He was an ornament to the Senate, a man beloved by all who knew him. I think of him not so much as a journalist, wit and parliamentarian, but as a dear family friend and next-door neighbour. As I have said before in this chamber, Senator Bishop and I were next-door neighbours for a period of 17 years. I have no wish to expand upon this save to say that on the day of my appointment to this chamber Charles Bishop came over and posed for a picture which included only my immediate family and himself. This picture now adorns the wall of my Senate office.

I shall never forget his many kindnesses to my family. The deepest sympathy of my wife, my children and myself goes out to his widow and daughters.

Hon. John J. Kinley: Honourable senators, there is little I can add to the splendid tributes paid to Charlie Bishop by our leaders in the Senate and by the honourable senator who has just spoken. However, as he came from Nova Scotia, I feel it only right that I should rise and say that we are proud of him as a Nova Scotian who came up to the biggest arena and became so highly esteemed by the people here in central Canada.

Charlie Bishop and I were appointed to the Senate on the same day and our association here was always most cordial. I knew him in the Commons when I went there as a young Liberal. I found in him a congenial spirit because he was a great party man and his advice was something very valuable, particularly to a young member. In the last few years he would call me on the telephone each day to ask what was new and what was going on, and frequently he could give me more news than I could give him. He was an able news-gatherer, a loyal member of this chamber and he came from good stock in the Province of Nova Scotia.

I wish to say as a Nova Scotian that we always feel glad when one from our province is as highly esteemed in this chamber as was Charlie Bishop. The high esteem in which he was held is shown by the tributes paid to his memory this evening.

## HON. GEORGE S. WHITE, P.C.

WELCOME ON RETURN TO CHAMBER AFTER ILLNESS

Hon. John J. Connolly: Honourable senators, I am sure I am expressing the feelings of all honourable senators when I say how delighted we are that our former Speaker, the Honourable George White, is back with

us again. I did not want him to hear this because the Irish are not given to flattery, and if it were flattery, he being Irish would recognize it at once.

Senator White has been absent much too long. Therefore may I say on behalf of all his colleagues how pleased we are to see him, and to see him look so well.

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