Sokolowska Domanski shall be held and considered to be within the purview of section 203(a)(2) of that Act and the provisions of section 204 of that Act shall not be applicable in this case.

The amendment was agreed to. The bill was ordered to be engrossed for a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

The title was amended, so as to read: “A bill for the relief of Mrs. Jozefa Sokolowska Domanski.”

AMENDMENT OF THE FEDERAL SALARY ACT OF 1967

The bill (S. 1989) to amend section 225 of the Federal Salary Act of 1967 with respect to certain executive, legislative, and judicial salaries; was announced as next in order.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Over, Mr. President. The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

PROCEDURES FOR CALLING CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTIONS

The bill (S. 1272) to provide procedures for calling constitutional conventions for proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States on application of the legislatures of two-thirds of the States, pursuant to article V of the Constitution was announced as next in order.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Over, Mr. President.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

AUTHORIZING SUPPLEMENTAL EXPENDITURES, COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

The resolution (S. Res. 133) authorizing supplemental expenditures by the Committee on the Judiciary for an inquiry and investigation relating to patents, trademarks, and copyrights was considered, and agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That S. Res. 56, Ninety-third Congress, agreed to February 27, 1973, as amended further amended as follows: (1) In section 2, strike out “$4,067,600” and insert in lieu thereof “$4,093,600.” (2) In section 13, strike out “$143,000” and insert in lieu thereof “$159,000.”

OCEAN POLICY STATEMENT

The resolution (S. Res. 82) endorsing the objectives of the President’s ocean policy statement was announced as next in order.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Over, Mr. President.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The resolution will be passed over.

FEDERAL RAILROAD SAFETY AUTHORIZATION ACT OF 1973

The bill (S. 2120) to amend the Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1970 and other related acts to authorize additional appropriations, and for other purposes was considered, ordered to be engrossed for a third reading, read the third time, and passed, as follows:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That this Act may be cited as the “Federal Railroad Safety Authorization Act of 1973”. That Sec. 2. Section 303 of the Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1970 (45 U.S.C. 441) is amended to read as follows: “There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out the provisions of this title not to exceed $19,440,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974.”

Sec. 3. Section 303 of the Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1970 (45 U.S.C. 1762) is amended to read as follows: “There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out the provisions of this title not to exceed $1,200,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974.”

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, that concludes the call of the unobjected to items on the legislative calendar for the time being.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Berry, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House had disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 7445) to amend the Renegotiation Act of 1951 to extend the Act for 2 years and to add a section to the Act to permit the President to make the statement in the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and that Mr. Mills, Mr. Ullman, Mr. Burke of Massachusetts, Mrs. Griffiths, Mr. Schmell, Mr. Collier, and Mr. Broyhill of Virginia were appointed managers on the part of the House at the conference.

RETIREMENT OF FRANK E. BATTAGLIA

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I would like at this time to express my regret at the retirement of Frank E. Battaglia, the dean of the Official Reporters of the House of Representatives. Mr. Battaglia came to the House in my second year over there, I believe, in 1944. He has been an excellent official of the Congress. His work is outstanding. He is one of the truly great reporters with whom I have had any contact—a man who has dignity, understanding, and a sense of humor, and a man who excels in perfection so far as his work is concerned.

I know that the House of Representatives will miss him, but I, too, will miss him, because of the many contributions and the outstanding service he has rendered to the Congress and in the Congress over the past 30 years.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first time and, by unanimous consent, the second time, and referred as indicated:

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

As in execution session, the following favorable reports of nominations were submitted:

TRANSACTION OF ROUTINE MORNING BUSINESS

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that there now be a period for the transaction of routine morning business, not to exceed 30 minutes, with a time limitation on statements therein of 5 minutes.

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

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

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The assistant legislative clerk proceeded to call the roll.

Mr. MANSFIELD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the order for the quorum be rescinded.

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

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. TURNER, from the Committee on the Judiciary, with amendments:

S. 782. A bill to amend the antitrust laws of the United States, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 93-298).

By Mr. EAGLETON, from the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, with amendments:

S. 775, A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the establishment of a National Institute on Aging (Rept. No. 93-299).

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Battaglia, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House had disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 7445) to amend the Renegotiation Act of 1951 to extend the Act for 2 years and to add a section to the Act to permit the President to make the statement in the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and that Mr. Mills, Mr. Ullman, Mr. Burke of Massachusetts, Mrs. Griffiths, Mr. Schmell, Mr. Collier, and Mr. Broyhill of Virginia were appointed managers on the part of the House at the conference.