore - asst cmdr for inventory & systems control integrity, Naval Supply Systems; Brig Gen Billy Barrett - dir of maintenance & supply, Ofc of the Dpty Chief of Staff for Logistics & Engineering, Air Force; Rear Adm J P Davidson - exec dir for supply operations, Defense Logistics Agency

DOE DEFENSE PROGRAMS

Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel (Chmn Spratt, D-SC) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the Energy Department defense programs.

9:30am 2118 Rayburn Bldg **March 28**

Witness scheduled: James Watkins - secy of energy

ACQUISITION CORPS

Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Mavroules, D-Mass) of House Armed Services Committee will hold hearings on proposed recommendations to establish a professional acquisition corps in each of the military services.

10am & 1:30pm 2212 Rayburn Bldg **March 28**

9:30 & 2pm 2216 Rayburn Bldg **March 29**

FY91 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Classified Programs

Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems Subcommittee (Chmn Aspin, D-Wis) and Research and Development Subcommittee (Chmn Dellums, D-Calif) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the fiscal 1991 national defense authorization request, focusing on classified programs.

★ New listing

9:30 S-407 Capitol Bldg closed **March 28**
2pm H-405 Capitol Bldg closed **March 28**
Witness scheduled: Donald Yockey - principal dpty under secy of defense for acquisition

ALTERNATIVES TO B2 BOMBER

Defense Policy Panel (Chmn Aspin, D-Wis) of House Armed Services Committee will hold a hearing on alternatives to the B-2 bomber program and on the cost of these alternatives.

10am 2118 Rayburn Bldg **March 29**

Witness scheduled: Robert Hale - asst dir, Natl Security Div, Congressional Budget Ofc

FY91 MIL CON AUTHORIZATION

Military Installations and Facilities Subcommittee (Chmn Schroeder, D-Colo) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the fiscal 1991 national defense authorization request, focusing on future policy and missions of the reserve components and the impact on military construction.

10am 2212 Rayburn Bldg **March 29**

Witness scheduled: Stephen Duncan - asst secy of defense for reserve affs

FY91 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Military Personnel Subcommittee

Military Personnel and Compensation Subcommittee (Chmn Byron, D-Md) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the fiscal 1991 national defense authorization request, focusing on the adequacy of medical and support staffing, especially overseas.

2pm 2212 Rayburn Bldg **March 29**

Witnesses scheduled: David Baine - dir, Fed Health Care Delivery Issues, GAO; Enrique Mendez Jr - asst secy of defense for health affs; Lt Gen F F Ledford Jr - surgeon gen, Army; VAdm James Zimble - surgeon gen, Navy; Lt Gen Monte Miller - surgeon gen, Air Force; Lt Gen Allen Ono - dpty chief of staff for personnel, Army; VAdm Jeremy Boorda - chief of naval personnel; Lt Gen Norman Smith - dpty chief of staff for manpower & reserve affs, Marine Corps

MARITIME CAPACITY/ NATIONAL SECURITY

Joint Hearing

Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Bennett, D-Fla) of House Armed Services Committee and Merchant Marine Subcommittee (Chmn Jones, D-NC) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a joint hearing on legislation (HR 2463) to increase the capacity of U.S. maritime industries to meet the national defense and ocean transportation needs of the United States.

2pm 2118 Rayburn Bldg **March 29**

PROFESSIONAL MILITARY EDUCATION

Military Education Panel (Chmn Skelton, D-Mo) of House Armed Services Committee will hold a hearing on how the senior professional military education schools in each military department are implementing the panel's recommendations on education in strategy.

Time and room TBA Date TBA

Witnesses scheduled: Adm Ronald Kurth - pres, Naval War College; Maj Gen David Reed - commandant, Air War College; Maj Gen Paul Gerjan - commandant, Army War College

Banking, Finance & Urban Affairs

225-4247

THRIFT BAILOUT OVERSIGHT Subcommittee Hearings

Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance Subcommittee (Chmn Annunzio, D-Ill) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will continue oversight hearings on the Financial Institutions Recovery, Reform and Enforcement Act (PL 101-73). The hearings will include consideration of proposals to abolish the Office of Thrift Supervision (OTS), which was created by the act.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg **March 27, 28 & 29**

Witnesses scheduled:

March 27: Salvador Martoche - acting dir, OTS; James Cramer - exec vpres, American Inst of Architects; Martin Perlman - Natl Assn of Home Builders; John Schlosser - pres & chmn of the bd, St Francis Bank, Wis

March 28: Phillip Bracken - pres & CEO, America's Mortgage Company; Robert Walsh - pres & chief operating officer, Carteret Savings Bank, NJ; John Laisle - pres & CEO, MidFirst Bank, Okla; Michael West - pres & CEO, First Natl Bank of San Diego; Albert Finch - chmn of the bd, Suncoast Savings, Fla; Richard Klapheke - chief financial officer, Great Financial Federal; William Ferguson - chmn & CEO, Ferguson & Company; Charles Jacobs - Oliver, Wyman & Co; Warren Lasko - exec vpres, Mortgage Bankers Assn; Dale Riordan - exec vpres, Fed Natl Mortgage Assn (Fannie Mae)

March 29: Robert Adelizzi - pres & CEO, HomeFed Bank, Calif; John O'Brien - pres, Central Pa Savings; Adam Jahns - pres & chmn of the bd, Cragin Fed Bank for Savings, Ill; Gerald Free - pres & CEO, First Fed Savings & Loan, Texas; Donald Shackelford - chmn of the bd, State Savings Bank, Ohio; Robert McMahan - chmn of the bd & CEO, Decatur Fed Savings & Loan, Ga; Richard Haynes - pres & CEO, Workingsmens Fed Savings, Ind; George Engelke Jr - pres & CEO, Astoria Fed Savings & Loan, NY

■ ZERO INFLATION

Domestic Monetary Policy Subcommittee (Chmn Neal, D-NC) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (H J Res 409) leading to, and then maintaining, zero inflation.

10am 2222 Rayburn Bldg **March 28**

Witnesses scheduled: Clopper Almon - Univ of Md; Michael Keran - chief economist, Prudential Insurance; Donald Straszheim - chief economist, Merrill Lynch

■ CLEAN-AIR LEGISLATION

Economic Stabilization Subcommittee (Chmn Oakar, D-Ohio) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing to examine the impact of proposed clean-air legislation (HR 3030) on energy security and economic stability.

11am 2359A Rayburn Bldg **March 28**

Witnesses scheduled: Robert Gentile - asst secy of energy; Benjamin Yamagata - exec dir, Clean Coal Technology Coalition; Kurt Yeager - vpres, Electric Power Research Institute; Victor Rezendes - dir of energy issues, General Accounting Office; James Markowski - senior vpres and chief engineer, American Electric Power Co; Richard Lawson - pres, Natl Coal Assn; Emmett Boyle - pres, Ormet and Ravenswood Aluminum

■ Revised listing

House continued...

Corps; Robert Murray - pres, Ohio Valley Coal Co; Wilbur Steger - CONSAD Research Corp; Gerald Hawkins - internatl teller, United Mine Workers of America

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy Subcommittee (Chmn Fauntroy, D-DC) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on replenishing the International Development Association (IDA), which is used by the World Bank to provide subsidized development loans.

10am 2220 Rayburn Bldg March 28

Witnesses scheduled: Charles Dallara - asst secy of Treasury; John Sewell - pres, Overseas Development Council; Nancy Alexander - legislative secy; Friends Cmte on Natl Legislation; Lori Udall - staff atty, Environmental Defense Fund

FAILED THRIFT/BANK SALES

House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee (Chmn Gonzalez, D-Texas) will hold a hearing to examine the manner in which the now-defunct Federal Home Loan Bank Board and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation managed the resolution of insolvent banks and thrifts.

2pm 2128 Rayburn Bldg April 2

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Richard Fogel - asst comptroller gen, General Accounting Office

PANEL: William Isaac - former chmn, Fed Deposit Insurance Corp (FDIC); Karen Shaw - Institute for Strategy Development; Donald Crocker - JE Robert Company

PANEL: Stan Poling - dir, Division of Accounting and Corporate Services and FSLIC Operations, FDIC; William Taylor - pres, Oversight Bd, Resolution Trust Corp (RTC); William Roelle - dir, Resolutions and Operations Division, RTC

INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL TRENDS

International Competitiveness Task Force (Chmn LaFalce, D-NY) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold hearings on international trends in the financial services industry.

2pm room TBA April 4

Witness scheduled: Alan Greenspan - chmn, Fed Reserve Bd of Gova

THRIFT BAILOUT OVERSIGHT Field Hearings

House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee (Chmn Gonzalez, D-Texas) will hold field hearings to examine how effective the federal law enforcement community has been in prosecuting those who committed illegal activities in connection with the nation's savings and loans.

10am Transit Authority Bldg Dallas, Texas

April 11 & 12

Witnesses scheduled:

April 11:

PANEL: William Sessions - dir, Fed Bureau of Investigation

PANEL: Joe Selby - former exec vpres, Regulatory Affairs, Dallas Fed Home Loan Bank; William Black - former dpty dir, FSLIC, San Francisco Fed Home Loan Bank; James Barth - former dir, Office of Economic Research, Office of Thrift Supervision (OTS)

★ New listing

PANEL: Diane Mendoza - asst district dir, Dallas, OTS; Walter Faulk - former senior supervisory agent, Dallas Fed Home Loan Bank; Arthur Leiser - retired senior examiner, Texas Savings and Loan Dept; Philip Stewart - partner, Vinson & Elkins; Tom Wageman - pres & CEO, Sunbelt Savings

PANEL: Edwin McBirney - former chmn, Sunbelt Savings; Jarret Woods - former chmn, Western Savings; Don Nixon - former chmn, Vernon Savings; Thomas Gaubert - former chmn, Independent Savings

April 12:

PANEL: Marvin Collins - US atty; Henry Oncken - US atty; Robert Wortham - US atty; Ronald Ederer - US atty

PANEL: James Cooper - dpty dir, Dallas regional office, Resolution Trust Corporation; Billy Wood - dir, Dallas regional office, OTS; John Bodnar - district admin, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency; rep, Fed Deposit Insurance Corp

PANEL: rep, Criminal Division, Justice Dept; rep, Internal Revenue Service

★ HUD PROGRAMS

Housing and Community Development Subcommittee (Chmn Gonzalez, D-Texas) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on allegations that entrepreneur Bruce Rozet mismanaged subsidized housing units in connection with the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The department has recently suspended Rozet's involvement with HUD programs, citing numerous violations.

9:30am 2128 Rayburn Bldg April 17

District of Columbia

225-4457

★ DC LAW SCHOOL

Judiciary and Education Subcommittee (Chmn Dymally, D-Calif) of House District of Columbia Committee will hold a hearing on the status of the District of Columbia School of Law.

1:30pm 1310A Longworth Bldg April 4

Witnesses scheduled: Mayor Marion Barry, D-DC; Hilda Mason - chairperson, Cmte on Education and Libraries, Council of DC; William Robinson - dean, DC Law School; Frederick Abramson - chmn, Bd of Gova, DC Law School

FEDERAL PAYMENT TO DC Subcommittee Hearing and Markup

Fiscal Affairs and Health Subcommittee (Chmn Fauntroy, D-DC) of House District of Columbia Committee will hold a hearing and mark up legislation (HR 3293) to establish a uniform and equitable method to determine the annual federal payment to the District of Columbia.

Time TBA 1310A Longworth Bldg date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for Nov 21.

DC TAX EXEMPTION

House District of Columbia Committee (Chmn Dellums, D-Calif) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3590) to exempt from the DC income tax the spouses and minor children of elective officers of the U.S. government and

the spouses and minor children of employees on the staffs of elected officials in the legislative branch of the U.S. government if the employee is a bona fide resident of the state of residence of the elected officer.

Time TBA 1310A Longworth Bldg date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for Nov 14.

Education & Labor

225-4527

ASBESTOS REMOVAL

Health and Safety Subcommittee (Chmn Gaydos, D-Pa) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on asbestos removal.

9:30am 2261 Rayburn Bldg March 27

Time & room TBA April 3

Witnesses scheduled: See "Committee Meetings Scheduled Today" section for witnesses

OLDER WORKERS' PROTECTION

Full Committee Markup

House Education and Labor Committee (Chmn Hawkins, D-Calif) will mark up pending legislation.

10am 2175 Rayburn Bldg March 28

Agenda:

HR 3200 - to clarify the protections given to older individuals in regard to employee benefit plans

HR 4073 - to amend the Labor Management Relations Act of 1947 to permit parties engaged in collective bargaining to bargain over the establishment and administration of trust funds to provide financial assistance for employee housing

EDUCATION EXCELLENCE

Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education Subcommittee (Chmn Hawkins, D-Calif) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 1675) to promote excellence in American education by recognizing and rewarding schools, teachers, and students for their outstanding achievements; enhancing parental choice; and encouraging the study of science, mathematics and engineering and on draft legislation to improve education.

9:30am 2175 Rayburn Bldg March 29

Witnesses scheduled: Lauro Cavazos - secy of education; Carroll Campbell Jr - gov, SC; Bill Clinton - gov, Ark; Dallas Martin - pres, Natl Assn of Student Financial Aid Admin; Keith Geiger - Natl Education Assn; Gordon Ambach - Council of Chief State School Officers; Albert Shanker - pres, Amer Fedn of Teachers

HUMAN RESOURCES REAUTHORIZATION Subcommittee Markup

Human Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Kildee, D-Mich) of House Education and Labor Committee will mark up legislation (HR 4151) to authorize the Head Start Act, the Follow Through Act, the Community Services Block Grant Act and the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Act of 1981 for fiscal 1991 through 1994.

10am 2261 Rayburn Bldg March 29

■ Revised listing

House continued...

BLACK LUNG PROGRAM

Field Hearing

Labor Standards Subcommittee (Chmn Murphy, D-Pa) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a field hearing on the operation of the Federal Black Lung Benefits Program.

1:30pm Chapmanville, WV March 30

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL 1: Rep Molloy, D-WV

PANEL 2: Fred Cox - dir, Tug River Black Lung Clinic; Linda Hutchens - program coordinator & benefits counselor, Bluestone Health Center Breathing Program; DR D L Rasmussen - Southern WV Clinic; Greg Wagner - dir, div of respiratory diseases studies, Natl Inst of Safety & Health

PANEL 3: Robert Phalen - Pres, United Mine Workers Assn District 17; Harold Hayden - secy-treasurer, United Mine Workers Assn District 29

PANEL 4: John Rosenberg - dir, Appalachian Research & Defense Fund; Richard Rundle - atty, Rundle & Rundle; Michale Tomasky - atty; John Taylor - atty

PANEL 5: Willie Anderson - Logan County Black Lung Assn; Melvin Sperry; Cecil Szucs - Logan Chapter, Black Lung Disabled Group; Fred Carter - vpres, Natl Chapter, Black Lung Assn

TRIBALLY CONTROLLED COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Field Hearing

Postsecondary Education Subcommittee (Chmn Williams, D-Mont) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a field hearing on the Tribally Controlled Community College Assistance Act.

Time TBA Pablo, Mont April 12

CONTRACTING REGULATION

Labor Standards Subcommittee (Chmn Murphy, D-Pa) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on the General Services Administration and on the Service Contract Act concerning proposed contracting regulation changes.

9:30 2261 Rayburn Bldg April 19

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL 1: Richard Cordtz - internatl secy treasurer, Service Employees Internatl Union

PANEL 2: Richard Austin - acting adminr, General Services Admin

PANEL 3: Rudy Oswald - dir of economic research, AFL-CIO; Lou Elesie - Laborers' Internatl Union of North America

PANEL 4: Richard Rowe - Natl Assn of Govt Service Contractors, Austin, Texas

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for March 22.

DISPLACED HOMEMAKERS MARKUP

Employment Opportunities Subcommittee (Chmn Martinez, D-Calif) of House Education and Labor Committee will mark up legislation (HR 3069 - Displaced Homemakers Employment & Family Self Sufficiency Act) to establish an employment training program for displaced homemakers.

Time & room TBA Date TBA

★ New listing

Energy & Commerce

225-2927

CLEAN AIR MARKUP

House Energy and Commerce Committee (Chmn Dingell, D-Mich) will continue to mark up legislation (HR 3030 - Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989) to amend the Clean Air Act to provide for the attainment and maintenance of the national ambient air quality standards, the control of toxic air pollutants, the prevention of acid deposition, and other improvements in the quality of the nation's air.

10am 2123 Rayburn March 27

Time TBA 2123 Rayburn Bldg March 28 & 29

ADDITIONAL FREQUENCIES

Telecommunications and Finance Subcommittee (Chmn Markey, D-Mass) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 2965) to make additional frequencies available for commercial assignment in order to promote the development and use of new telecommunications technologies.

9:30am 2322 Rayburn Bldg March 30

★ FETAL TISSUE

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Waxman, D-Calif) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on the administration's decision to extend the federal ban on National Institutes of Health-funded research involving fetal tissue.

9:45am Room TBA April 2

OIL RESERVES

Energy and Power Subcommittee (Chmn Sharp, D-Ind) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3193) to extend Title I of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act of 1975. The bill would give the president increased flexibility in using oil destined for, or contained in, the Strategic Petroleum Reserve to respond to oil shortages. It also would create regional reserves of fuel oil, diesel fuel, propane and other refined products to protect consumers from oil price increases or oil shortages.

