

Session Failure Due to Democrats, Morse Declares

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—(AP)—Senator Wayne Morse (R-Ore.) said yesterday the failure of the special session of congress to enact any civil rights legislation was solely the fault of the Democratic party.

"The obstructive tactics of the Democrats on all proposals for civil rights legislation placed the full and complete responsibility on the Democrats in the congress for the failure of the special session of Congress to pass the Republican anti-poll tax bill and other pieces of Republican civil rights legislation," Morse said in a statement.

"It was a physical impossibility to pass the legislation because of the limitation of time during the special session. We could not break the well-organized filibuster conducted by the Southern Democrats because of the time element."

Yet, Morse said, the Republicans did manage to advance the cause of civil rights legislation. "We clearly established by arguments which the Democrats were unable to answer that the Republican anti-poll tax bill is unconstitutional," he said.

"We also reached agreement and put the agreement in the form of a motion unanimously passed by the Republican senatorial conference, that in January, 1949, we will make a last ditch fight to amend rule 22 of the Senate in a manner which



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will provide for the limiting of debate on any business of the Senate and at the same time protect minority rights in order to allow adequate time for full debate on the merits of any issue."

Truman Held Remiss
In other matters, Morse said, it was difficult to make real progress because "The call was sounded in partisan politics, the President's message was phrased in terms of partisan politics, the Democratic strategy throughout the special session reeked with partisan politics."

Furthermore, he said, if congress had attempted to handle all the legislation the president asked for the special session would have had to last at least six months.

"It should be remembered," he said, "that the president did not submit specific legislative bills by which he proposed to carry out most of his proposals. It is also significant that his cabinet officers * * * were in conflict among themselves as to what program should be adopted."

Morse said he didn't like the housing bill that was passed—that he had, in fact, voted against it—but that he believed the measure would provide "some relief to some segments of our housing problem."

He said he disliked the bill because, as he saw it, it failed to provide proper relief to veterans and to low income groups. He said he also didn't like the way the Senate had bowed to the "dictates" of the House.

Morse said he felt that some progress had been made also in the direction of checking inflation. He said: "I am satisfied that under the political tensions of the session the Republican Congress did all that it could do under the circumstances."

What must be done, he said, is bring an end to "this conflict between the White House and the Congress." This can be done, Morse said, by electing a Republican president and a strong Republican majority in congress. He added:

"Then I think the Republican party will have the full respon-

Mobilize for "B" Day



(NEA Telephoto)
Los Angeles, Calif., housewives have started a war against rising meat prices. Here, June McClure (left) and Blanche Wilcox work on their allotted telephone calls in the program of "chain calls" to urge consumer resistance to high prices. The drive urged a "B" day on August 16 followed by a two-week period during which fresh meat purchases would be cut to the bone.

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SUTHERLIN.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riemenschneider, Mr. and Mrs. Art Correll and children and K. D. Bielman enjoyed a pleasant time Sunday at Glide with a picnic and fishing.

Mrs. George Cooper and three children and Mrs. Cooper's mother left Monday for Nebraska, where they will visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Watson

of Portland spent a few days in Sutherland visiting at the Brittain Slack home this week.

Gil Ryder of Portland made a business call in Sutherland Wednesday.

William R. Mayes has rented a part of the Parks building and will open a photography shop as soon as stock can be assembled.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Hatz of Portland representing the Portland Seed Company, was in town Thursday picking up all seed cat-

inets at the various stores.

Mrs. C. E. Redding of Roseburg visited her daughters and transacted business in this city Thursday.

C. M. Page of Page Lumber and Fuel Company, Roseburg, was a business caller in Sutherland Thursday.

Al George of Portland transacted business in Sutherland Thursday.

Robin Johnson of California is spending a few days visiting with

her grandmother, Mrs. Annabell DeMuth; her aunt, Mrs. Myrtle Kunkle and uncle, Jerry DeMuth. Mrs. D. W. Beck, who has been very ill at her home for a week or more with poison oak, is able to be out again.

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