

WORLD IN BRIEF

Associated Press

Trump, GOP plan White House celebration as tax bill OK nears

WASHINGTON — Jubilant Republican lawmakers laid plans to join President Donald Trump at the White House for a victory celebration today as Congress moved one roll call away from approving the GOP's paramount priority, the most thorough reshaping of the country's tax system since the 1980s.

"Workers benefit. Wages go up. More jobs occur," House Speaker Paul Ryan, R-Wis., said today on NBC's "Today," describing what Republicans say will flow from a \$1.5 trillion measure that affects everyone's taxes but is dominated by breaks for business and higher earners. Democrats call the legislation a boon to the rich that leaves middle-class and working Americans behind.

"If they think this bill is a good political argument for them, let them think that," House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi, D-Calif., told reporters.

The Senate used a post-midnight vote to approve the measure on a party-line 51-48 tally. Protesters interrupted with chants of, "Kill the bill, don't kill us" and Vice President Mike Pence repeatedly called for order. Upon passage, Republicans cheered, with Treasury Secretary Steve Mnuchin among them.

In an eleventh-hour hiccup Tuesday, the Senate parliamentarian found that three minor provisions violated Senate rules, forcing lawmakers to strip them out.

Republicans had rammed the bill through the House 227-203 on Tuesday with all voting Democrats in opposition. Because of the language the Senate removed, the House had to revisit the measure Wednesday because each chamber must approve identical legislation before it can be signed into law.

Shutdown clock ticking, GOP struggling for spending deal

WASHINGTON — Republicans who control Congress are struggling to come up with a must-pass measure to avoid a government shutdown this weekend.

House GOP leaders are short of votes, and have scrapped plans to combine a short-term spending bill with \$81 billion worth of disaster aid and a \$658 billion Pentagon funding measure.

their pressure has sent GOP leaders back to the drawing board.

Democrats are pressing for a two- or three-week temporary spending bill that pushes a number of unresolved issues — including disaster aid — into the new year.

Cardinal Law, disgraced figure in church abuse scandal, dies

VATICAN CITY — Cardinal Bernard Law, the disgraced former archbishop of Boston whose failure to stop child molesters in the priesthood triggered the worst crisis in American Catholicism, died today in Rome at age 86.

Law, who spent his final years in various Vatican posts, had

been sick and was recently hospitalized.

Law was once one of the most important figures in the U.S. church, wielding considerable influence inside the Vatican. From 1984 until he resigned under pressure 18 years later, he was spiritual leader in Boston, the nation's fourth-largest archdiocese, with 1.8 million Catholics.

But in 2002, The Boston Globe began a series of stories that revealed that Law and his predecessors had transferred child-molesting priests from parish to parish without alerting parents or police — a scandal later chronicled in the Oscar-winning film "Spotlight."

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If your baby was born between **January 1st & December 31st, 2017**, you can submit your newborn's picture either via email at: **CLASSIFIEDS@DAILYASTORIAN.COM** or drop by one of our offices in Astoria or Seaside and we can scan in the photo for you.

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Entries will be printed in The Daily Astorian on January 31st.

Human babies only please!



THE DAILY ASTORIAN WILL BE CLOSED

MONDAY DECEMBER 25TH

So that our employees can enjoy Christmas with their families, there will be no newspaper on Monday, December 25th. Our offices will also be closed.

We will reopen on Tuesday, December 26th, and delivery will resume as usual.

Happy Holidays!



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Classifieds for Tuesday, December 26th, 2017:
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104 Special Notices

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504 Homes for Sale

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