Time and room TBA date TBA

PESTICIDE RESIDUES IN FOOD Subcommittee Markup

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Waxman, D-Calif) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will mark up legislation (HR 1725 - Food Safety Amendments) to regulate pesticide chemical residues in food.

Time & room TBA date TBA

BREAST & CERVICAL CANCER CONTROL & PREVENTION

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Waxman, D-Calif) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4222) to establish a pro-

gram of grants for the prevention and control of breast and cervical cancer.

10am Room TBA date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for March 19.

Foreign Affairs

225-5021

FOREIGN AID MARKUP

House Foreign Affairs Committee (Chmn Farnsworth, D-Ida) will mark up pending legislation.

10am & 1:30pm 2172 Rayburn Bldg March 27, 28 & 29

Agenda:

Draft legislation to authorize aid for Panama, Nicaragua and other countries

Fiscal 1991 foreign affairs authorization

★ STATE DEPT AUTHORIZATION

International Operations Subcommittee (Chmn Dymally, D-Calif) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will hold hearings on the fiscal 1991 authorization request for the State Department.

9am 2200 Rayburn Bldg March 27

3pm 2200 Rayburn Bldg March 28

Witness scheduled:

March 27: See "Committee Meetings Scheduled Today" section for witnesses

March 28: Ivan Selin - under secy of state for mgmt

Government Operations

225-5051

■ STATE TRUCKING REGULATION

Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Barnard, D-Ga) of House Government Operations Committee will hold an oversight hearing on the impact on consumers of state regulation of trucking.

9:30am 2247 Rayburn Bldg March 29

Witnesses scheduled: Jeffrey Shane - asst secy for policy & internatl affairs, Dept of Transportation; James Miller - chmn, Citizens for a Sound Economy; Fred Smith - chmn & ceo, Federal Express; Tony Burns - chmn & ceo, Ryder System; Con Hitchcock - rep, Public Citizen Litigation Grp; Thomas Donahue - pres & ceo, American Trucking Assn; Cas Robinson - commnr, Georgia Public Service Commn; Robert Moga - pres, Moga Transportation Co; Sprague Exley - vpres for distribution, Savannah Foods; John Kauffman - rep, Alliance of Consumers, Truckers & Shippers; Norm Langberg - rep, Georgia Pacific Corp

Intelligence

225-4121

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Program and Budget Authority Subcommittee (Chmn Beilenson, D-Calif) of House Intelligence Committee will continue hearings on the fiscal 1991 Intelligence Budget.

4pm H-405 Capitol Bldg closed March 27

9am H-405 Capitol Bldg closed March 28

■ Revised listing

House continued...**Interior & Insular Affairs**

225-2761

INTERIOR COMMITTEE BUSINESS**Full Committee Markup**

House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee (Chmn Udall, D-Ariz) will meet to consider pending business.

9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg March 28

Agenda:

- HR 1576 - to modify the boundary of the Cranberry Wilderness
- HR 3209 - to modify the boundaries of the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore
- HR 3248 - to revise the boundary of Gettysburg National Military Park
- HR 3545 - to make certain changes relating to the C & O Canal National Historical Park
- HR 3811 - to recognize the centennials of national parks and monuments

INDIAN MENTAL HEALTH DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM

House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee (Chmn Udall, D-Ariz) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1270) to provide an Indian mental health demonstration program.

9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg March 29

SCENIC RIVERS

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 761, HR 1673, HR 3823 and S 280) to make changes in the designations of scenic rivers.

10am room TBA March 29

■ ALASKA PIPELINE CORROSION

Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Miller, D-Calif) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing regarding pipeline corrosion and environmental issues related to the operation of the Alaska pipeline. 9:30am Room 2203 Rayburn March 29

INDIAN WATER RIGHTS

House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee (Chmn Udall, D-Ariz) will hold a hearing on proposed legislation (HR 4148) to authorize the secretary of the interior to acquire certain water rights for the settlement of Indian water rights claims in Arizona.

9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg March 30

○ NORTHERN SPOTTED OWL**Joint Hearing**

Forests, Family Farms and Energy Subcommittee (Chmn Volkmer, D-Mo) of House Agriculture Committee and the National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Committee will hold a joint hearing to review provisions of the fiscal 1990 Interior appropriations act designed to protect the northern spotted owl. The bill established timber sale levels and citizen advisory boards to review sales.

10am 1300 Longworth Bldg April 4

★ New listing

PARK & FOREST SERVICE PERSONNEL Joint Hearing

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee and Civil Service Subcommittee (Chmn Sikorski, D-Minn) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold a joint hearing on personnel issues in the National Park Service, the Forest Service and the Bureau of Land Management.

9am 311 Cannon Bldg April 5

Judiciary

225-3951

JUDICIARY CMTE MARKUP

House Judiciary Committee (Chmn Brooks, D-Texas) will mark up pending legislation.

10am 2141 Rayburn Bldg March 28

Agenda:

- HR 1620 - Amend provisions of U.S. Code relating to judicial discipline and establish a commn to study the problems and issues involved in the appointment and tenure - including discipline and removal - of article III judges
- HR 3406 - Amend US Code to provide for fed jurisdiction of certain multiparty, multiforum civil actions
- HR 2690 - Amend U.S. Code to provide certain rights of attribution and integrity to authors of works of visual art
- S 1485 - Grant the consent of Congress to the Quad Cities Interstate Metropolitan Authority compact entered into between Ill and Iowa
- HR 743 - Establish a framework for the conduct of negotiated rulemaking by fed agencies
- HR 2372 - Provide jurisdiction and procedures for claims for compassionate payments for injuries due to exposure to radiation from nuclear testing
- HR 3446 - Amend US Code to provide for a Shock Incarceration Program
- Private Claims Bills

■ IMMIGRATION REVISION Subcommittee Markup

Immigration, Refugees and International Law Subcommittee (Chmn Morrison, D-Conn) of House Judiciary Committee will mark up legislation (HR 4300) to revise the system for admitting immigrants to the United States.

1pm 2237 Rayburn Bldg March 28

10am 2257 Rayburn Bldg March 29

FBI AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

Civil and Constitutional Rights Subcommittee (Chmn Edwards, D-Calif) of House Judiciary Committee will continue oversight hearings on FBI affirmative action and equal employment opportunity programs.

9:30am B-352 Rayburn Bldg March 29

FREEDOM OF COMMUNICATION

Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice Subcommittee (Chmn Kastenmeier, D-Wis) of House Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 2689) to amend the Foreign Agents Registration Act to eliminate potential infringements on freedom of communication.

10:30am 2141 Rayburn Bldg March 29

CORRECTIONAL ALTERNATIVES

Crime Subcommittee (Chmn Hughes, D-NJ) of House Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4158) to authorize grants for state and local governments to provide alternatives to traditional modes of incarceration.

10am 2237 Rayburn Bldg March 29

CRIMINAL JUSTICE BUSINESS**Subcommittee Markup**

Criminal Justice Subcommittee (Chmn Schumer, D-NY) of House Judiciary Committee will mark up pending legislation.

10am 2322 Rayburn Bldg March 29

Agenda:

- HR 3641 - Amend the US Code with respect to environmental crime
- HR 3366 - Amend tax code to extend protections to attorneys in fed public defender organizations

Merchant Marine & Fisheries

225-4047

MARITIME CAPACITY/ NATIONAL SECURITY**Joint Hearing**

Merchant Marine Subcommittee (Chmn Jones, D-NC) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee and the Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Bennett, D-Fla) of House Armed Services Committee will hold a joint hearing on legislation (HR 2463) to increase the capacity of U.S. maritime industries to meet the national defense and ocean transportation needs of the United States.

2pm 2118 Rayburn Bldg March 29

TUNA LABELING/ MARINE MAMMAL PROTECTION

Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Studds, D-Mass) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 2926) to require that the method used to catch the fish be included on tuna product labels. The hearing also will review the implementation of the Marine Mammal Protection Act Amendments of 1988.

2pm 1334 Longworth Bldg April 3

CRUISE SHIP SAFETY

Merchant Marine Subcommittee (Chmn Jones, D-NC) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a hearing on cruise ship safety.

10am 1334 Longworth Bldg April 19

FY91 BUDGET COAST GUARD

Coast Guard and Navigation Subcommittee (Chmn Tauzin, D-La) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a hearing on the fiscal 1991 budget for the Coast Guard.

Time and Room TBA Longworth Bldg Date TBA

Witness scheduled: Adm Paul Yost Jr - commandant, US Coast Guard

■ Revised listing

House continued...**SHIPBUILDING TECHNOLOGY****Joint Hearing**

Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Foglietta, D-Pa) and Merchant Marine Subcommittee (Chmn Jones, D-NC) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a joint hearing on the state of U.S. and foreign shipbuilding technology.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Post Office & Civil Service

225-4054

FEDERAL PAY COMPARABILITY

Compensation and Employee Benefits Subcommittee (Chmn Ackerman, D-NY) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will continue hearings on legislation (HR 3979) to provide for greater flexibility in the procedures by which rates of pay for federal employees are adjusted in order to contribute to the effectiveness of the government's recruitment and retention efforts.

1:30pm 311 Cannon Bldg **March 28 & April 4**

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES & CONTRACTING OUT

Human Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Kanjorski, D-Pa) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4049) to protect federal employees from any adverse results that may stem from the contracting out of agency functions or activities to private firms.

11am 304 Cannon Bldg **April 3**
9:30am 304 Cannon Bldg **April 4**

CONTRACTING OUT IN NEW YORK

Postal Operations and Services Subcommittee (Chmn McCloskey, D-Ind.) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold an oversight hearing on the contracting out of services by the postal facility in Binghamton, N.Y.

10am 311 Cannon Bldg **April 4**

PARK & FOREST SERVICE PERSONNEL Joint Hearing

Civil Service Subcommittee (Chmn Sikorski, D-Minn) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee and National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a joint hearing on personnel issues facing employees of the Park Service, Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management.

9am 311 Cannon Bldg **April 5**

★ *New listing***Public Works & Transportation**

225-4472

INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAMS

House Public Works and Transportation Committee (Chmn Anderson, D-Calif) will hold a hearing on infrastructure programs under its jurisdiction.

10am 2167 Rayburn Bldg **March 29**

Witnesses scheduled: Reps Gephardt, D-Mo; Gingrich, R-Ga; Maj Gen Patrick Kelly - dir, Civil Works, Army Corps of Engineers; John Horsley - Rebuild America Coalition

Science, Space & Technology

225-6371

SUPERCONDUCTING SUPERCOLLIDER Full Committee Markup

House Science, Space and Technology Committee (Chmn Roe, D-NJ) will mark up draft legislation on the Superconducting Supercollider.

10am 2318 Rayburn Bldg **March 28**

ENERGY DEPT AUTHORIZATION

Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Scheuer, D-NY) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on the fiscal 1991 authorization for the Energy Department environment, safety and health programs and biological and environmental research.

1:30pm 2318 Rayburn Bldg **March 28**

TRANSPORTATION SUBCOMMITTEE Subcommittee Markup

Transportation, Aviation and Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Torricelli, D-NC) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will mark up pending legislation.

1:30pm 2325 Rayburn Bldg **March 28**

Agenda:

- HR 2793 - To establish a hydrogen research and development program
- HR 3555 - Authorizing research, development, and implementation of a management plan to improve communications with respect to aircraft accident prevention
- HR 4196 - FY91 National Aeronautics & Space Administration aeronautics authorization

SPACE STATION DESIGN ERRORS

House Science, Space and Technology Committee (Chmn Roe, D-NJ) will hold a hearing on design flaws in the Space Station.

1pm 2318 Rayburn Bldg **March 29**

SEMICONDUCTOR INDUSTRY

Science, Research and Technology Subcommittee (Chmn Valentine, D-NC) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on federal research policy for semiconductors and consumer electronics.

9:30am 2318 Rayburn Bldg **March 29**

EPA AUTHORIZATION

Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Scheuer, D-NY) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on the fiscal 1991 authorization for the Environmental Protection Agency.

9:30am 2318 Rayburn Bldg **April 5**

APPLIED SYSTEMS ANALYSIS

Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Scheuer, D-NY) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on U.S. participation in the International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis.

9:30am 2318 Rayburn Bldg **April 19**

METRIC IMPLEMENTATION

Science, Research and Technology Subcommittee (Chmn Valentine, D-NC) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on implementation of the metric system.

9:30am 2318 Rayburn Bldg **April 24**

Small Business

225-5821

★ **SMALL BUSINESS ISSUES**

House Small Business Committee (Chmn LaFalce, D-NY) will hold a hearing on a variety of small business issues.

10am 2359A Rayburn Bldg **March 29**

Agenda:

- 1) Small Business Administration fiscal 1991 budget.
- 2) Effects on payroll taxes.
- 3) Health care and insurance.

Veterans' Affairs

225-3527

VA HOME CARE PROGRAM

Oversight and Investigation Subcommittee (Chmn Evans, D-Ill) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the community nursing home care program of the Veterans Affairs Department.

9am 334 Cannon Bldg **March 28**

NATIONAL CEMETERY SYSTEM

Housing and Memorial Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Staggers, D-WVa) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the National Cemetery system.

9:30am 334 Cannon Bldg **March 29**

CANCER STUDY REVIEW

House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Montgomery, D-Miss) will hold a hearing on the Selected Cancers Study conducted by the Centers for Disease Control. The hearing will include discussion of scientific reviews of the study.

9am 334 Cannon Bldg **April 4**

■ *Revised listing*

House continued...**VETERANS' LEGISLATIVE AGENDA
Joint Hearings**

House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Montgomery, D-Miss) and Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) will hold joint hearings to receive the legislative agendas of veterans' groups.

9am 216 Hart Bldg April 18

Agenda: Vietnam Veterans of America, AMVETS and the Non-Commissioned Officers Assn

VETERANS' COMPENSATION

Compensation, Pension and Insurance Subcommittee (Chmn Applegate, D-Ohio) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on compensation cost-of-living-adjustments (COLA) and other initiatives.

9am 334 Cannon Bldg April 19

LABOR PROGRAMS FOR VETERANS

Education, Training and Employment Subcommittee (Chmn Penny, D-Minn) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on Labor Department programs for veterans.

1:30pm 334 Cannon Bldg April 25

VA LOAN PROGRAMS

Housing and Memorial Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Staggers, D-WVa) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the home loan guaranty program of the Veterans Affairs Department.

9:30am 334 Cannon Bldg April 26

Ways & Means

225-3625

WAYS & MEANS MARKUP

House Ways and Means Committee (Chmn Rostenkowski, D-Ill) will mark up pending legislation.

10:30am 1100 Longworth Bldg March 28

HR 3469 - Prevent newly established fed agencies from increasing the natl debt through unauthorized borrowing

HR 1154 - Assault Weapon Importation Control Act

MEDICARE PHYSICIAN PAYMENTS

Health Subcommittee (Chmn Stark, D-Calif) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on fiscal 1991 budget issues relating to physician payments under part B of the Medicare program.

10am 1100 Longworth Bldg March 29

**IMPACT OF CRACK ON
CHILD WELFARE SYSTEM
Field Hearing**

Human Resources Subcommittee (Acting Chmn Downey, D-NY) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a field hearing on the impact of crack cocaine on the child welfare system.

11am, Children's Hospital Auditorium, 111 Michigan Ave NE April 3

★ New listing

MEDICARE HOSPITAL PAYMENTS

Health Subcommittee (Chmn Stark, D-Calif) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on payments to inner-city and rural hospitals under Part A of the Medicare program.

10am 1100 Longworth Bldg April 4

**CHILD WELFARE, FOSTER
& ADOPTION PROGRAMS**

Human Resources Subcommittee (Acting Chmn Downey, D-NY) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold hearings on federally funded child welfare, foster care and adoption assistance programs.

10am B-318 Rayburn Bldg April 4 & 5

**SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS
FOR WIDOWS AND SPOUSES**

Social Security Subcommittee (Chmn Jacobs, D-Ind) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on ways to improve the adequacy of Social Security benefits for disabled widows, divorced spouses and certain unmarried women.

10am 1100 Longworth Bldg April 5

**★ SOCIAL SECURITY TAX ON
DEFERRED COMPENSATION**

Social Security Subcommittee (Chmn Jacobs, D-Ind) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on Social Security tax treatment of non-qualified deferred compensation.

1:30pm 1100 Longworth Bldg April 5

TRADE ISSUES

House Ways and Means Committee (Chmn Rostenkowski, D-Ill) will continue hearings on Europe 1992, U.S. trade relationships with the Soviet Union and foreign investment in the United States.

10am (tentative) & 2pm 1100 Longworth Bldg April 19

Witnesses scheduled:

April 19: (10am): James Baker - secy of state;
Nicholas Brady - secy of Treasury

DRUG WAR BONDS

House Ways and Means Committee (Chmn Rostenkowski, D-Ill) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 2972) to direct the secretary of the Treasury to issue "Drug War Bonds."

9:30am 1100 Longworth Bldg April 24

ESTATE VALUATION FREEZES

House Ways and Means Committee (Chmn Rostenkowski, D-Ill) will hold a hearing on a "discussion draft" to modify section 2036(c) of the Internal Revenue Code relating to estate valuation freezes.

10am 1100 Longworth Bldg April 24

Note

The offices of all members of Congress and all congressional committees and subcommittees may be reached by calling (202) 224-3121.

Conference Committees**NASA AUTHORIZATION**

Conferees will meet on legislation to reauthorize the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) (HR 3729).

