land tour boat facility for the Fort Sumter National Monument, SC, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4302. An act to establish a commission for the purpose of encouraging and providing for the commemoration of the centennial of the birth of President Dwight David Eisenhower.

H.R. 4531. An act to improve the operation of certain fish and wildlife programs.

H.R. 4731. An act to enhance boating safety by requiring a report relating to the display on gasoline pumps of the type of alcohol, the percentage of each type of alcohol, and the percentage of cosolvents, if any, contained in the gasoline; to amend chapter 131 of title 46, United States Code, relating to recreational boating safety; and for other purposes.

H.R. 5420. An act to amend section 3726 of title 31, United States Code, relating to payment for transportation, to permit prepayment audits for selected transportation bills, to permanently authorize payment of transportation audit contractors from carrier overpayments collected, to authorize net overpayments collected to be transferred to the Treasury, and for other purposes.

H.R. 5560. An act to amend title 18 of the United States Code to ban the production and use of advertisements for child pornography or solicitations for child pornography, and for other purposes.

H.J. Res. 10. Joint resolution to designate the week beginning January 19, 1987, as "Shays' Rebellion Week" and Sunday, January 25, 1987, as "Shays' Rebellion Day."

H.J. Res. 67. Joint resolution calling for a wildlife sanctuary for humpback whales in the West Indies.

H.J. Res. 756. Joint resolution to make corrections in the Comprehensive Anti-Apartheid Act of 1986.

On November 10, 1986:

S. 485. An act to amend the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act of 1980 to clarify the treatment of submerged lands and ownership by the Alaskan Native Corporation.

S. 740. An act to promote the conservation of migratory waterfowl and to offset or prevent the serious loss of wetlands by the acquisition of wetlands and other essential habitat, and for other purposes.

S. 1236. An act to amend title 18 of the United States Code and other laws to make minor or technical amendments to provisions enacted by the Comprehensive Crime Control Act of 1984, and for other purposes.

S. 1374. An act to establish the Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor in Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

S. 2000. An act to clarify the exemptive authority of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

S. 2648. An act to improve the public health through the prevention of injuries.

H.R. 2663. An act to amend title 5, United States Code, to credit time

spent in the Cadet Nurse Corps during World War II as creditable service for civil service retirement; and to provide civil service retirement credit for certain employees and former employees of nonappropriated fund instrumentalities under the jurisdiction of the Armed Forces.

H.R. 3737. An act to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to deter immigration-related marriage fraud and other immigration fraud.

H.R. 4208. An act to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1987, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4613. An act to reauthorize appropriations to carry out the Commodity Exchange Act, and to make technical improvements to that Act.

H.R. 5180. An act to designate the Federal Building at 111 W. Huron Street, Buffalo, NY, as the "Thaddeus J. Dulski Federal Building."

H.R. 5595. An act to make permanent and improve the provisions of section 1619 of the Social Security Act, and for other purposes.

On November 14, 1986:

S. 991. An act to amend certain provisions of the law regarding the fisheries of the United States, and for other purposes.

S. 1744. An act to require States to develop, establish, and implement State comprehensive mental health plans.

S. 2638. An act to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1987 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, to improve the defense acquisition process, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2946. An act to establish an independent jury system for the Superior Court of the District of Columbia.

H.R. 3004. An act to amend section 3006A of title 18, United States Code, to improve the delivery of legal services in the criminal justice system to those persons financially unable to obtain adequate representation, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4378. An act to provide standards for placement of commemorative works on certain Federal lands in the District of Columbia and its environs, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4444. An act to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4745. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to sexual abuse.

H.R. 5028. An act entitled the "Lower Colorado Water Supply Act."

H.R. 5363. An act to amend the interest provisions of the Declaration of Taking Act.

H.R. 5674. An act to amend title 28, United States Code, with respect to the composition of, and places of holding court in, certain judicial districts.

H.J. Res. 626. Joint resolution to approve the "Compact of Free Associa-

tion" between the United States and the Government of Palau, and for other purposes.

On November 17, 1986:

H.R. 6. An act to provide for the conservation and development of water and related resources and the improvement and rehabilitation of the Nation's water resources infrastructure.

H.R. 5705. An act to protect and provide for the enhancement of the resources of the Columbia River Gorge, and for other purposes.

H.R. 5730. An act to provide for a land exchange in the State of Alaska.

## PRESIDENTIAL DISAPPROVALS SUBSEQUENT TO SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

Subsequent to the sine die adjournment of the Senate,

The President of the United States, on Thursday, November 20, 1986, transmitted to the Secretary of the Senate a record of bills disapproved by him on certain dates, with his reasons for such actions, as follows:

On October 25, 1986:

RELIEF OF MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK, MOBILE, AL

I am withholding my approval of S. 593, a bill for the relief of the Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Alabama.

The enrolled bill would authorize the payment of \$809,609 to the Merchants National Bank in settlement of its claims against the United States relating to certain government loan guarantees. The compensation would be for losses the Bank claims were caused by the issuance and cancellation of a loan guarantee and the subsequent reissuance on different terms of a second loan guarantee.

The need to renegotiate the terms of the loan guarantee originally extended to the Merchants National Bank of Mobile was regrettable. However, the Bank's claim that it was injured as a result of the change is not supported by the facts. While the terms of the two guarantees were different, the second loan contained some provisions that were more advantageous to the Bank than those that were included in the first guarantee, and the Bank's losses did not result from the need to cancel the first guarantee and the issuance of a second guarantee. Under the circumstances that existed at the time the second guarantee was negotiated, this guarantee was not less advantageous to the Bank than the first, unauthorized guarantee. I must, therefore, withhold my approval of S. 593 in order to prevent payment to the Bank of an unsupportable gratuity.

Ronald Reagan. The White House, October 24, 1986.

## On October 28, 1986:

## AUTHORIZATION OF CERTAIN MARITIME PROGRAMS

I am withholding my approval of H.R. 4175, a bill "To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1987 for certain maritime programs of the Department of Transportation and the Federal Maritime Commission."