Madam Speaker, we

owe it to the memories of those who

lost their lives on 9–11 to remember, to

reflect, and also to bring to justice

those responsible. We also have a similar

obligation not to use the events of

9–11 and the great losses which so many

endured as a pretext for launching a

war against Iraq.

Iraq was not responsible for 9–11. Iraq

has not been linked to 9–11. Yet here

we are on the anniversary of that grim

day, and all the administration is attempting

to do is reframe 9–11 by beating

the drum for war against a nation

not connected to 9–11.

America has had enough violence in

the past year for our country to have

to suffer even more violence to the

truth which brings us into an unjustified

war. Let us heal our Nation and

heal it with truth and with justice.

That is the American way.