

Ellsworth Defends 80th Congress In Speech to Eugene Rotarians

Addressing the Eugene Rotary Club Monday noon in what he termed "the same non-political character as President Truman's recent western trip," Harris Ellsworth, representative from the Fourth Congressional District, came strongly to the defense of the 80th Congress and the actions of the Republican party.

Declaring that "President Truman says the Republicans won't say where they stand," Rep. Ellsworth pointed out that there was no secret about what the 80th Congress stood for, what it did, and what it intended to do. The actions of the 80th Congress are a matter of public record, he reminded his listeners.

Policy Statement
In June, 1946, the Republicans passed a statement of policy which was adhered to through that session of Congress, Ellsworth declared. This included work on housing, cost of living, cost of government, labor and western development.

Taking the cost of living first, Ellsworth said causes of inflation were threefold: 1. Helping Europe, a step which enjoyed the cooperation of both parties, and reduced the available supply of goods by that amount. 2. Some shortages still remain, and profiteering is going on to some extent. People who have things that are in short supply are selling at high prices and making more than the average percentage of profit. 3. Inflation was created in 1934, but came to a head during and after the war. Congress in 1934 authorized the devaluation of the dollar by the President, and the price of gold was doubled, increasing the flow of currency but decreasing the value of the dollar to 50 cents. There is now five times as much currency in circulation as there was in 1939.

Controls Unworkable
"That is the total extent of inflation," Ellsworth emphasized. He declared that the question was not one of legislation alone, and that "to put controls on now would be like treating smallpox with a face lotion." Inflation cannot be cured by controls, he believes, and the 80th Congress followed that belief except for reinstating controls against installment buying and making it more difficult for banks to expand loan programs.

Taxes were cut by the Congress, Ellsworth reminded Rotarians. Millions of persons in the \$5050 or less income brackets had their taxes cut substantially, seven million were removed from tax roles, and persons over 65 and the blind were exempted. The government's retirement of the national debt is going forward "at a good high ratio," and taxes could stand some cutting, the speaker affirmed.

Costs Trimmed
The 80th Congress trimmed the cost of government some 20 billion dollars altogether before adjournment, Ellsworth pointed out. Touching more lengthily on housing, the representative said that the 80th Congress had been criticized for not passing the Taft-Ellender-Wagner housing bill, but added that the part of the bill Congress wouldn't pass "had no bearing on the increased number of homes."

Homes A-Building
This portion of the bill would have authorized the government to construct barracks-like housing projects, and would authorize the government to buy materials in the market which has only a certain allotment for home builders. A million homes are being built this year in the country, the speaker said, and suggested that with the government buying materials, there would be no materials for private builders.

The slum clearance portion of the bill was not passed, Ellsworth said, because its aim was to "build better instead of more roofs over peoples' heads." This portion of the bill may be passed another year, but Congress did not think it advisable in 1948, he said.

Another section rejected was the farm loan section, authorizing \$1000 cash grant and up to \$1000 loan, with payments forgiven for 10 years, to farmers who needed new homes or outbuildings. Instead, the Congress passed a liberal loan and credit portion of the bill.

T-H Law Defended
On the subject of labor, Ellsworth said the Taft-Hartley Law was passed because the Wagner Act had become one-sided, and because NLRB could see only one side of the issue. He called the Taft-Hartley Bill "successful," and said "there have been no complaints against it, and no one has been injured."

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Red Network Charged
Communism in the United States came in for a blast from Ellsworth when he declared "The executive branch of the government is infiltrated with left-wingers and reds." Congressmen can't do anything about this except make speeches, he said, turning the spotlight on the subversives and thus getting them out of the government.

"When Congress demanded that the President clean house he asked for 50 million dollars to do it with," Ellsworth remarked. "Dewey will do it and not spend 50 cents."

Foreign Policy
When it came to matters of foreign policy, both Republican and Democratic elements of Congress stood squarely behind the President and the State Department, since it is the job of the State Department and not Congress to determine foreign policy, the representative declared. Congress gave this support even when in

doubt as to what the truth of many issues really was, he emphasized.

Ellsworth believes the United States now stands face to face with the enemy. They have been in this position for 20 years, except for a short truce during the war. Russia now will set the pace and call the shots, the representative believes, and is the same Communist dictatorship as before the war, with the same motive of destroying the U. S. government.

MARINES GET QUOTA
The U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting District of Oregon has received a quota of five one-year enlistments for October. Applications are now being taken at the Eugene U. S. Marine Recruiting station, 23 West 6th, Old Postoffice Building.

Spain Declared Bloc Member

MOSCOW — (AP) — New Times referred to Spain in an editorial headline Wednesday as "the sixth member of the western bloc."

"American imperialists since long ago have been taking measures to turn Spain into their base," the Soviet weekly said. "No considerations of a moral character hold back American expansionists and their servants." (The term "sixth member of the western bloc" is highly contagious and will continue for life if not stopped. Its sole cause is the itch-mite, which is immune to ordinary treatment. EXSORA kills the itch-mite almost instantly. Only three days' EXSORA treatment is required. Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention. FRED MEYER DRUGS)

the western bloc' apparently referred to the Western European Union. This is an economic and defensive alliance formed by Britain, France, Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg).

GENEVA PICKED
PARIS—(AP)—The United Nations budgetary committee decided Tuesday in favor of Geneva as the site of the ninth session of the economic and social council

Will's Provisions
According to the will, Weiskopf's daughter, Mrs. Danise Weiskopf Reid, would receive income from one-third of the estate only "so long as she shall be married to someone other than Harris Reid, also known as Robert H. Reid of New York."
Otherwise Mrs. Reid will receive only a flat \$2500 annually.
In case Mrs. Reid divorces her present husband and marries somebody else, the income from the estate will be divided equally among her and two sons of Weiskopf, according to the present terms of the will.
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