

# Hoover Commission Report Demands Public Action Now, Speaker Tells Audience Here

"A strong display of public interest is needed now if the economies of the Hoover commission are to be adopted by congress," declared Mrs. Irene Taylor to a joint meeting of the Roseburg Business and Professional Women's club and the Roseburg Junior Chamber of Commerce at St. George's Episcopal church Monday night.

Mrs. Taylor, a public relations consultant for Portland Goodwill Industries, made this declaration in presenting a talk on the Hoover report before 25 members of the two groups urging them to act as "the situation is more serious than most people realize."

A history of the bipartisan Hoover commission was presented in the opening comments of Mrs. Taylor's talk. She said that the

commission was created from the realization by both political parties that the U.S. government is using out-dated and backward business methods in running the world's largest corporation. The Hoover commission, according to Mrs. Taylor, was created by the Lodge-Brown act in the summer of 1947. It was composed of six members of the Republican party and six members of the Democratic party who spent over two years studying 24 areas of executive power in an attempt to recommend elimination of waste and duplication. **Bureaus Heavily Increased**

Some of the findings of the commission were startling, the Portland public relations woman said. Twenty years ago, the government was run by 600,000 workers. Today, according to the Hoover report, it takes over two million workers to run the government. She explained that such a large staff of workers was justified in many fields because Americans are demanding more services from their government. But, she added, "It clearly shows the gigantic growth that government has made in the past 20 years."

She stated that the Hoover commission found that 450 government bureaus were operating 20 years ago and today there are 1816. She added that 65 of these bureaus were as large if not larger than the entire General Motors corporation. She went on to point out that 20 years ago it took four billion dollars to run the government and today it requires 42 billion to run the world's largest corporation.

Mrs. Taylor stated that the Hoover commission was interested in only one thing—cutting down the waste and duplication of this gigantic corporation's operations and give the shareholders, its citizens who pay the taxes, a dollar's worth of service for each dollar spent. **Economy Advice Listed**

Mrs. Taylor listed six main points that the Hoover report suggested to bring economy in government:

1. Cut down unneeded inventory.
  2. Unified purchasing and centralized storage of supplies.
  3. Better personnel management.
  4. A uniform and modern system of accounting.
  5. Elimination of unnecessary paper work with its resulting red tape.
  6. Put the postoffice department on a pay-itself basis.
- Many of the Hoover commission recommendations have been carried out, Mrs. Taylor reported, and at present there are 21 bills before Congress dealing with the commission's suggested reorganization. But, she said, much of the needed reform, especially in the postoffice department, is being delayed by Congress for some unknown reason. Americans must speak now while the country is in an economy mood, or tomorrow may be too late, concluded Mrs. Taylor.

**UNFAIR PRACTICE**  
PORTLAND — (AP)—The national labor relations board has found Leadbetter Logging & Lumber Co., Oswego, guilty of an unfair labor practice, the Portland NLRB office announced.

The ruling, just received here, upheld the finding of trial examiner Louis Plost, who conducted a hearing last fall into a CIO charge that the company had refused to hire Robert Edwin Cool because of his union activities.

**THIRD SET OF TEETH**  
DENVER — (AP)—An 84-year-old man who is cutting his third set of teeth said today: "Only way I can explain it is I've chewed tobacco since I was 12. I think it's a good gum fertilizer."

The man is Frank D. Basye, retired painter and decorator who 15 years ago lost his second set of teeth. He says he bought some false ones, but they "choked me and I put 'em in a dresser drawer and left 'em there."

**REDMOND-BEND PORT?**  
REDMOND, April 22 —(AP)—United Air Lines, which will complete a new administration building at the airport here next month, asked the CAA yesterday to designate Redmond as a co-intermediate point with Bend.

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Fruit Bowl	25c	15c
Soup Bowl	65c	30c
Tea Cup and Saucer	85c	45c (both)
Sugar and Creamer	3.00 (set)	1.50 (set)
Large Platter, 13"		
Small Platter, 11"		
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Large Plate	5.50	2.25
Bowls	up to 6.25	as low as 2.29
Large Creamer & Sugar	3.75	2.39
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Item	Former Price	SALE!
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Tumblers (9-oz.)	85c	45c
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