

## The National Outlook The Joint Economic Committee Report

By RALPH ROBEY

Under the Employment Act of 1946 it was provided that there should be created a President's Council of Economic Advisors and a Joint Economic Committee. The latter was given the function of reviewing the annual economic report to the President and making its appraisal to the Congress. The committee has done this year after year and also has made many special studies. Last year it got the authority to make an investigation of "unemployment, growth and price levels." Its report on this was issued a few days ago.

The joint committee chairman is Democratic Senator Paul Douglas of Illinois. When the study was started many of us were deeply worried because of the known so-called "liberalism" of Douglas. However, so many real authorities were invited to appear before the committee that our worries disappeared. More accurately, we recognized that if a left-wing report was issued it would have to be in spite of the excellent material presented to the committee.

**Inaccurate Staff Study**

The first intimation that a slanted report was on its way was the study prepared by the staff technical director, Otto Eckstein, which was dated December 24, 1959. This long document, 488 pages, is one of the most amazing analyses ever issued by an intelligent person. It is inaccurate, distorted and prejudiced, and when it appeared we all hoped that the committee itself would simply ignore this staff study in the preparation of its final report.

This hope also proved to be ill-founded. The majority report of the committee is almost as bad as the staff study. It reads much more like a campaign manual than a serious economic analysis, and it split the committee wide open. The minority report, signed by the six Republican members, says that the majority report is "partisan, cavalier about simple rules of logic and evidence, and disrespectful of legitimate differences of values, opinions and judgments."

In more detail it is said "the majority report is needlessly partisan — is unbalanced and evasive — is internally inconsistent."

The majority report is 61 pages long; the minority report, 20 pages. Senator Butler (R-Md.) in addition to signing the minority report, added some 40 pages of further analysis and criticism. This is of high quality — the best in the entire volume. Senator Butler says that the majority report "makes 12 generalized recommendations, one of which embraces 9 separate federal programs." He briefly discusses each of these recommendations and concludes: "most of the policies set forth in the majority's report would entail additional federal spending leading to more inflation, price instability and eventually unemployment."

**\$200,000 For Study**

Congress authorized \$200,000 for this study. Over 100 witnesses were heard by the committee, all of whom did an enormous amount of work in preparation for their appearance; and 23 special papers were written for the use of the committee. All of this material is available to students and the public, and much of it is truly excellent. Most persons, however, have neither the time nor the inclination to go over such a mass of economic discussion.

At the moment, therefore, there is no escaping the conclusion that scores and scores of our best economic scholars have been imposed upon, that the prestige of the Joint Economic Committee has been undermined to a serious degree, and that a wonderful opportunity for constructive work has been lost — probably lost irretrievably.

### CONSIDER



When we were children, most of us were taught to kneel at our bedsides to pray. We didn't know exactly why, but we knelt.

As we grew up, we got out of the habit. Many of us now even resent the idea of kneeling at all — and strangely enough, particularly in church.

To Episcopalians, the act of kneeling for prayer is perfectly natural. In fact, to us, it's a symbol of a humble and contrite heart appearing before God's Majesty, either in worship or supplication.

To many who attend an Episcopal Church Service for the first time, all the standing and sitting and kneeling appears to be some sort of meaningless and unnecessary mumbo-jumbo. Not so! It's this way: We stand to praise (singing hymns or reading the Psalms), we kneel to pray, and we sit to listen (to scripture lessons, and sermons).

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**EASTER SEALS**

### Layton Will Not Seek Seat On School Board

Sherlon C. Layton announced this week that he will not be a candidate for re-election to the Chowan County Board of Education.

Mr. Layton is employed as performance supervisor with the ASC County Committee and government regulations forbid him to serve on any elective board. He stated that he does not feel that he can give up his job with the ASC to serve on the Board of Education.

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Each summer she works as a leader in the World Affairs Institute held at the Blue Ridge Assembly at Black Mountain, North Carolina.

The women in the district who have been on Home Demonstration United Nations tours will remember Mrs. Levering for the wonderful job she does briefing North Carolina delegates each fall to the United Nations.

At present she teaches sociology at the Martin Memorial School of Nursing at Mount Airy, N. C. Mrs. Levering has held national offices in the United Society of Friends Women and served as historian of United Church Women of North Carolina. She does a great deal of work in high schools briefing students on UN work.

Home Demonstration Club members of Chowan County will serve lunch at 1 P. M. to those attending the meeting. The food committee for the lunch are Mrs. Rodney Harrell, chairman, Mrs. E. N. Elliott, Mrs. Conroy Perry, Mrs. Lester Copeland, Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. Gilbert Harrell.

Hostesses for the meeting are Mrs. W. H. Saunders, chairman, Mrs. Lester Harrell, Mrs. Phil Robey, Mrs. Bristoe Perry and Mrs. C. J. Overton.

Mrs. Fred Castelle is chairman of the registration committee. Registration is from 9:30 to 10 A. M. John A. Mitchener, Mayor of Edenton; W. E. Bond, chairman of the Chowan County Board of Commissioners; Hiram Mayo, principal of the John A. Holmes High School; Mrs. Julian Porter of Severn, N. C., president of the 16th District of Women's Clubs and Miss Florence Cox of Raleigh, Eastern District home agent, will bring greetings.

Special music will be furnished by Mrs. C. J. Hollowell, Mrs. Norman Hollowell and Mrs. Edna Asbell.

On the following committees will be Home Demonstration Club members from Chowan: Nominating, Mrs. M. W. Jackson, Byrd; Courtesy, Mrs. Melvin Copeland, Byland; Time and Place, Mrs. A. D. Ward, Jr., Wards; Resolutions, Mrs. Marvin Evans, Oak Grove; Home Demonstration Building Fund, Mrs. E. L. Belch, Center Hill, and Public Relations, Mrs. Cora Harrell, Beech Fork.

Pages will be 4-H Club members, Kay and Nella Lowe and others.

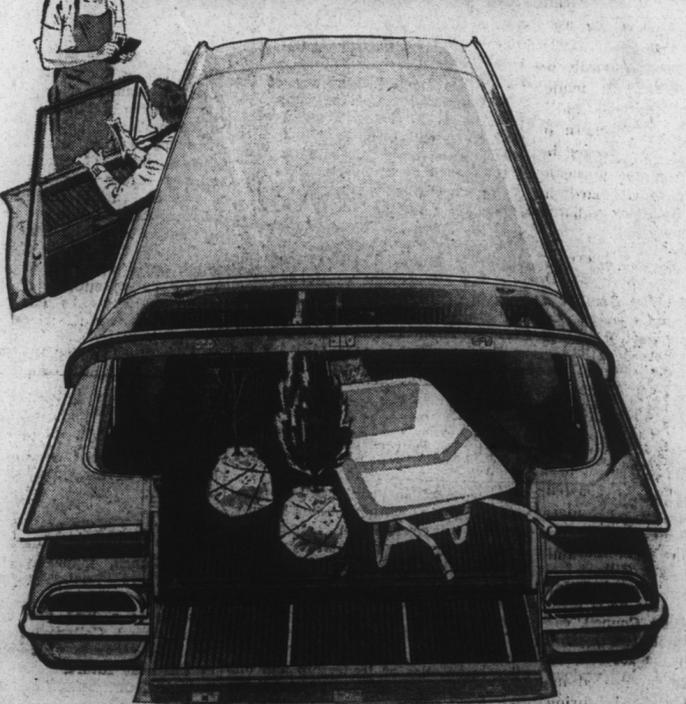
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