

he married Anna Brillante, and together the couple had twin girls Clara and Marie, and a son Francis. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II, as a part of Delta Company's 25th tank division in Germany from 1945 to 1946.

Following the war, James and Anna moved the family to Mineola, New York where he drove trucks for the National Biscuit Company for 30 years before retiring in 1978. He continued to serve his community as an American Legion Post chaplain for over 20 years and by becoming a fourth degree knight in the Knights of Columbus. A die hard Yankee fan, he had witnessed all 40 of their American League pennants and 27 World Champions and still cheers the team on today. James and Anna settled down in Ridge, New York, where they have resided to this day and enjoy seeing their 8 grandchildren, and 12 great grandchildren.

James is truly an exceptional man and I join with his friends and family in celebrating this wonderful milestone. I wish him good health and continued success in the coming years.

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate of February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

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Meetings scheduled for Thursday, July 9, 2015 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

JULY 14

9:30 a.m.

Committee on Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of General Paul J. Selva, USAF, to be Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and General Darren W.

McDew, USAF, to be commander of the U.S. Transportation Command.

SD-G50

10 a.m.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Subcommittee on Space, Science, and Competitiveness

To hold hearings to examine unlocking the cures for America's most deadly diseases.

SR-253

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

To hold an oversight hearing to examine islanded energy systems, focusing on energy and infrastructure challenges and opportunities in Alaska, Hawaii and the United States Territories.

SD-366

2:30 p.m.

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship

To hold hearings to examine challenges and opportunities for small businesses engaged in energy development and energy intensive manufacturing.

SR-428A

Select Committee on Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters.

SH-219

JULY 15

9:30 a.m.

Committee on Environment and Public Works

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Kristen Marie Kulinowski, of New York, to be a Member of the Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board for a term of five years, and Gregory Guy Nadeau, of Maine, to be Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation.

SD-406

10 a.m.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau's semi-annual report to Congress.

SD-538

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.

SR-253

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings to examine securing the border, focusing on understanding threats and strategies for the maritime border.

SD-342

2:15 p.m.

Committee on Indian Affairs

To hold an oversight hearing to examine juvenile justice in Indian Country, fo-

cusing on challenges and promising strategies.

SD-628

2:30 p.m.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Subcommittee on Consumer Protection, Product Safety, Insurance, and Data Security

To hold hearings to examine the governance and integrity of international soccer.

SR-253

Joint Economic Committee

To hold hearings to examine what lower labor force participation rates tell us about work opportunities and incentives.

SD-562

JULY 16

2 p.m.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

Subcommittee on Regulatory Affairs and Federal Management

To hold hearings to examine the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs's role in the regulatory process.

SD-342

2:30 p.m.

Select Committee on Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters.

SH-219

2:45 p.m.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

Subcommittee on Public Lands, Forests, and Mining

To hold hearings to examine S. 132, to improve timber management on Oregon and California Railroad and Coos Bay Wagon Road grant land, S. 326, to amend the Healthy Forests Restoration Act of 2003 to provide cancellation ceilings for stewardship end result contracting projects, and S. 1691, to expedite and prioritize forest management activities to achieve ecosystem restoration objectives.

SD-366

AUGUST 4

10 a.m.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings to examine the back-end of the nuclear fuel cycle and related legislation, including S. 854, to establish a new organization to manage nuclear waste, provide a consensual process for siting nuclear waste facilities, ensure adequate funding for managing nuclear waste.

SD-366