Time & room TBA date TBA

House conferees: Roe, Nelson of Fla, Valentine, Brown of Calif, Lloyd, Glickman, Volkmer, Mineta, Torricelli, Nagle, Walker, Sensenbrenner, Lewis of Fla, Buechner, Packard, Slaughter of Va & Rohrabacher

Senate conferees: TBA

HR 3729 passed House Nov 20 1989

HR 3729 passed Senate, amended, Nov 22, 1989

House disagreed to the Senate amendment, requested a conference and named conferees Feb 28, 1990

AMTRAK AUTHORIZATION

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 2364) to authorize appropriations for the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak).

Time & room TBA Date TBA

House conferees: From the Energy & Commerce Committee: Dingell, Thomas Luken, Eckart, Slattery, Boucher, Lent, Whittaker, Tauke (except for section 4 of the House bill and section 4 of the Senate amendment), Bliley (solely for section 4 of the House bill and section 4 of the Senate amendment)

Additional conferees from the Judiciary Committee

(solely for section 4 of the House bill and section 4 of the Senate amendment): Brooks, Mazzoli, Edwards of Calif, Fish and Moorhead

Senate conferees: Hollings, Exon, Bryan, Robb, Danforth, Pressler & Kasten

HR 2364 reported House Energy and Commerce Committee Aug 1, 1989 (H Rpt 101-207)

HR 2364 passed House, amended, Sept 25, 1989

HR 2364 discharged by Senate Energy and Commerce Committee Nov 21, 1989

HR 2364 passed Senate (amended to contain text of S 462) Nov 21, 1989

Senate insisted on its amendment and requested a conference Nov 21, 1989

House agreed to a conference and appointed conferees Jan 24, 1990

TELEVISION VIOLENCE

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 593) to exempt certain activities of television networks relating to regulation of portrayal of violence in programming from provisions of the antitrust laws (S 593)

Time & room TBA date TBA

S 593 reported by Senate Judiciary Committee March 15, 1989

S 593 passed Senate May 31, 1989

S 593 passed House, amended, Aug 1, 1989

Senate concurred in the House amendment with an amendment Nov 17, 1989

House insisted on its amendment and requested a conference Nov 21, 1989

■ Revised listing

Conference continued...

OIL-SPILL COMPENSATION

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 1465) to establish limits on liability for damages resulting from oil pollution and to establish a fund to pay compensation for such damages.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: From Environment and Public Works Committee: Burdick, Moynihan, Mitchell, Baucus, Lautenberg, Breaux, Chafee, Durenberger, Warner, Jeffords, Humphrey
From Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee: Hollings, Inouye, Kerry, Breaux, Danforth, Packwood, Stevens

House conferees:

From the Merchant Marine Committee, for consideration of the House bill (except title VIII), and the Senate amendment (except sections 601 and 602), and modifications committed to conference: Jones of NC, Studds, Tauzin, Carper, Hughes, Davis, Young of Alaska, Lent (Shumway is appointed in place of Young of Alaska for consideration of title I and section 2004 of the House bill and title I and section 405 of the Senate amendment) From the Public Works Committee, for consideration of the House bill (except title VIII), and the Senate amendment (except sections 601 and 602), and modifications committed to conference: Anderson, Roe, Mineta, Oberstar, Nowak, Hammerschmidt, Shuster, Stangeland (Kolter is appointed in place of Anderson for consideration of section 4114 of the House bill; Rahall is appointed in place of Roe for consideration of title VII of the House bill, and sections 205, 309, 354, and 356 of the Senate amendment; Laughlin is appointed in place of Roe for consideration of sections 1002 and 1004 of the House bill, and corresponding sections of section 102 of the Senate amendment; Borski is represented in place of Roe for consideration of sections 4101 through 4205 of the House bill, and corresponding portions of the Senate amendment; and, Upton is appointed in place of Shuster for consideration of section 4203 of the House bill and section 203 of the Senate amendment.

From the Foreign Affairs Committee, for consideration of sections 603 and 604 of the House bill, and sections 603 and 604 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Fascell, Yatron, Owens of Utah, Lantos, Feighan, Broomfield, Bereuter, Miller of Wash

From the Science & Technology Committee, for consideration of title VII of the House bill, and sections 205, 309, 354, 356, and 506 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Scheuer, Brown of Calif, Lloyd, Walgren, Walker, Schneider, Morrison of Wash

From the Interior Committee, for consideration of title I and section 2004 of the House bill, and title I and section 405 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Udall, Miller of Calif, Sharp, Young of Alaska, Craig

From the Interior Committee, for consideration of title VIII and section 2004 of the House bill, and sections 601 and 602 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Udall, Miller of Calif, Sharp, Vento, DeFazio, Young of Alaska, Marlenee, Craig

From the Energy & Commerce Committee, for consideration of sections 8103, 8201, and 8202 of the House bill, and section 601 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Dingell, Hall of Texas, Lent.

From the Merchant Marine Committee, for consideration of title VIII of the House bill and sections 601 and 602 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Jones of NC, Tauzin, Carper, Davis, Fields

From the Merchant Marine Committee, for consideration of title VIII of the House bill, and sections 601 and 602 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Anderson, Mineta, Nowak, Hammerschmidt, Stangeland

HR 1465 reported by House Public Works Committee Sept 18, 1989 (H Rpt 101-242, pt I)

HR 1465 reported by House Merchant Marine Committee Sept 18, 1989 (H Rpt 101-242, pt II)

HR 1465 reported by House Science Committee Sept 20, 1989 (H Rpt 101-242, pt III)

Supplemental report filed by House Public Works Committee Oct 3, 1989 (H Rpt 101-242, pt IV)

Supplemental report filed by House Merchant Marine Committee Oct 4, 1989 (H Rpt 101-242, pt V)

HR 1465 passed House, amended, Nov 9, 1989

S 686 reported by Senate Environment Committee July 28, 1989 (S Rpt 101-94)

S 686 passed Senate Aug 4, 1989

Senate amended HR 1465 to contain the text of S 686 Nov 19, 1989

Senate insisted on its amendments and requested a conference Nov 19, 1989

House agreed to a conference Feb 7, 1990

DRUG PROGRAMS AUTHORIZATION

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 1735/HR 3630, HR 3550) to authorize drug

control programs.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Hollings, Inouye, Biden, Sarbanes, Hatch, Coats, Danforth, Wilson, Helms, Gramm

House conferees:

For HR 3630: Dingell, Waxman, Scheuer, Lent, Madigan

For HR 3550 from the Judiciary Committee: Hughes, Mazzoli, Feighan, McCollum, Gekas

For HR 3550 for the Energy & Commerce Cmte: Dingell, Waxman, Lent

S 1735 passed Senate Oct 5, 1989

HR 3614, HR 3630, HR 3550, HR 3611 passed House Nov 13, 1989

By unanimous consent the Senate agreed that when the House bills were received by the Senate, all after the enacting clause was stricken, the text of S 1735 was substituted, the bills were deemed as passed and the Senate insisted on its amendments and requested a conference.

HR 3614 and HR 3611 passed the House and Senate Nov 21

HR 3611 signed by the president Dec 13 (PL 101-231)

HR 3614 signed by the president Dec 12 (PL 101-226)

HR 3630 and HR 3550 remain in conference

Other Events

The Monitor has received notice of the following events scheduled to take place in Washington. Associations, non-profit organizations and public interest groups who wish to have events listed in the section should send pertinent information to: The Congressional Monitor, Other Events Editor, 1414 22nd St. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037. Notices must include a telephone number. Notices may be transmitted by facsimile to 728-1862, attn: Robert Healy. Only events related to Congress can be listed. Deadline is Noon. For further information call (202) 887-8686.

ICBM & ARMS CONTROL

Institute for Foreign Policy Analysis will sponsor a series of breakfast meetings for members of Congress and congressional staff working on defense related issues. The sessions will focus on various aspects of ICBM modernization and arms control.

8am to 9am Capitol Hill Club **March 27, 29, April 4, 19, 26, May 1, 8, 17, 22, June 5, 6 & 7**

Contact: Peter Huessy at 463-7942

Agenda:

March 27: The Military and Strategic Rationale for ICBMs: Enhanced Survivability with MXRG and SICBM - Gen John Chain

April 4: The Rush to Disarm: Maintaining Strategic Deterrence in a Changing Era - Rep Dickinson, R-Ala

April 19: Midgetman and START - Rep Mavroules, D-Mass

April 26: The Scowcroft Commission Revisited: Seeking Reduction of Nuclear Weapons in a Changing World - Gen Brent Scowcroft

May 1: The Road to Better Deterrence: START and Enhanced Survivability of U.S. Strategic Forces - Rep Dicks, D-Wash

May 8: Strategic Offense and Defense: What is a Stable Transition? - Rep Kyl, R-Ariz

May 17: Negotiating Nuclear Weapons Limits with the Soviets: Realities of the Post Berlin Wall Era - Max Kampelman

May 22: The Role of SICBM in START and Beyond - Rep McCurdy, D-Okla

June 5: Midgetman: Insuring Survival in a New Deterrent Framework - Sen Cohen, R-Maine

June 6: START: Can We Afford Complacency? - Richard Burt

June 7: The Twin Races to Disarm and Negotiate: What Path Toward Prudence and Enhanced Strategic Stability? - Sen Nunn, D-Ga

Date TBA: The Emerging Strategic Framework - Rep Aspin, D-Wis

CLEAN AIR

National Association of Manufacturers will sponsor an issues briefing breakfast on issues relating to clean-air legislation now in Congress. The speaker will be Sen Nickles, R-Okla. 8am to 9:30pm Capital Hilton Hotel **March 28**

Contact: 637-3115

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$30 for members and \$40 for non-members. For reservations and information call 637-3115.

PENSION PLAN CHANGES

Industrial Relations Task Force of Women in Government Relations will sponsor a breakfast panel discussion on the Visclosky amendment, which would require all single-employer pension plan assets to be held in trust by a joint board of trustees that would include employee representatives.

8am to 10am, The Business Roundtable, 1615 L St NW, Suite 1350 **March 28**

Contact: Martha Hamby at 828-7121

Participants: Reps Visclosky, D-Ind, and Roukema, R-NJ

Jon Breyfogle - Labor Dept; Janice Gregory - ERISA Industry Cmte; Meredith Miller - AFL-CIO

Other continued...

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$15 for members and \$25 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to WGR, to:
 Ana Ossí Rasmussen
 American Insurance Assn
 1130 Connecticut Ave NW
 Suite 1000
 Washington, DC 20036

INTERNATIONAL DEBT

Washington International Trade Association will sponsor a luncheon meeting with International Monetary Fund Deputy Managing Director Richard Erb, who will discuss the international debt situation.

Noon to 2pm La Fonda Restaurant, 1639 R St NW March 29

Contact: 293-4193

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$25 for members in advance and \$30 for members at the door and non-members. For reservations send a check to:

Washington Internatl Trade Assn
 Suite 800
 1899 L St NW

Washington, DC 20036

Deadline for reservations is March 27

TAX & BUDGET IMPACT ON STATE & LOCAL GOVTS

Budget and Tax Task Force of Women in Government Relations will sponsor a breakfast discussion on the implications of federal tax and budget policies on state and local governments.

8:30am to 10am, 311 Cannon Bldg March 30

Contact: Kimberley Parker at 842-4210

Participants: James Martin - legis counsel, Natl Govs' Assn; Iris Lav - asst dir for public policy, AFSCME; Chris Zimmerman - staff assoc, Natl Conf of State Legislatures; Haron Battle - legis rep, Natl Assn of Counties

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$20 for members and \$30 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to WGR, to:

Kimberley Parker
 American Postal Workers
 1300 L St NW
 Washington, DC 20005

UNDERSTANDING CONGRESS

Congressional Quarterly will sponsor a seminar on "Understanding Congress."

8:30am to 1pm, Quality Hotel Capitol Hill April 3

Note: There is a charge of \$195 for this event. For information and registration call Irene Cuffy at 887-8620.

INTERNATIONAL TRADE

National Association of Manufacturers will sponsor an issues briefing on the international trade agenda, including the Uruguay round of GATT, super 301 negotiations and the structural impediments initiative talks with Japan. The speaker is U.S. Trade Representative Carla Hills.

8:30am Capitol Hilton Hotel April 4

Contact: 637-3115

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$30 for members and \$40 for non-members. For reservations and information call 637-3115.

★ New listing

RESEARCH WORKSHOP ON CONGRESS

Congressional Quarterly will sponsor a research workshop on Congress.

8:30am to 4pm, Congressional Quarterly, 1414 22nd St NW April 4, May 1

Note: The session scheduled for March 27 has been canceled

There is a charge of \$195 for this event. For information and registration call Irene Cuffy at 887-8620.

TRADE IN SERVICES & GATT TALKS

Coalition of Service Industries will sponsor a seminar for trade association executives on "Service Industries and the Uruguay Round Trade Negotiations."

8am to 2:30pm. Sheraton Carlton Hotel, 16th & K Sts NW April 4

Contact: 467-3043

Note: There is a charge of \$25 for this event. For reservations send a check to:
 Coalition of Service Industries
 2001 M St NW - 4th Flr
 Washington, DC 20026

PEACE IN MIDDLE EAST

Research Institute of the American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee will sponsor a panel discussion on "Time for Peace in the Middle East."

Noon SR-325 Russell Bldg April 4

Contact: Bill Kaplan at 525-2540

Participants: Sen Jeffords, R-Vt; Rita Hauser - US chmn, Internatl Ctr for Peace in the Middle East; Rashid Khalidi - asoc dir, Ctr Middle Eastern Studies, Univ of Chicago; Lewis Lapham - ed, *Harper's Magazine*; Michael Sterner - former US dpty asst secy of state

Note: Reservations are required, call 525-2540.

HEALTH ISSUES FORUM

American Group Practice Association will sponsor a forum on congressional and regulatory health issues.

8am Hyatt Regency Capitol Hill April 5 & 6

Contact: Brent Miller at (703) 838-0033

Agenda (partial):

April 5:

8am: Keynote: Sen Rockefeller, D-WVa

9am: Physician self-referral legis: Rep Stark, D-Calif

10:15am: Multi-specialty practices response to reform

2pm: Physician practice guidelines

Alec Bouxsein - counsel, House Energy Health & Environment Subcmte; Jarrett Clinton - dir, Agency of Health Care Policy Research

3:30pm: Professional liability reform

Rep Johnson, R-Conn; Edwin Froelich, MD

April 6:

8:30am: Survival strategies for rural providers

Rep Tauke, R-Iowa; Frederick Wenzel - admin, Marshfield Clinic

9:30am: Managed care reform legis

Rep Waxman, D-Calif

10:30am: Regulatory update: Antitrust issues and "safe harbor" regulations

Noon: Goals of Health Care Financing Admin: Gail Wilensky - adminr, HCFA

2pm: Prospects of comprehensive change in U.S. health care system

Lesley Russell - House Energy & Commerce Cmte prof staffer; Chip Kahn - House Ways & Means Cmte minority prof staffer; David Nexon - Senate Labor & Human Resources Cmte staff dir; Marina Weiss - Senate Finance Cmte chief analyst for health & human resources

3:30pm: Recent developments in laboratory rules

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$425 for members and \$450 for non-members. For more information contact Brent Miller at (703) 838-0033

DEFENSE QUALITY MANAGEMENT

Women in Defense will hold a meeting to hear Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Total Quality Management Laurie Broedling discuss implementation of a total management quality system within industry and the governments role in promoting TQM.

11:30am (reception), 12:15pm (lunch), 1pm (speech), Army-Navy Country Club, Arlington, Va April 5

Contact: Gerri Chido at 883-0700

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$25 for members and \$30 for non-members.

CFC/OZONE REGULATIONS

Environmental Task Force of Women in Government Relations will sponsor a breakfast meeting to discuss pending CFC/ozone regulations and ongoing activities on the eve of Earth Day 1990.

8:30am to 10am, BellCorp, 2102 L St NW April 10

Contact: Karil Kockenderfer at 659-0330

Participants: Steve Anderson - Global Change Div, EPA; reps of Friends of the Earth, Sierra Club, other environmental grps.

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$20 for members and \$25 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to Women in Government Relations, to:

Cryslle Martin
 Mobil Corp
 1100 Connecticut Ave NW
 Suite 620
 Washington, DC 200036

Deadline for reservations is April 3

U.S.-SOVIET GOALS IN ASIA-PACIFIC REGION

Asian Studies Center of the Heritage Foundation will sponsor a seminar on "U.S.-Soviet Goals in the Asia-Pacific Region: Coincidence or Confrontation?"

9:30am to Noon, Lehrman Auditorium, 214 Mass Ave NE April 12

Contact: Danielle Doane at 546-4400, ext 381

Participants:

Robert Manning - special adviser to the asst secy of state for East Asian and Pacific affs

PANEL: Leon Aron - Salvatori Fellow in Soviet studies, Heritage Foundation; Yevgeniy Afanasyev - counselor for Asian affs, Soviet Embassy; Aleksandr Churilin - counselor for political-military affs, Soviet Embassy; Dalton West - dir, World Technology Foundation; Roger Brooks - dir, Asian Studies Ctr

EAST EUROPEAN BUSINESS PROSPECTS

American Foreign Service Association and the Atlantic Council will sponsor a symposium on business prospects in Eastern Europe.

9am April 18

Contact: Brian Hennessey at 338-4045

Agenda:

9:05am: Robert Barry - special adviser on east european assistance to dpty secy of state

9:30am: Rozanne Ridgway - pres, Atlantic Council

10am: What Opportunities Exist? How to Repatriate Profits?

