

State of the Union Speech Highlights

WASHINGTON (AP) — Textual highlights of President Eisenhower's prepared State of the Union message to Congress Thursday.

Topical subheads are not the President's:

UNITY-PEACE
In the past year, there has been progress justifying hope, both for continuing peace and for the ultimate rule of freedom and justice in the world. Free nations are collectively stronger than at any time in recent years. Just as nations of this hemisphere . . . have closed ranks against imperialistic Communism and strengthened their economic ties, so free nations elsewhere have forged new bonds of unity.

SOVIET THREAT
The massive military machines and ambitions of the Soviet-Communist bloc still create uneasiness in the world. All of us are aware of the continuing reliance of the Soviet Communists on military force, of the power of their weapons, of their present resistance to realistic armament limitation, and of their continuing effort to dominate or intimidate free nations on their periphery.

FOREIGN TRADE
We must expand international trade and investment and assist friendly nations whose own best efforts are still insufficient to provide the strength essential to the security of the free world . . . Barriers still impede trade and the flow of capital needed to develop each nation's human and material resources. Wise reduction of these barriers is a long-term objective of our foreign economic policy. . . .

ANTI-COMMUNISM
We shall continue to ferret out and to destroy Communist subversion. We shall, in the process, carefully preserve our traditions and the basic rights of our citizens.

BIPARTISANSHIP
As never before, there is need for unhesitating cooperation among the branches of our government. . . . In less perilous days of the past, division of governmental responsibility among our great parties has produced a paralyzing indecision. We must not let this happen in our time. . . . In all areas basic to the strength of America, there will be—to the extent I can assure them—cooperative, constructive

relations between the executive and legislative branches of this government.

ECONOMY
The past year—1954—was one of the most prosperous years in our history. Business activity now surges with new strength . . . the transition to a peacetime economy is largely behind us. The economic outlook is good.

TAXES
Last year we had a large tax cut and, for the first time in 75 years, a basic revision of federal tax laws. It is now clear that defense and other essential government costs must remain at a level precluding further tax reductions this year. . . . I am hopeful that such reductions can be made next year.

HOUSING
As part of our efforts to provide decent, safe and sanitary housing for low-income families, we must carry forward the housing program authorized during the 83rd Congress. We must also authorize contracts for a firm program of 35,000 additional public housing units in each of the next two fiscal years.

HEALTH
By special message on Jan. 24, I shall propose a coordinated

program to strengthen and improve existing health services. This program will continue to reject socialized medicine. It will emphasize individual and local responsibility. Under it the federal government will neither dominate nor direct, but serve as a helpful partner.

SCHOOL AID
Such factors as population growth, additional responsibilities of schools, and increased and longer school attendance have produced an unprecedented classroom shortage. This shortage is of immediate concern to all of our people. Positive, affirmative action must be taken now. . . . I shall forward a special message . . . presenting an affirmative program dealing with this shortage.

LABOR—MINIMUM WAGE
In the past five years we have had economic growth which will support an increase in the federal minimum wage. In the light of present economic conditions, I recommend its increase to 90 cents an hour. I also recommend that many others, at present excluded, be given the protection of a minimum wage. . . . I renew my recommendation of last year for amendment of the

Taft-Hartley Law. I especially call to the attention of the Congress amendments dealing with the right of economic strikers to vote in representation elections and the need for equalizing the obligation under the act to file disclaimers of Communist affiliation.

STATEHOOD
As the complex problems of Alaska are resolved, that territory should expect to achieve statehood. In the meantime, there is no justification for deferring the admission to statehood of Hawaii. I again urge approval of this measure.

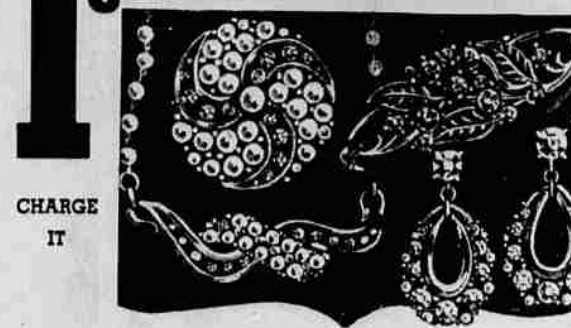
SUFFRAGE
We have three splendid opportunities to demonstrate the strength of our belief in the right of suffrage. First, I again urge that a constitutional amendment be submitted to the states to reduce the voting age for federal elections. Second, I renew my request that the principle of self-government be extended and the right of suffrage granted to the citizens of the District of Columbia. Third, I again recommend that we work with the states to preserve the voting rights of citizens in the nation's service overseas.

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