

what I said before, that if this bill went back to the Judiciary Committee I would not be at all surprised to see our distinguished chairman of the Judiciary Committee and Mr. McCulloch and others offering key amendments to the bill.

Their contention on the procedural step—and I think we ought to be fair with them—is their apprehension that if the bill goes back through the Senate through the conference route, that there will never be anything except a roadblock created. I don't agree with them on that in the light, as Mr. Anderson pointed out, of the fact that the Senate voted cloture I believe twice in 2 weeks.

I think that bit of history gives more support for the position that we take. This bill should go to the Judiciary Committee for further study and in any event it should go to the conference committee.

The CHAIRMAN. Very well.

Are there any questions?

Thank you very much, Mr. Whitener.

Mr. WHITENER. I appreciate the opportunity to come here. I am sorry I had not prepared a formal statement.

The CHAIRMAN. The committee will recess until 10:30 in the morning.

(Whereupon, at 12:45 p.m. the committee was recessed subject to call.)

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