Paul Volker - Czechoslovak Advisory Cmte; Madeline Albright - Ctr for Natl Policy; Jeffrey Sachs

■ Revised listing

Other continued...

Joint Committees

- Harvard Univ; Nick Ward - vpres for internat affairs, Marriott; Alice Amsden - New School for Social Research & MIT

11:40am: How U.S. Govt & Embassies Can Help?

Henry Owen - exec cmte, Bretton Woods Cmte; Richard Leshner - US Chamber of Commerce; Francis Meehan - former amb to German Democratic Republic, Poland and Czechoslovakia; Susan Blackman - dir, East Europe Business Ctr, Commerce Dept; Ralph Johnson - dpty asst secy of state for European affairs

1pm: Lunch - Rep Gephardt, D-Mo

Note: There is a \$200 charge for this event. For information and reservations call Brian Hennessey at 338-4045.

■ QUALITY OF FEDERAL STATISTICS

Joint Economic Committee (Chmn Hamilton, D-Ind) will continue hearings on proposals to improve the quality of federal economic statistics, focusing on assessments made by users. Testimony will include recommendations by the White House Working Group on Federal Statistics and discussion of other initiatives that might be taken.

10am 1334 Longworth Bldg March 29

Witnesses scheduled: Sar Levitan - dir, Ctr for Social Policy Studies, GWU; Joel Popkin - pres, Joel Popkin & Co; James Smith - pres, Natl Assn of Business Economists

How the Budget Process Works

The arrival of President Bush's fiscal 1991 budget on Capitol Hill Jan. 29 kicked off the annual budget process in Congress.

Bush's budget will not become law; it is an outline of administration fiscal policies. Congress will follow by drafting its own budget resolution, which will initiate a process in which money is authorized and appropriated for the various government agencies and other steps are taken in an effort to comply with annual deficit targets.

Budget Terms

The budget is presented in terms of budget authority and outlays. **Budget authority** refers to the amount of money that a government program may obligate. Congress provides budget authority through appropriations bills. For many accounts — salaries and expenses in particular — budget authority roughly equals what is spent for a program in a given year. But for some — shipbuilding for the Navy, for example — budget authority is held over from year to year to accommodate lags in construction.

Outlays are the amount that a program is actually expected to spend during the fiscal year. Outlay totals include net lending, the difference between what the government lends and what borrowers repay. Congress determines outlays only indirectly — through the amount of budget authority it provides.

The budget covers discretionary and mandatory expenditures. **Discretionary** funds are appropriated by Congress each year. **Mandatory** spending is for entitlement programs, such as Social Security, activities financed through trust funds and certain other programs.

An **entitlement** is a program that by law must provide specified benefits to all eligible people who seek them. Some, such as Social Security and interest on the national debt, are permanently authorized and not subject to annual appropriation. Others, such as farm price and income supports, require routine reauthorization and annual appropriation.

The budget includes **revenues** from taxes and other sources such as user fees and sales of federal assets. It also includes **offsetting receipts** — such as user fees that are used to offset spending in specific categories and general receipts that simply go into the Treasury.

The **deficit** is the difference between outlays and receipts.

The Next Steps

After receiving the president's budget, Congress writes a **budget resolution**. This is a congressional spending plan; it does not go to the president for his signature. The House and Senate Budget committees draft separate versions, bring them to their respective chambers for approval, settle any differences in conference and return the final version to both chambers for approval.

The resolution sets a binding deficit target and totals for spending in 20 government functions and for revenues. Binding limits on appropriations bills are derived from those totals.

The budget resolution can also instruct specific committees to increase revenue and reduce spending in programs not subject to annual appropriations. The changes are achieved through a deficit-reduction or **reconciliation bill**.

As part of the process, Congress passes **authorization** bills, which set the maximum amount that may be spent for individual discretionary programs, as well as setting program goals. For entitlement programs, an authorization sets or changes eligibility standards and required benefits.

An **appropriations** bill actually funds programs within limits established by authorizations. Appropriations usually cover one fiscal year, but they may also run for a specified or an indefinite number of years.

Deficit Reduction

The 1985 **Gramm-Rudman** law, as revised in 1987, sets annual limits for the federal deficit. In fiscal 1991, the limit is \$64 billion, plus a \$10 billion margin of error. Shortly after the start of the fiscal year on Oct. 1, the Office of Management and Budget must determine whether the budget deficit will meet the limit.

If the deficit exceeds \$74 billion, the law requires automatic spending cuts, known as a **sequester**. The permanent cuts would be imposed on Oct. 15, if no alternative were enacted by that time. The sequester would then have to bring the deficit down to \$64 billion.

Only about one-fourth of the budget is subject to the across-the-board cuts. Social Security, interest on the national debt, government pensions and a few programs for the poor are exempt, as is spending under some contracts. Other programs, such as Medicare, are subject to very limited cuts. The sequester is evenly divided between the remaining domestic and defense programs.

Status of Appropriations

Week of March 26

FULL COMMITTEE

House: 225-2771; Senate: 224-3471

FY90 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS:

AGRICULTURE

House: 225-2638; Senate: 224-7240

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27, 28 & 29
Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: March 30

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE, & THE JUDICIARY

House: 225-3351; Senate: 224-7277

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 28 & 29
Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: March 29

DEFENSE

House: 225-2847; Senate: 224-7255

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27, 28 & 29
Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27 & 29

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

House: 225-5338; Senate: 224-7236

ENERGY & WATER DEVELOPMENT

House: 225-3421; Senate: 224-7260

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27, 28 & 29
Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27, 28 & 29

FOREIGN OPERATIONS

House: 225-2041; Senate: 224-7209

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27 & 29

INTERIOR

House: 225-3081; Senate: 224-7233

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 227, 28 & 29
Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27

LABOR/HHS/EDUC

House: 225-3508; Senate: 224-7283

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27, 28 & 29
Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27, 28 & 29

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

House: 225-5338; Senate: 224-7338

Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: March 30

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

House: 225-3047; Senate: 224-7255

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 28 & 28

TRANSPORTATION

House: 225-2141; Senate: 224-7245

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 28
Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: March 29

TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE

House: 225-5834; Senate: 224-6280

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27, 28 & 29
Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: March 28

VA, HUD & INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

House: 225-3241; Senate: 224-7211

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27 & 28
Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: March 27 & 29

House Floor Action

Week of March 26

Monday, March 26:

No legislative business scheduled

Tuesday, March 27:

Convenes at 9am

HR 3847 Establish a Department of Environmental Protection

Under suspension of the rules

HR 4328 Authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1991 and 1992 for the customs and trade agencies begin consideration begin consideration

HR 2209 Enable producers of soybeans to develop, finance, and carry out a nationally coordinated prgm for soybean promotion, research, and consumer information begin consideration

HR 3386 Prohibit the use of refrigerated motor vehicles for the transportation of solid waste, prohibit the use of cargo tanks in providing vehicle transportation of food and hazardous materials begin consideration

HR 908 Provide for 5-yr staggered terms for members of the Fed Energy Regulatory Commn begin consideration

S Con Res 98 Authorize a public event with music for Earth Day 1990 on the US Capitol Grounds begin

H J Res 471 consideration
Make technical changes and correct enrollment errors in the departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1990, and to make technical changes in the Foreign Relations Authorizations Act, fiscal years 1990 and 1991 begin consideration

Note: There will be a joint meeting with the Senate at 10am to commemorate the centennial of the birth of Dwight Eisenhower

Wednesday, March 28 &

Thursday, March 29:

Convenes at Noon on Wednesday

Convenes at 11am on Thursday

HR 3 Child Development and Education Act begin consideration

HR 1463 National Capital Transportation Amendments begin consideration

HR 644 Amend Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating segments of the East Fork of Jemez and Pecos rivers in NM as components of the Natl Wild and Scenic Rivers System begin consideration

Friday, March 30:

Not in session

Senate Floor Action

Week of March 26

Monday, March 26:

S 1630 Air Restoration and Standards Attainment Act of 1989 continued consideration

Tuesday, March 27 &

Balance of the Week:

S 1630 Air Restoration and Standards Attainment Act of 1989 continue consideration

Possibilities after completion of S 1630 include:

Pending drug/crime control legislation

S 1109 Vocational Education Act reauthorization

Note: There will be a joint meeting with the House at 10am on Tuesday to commemorate the centennial of the birth of Dwight Eisenhower

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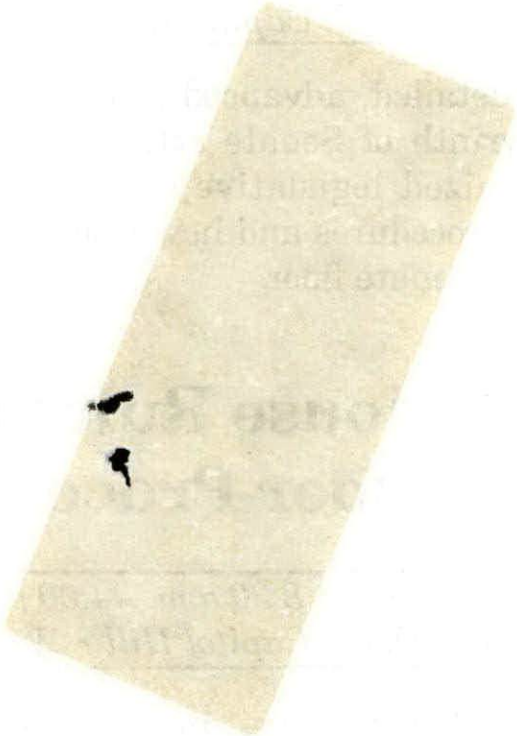
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THE WHITE HOUSE
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12 noon
Wednesday 3/28

PHONE CALL FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: JOHNNY MORRIS

RETURNING THE PRESIDENT'S CALL OF
YESTERDAY

601-279-4261 (today)
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Tuesday, March 27, 1990

1. Phone Call - Secretary James A. Baker
2. Drop-by meeting of the African Dev. Bank Roundtable
3. Meeting w/ Terri Lacy & Mrs. Bush
Houston Papers Signed
4. Photo w/ International Trans-Antarctica Expedition Team
5. Luncheon honoring Dwight D. Eisenhower Centennial
6. Meeting with President Carter
7. NRSC Senatorial Trust Reception (State Floor)
8. NRSC Chairman's Club Reception (EOB)
9. Chetverikov Press Conference
10. *Netherland phone call*

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE:

3/29/90

FROM THE PRESIDENT

TO:

John S..

Re: Ethics.

So far we have doen very well in
few conflict of interests... we are
"clean" as an admin.

How about some way to call on our
Cabinet to re-double our wefforts to]
guarantee against all conflicts of interest
by their people...

discuss.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE: 3-27-90

FROM THE PRESIDENT

To: John S

Re: Phone call Mitchell
asked me to make.

Would it be good to have
Dole tell Mitchell that I
called Boshwitz, Symms, and
Kasten....

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LUNCHEON (EISENHOWER) TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1990 - 11:45 AM
VISITORS ENTRANCE

TABLE 10

THE PRESIDENT

Mr. John S. D. Eisenhower
Mr. James D. Robinson III
General Andrew J. Goodpaster
Senator Nancy Landon Kassebaum
Dr. Malcolm R. Currie (Chairman & CEO, Hughes Aircraft)
Hon. Michael Mansfield
Hon. Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr.
Mr. Arnold Palmer
Lady Jennifer Acland

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MRS. BUSH

Mr. D. David Eisenhower II
Mr. Walter Cronkite
Dr. Don W. Wilson
Mrs. Jane S. Gosden
Mr. William P. Rogers
The Speaker
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Bruley, Mr. J. J.
Burger, Chief Justice Warren E.
Byrd, ~~Sen. Robert C.~~
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*Eisenhower, Ms. Susan & Dr. Roald Sagdeev
Elson, Rev. & Mrs Edward L. R. (Helen)
Emerson, Rep. William
Exon, Sen. James

Farris, Hon. Robert
Fenster, Mr. Milton
Fitzwater, Hon. Marlin
*Flottl, Mr. Wolfgang
Foley, Speaker Thomas S.
Freeman, Mr. Harry
Friend, Dr. Theodore

Gelb, Hon. Bruce S.
Goldstein, Mr. Irving
Goodling, Rep. William
Goodpaster, General Andrew J.
Gore, Hon. Louise
Gosden, Hon. Jame S.
Gray, Hon. Robert K.

Harr, Hon. Karl G., Jr.
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Heflin, Sen. Howell
Heinz, Sen. John
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Wilson Dr. Don W.
Wolf Mr. Charles W.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE:

3/29

FROM THE PRESIDENT

To:

John S/Brent/Marlin

Squib in paper about
BPB going to Costa Rica
had an anti D.Q. spin..

We should make clear that he was
not tapped because he has been
doing so much travel.....
Because John S has family and
close ties there... and because
Jeb is close personal friend
to New Prez's family-- ditto
for Columba...and ne w pres' wife.

Mrs. Bush's In

By Donnie Radcliffe
Washington Post Staff Writer**T**he message here may be democracy not dolls.

In any case, First Lady Barbara Bush, not Vice President Dan Quayle, will head the U.S. delegation to the inauguration in Costa Rica of President-elect Rafael Calderon on May 8.

The White House confirmed yesterday that Mrs. Bush will represent the president and that going with her will be White House Chief of Staff John Sununu and the Bushes' son John Ellis (Jeb) Bush.

President Bush and Calderon discussed the inauguration at a private meeting at the White House last week. According to Calderon, the session came "almost 50 years to the day" that his father, himself president-elect, met President Franklin Roosevelt.

Mrs. Bush's participation—the first time her husband has sent her abroad in a solo diplomatic role—"is a reflection of the high attention the administration places on the development of democracy in the region," said an administration official. "Normally, it would be Vice President Quayle, but on this one, due to the role of Costa Rica and the lead it has taken in democracy in the region, it seemed more appropriate for Mrs. Bush to go."

In New York, where he spoke with reporters, Calderon, 40, said Costa Rica, as Latin America's oldest democracy, is a critical role model for fledgling democracies in the region.

"If we fail, the new democracies won't believe in our system. And it's very important that they continue to believe. And President Bush offered his support," said Calderon, who defeated Carlos Manuel Castillo, the candidate of President Oscar Arias's National Liberation Party, in the Feb. 4 election.

Quayle, who bought an obscene—albeit gag—doll in Chile where he led a U.S. delegation to the inauguration of Chile's new



Mrs. Bush, accepting broccoli from growers' representative and saying "I will never eat pork rinds."

president earlier this month, drew few guffaws from the Bush administration reading about it back in Washington.

A spokesman said yesterday that he doubted the vice president is bothered by the choice of Mrs. Bush over him. "He's already made five trips to this part of the world. There's a limit to how many you can go to," said David Beckwith, Quayle's press secretary.

He's not off the hook yet, however. He's scheduled to lead the U.S. delegation to Nicaragua later this month when President-elect Violeta Chamorro is sworn in as President Daniel Ortega's successor.

In what sounded like the last word on Bush à la broccoli, Barbara Bush laid it on the line to the industry yesterday.

"I'm going to tell you the honest truth," she said during a brief presentation on the

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE: 3-27-90

FROM THE PRESIDENT

To: John S

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CNN REPORT ON WHITE HOUSE REACTION TO LITHUANIA SITUATION

CNN's Frank Sesno [10:05 a.m.]: ... Officials want to be very, very careful that none of their statements do anything to inflame the situation in Lithuania. So a senior administration official here today says that the official U.S. reaction to these latest developments in Lithuania will be a low-decibel approach. It is expected that White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater, who is to brief in about an hour from now, will repeat statements that he has uttered over the last several days indicating that any increase of tensions between Lithuania and the Soviet Union would not be helpful either to the situation internally or to U.S.-Soviet relations. However, officials say that there probably will be no specific comment on the apprehension of the alleged Soviet army deserters or the takeover of the Communist Party building because officials say the complexities of this whole situation are such that they simply don't want to get into it at this point and they don't want to do anything to escalate the tensions -- those are the words of one official here. It should be said that some people within the administration have privately now for days made clear that what they want to avoid at all costs at this point is any kind of parallel to the situation of 1956 before Soviet tanks rolled into Hungary to put down the uprising there. At that time U.S. expressions of support had led some in Hungary to be emboldened and to proceed with actions that they ignited a further showdown.... So for now at least the response is going to be very muted indeed, though clearly concern intensifies as the tensions intensify in Lithuania.

Reid Collins: Is there any indication that the White House has in view some threshold beyond which Gorbachev may not go before it has to change this stance of watchful prayer?

Sesno: Officials here say that they do indeed have contingency plans...but there are so many possibilities...that what officials are saying is that they need to examine pretty much on a daily basis what is happening -- though they won't comment on a daily basis on the situation -- and any kind of response that the U.S. may have to take will be calibrated to what the Soviets do. Clearly if tanks roll in a very aggressive way...the U.S. will have little choice but to respond very forcefully -- not with force -- but very clearly. And the whole range of U.S.-Soviet relations will be jeopardized by that. But at this time no one is going to draw a line in the sand and say specifically, 'Gorbachev can do this or cannot do that' because that sets up an ultimatum situation and that is most certainly what the Bush administration very gingerly wants to avoid at this time.

