



By Harris Elsworth

When the President announced suddenly that he would address a message a joint session of the Congress, he created considerable excitement here. Inquiry revealed that the leaders of his party in Congress had no advance notice of what he was going to talk about. The result was a flurry of guessing. Some excitable individuals predicted he would ask for a declaration of war. Others thought it would be just another jolitical speech. It was neither, of course.

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The speech itself created very little comment if I am to judge from my conversations with 30 or 40 members since the session. What he said was apparently directed more for European readers and listeners than for us. The President told us and the world that we neither can nor will any longer follow the road of appeasement.

Looking back, it seems we have never been willing to face the facts about Russia and the attitude of the Russian government toward the United States. The present situation is not the result of a change in policy on their part. They have been driving straight and hard against us and our system of government for many years. We became confused for a time because they fought as our allies against the Axis powers. What we failed to take fully into consideration then, and have forgotten since, is that Russia fought on our side in self defense. Russia never allied herself with us and the other free western governments as a spiritual as well as physical ally. She never fought for our objectives—a free and self-governing world population. The objective of the ways has been to destroy all Russian government is and all other governments and bring about a communistic (Russian) controlled world. So far as Russia was concerned, the late war was merely a phase in the World revolution, which the communists have long been striving to promote.

Unfortunately our officials overlooked these facts. Or to put it more accurately—they refused to look at them. Now our government has been FORCED to abandon wishful thinking and face the hard and somewhat frightful truth. The Russian communist government is and always has been an enemy government. It has always been and still is bent upon destroying all free governments similar to ours—and including ours if possible.

So the President's speech was simply an announcement that we have, officially as a government, at last faced the facts. When a gangster, a mad-man, or

a wild and ferocious beast is at liberty in our midst, we must either destroy or cage the menace. Now another predatory government is loose in the world. We may have to attempt to destroy it—but our first efforts shall be by peaceful means to contain it within its own borders.

the northern part of the state Monday. They will visit in Eugene, Salem, and Portland while gone.

Lawrence Wright arrived home Sunday from New Mexico where he spent a couple of months visiting Sonny Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hoffeldt returned home the latter part of the week after being in Portland for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaines have moved from the cottage in Harbor to Brookings to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. have moved to the Peter Lester place south of Harbor live.

Mrs. Ida Wilson of Madras visited at the Dee Scobee last week, arriving on Wednesday.

LOCAL NEWS

Frank Pallady is confined to his home after suffering a relapse. He had bronchial pneumonia recently.

Mrs. Viola Hanscam, her mother, Mrs. George Anderson, and Mrs. Rose Hubbard left for

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We wish to announce that we have leased the Chetco Cafe, effective Friday, March 26, to Floyd Kindel, who has been our chef for about year. He will give the same good service that the Chetco has been noted for.

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We wish to take this opportunity to thank all our patrons, for their courtesies, and urge that you extend this patronage to Mr. Kindel.

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