

that it is easier to negotiate, or more in the national interest to negotiate. But it is hard for us to challenge that.

And we have instances where we are just positive that this is not the proper procedure. So that any opportunity which the Department of Justice might find in the future to urge competitive bidding would be, I think, very helpful.

Mr. LOEVINGER. Yes, sir.

Chairman PATMAN. Thank you.

Judge Loevinger, we will resume with you, then, Wednesday morning, at 10 o'clock, if it is all right with you.

Thank you kindly, sir, for your appearance, and your answers to the questions, your comments, and your statement.

Mr. LOEVINGER. Thank you, Congressman.

Chairman PATMAN. Tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, here in this room, we will have as witnesses Edwin J. Nourse, former Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers, 1946-49, Alfred E. Kahn, professor of economics, Cornell University, Walter Adams, professor of economics, Michigan State University, and Richard J. Barber, professor of law, Southern Methodist University.

The committee will stand in recess until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

(Whereupon, at 11:15 a.m., the committee was recessed, to reconvene at 10 a.m., Tuesday, August 21, 1962.)