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George Bush Handwriting

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SEQUENCE OF EVENTS:

LUNCHEON
IN RECOGNITION OF THE DWIGHT D.
EISENHOWER CENTENNIAL YEAR
Tuesday, March 27, 1990

TIME:

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

LOCATION:

State Floor
(Music: Marine Orchestra/Grand Foyer)

NUMBER OF GUESTS:

120

FROM:

Laurie Firestone

LF

11:30 a.m. Guests arrive East Wing Portico, East Executive Avenue, and proceed to State Floor. (Limited parking on East Executive Avenue.)
(Eisenhower Family members arrive Northwest Gate, North Portico.)

Refreshments are served in Cross Hall and Parlors.

12:00 noon THE PRESIDENT and MRS. BUSH arrive State Floor and proceed to Blue Room for receiving line.

Following receiving line, THE PRESIDENT and MRS. BUSH proceed to State Dining Room for lunch.

THE PRESIDENT makes remarks.

1:10 p.m. At the end of lunch, the West Point Glee Club will perform in State Dining Room.

1:15 p.m. After Glee Club performance, THE PRESIDENT and MRS. BUSH depart State Floor.

1:30 p.m. Guests depart enroute East Entrance.

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October 14, 1890 ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ March 28, 1969

Dwight David Eisenhower

(1890–1969)



DWIGHT DAVID EISENHOWER, thirty-fourth President of the United States, was born in Denison, Tex., October 14, 1890; son of David J. and Ida Elizabeth (Stover) Eisenhower; attended public schools in Abilene, Kans.; B.S., United States Military Academy, 1915; graduated Infantry Tank School, 1922; honor graduate, Command and General Staff School, 1926; Army War College, 1928; Army Industrial College, 1933; married Mamie Geneva Doud, July 1, 1916; children: Dwight Doud (deceased), John Sheldon Doud, United States Ambassador to Belgium.

Commissioned as second lieutenant of Infantry at West Point in 1915 and assigned to 19th Infantry, Fort Sam Houston, Tex.; advanced through the grades to lieutenant colonel, commanding the Tank Corps School at Camp Colt, Gettysburg, Pa., during World War I; assistant executive officer, Office of Assistant Secretary of War, 1929–33; Office of Chief of Staff, 1933–35; Assistant to Gen. Douglas MacArthur in Philippines, 1935–40; Chief of Staff, 3d Division and later IX Corps, 1940–41; Chief of Staff, Third Army, 1941. At the beginning of World War II was named Chief of War Plans Division, War Department General Staff; then Assistant Chief of Staff, in charge of Operations Division; commanded Allied Forces landing in North Africa November 8, 1942, became Commander-in-Chief, all Allied Forces in North-west Africa the following February; named Supreme Commander, Allied Expeditionary Forces, December 31, 1943; commanded the land, sea, and air invasion of Normandy which began on June 6, 1944; promoted to General of the Army on December 20, 1944; accepted unconditional surrender of Germany on May 8, 1945; commander United States occupation forces in Germany; Chief of Staff, United States Army, November 19, 1945 to February 7, 1948.

President of Columbia University, June 7, 1948 to January 10, 1953; took leave from Columbia December 16, 1950, to become the Supreme Allied Commander, Europe, to forge the integration of the defense forces of the North Atlantic Treaty nations.

Nominated for President of the United States on first ballot of Republican National Convention at Chicago, July 11, 1952; resigned from the Army within the hour of his nomination; elected President on November 4, 1952; re-elected President on November 6, 1956; retired to his farm at Gettysburg, Pa., in January 1961.

Author of *Crusade in Europe*, the Supreme Commander's account of World War II; wrote a two-volume memoir, *The White House Years* (Mandate for Change, 1953–56), and *Waging Peace* (1956–61); author of *At Ease*, pre-Presidential reminiscences, and *In Review*, a pictorial autobiography.

As soldier-statesman, was called upon by his successors, Presidents Kennedy, Johnson, and Nixon, as an advisor, especially with respect to international affairs; prominent figure in the active affairs of the Republican Party; supported many charitable and philanthropic activities; member of National Presbyterian Church, Washington, DC; died on March 28, 1969, at Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, DC. Honored by a State Funeral in Washington, DC, and nationwide observances; laid to rest in The Place of Meditation on the grounds of the Eisenhower Center, Abilene, Kansas.



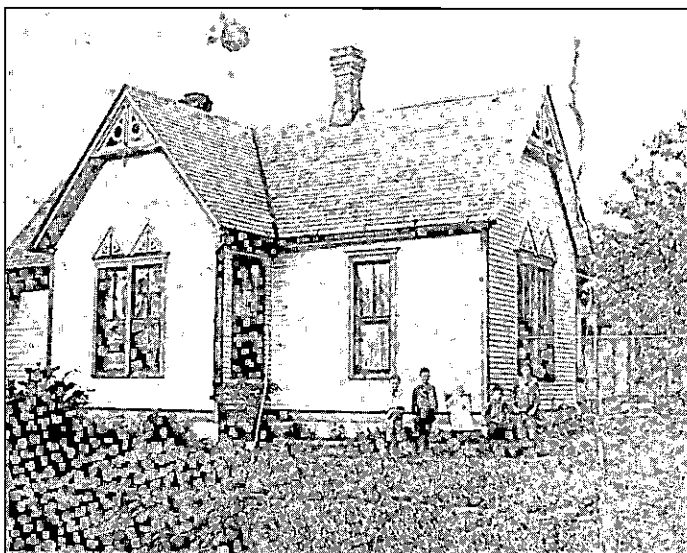
Family photographs from Abilene
(Dwight David is at left in
both).

"The proudest thing I can
claim is that I am from
Abilene. . . . Through this
world it has been my fortune
or misfortune to wander at
considerable distance. Never
has this town been outside
my heart and my memory."

Abilene, Kansas, June 22, 1945

"I come from the very heart
of America. . . . To preserve
his freedom of worship, his
equality before law, his
liberty to speak and act as he
sees fit, subject only to provi-
sions that he trespass not
upon similar rights of
others—a Londoner will fight.
So will a citizen from
Abilene. When we consider
these things, then the valley
of the Thames draws closer
to the farms of Kansas and
the plains of Texas."

London, England, June 12, 1945
The Guildhall Address



"Let us pray that leaders of
both the near and distant
future will be able to keep
this nation strong and at
peace, that they will lead us
on to still higher moral
standards, and that, in
achieving these goals, they
will maintain a reasonable
balance between private and
governmental responsibility."

Washington, DC,
January 29, 1961



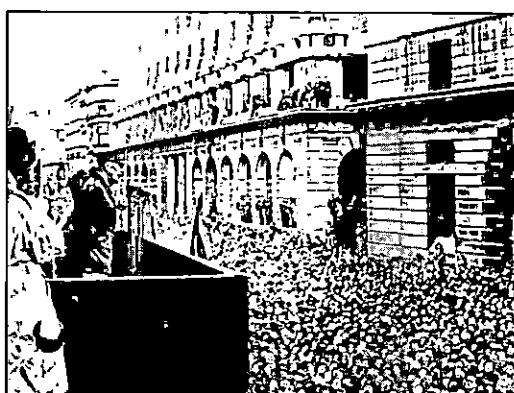
1915 West Point Yearbook

"Every obstacle must be overcome, every inconvenience suffered, and every risk run to ensure that our blow is decisive. We cannot afford to fail."

*January 23, 1944, on Operation Overlord
(the Normandy invasion).*



Speaking to paratroopers readying for the D-Day invasion (above). Toasting Marshall Zhukov and General Montgomery in Frankfurt, Germany, June 10, 1945 (below). After the Guildhall Address at the Prime Minister's residence (below right).



"Humility must always be the portion of any man who receives acclaim earned in the blood of his followers and sacrifices of his friends."

*London, England, June 12, 1945.
The Guildhall Address*

DWIGHT DAVID EISENHOWER

October 14, 1890–March 28, 1969

- 1890 Born in Denison, Texas, the third of seven sons of David Jacob and Ida Elizabeth Eisenhower
- 1891 Moved to Abilene, Kansas
- 1909 Graduated, Abilene High School
- 1911 Entered the United States Military Academy
- 1915 Graduated, USMA, West Point
Posted, as a newly commissioned 2nd Lieutenant, at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas
- 1916 Married Mary (Mamie) Geneva Doud, in Denver, Colorado
- 1918 Assigned to the Tank Corps, Camp Colt, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania
- 1922 Appointed to Executive Office, Camp Gaillard, Panama Canal Zone
- 1925 Entered Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas; graduated first in his class
- 1927 Posted to the Army War College, Washington, DC
- 1929 Appointed Assistant Executive, Office of Assistant Secretary of War
- 1933 Posted to the Army Industrial College, Washington, DC
- 1935 Appointed Assistant Military Advisor to General Douglas MacArthur, the Philippines
- 1940 Returned to U.S. Appointed Regimental Executive, 15th Infantry
- 1941 Served as Chief of Staff, Third Army
- 1942
- Named Chief, War Plans Division of War Department General Staff
 - Named Assistant Chief of Staff, Operations Division of War Department General Staff, by General George C. Marshall
 - Appointed Commanding General, European Theater of Operations
 - Appointed Commander in Chief of Allied Forces in Africa
- 1943 Appointed Supreme Commander of the Allied Expeditionary Force
- 1944
- Led the D-Day invasion of France (June 6)
 - Awarded newly created rank of General of the Army
- 1945
- Accepted surrender of German Army
 - Appointed Army Chief of Staff
- 1948 Became President of Columbia University
- 1950 Became first Supreme Allied Commander, the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)
- 1952 Elected 34th President of the United States

Events as President

- 1953
 - Creation of Department of Health, Education & Welfare (HEW)
 - Creation of the United States Information Agency (USIA)
 - Korean War ended
 - Establishment of Small Business Administration (SBA)
 - First of 193 State or Heads of Government visits (the President of Panama)
 - End of segregation among civilian employees of the Navy and in the District of Columbia
 - "Atoms for Peace" Address, The United Nations
- 1954
 - Air Force Academy created
 - Approval of St. Lawrence Seaway
 - Brown v. Board of Education Supreme Court decision
 - Social Security Amendments, extending coverage to ten million more Americans
 - SEATO Collective Defense Treaty transmitted to the Senate
- 1955
 - First Press Conference to be filmed and reported direct
 - Quemoy and Matsu Islands crisis
 - Austrian Treaty signed
 - Geneva Summit, and delivery of "Open Skies" address
 - International Finance Corporation created
 - UN Conference on Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy
- 1956
 - Mission 66, a 10-year plan to strengthen National Parks System
 - Interstate Highway System legislation enacted
 - Suez Canal crisis
 - People-to-People Exchange Program launched
 - Hungarian revolt
 - Re-election to a second term as President
- 1957
 - Treaty of Rome establishes European Economic Community
 - International Geophysical Year begins
 - Civil Rights Act signed into law
 - Little Rock, Arkansas desegregation crisis
 - Sputnik launched
 - First Science & Technology Advisor appointed
- 1958
 - First U.S. satellite orbited
 - Lebanon crisis
 - National Cultural Center began (later became The Kennedy Center)
 - National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) created
 - Federal Aviation Agency (FAA) created
- 1959
 - Alaska and Hawaii admitted into the Union
 - Establishment of Inter-American Bank
 - St. Lawrence Seaway opened
 - Khrushchev State visit
 - Antarctic Treaty signed
 - Good Will trip to Europe, Asia and North Africa
- 1960
 - Good Will trip to South America
 - White House Conference on Children and Youth
 - U-2 Incident
 - Paris Summit
 - Good Will trip to Far East
- 1961
 - Farewell Address to the American People

Program

Presiding Officer

The Speaker, Honorable Thomas S. Foley

Prelude Concerts

(Hall of the House of Representatives)

United States Military Academy Glee Club
Dwayne S. Milburn, Director of Cadet Music
The United States Army Band
Colonel Eugene W. Allen, Leader and Commander

Armed Forces Medley

(Capitol Steps)

Third United States Infantry Fife and Drum Corps

Presentation of the Colors

Joint Armed Forces Color Guard

The National Anthem

Invocation

Reverend James David Ford, D.D.
Chaplain of the House of Representatives

Welcoming Remarks

Honorable Bob Dole

Introduction of Distinguished Guests

Battle Hymn of the Republic

Tribute

Walter Cronkite

Tribute

Winston S. Churchill

Soldier of Democracy

an original arrangement

by

SGM James Kessler and Mr. Mark Murray

SGM Bill Fox, Narrating

Tribute

Honorable Clark Clifford

Tribute

Honorable James D. Robinson III

Tribute

Arnold Palmer

Musical Interlude

The Corps

Army Blue

Tribute

Honorable John S. D. Eisenhower

Closing Remarks

Honorable Beverly B. Byron

Honorable William F. Goodling

Honorable Pat Roberts

Benediction

Reverend Edward L. R. Elson, D.D.

Chaplain of the Senate (Ret.)

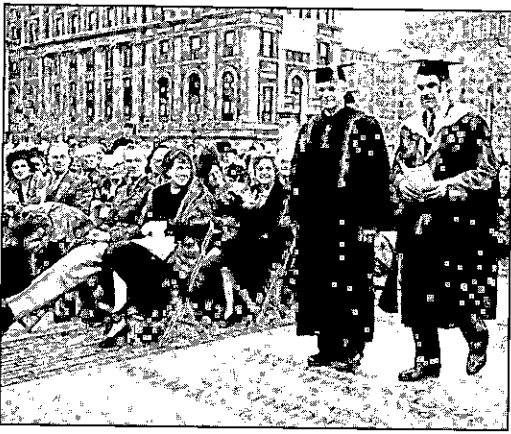
Retiring of the Colors

God Bless America

Recessional

Stars and Stripes Forever

John Philip Sousa



"To blend, without coercion, the individual good and the common good is the essence of citizenship in a free country."

*New York, NY, October 12, 1948
Upon installation as President of
Columbia University*

"... NATO should not for all time be primarily a collective defense organization. We hope and believe the time will come when its defense aspect will be minor and perhaps even unnecessary."

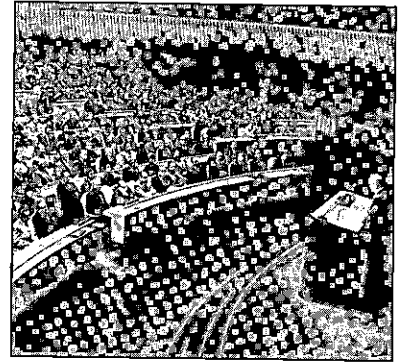
*December 16, 1957 Paris, France
NATO Council Meeting*

"... Let no one think that the expenditure of vast sums for weapons and systems of defense can guarantee absolute safety for the citizens of any nation. The awful arithmetic of the atomic bomb does not permit any such easy solution. ... For me to say that the defense capabilities of the United States are such that they could inflict terrible losses upon an aggressor ... while fact, is not the true expression of the purpose and the hope of the United States.

To pause there would be to confirm the hopeless finality of a belief that two atomic colossi are doomed malevolently to eye each other across a trembling world.

... It is not enough to take this weapon out of the hands of the soldiers. It must be put into the hands of those who will know how to strip its military casing and adapt it to the arts of peace."

*New York, NY, December, 1953
"Atoms for Peace"*



*Editing "Atoms for Peace" on the plane to New York (top left).
Delivering the address to the United Nations (top right). Signing
Atoms for Peace Resolution with Turkish officials (above).*

"I like to believe that people in the long run are going to do more to promote peace than are governments. Indeed, I think that people want peace so much that one of these days governments had better get out of their way and let them have it."

September 5, 1959



"The American people want to be friends with the Soviet peoples. There are no natural differences between our peoples or our nations. There are no territorial conflicts or commercial rivalries. Historically, our two countries have always been at peace. . . .

It is not always necessary that people should think alike and believe alike before they can work together."

*Geneva, Switzerland, July 18, 1955
Opening remarks to The Geneva Conference.
On July 21, he presented his "Open Skies" proposal.*

"In the councils of government, we must guard against the acquisition of unwarranted influence, whether sought or unsought, by the military-industrial complex. The potential for the disastrous rise of misplaced power exists and will persist.

We must never let the weight of this combination endanger our liberties or democratic processes. We should take nothing for granted. Only an alert and knowledgeable citizenry can compel the proper meshing of the huge industrial and military machinery of defense with our peaceful methods and goals, so that security and liberty may prosper together."

*Washington, DC, January 17, 1961
Farewell Address*



"A people that values its privileges above its principles soon loses both."

*Washington, DC, January 20, 1953
First Inaugural Address*



"As we peer into society's future, we—you and I, and our government—must avoid the impulse to live only for today, plundering, for our own ease and convenience, the precious resources of tomorrow. We cannot mortgage the material assets of our grandchildren without risking the loss also of their political and spiritual heritage. We want democracy to survive for all generations to come, not to become the insolvent phantom of tomorrow."

*Washington, DC, January 17, 1961
Farewell Address*

*All photographs courtesy of The
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Library, Abilene, Kansas.*

The Presidential Perspective

In 1945, at a ceremony in the historical Guildhall in London, General Eisenhower said, "I come from the heart of America." In 1990, as we celebrate the Centennial of his birth and the forty-fifth anniversary of the end of the Second World War, those who live in the heart of Europe are daring to breathe free after living for generations under tyranny. For a man who led the greatest expeditionary force in history to free Europe from another kind of tyranny—a man who dedicated his life to preserving and protecting the ideal of freedom that dwells in the heart of America—there could be no greater tribute.

