

Edith Rolfson, who lives in Washington with her daughter and John's sister, Mary Jean Rolfson, and another sister, Mrs. Nancy Brown of Bethesda.

Rolfson was a very good reporter and uncommonly retiring for his trade. I'd like to read his memoirs.

#### QUORUM CALL

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, in accordance with rule V of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I ask unanimous consent on behalf of the distinguished junior Senator from Nevada (Mr. CANNON) that he be granted a leave of absence from the Senate on next Monday and next Tuesday because of a death in the family.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### ORDER OF BUSINESS ON MONDAY, JULY 23, 1973

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, it was intended that the Senate would proceed on Monday, following the disposition of the Public Works appropriations bill, to take up S. 372, the so-called campaign financing bill. In view of the fact that the distinguished chairman of the Committee on Rules and Administration (Mr. CANNON), because of a death in the family, cannot be here on next Monday or Tuesday, the leadership will proceed—and this matter has been taken up with the other side, so that there is a full understanding all the way around—to ask unanimous consent at this time, and, having been authorized by the distinguished majority leader, I so do, that following the disposition of the bill making appropriations for Public Works on Monday, the Senate proceed to the consideration of Calendar Order No. 285, S. 1149, a bill to increase the supply of railroad rolling stock.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I further ask unanimous consent that on Monday, upon the disposition of S. 1149, the Senate turn to the consideration of Calendar Order No. 262, S. 2101, a bill to amend the Truth in Lending Act.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### ORDER FOR RECOGNITION OF SENATOR FONG, SENATOR McCLURE, AND SENATOR ROBERT C. BYRD ON MONDAY, JULY 23, 1973

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that on Monday, after the two leaders or their des-

ignees have been recognized under the standing order, the following Senators be recognized, each for not to exceed 15 minutes, and in the order stated: Mr. HUGHES, Mr. FONG, Mr. McCLURE, and Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, the fourth of the quartet of Senators named may or may not use his time on Monday.

#### ORDER FOR A PERIOD FOR THE TRANSACTION OF ROUTINE MORNING BUSINESS ON MONDAY

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that following the recognition of Senators on Monday under the orders previously entered, there be a period for the transaction of routine morning business for not to exceed 15 minutes, with statements limited therein to 3 minutes, at the conclusion of which the Senate proceed to the consideration of the bill making appropriations for public works, H.R. 8947.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### QUORUM CALL

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, there are various nominations that have been reported by the Committee on Armed Services today. I ask unanimous consent that the Senate now go into executive session and that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of those New Reports en bloc.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The nominations reported earlier today will be stated.

#### NOMINATIONS AT THE SECRETARY'S DESK

The legislative clerk proceeded to read sundry nominations in the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, now at the Secretary's desk.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, the nominations are confirmed en bloc.

#### LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate return to the consideration of legislative business.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### PUBLIC WORKS APPROPRIATIONS, 1974

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate now proceed to the consideration of H.R. 8947, with no action to be taken thereon today.

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Mr. NUNN). The bill will be stated by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 8947) making appropriations for public works for water and power development, including the Corps of Engineers—Civil, the Bureau of Reclamation, the Bonneville Power Administration and other power agencies of the Department of the Interior, the Appalachian regional development programs, the Federal Power Commission, the Tennessee Valley Authority, the Atomic Energy Commission, and related independent agencies and commissions for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974, and for other purposes.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, the Senate will proceed to consider the bill.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum call be rescinded.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### ANTITRUST PROCEDURES AND PENALTIES ACT

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the motion to reconsider the passage of S. 782, to amend the antitrust law.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be stated by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows: A bill (S. 782) to amend the antitrust laws of the United States, and for other purposes.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The question is on agreeing to the motion to reconsider.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. I move to lay on the table the motion to reconsider.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The question is on agreeing to the motion to lay on the table the motion to reconsider.

The motion was agreed to.

#### ORDER FOR SENATE TO CONVENE ON SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1973, VACATED

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the previous order for the convening of the Senate tomorrow be vacated.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### ORDER FOR SENATE TO CONVENE AT 10 A.M. ON MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY OF NEXT WEEK

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the