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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon SUPPORTS SCR 8
Committee: Senate Committee On Rules
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SCR8

I SUPPORT [SCR 8].

The life and service of Private William Ezra Leon "Billy" Calkins should be taught in Oregon Schools History Classes.

Private Calkins life and service is inspirational for all generations of our Nation.

"The Bataan Death March" was one of the most heinous of war crimes in the Pacific Theater.

[<https://www.army.mil/asianpacificamericans/bataanddeathmarch.html>]

[<https://www.nationalww2museum.org/war/topics/battle-bataan-death-march>]

Thank-you Senator Sollman and Senator Manning, Jr. for all of your efforts to bring to Oregon's attention to the life and service of Private William Ezra Leon "Billy" Calkins.

Was there any attempts made to locate any living relatives of Private Calkins to inform them of [SCR 8]?

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Mr. Oregon Respectfully Concurs.