Dwight David Eisenhower's achievements made him one of our greatest generals and greatest Presidents. But perhaps an even greater legacy than his achievements as a leader is what we remember about Eisenhower as a man. After the millions of words that have been written and spoken about him in the twenty-one years since his death, no one has said it more eloquently than he did himself to Mamie a few hours before he died. "I have always loved my wife," he said. "I have always loved my children. I have always loved my grandchildren. And I have always loved my country."

As one who had the privilege of serving as his Vice President during the time when he consolidated in peacetime the triumphs for freedom that he had won in war, I commend you and the Dwight D. Eisenhower Centennial Commission for your efforts during this Centennial year. They will permit new generations of Americans to learn and marvel at what one man—one extraordinary man—can do.

Richard Nixon

"A citizen, first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen." Only one other American has come close to meriting this tribute paid to George Washington on his death in 1799. He was Dwight David Eisenhower, whose birth in 1890 we are commemorating this year.

In Eisenhower's case, all Americans compressed their heartfelt admiration and affection into three simple words: *"We like Ike!"* These words reverberated in the lands he helped to liberate and those still striving for freedom. He was a world hero in his own lifetime.

It is fitting that we recall Ike's life and extraordinary service to this nation and the world at the very time so much of what he fought for and worked for seems to be coming to pass. Today's Europe is dramatically moving toward his vision of open borders and open skies, of economic interdependence and peaceful productivity mutually beneficial to all.

As our thirty-fourth President, Ike Eisenhower achieved economic stability, growth and prosperity for America. He was, as our President, the foremost statesman for the free world.

Gerald R. Ford

Dwight D. Eisenhower deserves to be honored by our nation for his achievements in war and peace. Named supreme allied commander in World War II, he led the Allied Expeditionary Forces to victory in the invasion of Europe, certainly one of the greatest military campaigns in the history of the world. Elected President of the United States at the height of the Cold War with the Soviet Union, he began his administration by settling the conflict in Korea, and for the remainder of his eight-year term kept our country out of war. Not one serviceman lost his life in combat during these years.

He maintained the peace with a bi-partisan foreign policy, emphasizing cooperation with our allies for collective security. The United Nations and other international organizations received his support. He believed in settling problems through negotiation. Convinced of the terrible consequences of a nuclear war, he launched innovative efforts toward arms control and resisted engaging in an arms race with the Soviet Union. Moreover, he warned against the dangerous growth of an American military-industrial complex. For him, national defense was more than the manufacturing of weapons. He initiated legislation strengthening American research and education. This nation was extremely fortunate that in an era of great tension, Dwight D. Eisenhower had the judgment and the moral courage to pursue peace.

Jimmy Carter

As a former president, one looks back on the tenure of a predecessor with a special, appreciative eye. From such a perspective, it is clear to me that Dwight D. Eisenhower's contribution to his country and the world has endured long beyond his own time and has yet to lose its strength; if anything, it continues to grow stronger.

In matters of foreign policy, for example, Eisenhower showed a kind of prescience. I believe that his ability to lead can best be measured by that skill of foreseeing issues that retain their importance for years to come. Who can look upon the events in the eastern bloc as his centennial year begins and not think of his tireless endeavors in support of liberty and freedom during and after World War II?

Eisenhower, it has been said, came to believe he was up to the responsibility of presidential leadership after his war experiences. In the years prior to assuming the presidency he wrote, "the one quality that can be developed by studious reflection and practice is the leadership of men." His lifelong public service is tribute enough to his having learned and, most importantly, practiced such leadership to an admirable degree.

As president, Eisenhower sought global economic cooperation, adopting a perspective that did not always reflect the thinking of his generation. But Eisenhower understood then the links in our world economy that are today taken for granted. He should be remembered, above all, for grasping three decades ago what the future would hold.

Ronald Reagan

I am delighted to send my warmest greetings to the distinguished members and guests of this special Joint Meeting of Congress as you gather to honor the memory of our nation's 34th President, Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The theme of the 1990 Eisenhower Centennial Year, "leadership," is most fitting. Ike once noted the importance of this quality to us as individuals and as a nation: "We know—and all the world constantly reminds us—that the future well-being of humanity depends directly upon America's leadership. I say emphatically that this leadership depends no less directly upon the faith, the courage, the love of freedom, and the capacity for sacrifice of every American citizen, every home, every American community." Today we are grateful for the extraordinary example he set.

Dwight Eisenhower's achievements as a soldier, statesman, and President are legendary. As Supreme Allied Commander during World War II, his leadership and example animated the most successful wartime coalition in history and paved the way for an unprecedented military feat: the invasion of Normandy on June 6, 1944. Typical of the man is that, even as he bore the weight of the decision to proceed with the invasion, he drafted a message shouldering sole blame for any failure that might result. Surely D-Day will live forever as a symbol of not only the bravery of Allied troops but also the courage of their commander. Dwight Eisenhower's faith and dedication to the cause of freedom were an inspiration to others and were a decisive factor in our Crusade in Europe and ultimate Allied victory over Nazism.

During two successful terms as President, Ike remained fully committed to protecting human rights and promoting peace, both at home and abroad. On countless economic and diplomatic fronts, and in times of crisis—whether in Suez, Lebanon, or Little Rock—this quiet "Man from Abilene" distinguished himself as a skilled and thoughtful leader.

In particular, Ike's steadfast commitment to the friends of freedom and his courage in confronting tyranny made possible the revitalization of democracy in Europe and the emergence of former foes into the community of free nations. Indeed, so many of the joyous developments we are witnessing in today's world would not have been possible without, at a critical moment of history, the leadership of Dwight Eisenhower.

The Revolution of 1989 has demonstrated clearly how the strength and resolve of free nations, rooted in the ideals Ike cherished, have helped change the course of history. Our policies aimed at containing the advance of tyranny and encouraging the development of free and democratic nations have been vindicated. How proud Ike would be to know that the torch of liberty, borne so bravely by American and Allied troops in battle, now burns brilliantly in countries that once suffered under the shadow of tyranny.

In remembering Dwight D. Eisenhower, we pay him the highest honor by rededicating ourselves to the principles he fought so hard to uphold. As we all know, they are the only sure foundation for true and lasting world peace.

Barbara joins me in sending best wishes for a most memorable event. God bless you, and God bless America.

George Bush

**MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS
WHO BEGAN SERVING DURING THE EISENHOWER
PRESIDENCY**

<i>Name</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Congress</i>	<i>Initial service</i>
Jack Brooks	TX	83rd	Jan. 3, 1953
Robert C. Byrd	WV	83rd	Jan. 3, 1953
William H. Natcher	KY	83rd	Aug. 1, 1953
Strom Thurmond	SC	83rd	Dec. 24, 1954
Dante B. Fascell	FL	84th	Jan. 3, 1955
John D. Dingell	MI	84th	Dec. 13, 1955
William S. Broomfield	MI	85th	Jan. 3, 1957
Robert H. Michel	IL	85th	Jan. 3, 1957
Silvio O. Conte	MA	86th	Jan. 3, 1959
Robert W. Kastenmeier	WI	86th	Jan. 3, 1959
Dan Rostenkowski	IL	86th	Jan. 3, 1959
Neal Smith	IA	86th	Jan. 3, 1959
Quentin N. Burdick	ND	86th	Aug. 8, 1960

March, 1990

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GATE LIST

FOR EVENT: COCKTAILS - 3/27/90

ACCEPT AND NO RESPONSE

NAME	NAME
COCKTAIL RECEPTION FOR DR. BURTON	
LEE, III/Tuesday, March 27, 1990	
6:45 p.m./Northwest Gate-Parking	
on North Grounds/Phone	
Invitations	
Contact Social Office x7788	
THE PRESIDENT & MRS. BUSH	
Boardman, Barrington (Mr.)	A
Boardman, Sandra (Mrs. Barrington)	A
Brady, Katherine (Mrs. Nicholas)	A
Brady, Nicholas (Hon.(Sec.))	A
DeVos, Richard (Mr.)	A
Dufour, Peggy (Ms.)	A
Duncan, Michael (Mr.)	A
Dupont, Rosamund (Ms.)	A
Gates, Robert M. (Hon.)	A
Gebbie, Christine (Ms.)	
Lee, Ann (Mrs. Burton J. III)	A
Lee, Burton J. III (Dr.)	A
Newman, J. Bonnie (Hon.)	A
Novello, Antonia C. (Dr.)	A
Novello, Joseph (Dr.)	A
Paton, David (Dr.)	A
Paton, Diane (Mrs. David)	A
Stevens, Margaret "Peggy" (Mrs. Nort	A
Stevens, Norton (Mr.)	A
Vehslage, Stephen (Mr.)	A
Total Accepts/ No Response	20

[FULL COMMITTEE PRINT]

NOTICE: This bill is given out subject to release when consideration of it has been completed by the full Committee. Please check on such action before release in order to be advised of any changes.

Union Calendar No.

101ST CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R.

[Report No. 101-]

Making dire emergency supplemental appropriations for disaster assistance, food stamps, unemployment compensation administration, and other urgent needs, and transfers, and reducing funds budgeted for military spending for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH , 1990

Mr. WHITTEN, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following bill: which was committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

A BILL

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1990 SUPPLEMENTALS
(in millions of dollars)

27-Mar-90
10:40 AM

	President's Request		Whitten Bill	
	<u>BA</u>	<u>O</u>	<u>BA</u>	<u>O</u>
DISCRETIONARY:				
Judiciary: Courts of Appeals, District				
Courts and Other Judicial Services 1/.....	22.8	20.8	22.8	20.8
Department of Agriculture:				
Soil Conservation Service - flood impacts.....	---	---	31.0	31.0
Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation				
Service - flood impacts.....	---	---	10.0	10.0
Department of Defense - Civil:				
Corps of Engineers - Flood emergencies.....	---	---	20.0	19.0
Department of Education: (265)				
OK Pell grants shortfall - language only 2/.....	---	---	---	---
Department of Health and Human Services:				
Food and Drug Administration 3/.....	(13.9)	---	13.9	11.1
→ Low-Income Home Energy Assistance.....	---	---	50.0	45.5
Department of Housing and Urban Development:				
Public housing operating subsidies.....	---	---	72.0	33.1
Offset - transfer from Assisted housing.....	---	---	-72.0	-0.7
Urban homesteading.....	11.4	11.4	50.0	49.9
Offset - transfer from UDAG.....	-11.4	---	-50.0	---
Department of Justice:				
General legal activities earmark from vaccine				
compensation trust fund.....	(0.5)	---	---	---
Department of Labor:				
OK Unemployment Insurance trust fund.....	---	---	96.0	96.0
Department of State:				
Diplomatic and consular emergencies by				
transfer, if needed.....	(3.0)	---	---	---
Offset - Transfer from Salaries and expenses..	(-3.0)	---	---	---
[Refugee assistance.....	70.0	52.5	75.0	56.3
Emergency migration.....	---	---	25.0	12.5
Department of State/USIA:				
→ Repeal of section 614 limitation				
(assumed in budget but not offset).....	(188.2)	(190.9)	---	---
Department of Veterans Affairs:				
Medical Care.....	---	---	50.0	49.2
Medical administration (misc.).....	---	---	1.3	1.3
Offset - transfer from VA construction minor....	---	---	-1.3	---
US Sentencing Commission 1/.....	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6
Federal Emergency Management Agency:				
Flood cleanup.....	---	---	50.0	20.0

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1990 SUPPLEMENTALS
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27-Mar-90
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	President's Request		Whitten Bill	
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NASA: Research and program management pay.....	33.0	28.3	33.0	28.3
Offset - transfer from Constr. of facilities.....	-33.0	-28.3	---	---
Offset - transfer from Research & dev.....	---	---	-18.0	-8.8
Offset - transfer from Space flight, control.....	---	---	-15.0	-10.6
Funds Appropriated to the President:				
Limitation on callable capital.....	(1,609.7)	---	(1,609.7)	---
→ Loan guarantees to Israel for Soviet immigrants.....	---	---	(400.0)	---
Economic Support Fund				
Aid to Panama.....	500.0	300.0	420.0	267.0
Aid to Nicaragua.....	300.0	195.0	300.0	195.0
Aid to Africa.....	---	---	30.0	2.4
Aid to Eastern Carribean.....	---	---	15.0	4.5
Hugo Disaster Relief, Carribean.....	---	---	5.0	1.5
Defense offsets.....	-3,064.0	-550.6	-1,800.0	-601.0
→ Language - Fourth quarter appropriations made available in third quarter.....	---	---	---	???
Subtotal, discretionary.....	-2,170.6	29.6	-585.7	333.8
All OK MANDATORY:				
Judiciary:				
Supreme Court pay 1/.....	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Courts of Appeals, District Courts and other Judicial Services pay 1/.....	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3
Dept. of Agriculture: Food Stamps (language only requested in budget).....	---	---	510.0	510.0
Department of Veterans Affairs:				
Compensation and Pensions.....	---	---	190.0	174.6
Loan guaranty.....	---	---	150.0	142.1
Subtotal, mandatory.....	5.3	5.3	855.3	832.0
Total, all supplementals.....	943.1	613.8	2,225.9	1,786.9
Total, all offsets.....	-3,108.4	-578.9	-1,956.3	-621.1
Net Total.....	-2,165.3	34.9	269.7	1,165.8

Handwritten notes:
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 334

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President's Request		Whitten Bill	
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Notes: Parentheses denote non-add items

Outlay estimates of the Whitten bill are preliminary. They were made without benefit of reviewing the bill.

- 1/ Judicial Branch and U.S. Sentencing Commission requests are, by law, transmitted to the Congress without change.
- 2/ Based on the technical assumptions in the Budget, no outlays are scored against this language.
- 3/ President's request is financed by offsetting collections.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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3/27/90

Dear George -

Thank you for the book, the photograph
of you & Bar which is inscribed to me in
a way that puts a big choke in my
throat, the wonderful reception which meant
so very much to Ann & me & all our
old friends & all our new White House
friends — and all of the time and
consideration & courtesy & very real
friendship which you continue to show
Ann & me. How you do this — with
all the pressures on you — I do not
know.

All I know is that I am

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

60 yrs. old & I have never had a
boss like you. I have very seldom
had a friend like you.

I don't know how I got this
lucky to be doing this job for you
in this place. Whatever I can do
for you, I will do. We pray for
your continued success.

Like I told you - this will
be a part of our American history as
the "Age of Pericles" - George Bush style.
The fish are waiting -

Best regards -

Bush

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

March 27, 1990

Nikki,

Charles

The President asked if you could
log~~ged~~ Mrs. Bush's shoes separately and
send to her through her normal channels.

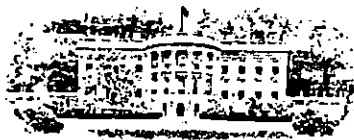
The President would like to keep his --
if they are under \$100.

I have attached a copy of back-up
with a copy of his thank you note.

THANKS,

Bridget

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3-22-90

Dan:-

That Masters program
really makes that 18 come
alive. It's that season
now - almost! Best wishes

CB,

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Mr. Dan Jenkins
973 Ponte Vedra Boulevard
Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida 32082

✓ bcc: Jan Burmeister

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DAN • JENKINS

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March 22, 1990

Dear

Dear Mr. President --

The Augusta National has never published a program for the Masters before, but we (Golf Digest) did one for them this year. I think it works and hope you enjoy it, particularly the story on Page 105, which was written by one of the world's greatest authorities.

Incidentally, thanks for the golf balls. I only putt with them and my golfing pals are most impressed, even though Presidential balls can three-putt a green as easily as your ordinary Titleist.

I gleefully join you in the war on broccoli. I myself have been carrying on a lifelong battle against okra, which is why I once found a doctor in Texas who told me I never needed to eat anything that wasn't brown and white.

Broccoli, by the way, is an old term that the touring pros once used to describe the rough at U. S. Open championships, but they generally surrounded it with other affectionate Billy Clyde Puckett words.

You are doing a great job, in case nobody's told you lately.

His ownself,

Dan

CB

bcc: Mrs. Bush

George W. Bush

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Mr. Bayard Sharp
Boca Grande, Florida 33921

Family File



THE PRESIDENT

3-27-90

Dear Bayard -

Thanks for being so
darned nice to our boy
George. He loved
meeting you both.

What would we do
without friends?

All Best -

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 27, 1990

Dear Kimo:

I was very pleased to get your letter and to learn that Kinder Gentleroach has indeed been officially received as an entry for this year's big race.

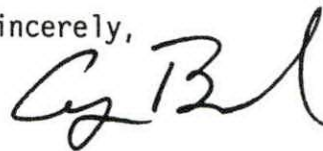
I know a lot of thoroughbred roach lovers were disappointed that Oval Office Roach did so badly back in 1988, but lots has happened since then.

Commissioner Conrad, through his own success, has brought great lustre to this event. (I am told that his own entry this year has little chance, however, given the fact that his roach is overweight - sad to say.)

I am a great believer in the Thousand Points of Light concept, and I salute you and all the others for what you are doing to help battle Multiple Sclerosis.

Please consider this your official permission to permit Kinder Gentleroach to enter not only the Roach Bowl Classic, but also to run in the Iolani Derby. Kinder Gentleroach is willing to submit to an anti-steroid test, saliva test, etc., and I challenge all other roach owners to compel their entries to do the same.

Sincerely,



P.S. I still feel both Yellow Roach of Texas and Oval Officeroach were robbed because Fred Zeder, now head of OPIC, had an illegal bet on other roaches. All we ask for is fair play.

