

The hearings will be recessed subject to call. That does not mean that this is going to be prolonged indefinitely. I am trying to expedite them to a conclusion, but without setting anybody off who really thinks he has a contribution he thinks can be made.

The Committee will stand in recess.

New Trademark Working Manual

The U. S. Trademark Association has announced the publication of a new working manual dealing with practice before the Patent Office. The manual entitled "Notes from the Patent Office" has been compiled in a loose-leaf volume with handy index tabs to allow for additions or replacement sections if the practice is changed by new legislation or rules.

The 320 page volume is broken down into four major sections and covers the procedures of applying for trademark registrations, prosecuting registrations, the types of registrations allowed and statutory requirements after registrations are issued. Service, collective and certification marks are discussed in addition to trademarks. The responsibility of the registrant in maintaining his rights after a registration issues is spelled out.

An important supplement is the Class Definitions that are keyed to the Classification of Goods. Each class is broken down into the detailed goods that fall within the class and is a most valuable reference in the filing of applications.

"Notes from the Patent Office" (320 pages) is available from The United States Trademark Association, 6 East 45th Street, New York, New York 10017, for \$12.00 per copy and price includes supplements to be issued through August of 1966.