February 3, 1981 - Les Kezitsky

Nontry Les Kezitsky. I talkéd with Les while I waited for Rich Galen. Rich's car broke down and he never showed up. Les worked for Dan on the House side and is Mark Mile's assistant, really. He says he likes administrative work. We talked about House-Senate differences. The day before, Rich said, "The work never lets up here. It just gets worse. In the House, after the campaign, there was a dip in activity. Here it just grows. It keeps up till you just die, I guess."

Les said, "We thought that things would slow down after the campaign--once we wrote the thank you letters to all the people who wrote in congratulating us. But then came the Christmas cards. When we got through those, then came the inauguration. Then came the nomination hearings." He was not very perceptive. He was impressed with the workload and saw his job as administrative, so I guess sheer workload was his major feeling.

He said they were still hiring an Armed Forces person and a Human Resource subcommittee staff director.

Mark Miles and Lester Rosen came by and introduced themselves, I met Patty **C**ray, too.