

live at a distance? It is not always easy to get reservations.

**Hon. Mr. Connolly (Ottawa West):** On the last occasion on which the Senate was summoned during a recess, the notice was very short. But honourable senators understood the reason for that. It was the urgency of dealing with interim supply. I am sure we are all very pleased at the response to that request, especially having regard to the short notice. But that was an unusual situation. I think the notice will be a great deal longer on this occasion.

As to Senator Roebuck's suggestion, I will say that many times I have felt I would like to be able to relieve senators from far distant places of the worry of trying to get here when perhaps they know it is going to be a

very short sitting. However, the rule requires that all senators be notified, and I think we can do no less. I know that when senators who live in distant parts of the country find it difficult to attend, they inquire what the prospects for a quorum are, and it has usually worked out reasonably well.

**Hon. Mr. Choquette:** The telegram could be worded in such a way that they could read between the lines.

**The Hon. the Speaker:** Honourable senators, is it your pleasure to adopt the motion?

**Some Hon. Senators:** Agreed.

**Hon. Mr. McCutcheon:** On division.

Motion agreed to, on division.

The Senate adjourned until Tuesday, September 15, at 8 p.m.

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