Mr. Kimo Wilder McVay
Chairman, Roach Bowl III
1232 Waimanu Street, Suite A
Honolulu, Hawaii 96814

bcc: Bridget Montagne
William Conrad
Fred Zeder

March 19-90



THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN

Dear Mrs. President

Bill Conrad ("Jake the Fat Man") is an old fishing pal of mine. He along with Kimo M. Vay - another old friend, are running the Hawaiian Islands Cockaroch races again this year. You have had a couple of valiant, but alas unsuccessful entries in the past. This could be your year with "Kinder Gentleroch" L



HAWAIIAN ISLANDS COCKROACH RACING ASSOCIATION

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Commissioner

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Deputy Commissioner

TAD YAMASHITA
Aide to the Commissioner

President George Bush
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20000

March 10, 1990

Dear Mr. President;

Congratulations! OVAL OFFICEROACH, the thoroughbred roach you "trained" and entered in ROACH BOWL II, and who was put out to stud after his valiant but unsuccessful run in the 1988 Tournament of Roaches, sired KINDER GENTLEROACH, a promising contender for this year's ROACH BOWL III, which benefits the Multiple Sclerosis Society, Hawaiian Islands Chapter. I think you can expect a great racing career from this grandson of your first entry in 1982, YELLOW ROACH OF TEXAS! (Fortunately, OVAL OFFICEROACH's loss in the 1988 Hawaiian Cockroach Racing Classic was not prophetic of your wonderful election victory that year!!)

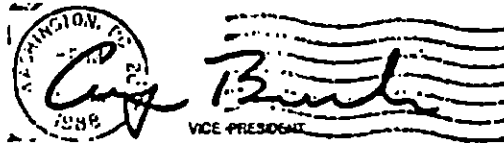
ROACH BOWL III Commissioner, William Conrad, an old, deep sea fishing buddy of Fred Zeder, now lives in Hawaii since his hit TV series, "Jake and the Fatman", is filmed here. (I first met you and Mrs. Bush at a party Fred and Martha hosted in your honor here aboard their yacht in 1982. We had great fun and I treasure the picture we had taken together!) Commissioner Conrad and I suggest you test your new thoroughbred's blood lines in our pre-ROACH BOWL III event, the IOLANI DERBY, which takes place April 20th at the Iolani School Carnival in Honolulu. A letter confirming **KINDER GENTLEROACH** for the IOLANI DERBY and ROACH BOWL III, at your earliest convenience, would be deeply appreciated.

Mahalo for your past support. It is legendary in Hawaii!

Me ke aloha,

Kimo Wilder McVay
KIMO WILDER McVAY
Chairman, ROACH BOWL III

THE VICE PRESIDENT
WASHINGTON



Hawaii Islands Cockroach Racing Association
245 North Kukui Street
Honolulu, Hawaii 96817

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THE VICE PRESIDENT
WASHINGTON

June 26, 1988

Hawaii Islands Cockroach Racing Association
245 North Kukui Street
Suite 204
Honolulu, Hawaii 96817

Best wishes to the Hawaii Heart Association
for a successful Cockroach Racing Classic. I
understand that my previous entry, Yellow Roach of
Texas, while retired at stud, has sired the
awesome Oval Officeroach. He sounds like a sure
winner.

Aloha.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature of George Bush in dark ink.

George Bush



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SHOW BIZ

By Wayne Harada
Entertainment Editor



Conrad

PERSONALITIES: **Bill** "Jake and the Fatman" **Conrad**, wife **Tippi** and pal **Kimo McVay** descended upon the **Frank DeLima** show the other night at the Queen Kapiolani Hotel's Peacock Room. Conrad, who has agreed to be the commissioner of cockroach races which will be part of the Iolani School carnival in April, is dubious about accepting DeLima's roach-racing entrant in the derby, since there's a 20-letter limit to the entrant's name. DeLima's roach is called Supashakajakalakaukupilearoch. Try to get that on a name tag ...



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Yamashita

FAT, MAN: Though official word probably won't be forthcoming for weeks, count on "Jake and the Fatman" lingering for another filmed-in-Hawaii season. CBS-TV recently ordered two more episodes for this year, which means the show will wind up location shooting here in late April. But behind-the-sceners working on the **William Conrad-Joe Penny** adventure in paradise are breathing a sigh of relief: a pick-up for '90-'91 means a welcome "Fat" paycheck ...

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ENCROACHMENT: The aforementioned Conrad is the official commissioner of roach-racing for Roach Bowl III and he's got an eager young aide in **Tad Yamashita**, a 15-year-old Iolani sophomore. And you thought the roach races would never last? According to roach race founder-grandfather, **Kimo McVay** (a.k.a. McRoach), the details for the new creepy-crawly competition will be announced shortly. The buzz is **President Bush** will send a White House entry ...

Make way for the cockroaches; third championship derby looms

The first thing you will notice about Kimo McVay is the gold-plated cockroach that he wears on his cap. It's his symbol. And it's appropriate, for McVay loves the cockroach as others of us love our families.

McVay has memorialized the roach. He has given the roach new stature. He has staged two Hawaii Roach Bowls, one in 1982 and the other last year. He now is planning Roach Bowl III, which will be a benefit on Feb. 4, 1990, for the Hawaii chapter of the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

"Trainers can bring their own thoroughbred roaches or rent one from the Hawaiian Islands Cockroach Society," said McVay during a recent session at the Columbia Inn, in which he forecast that the next bowl will attract thousands of the crawlers, all vying for the crown. Last year's Roach Bowl winner took home a Mazda truck, but McVay has not announced this year's top prize.

The 1990 tournament of roaches will get under way with dozens of races in schools and clubs to precede the featured race, the Kamaaina Metals Cup. McVay has talked the bulging William Conrad, star of "Jake and the Fatman," into being race commissioner of the third bowl and to be personally at hand on the final tournament day.

McVay has persuaded some big names to sponsor entries in the bowls, including George Bush before he became president. Bush's entry last year was "Oval Officeroach," which McVay swears was sired by Bush's 1982

Murphy's law



by
Jerry
Murphy

entry, "Yellow Roach of Texas."

Other entries last year answered to the names "Rambo-roach," "Cockaroach Dundee," "Kailua Assassin," "Jake and the Fatroach," "Kanakaroach," and "Roach of Paradise."

McVay claims that Hawaii residents and cockroaches have a "love-hate" relationship. He may greet the unsuspecting with, "Have you hugged a roach today?" His fascination with the roach has led him to a search for ways to make the cockroach the official state of Hawaii bug.

"Why not?" he will say to doubters. "The cockroach is of unique social significance to our state. What kitchen would be without them?" (He was concerned for a time that the gecko could be a worthy challenger for the state bug designation, until he read that the gecko is not a true bug, because it does not have at least six legs.)

In doing research for his promotion of the cockroach derby, McVay discovered that 23 states have a designated state insect

None of them chose the cockroach.

From this research, McVay got the idea that Hawaii lags far behind other states in backing local products with official designations. If he had his way, McVay would have okolehao as the official state beverage, the state greeting would be "Howzit, bra?" the official cocktail would be the mai tai and the official state dog would be "any black dog."

Among other things, McVay is a first-class promoter. He created the old Duke's night club in

Waikiki, founding it in association with Duke Kahanamoku, well-known as a surfboarder. This would account for McVay's touting of the surfboard as the state's official mode of transportation.

He is not locked into that, however. Show McVay a champion jet skier in need of a manager/promoter and he will draft a petition calling for the jet ski to be the state of Hawaii official vehicle.

But, I'm betting he won't ever trade the cockroach on his cap for a gold-plated jet skier.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 27, 1990

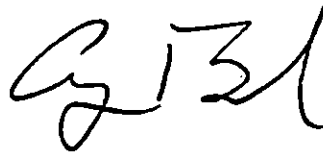
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Barbara, broccoli lover that she is, joins me in sending our warm best wishes.

Sincerely,



Mr. Raymond J. Mitchell
4760 Joyce Drive
Miami Township, Ohio 45439-3124

Mills

4760 Joyce Dr

Dayton Ohio

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to the White House Food Staff.

Please use the enclosed \$5.00

to purchase the President name

cookies on candy bar.

My wife hates pear, she

says if the president need

just eat lunch. He need not

eat pear.

Ray Mills

March 1990

Mr. and Mrs. Chen
Ming Court Restaurant
9188 International Drive
Orlando, Florida 32819



THE PRESIDENT

March 27, 1990

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Chen:

Thank you for that most thoughtful invitation to visit Ming Court during my upcoming trip to Florida. Regrettably, we will be in Orlando only a few hours and the schedule is full. I will, however, keep your kind offer in mind for a future visit.

In the meantime, Barbara joins me in sending warmest best wishes.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "G. H. W. Bush".

bcc: IN & OUT

Joe Hagin
John Keller

FYI ONLY

A handwritten signature in red ink, appearing to be "Jan".

Thorne

Ms. Jane Griggs
56 Ironwood Road
West Hartford, Connecticut 06117



THE PRESIDENT

3-27-90

Dear Jane -

Thanks for your
report on Mom. How
kind of you to go call
on her. Warm Best Wishes
Ag B

bcc: Mrs. Bush

Family File

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B.Y.

Jan

Mr. Robert E. Rich, Jr.
President
Bison Baseball, Inc.
Post Office Box 450
Buffalo, New York 14205-0450



THE PRESIDENT

March 27, 1990

Dear Mr. ^{Bob}Rich:

Thanks so much for inviting me to join the Buffalo Bisons on opening day against the Iowa Cubs. April 16th is our White House Easter Egg Roll and both Barbara and I are committed to activities here in Washington, therefore, I must regret.

With warmest best wishes for a great season!

But, Bob, I still
have my Bison jacket! Sincerely,
Cap B

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THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

STATEMENT BY THE PRESS SECRETARY

The Emigration of Soviet Jews

The United States has long championed the right to emigrate from the Soviet Union and has welcomed Soviet decisions enabling greater numbers of Soviet citizens to choose to leave. That many Soviet Jews are going to Israel is a historic event. The President is disappointed, therefore, at the unfortunate developments of recent days which have had the effect of severely limiting the passage out of the USSR of large numbers of Soviet Jews heading to Israel via Hungary. Especially disturbing is the decision by the Hungarian airline Malev -- citing terrorist threats -- to restrict travel opportunities for Soviet Jews.

The Polish government has expressed its willingness to consider expanding transit for Soviet Jews through Poland. We applaud such a resolute approach and call upon other nations, particularly in Eastern Europe, to do the same. We urge Hungary's airline to reconsider its position. We also urge the Soviet Union once again to implement the agreement with Israel for direct flights.

G. B.

POOL REPORT...President's lunch with members of commission/foundation
sponsoring events ~~marking~~ marking the centennial of Dwight Eisenhower's
~~birth~~ birth...1230 p.m., 3/27

The President's brief remarks before lunch was served were piped into
the press room and a transcript should be available later in the
press office.

There were 10 tables (round) set up in the State Dining Room. Red
table cloths. 10 people per table. Those at the President's table
included John Eisenhower, ~~and~~ Tip O'Neil and golfer Arnold Palmer.
David Eisenhower sat at an adjacent table with Mrs. Bush. Julie Nixon
Eisenhower was at a nearby table sitting next to Jim Baker.

The pool was ushered out before lunch was served--thus, nothing to
report on the broccoli front.

Gaylord Shaw/Newsday

POOL REPORT...President Bush's meeting with former President Jimmy Carter, Oval Office, 3/27/90

Bush and Carter were sitting in the wing chairs. As the pool ~~arrived~~ arrived, we could overhear Carter saying "Lithuania" but we couldn't hear the context, or Bush's response.

When asked about "the possibility of peace in the Middle East," Carter replied: "Well, I was encouraged on this trip. I believe a comprehensive peace is necessary and I think it is inevitable. When it will come...(couldn't make out these words, but it seemed to be "remains to be seen.")

"I was encouraged by this trip, more than any other in the last 10 years."

A reporter then tried to ask Bush a question, managing to say "President Bush, do you..." before the President said, quickly, "I'm not taking questions." The pool then was ushered out.

Gaylord Shaw/Newsday

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Sec

Bridget Montagne
West Wing

PRESS BRIEFING
BY
MARLIN FITZWATER

March 26, 1990

The Briefing Room

10:02 A.M. EST

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THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

PRESS BRIEFING
BY
MARLIN FITZWATER

March 27, 1990

The Briefing Room

11:30 A.M. EST

MR. FITZWATER: First of all, let's start off with a brief announcement. President Bush will meet with Prime Minister Mulroney in Toronto, Canada on April 10th to discuss bilateral and international issues of mutual interest, particularly the changes taking place in Europe. They will also attend the Opening Day game between the Toronto Blue Jays and the Texas Rangers. I don't have exact times yet, but we'll have --

Q Now, is the President going to throw out the first ball there, or is that Mulroney's obligation since you're in Canada?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't have any information on who gets to make the pitch here.

Q -- not any protocol problem here?

MR. FITZWATER: We'll work it out.

Q Marlin, do you have any tentative times? Any idea how that day will work out?

MR. FITZWATER: Tentative times? Tentative indications of arrival in mid-afternoon -- late afternoon. It's a night game. Have a meeting of undetermined duration and then several innings of the game. Probably getting back here late. Anytime between 10:00 p.m. and midnight, I would say.

Q Does this indicate that the familial ties have led the President to break his alliance with the Orioles?

MR. FITZWATER: There are a lot very important aspects to this, not the least of which is the international diplomacy aspects of this problem.

Q Is there a snow date?

MR. FITZWATER: The Texas Rangers -- there's a certain -- (laughter) -- the President loves all the teams. Whooo!

Q Acid rain date? (Laughter.)

Q Is that a formal summit, or is that the meeting just

Q Let's call the whole thing off.

Q Is it mostly baseball, or mostly diplomacy?

MR. FITZWATER: Mostly baseball, or mostly it's -- a lot of hits and no curves on either side.

Q For those of us who have to make a serious decision, is this worth going to?

Q Marlin, why don't you stay for the whole game and do an overnight?

Q He's not going to tell us.

MR. FITZWATER: Hey, now you're talking. I'll recommend that.

Q Team Canada.

Q Will the President also be discussing with the Prime Minister the Canadian problem with Quebec and so forth? I mean, are they going to be talking about Canadian issues?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't have an agenda yet. I'm sure there will be Canadian-U.S. issues. I doubt that -- well, I don't know what specific issues. It'll be bilateral issues between the two countries.

Q Marlin, do you have any sense or ambition to have a clean air act passed by then?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't think we're planning on that. (Laughter.) I don't see that as part of the ceremonies, if that's what you mean.

The President's schedule today is, he has a photograph in the Rose Garden with the International Trans-Antarctica Expedition Team at 11:45 a.m. We'll have still photographer coverage.

At 12:00 noon, he has a luncheon honoring former President Dwight Eisenhower and the centennial. And that's in the State Dining Room. We have open photo-writing pool coverage.

Q What does that consist of?

MR. FITZWATER: It consists of a luncheon for about 100 people. It honors the presidency of former President Eisenhower and the life of the former President. The President will have remarks upon his presidential years. And I think the remarks should come at around 12:30 p.m., but we don't have an exact time.

Q Will he discuss anything other than Eisenhower?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't expect -- no. I don't expect any current affairs discussions.

The President meets with President Carter at 1:30 p.m. We'll have open photo-writing pool in the Oval Office. And I don't

Q You don't know what?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know. I mean, my assumption being that President Carter called General Scowcroft or Secretary Baker to talk about events and was --

Q -- wasn't the President's idea, it was the former President's idea.

MR. FITZWATER: I think he wanted to talk to President Bush about it, yes -- we were delighted.

Q Did he report in to one of -- did he report in to Scowcroft or to Baker after he got back from the Middle East?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know exactly what happened, but he wanted to. He talked with Secretary Baker before he left, indicated he would talk to us when he returned.

Q Do you know if he's formally reported to anybody?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know that.

Q Has he talked with President Bush personally since Nicaragua, either -- on the phone, has he talked with --

MR. FITZWATER: He has not talked to President Bush, no. I think he has talked to others in the administration, but not President Bush.

Q When he saw Assad, the President was asked about his comments about the optimism he had there, and the President made a point of saying that's not official. Has he reported back on that conversation? Is he now getting his private thoughts out? Does he know more about --

MR. FITZWATER: I don't think he's reported back on it unless he has through the State Department channels I'm not aware of. But he hasn't talked to President Bush before today.

Q Are the hostages on the agenda today?

MR. FITZWATER: Whatever the former President wants to talk about. I'm reluctant to speak for him.

Q How long --

MR. FITZWATER: Thirty minutes.

Q It's still not clear to me who took the initiative for this meeting between Carter and Bush. Did the President extend an invitation, or did Carter request --

MR. FITZWATER: I don't really know, Leo. But suffice to say President Bush is delighted to have him, and the invitation is always there for him to come in at anytime. And President Carter indicated he wanted to report to the government in some fashion, so it just worked out. But I'm willing to call it mutual because I think that's the way it is.

Q What's that all about?

MR. FITZWATER: The African Development Bank has established a roundtable of prominent African businessmen aimed at promoting private enterprise and investment in Africa. A group of 31 leading African entrepreneurs has begun a tour of the U.S. to enhance the image of private business in Africa and to encourage the development of business ventures. The members will travel to Atlanta, Dallas and New York after leaving Washington. President Bush just stopped by for a very brief greeting to acknowledge their efforts and wish them well.

Q -- South Africa?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't believe I have a list. That's not true, either. I do have a list. Maybe the easiest way is to release it if you're interested. A long list of people. We can make that available.

Q Marlin, Vice President Quayle apparently over the weekend in Arizona said that it would be okay if the Soviets went into Lithuania to get deserters. Now they have done that, and I see the Soviets' Deputy Ambassador as citing that as justification. Does the Vice President speak for the administration, and what is the U.S. attitude towards the latest Soviet actions?

MR. FITZWATER: The Vice President called for a peaceful resolution of the issue, and we would not want to comment on any individual aspects of this conflict, but rather --

Q -- did over the weekend, Marlin, and what Mike says is correct. He did say that.

MR. FITZWATER: Well, he did. I don't have his exact words here.

Q He said they had a right to seek their deserters, I believe, was almost the exact words, that they had a right to do that. Now, they've apparently done it, and it doesn't seem to be beyond -- since the administration has already had something to say on this subject, it hardly seems out of bounds to ask you to see if this is what you meant.

MR. FITZWATER: It simply is -- I don't have his exact words, and we would not want to comment on the deserter situation in a specific sense.

Q Well, why not? You commented on their seizure of the buildings, you commented on what you call "pattern of intimidation."

MR. FITZWATER: We've commented -- we've tried to keep our comments within the context of the overall conflict there and the overall problem, and that's the way we would like to continue to do it, as opposed to commenting on individual actions. That's what we've tried to do in the past and what we'll try to do in the future.

Q When paratroopers go into a hospital, though, Marlin, and forcibly take people out, does that, from a policy point of view, represent a backing away from Mr. Gorbachev's promise that he won't

We have called upon the Soviet Union and the people of Lithuania to resolve this peacefully and through negotiation and dialogue. We have also urged that neither side undertake any actions which could preclude a dialogue. Any other resolution runs the risk of being counterproductive for the Soviet Union itself, for U.S.-Soviet relations, and will have adverse international repercussions. This is a very complex, delicate, diplomatic situation, and we will continue to treat it as such.

Q That'll keep you on the front pages.

Q Marlin, the other thing -- the Deputy Ambassador over at the Soviet Embassy was also asked if there was an understanding between the United States and the Soviet Union as to just exactly what the U.S. would tolerate. And he said, well, as to what might be an understanding, I really won't comment on that. I'd like to ask you that same question. Is there an understanding between these two countries as to what the U.S. would tolerate?

MR. FITZWATER: There is no understanding. The State Department announced that Secretary Baker had sent a message to Foreign Minister Shevardnadze on Lithuania on Sunday, I believe it was. I think that led to some of the speculation. But I am assured that that message did not reach any such understandings.

Q Marlin, is there an ongoing consultation through diplomatic channels with the Kremlin about this?

MR. FITZWATER: I'm not -- I mean, the short answer is, no. The more complex answer is, of course, we have an embassy in the Soviet Union, we are constantly in contact with Ambassador Matlock and others in the Embassy. They are continually reporting to us on their conversations and so forth. But in terms of high-level discussions, I mean, on the one hand I say no; on the other hand, Secretary Baker has talked to Foreign Minister Shevardnadze many times in the last few days.

Q Well, the spirit of my question is, is there some kind of a communication between the United States and the Kremlin about this situation that is beyond the public statements and the announced diplomatic messages? Is there some quiet diplomacy going on here which enables the United States to gain assurances to what the Soviets would not do beyond what's been publicly stated and enables us to tell them what we think is tolerable?

MR. FITZWATER: No.

Q You just said Mr. Baker spoke to Shevardnadze in the last few days. You mean since Namibia?

MR. FITZWATER: No, not since Namibia, except for his message on Sunday. He spoke in the generic sense there.

Q Marlin, just to clarify on the statement that you just read, does this deep concern extend to the events this morning and going into the hospitals to grab the deserters, or is your comment "no comment" on events of --

MR. FITZWATER: Well, it extends to all events. But we are reluctant to pick out one or another and comment on it.

Q Marlin, looking at this in a larger context, you've laid out a series of markers. No force, no intimidation; today, deep concern. Would it be true to say that the President feels somewhat constrained by his larger agenda in his hopes to do business with Mr. Gorbachev this year, not to prosecute any of those particular points? I mean, you've refused to tell us each time whether these actions go beyond that. It's hard to escape the conclusion that what the White House really doesn't want to do is disrupt the larger progress in the relationship over these events.

MR. FITZWATER: No, I would say that we have made it clear from the beginning that the relationship is one of the factors that is at stake here, and that this is a very serious issue that we are watching. And we have tried to be cautious in our approach to all of these changes and the Soviet actions throughout Eastern Europe, and we continue to want to take that approach.

But we believe that this situation in Lithuania does represent a delicate balance of concerns for the welfare of the people of Lithuania and the progress that they are making there, and we do not want to take any action that would have the effect of making that situation any worse.

Q Marlin, without any attempt to define it, you've just reminded us that you've repeatedly called for them not to use force. Have they, up to this point, used force?

MR. FITZWATER: Well, I'm not willing to give a definition, simply to say that our concerns are stated there, and they are aware of them. I think that was clear this morning. And we'll continue to watch the situation closely.

Q Marlin, quoting from a Soviet leaflet that was dropped over Vilnius by airplanes there yesterday, it says, where is the world's recognition of the sovereignty of the republic that is autonomous? This is in a litany of false -- of unfulfilled promises by the Lithuanian government. How do you respond to the fact that the Soviets are using the failure of the U.S. to formally recognize the Lithuanian government in attempt to deter and demoralize the population there from backing their government?

MR. FITZWATER: The statements are often used for all kinds of purposes. That's why it's important to simply restate our policy again and again. We have never recognized the incorporation of Lithuania into the United States to make --

Q U.S.S.R.

MR. FITZWATER: -- I mean, in the U.S.S.R., and to make these statements on the basis of what we believe and what our policy is and not try to -- you cannot anticipate how things are going to be used.

Q Now, the Deputy Ambassador over here also said this morning that, whereas the U.S. is saying there should be negotiations to resolve these difficulties, he says we don't negotiate with Lithuania because they're part of our country. We don't engage in negotiations as such, with a member state in our country.

MR. FITZWATER: He also said they intend to follow

Q Over the past couple of days, you've said the situation has been escalating daily. Did it escalate further with this going into the hospitals and grabbing the deserters?

MR. FITZWATER: I think we have reached a point where we feel it's important to state our views, but not to try to be any kind of a party to this escalation. And I would not want to speculate on your question in such a way that would lend credence to the escalation theory.

Q It's not a theory -- excuse me, but it's not a theory. You have been saying -- you used the word escalation Friday and yesterday.

MR. FITZWATER: That's right. I choose not to do it today.

Q Well, so it's going to become a theory?

Q Why are we being -- why are we so -- I don't mean to be -- I'm not saying this to be pejorative, it's just the expression that comes to mind -- clearly you're soft-pedaling the situation today even in comparison with yesterday's words which were not exactly bellicose, and I just wondered if you can give us some sense of what has brought about this change. Obviously somebody's made a decision and now is not the time to escalate our warnings. Can you explain why?

MR. FITZWATER: That's correct. We simply don't feel that inflammatory language is helpful, that we are worried that our comments might be portrayed in such a way as they would be unhelpful, and I want to be very careful today that that does not happen.

Q What brought this about overnight?

Q What did you say yesterday that got you in trouble?
And with whom?

MR. FITZWATER: Yesterday, I said basically the same words that I said on Friday, and yet the media played them much more dramatically than I had anticipated. I do not want that to happen again.

Q Did you get feedback from the Soviets, or within the White House? What was the message you got that urged you to be circumspect today?

MR. FITZWATER: Simply that we do not want to inflame the situation.

Q Marlin, this morning, the Soviets, in this news conference said that when asked whether they had interpreted your comments yesterday in any manner an ultimatum said no, they hadn't. They felt they read the situation quite clearly. So I'm --

MR. FITZWATER: Maybe I'm better than I thought.

Q They said, "Let it rip, Marlin." (Laughter.)

Q The question comes back to why, then, you know, where

show, in answer to Nick's question, that we can't get into pulling out words here and there and trying to analyze what they mean.

Q If I may follow up, does the U.S. refusal to recognize the annexation of Lithuania preclude it from then recognizing that the Soviet rule of law would extend it --

MR. FITZWATER: Mick, we're just not going to get into that kind of analysis. I'm sorry.

Q Have the Soviets given the administration any indication as to what their long-term strategy is, whether it is to develop a confederation in five years, to possibly eventually let Lithuania go, to suppress the thing totally? Have they given you any kind of a long-term prognosis as to what they're trying to --

MR. FITZWATER: No.

Q A couple of questions on TV Marti, if I may. What's the White House evaluation of the test last night, considering the fact that the programming part of it was interfered with by Cuba? And two, what plans does the U.S. have to deal with that kind of interference or jamming?

MR. FITZWATER: The test worked in the sense that we began programming early this morning. The programming aspects of it, technically and in terms of content, were successful. That programming was done in full compliance with national and international law. But it was jammed by the Cubans and we will continue to attempt our programming, both in news and entertainment, and we'll just have to hope that at some point they see the light, or that we can find ways to technically broadcast without it being jammed.

Q Do you know anything about the report that -- I'm sure you do. Let me put it another way. What can you tell us about a report that Cuba's putting in missiles to defend the jammer?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't have any information on missiles.

Q It's one thing to accept jamming of TV Marti until they see the light. What about jamming of other commercial communications in the United States? Are we going to accept that?

MR. FITZWATER: We're opposed to all jamming. But it happens. It has happened for sometime, and we try to deal with it on a technological basis and through other ways. But it's not something new. This is not a unique thing. They've jammed radio broadcasts before this.

Q Can you confirm that we're going to open up talks on a free trade agreement with Mexico?

MR. FITZWATER: We have had discussions with Mexico about general economic issues and problems related to our two countries. There have not been any negotiations on a free trade agreement. President Bush, as you know, during the campaign indicated he would like to see free trade with Mexico. He would like to see a Northern Hemisphere dedicated to free trade, which would include Canada, the United States and Mexico. And there have been preliminary

that regard today since this is the deadline?

MR. FITZWATER: Our intention is to seek a waiver of Gramm-Rudman-Hollings to allow for this package, but I don't have the exact status. I'll have to check with OMB and Dick Darman and see where that is.

Q Is that going to happen today?

MR. FITZWATER: I frankly doubt it. Nothing has come to me yet, and I think it's unlikely today -- although I'll double-check that.

Still photographers need to assemble in the Lower Press Office at this time.

Q Is the President willing to raise the deficit \$800 million to see that this aid package goes to Panama?

MR. FITZWATER: Well, if that's what it takes. But we would much prefer the offsets. We have shown where this money can come from in the defense budget, and we think the money is there and we believe that's a far more preferable approach.

Q Marlin, wasn't there an interim step there where he said if they didn't reach the agreement by today, he was going to seek the authority to do the offsets unilaterally without any kind of agreement?

Q That's what today was all about.

MR. FITZWATER: I don't think that was tied to the deadline.

Q I think it was.

Q And then after that, if that failed, then the Gramm-Rudman waiver was supposed to be the last resort.

MR. FITZWATER: Okay, then I stand corrected. I thought we were saying that we wanted the offsets; if they declined to give it to us, to give us the authority, and if they couldn't give us the authority by today. But you're saying -

Q Can you give us some kind of status --

MR. FITZWATER: I will clarify the application of the deadline and what's next. I thought the first two steps were up to date. But if I'm wrong, I'm wrong. I'll double-check.

Q A follow-up on that. Do you have some response to Senator Leahy's criticism of sort of the per-capita allocation of these funds, giving a lot of money to these two and what he says is an essential part of -- for these Eastern European countries?

MR. FITZWATER: Yes. We believe that these two countries, Panama and Nicaragua, are important to the United States. They are important in the Western Hemisphere of families. They are countries that look to us for a great deal of their support, and we believe we do have a special obligation to them as we do to other countries in

be a disproportionate amount of support in the sense that these countries are here and they depend on us.

Q Do you reject, though, his per-capita accounting?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know about his per-capita accounting. He was confused on the amounts of money that were going to Panama for a while, but I think he straightened that out; but I don't know about the per-capita. I just don't know, David.

Q Marlin, if I can go back to Lithuania for a second. Has the President been doing any telephone diplomacy with West European leaders to coordinate the tone of the overall Western response to what's happening there?

MR. FITZWATER: Not to my knowledge.

Q Question?

MR. FITZWATER: He asked if the President had been in contact with any European leaders over the tone of our response to Lithuania, and I said I don't believe so.

Q On the same subject, did Gerasimov's characterization of the U.S. response as an ultimatum have anything to do with your remarks today? And has that been straightened out? Chetverikov said that it was not at all an ultimatum.

MR. FITZWATER: I haven't heard Gerasimov's comments, so I don't know what he had to say. He doesn't like my tone, is that the deal?

Q The Deputy Ambassador said the same thing in his TV press conference.

Q He wasn't referring just to you --

Q No he didn't.

Q He didn't?

MR. FITZWATER: I'm sorry I'm not familiar with Gennady's comments.

Q Well, was it an ultimatum or not?

Q Yeah, Marlin.

Q Why not? (Laughter.)

MR. FITZWATER: Let's get out of this. What's next?

THE PRESS: Thank you.

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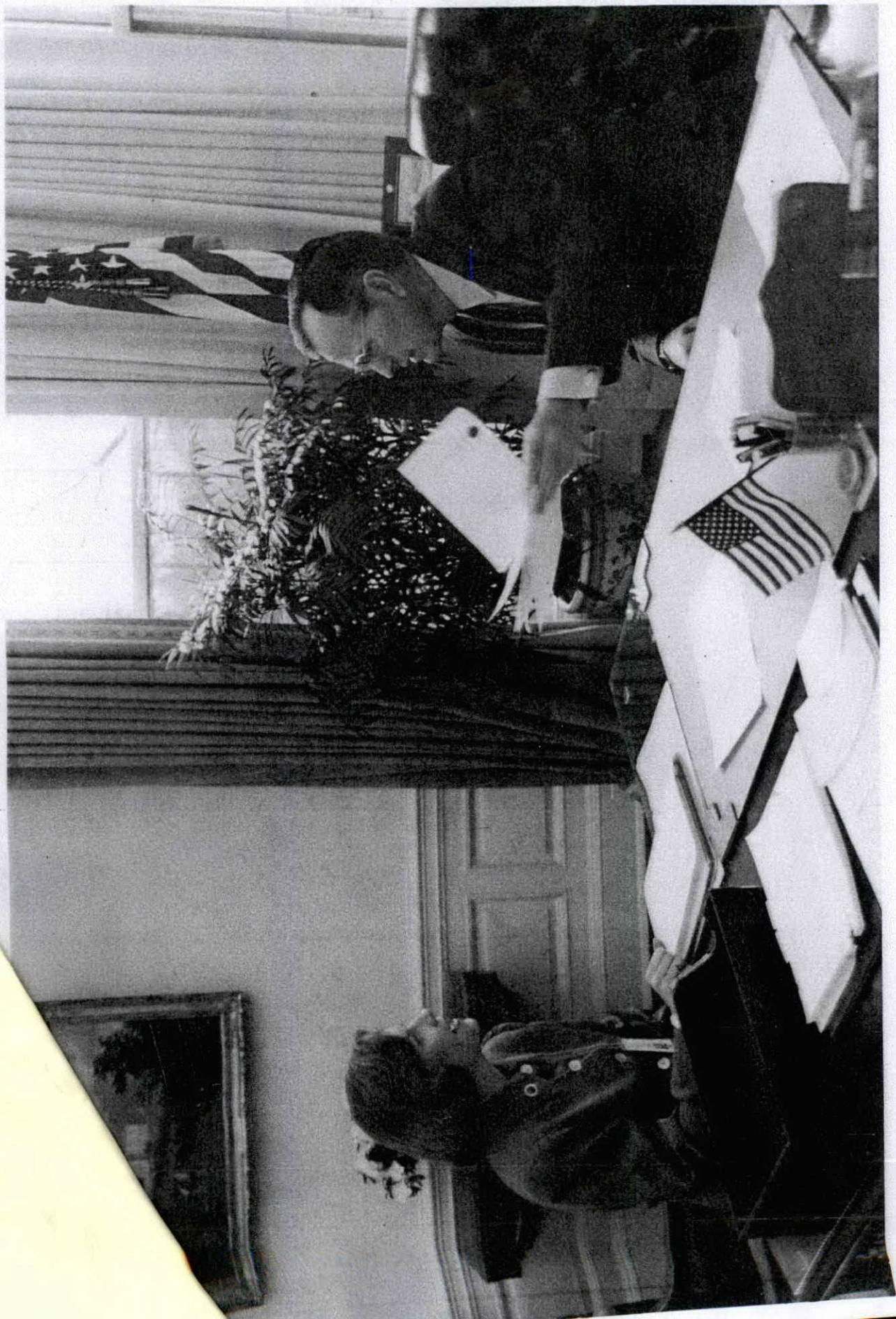
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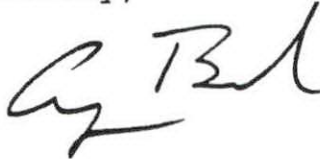
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Barbara and I are pleased to join with your family and friends in sending our congratulations to you on the joyous occasion of your marriage. We sincerely hope that your years together will bring you a lifetime of love and happiness.

God bless you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "G. H. W. Bush", written in a cursive style.

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