

News Report from Washington

Washington—The time is now approaching when President Eisenhower must indicate to the public and fellow Republicans his intentions for 1956. There are those who think Mr. Eisenhower will wait until next month to decide whether there are enough votes to elect him in the next sixty days.

On January 20th the President will have served three full years in the White House. If he would like to fill his shoes time to time to enter the campaigns, to enter the White House and build up personal contacts in various states, he will have clear the air in the next sixty days.

There are many pro-Eisenhower leaders in the party who do not want the President to announce his plans regardless of their nature. They are trying to persuade the President to run again, and if he fails in this effort, they will get someone who thinks like he does—in the liberal sense—to take his place. More conservative candidates in the party are left in doubt until the last minute, their campaigns being handicapped and those attempting to put a progressive Republican in the seat will have a given time to grease the skids.

Meanwhile, presidential candidate Adlai Stevenson is out front in the race to gain a second Democratic nomination, and his lead is narrowing. Despite a game try, Senator Eastland's stock is not as hot as it was in 1952 and Governor Rockefeller of New York has been able to get a really enthusiastic following in his behalf, despite the efforts of New York City political bosses.

After Harriman and Kefauver, the field is thin indeed. Governor W. Lauder Paoli of Ohio has taken himself out of the presidential picture by a vote of support from Southern congressional power.

It will pull for the Senate in the election is expected to be the son candidate of the Ohio Governor only, at Chicago.

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on Capitol Hill to curtail the foreign aid program—especially to those nations which are proving un dependable as allies. The Administration foreign aid program—which has not been released in detail as this is written—is reported to call for about four billion dollars in foreign economic and military aid.

The military aid part of the program has not usually undergone as much critical examination in Congress as has the economic aid program. This will again be true this year, but sentiment seems to be stronger, in favor of drastic cuts in the program, than it was in 1955—and Congress whittled foreign aid last year.

Such countries as France, where a dependable government cannot be maintained, are likely to be the subject of much criticism, and it is doubtful if some members of Congress will be able to go along with a program that will pour U. S. taxpayers' dollars into a country which is not proving a sound ally, which still has millions of Communists among its party members, and which is still following a narrow colonial policy, which loses friends and potential allies in Africa and elsewhere.

But perhaps the hottest single political issue of the year, coming up at this second session of the 84th Congress, is the farm issue. The Democrats have already pushed their ninety per cent of parity bill through the House. That was accomplished at the first session of this Congress.

It seems likely that they will get that same bill through the Senate this year—at this last session of the 84th Congress. And if they do, that will send the bill down to 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue. President Eisenhower, who has backed his Secretary of Agriculture right along, in these last three controversial years, will have to decide whether to veto this bill or sign it.

The betting is, of now, that he will veto it. Then the Republicans will attempt to pass their own farm relief bill. If they don't they may have some explaining to do. At least that's what the Democrats hope, and count on.

The very same acts, according as they proceed from a person of high or low rank, are either much extolled or oft unnoticed.

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Hertford Building & Loan Association
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(Copy of Sworn Statement Submitted to the Commissioner of Insurance as Required by Law.)

ASSETS	
Cash on Hand and in Banks	\$ 7,176.04
State of No. Car., and U. S. Govt. Bonds	2,961.49
Mortgage Loans	133,156.74
Money loaned to members for the purpose of enabling them to own their homes. Each loan secured by first mortgages on local improved real estate.	
Advances made to our shareholders against their shares. No loan exceeds 90% of amount actually paid in.	1,507.58
Office Furniture and Fixtures	40.00
Other Assets	169.40
TOTAL	\$145,011.25
LIABILITIES	
THE ASSOCIATION OWES:	
To Shareholders	
Funds entrusted to our care in the form of payments on shares as follows:	
Installment Shares	\$63,213.00
Full-Paid Shares	\$64,500.00
Other Shares	\$127,713.00
Accounts Payable, Other	None
Money borrowed for use in making loans to members, or retiring matured shares. Each note approved by at least two-thirds of entire Board of Directors as required by law.	
Accounts Payable	None
Dividends in Process	None
Accrued Profits	6,961.36
Earnings held in trust for distribution to shareholders at maturity of their shares.	
Unpaid Bad Debt	3,061.23
Reserve for Contingencies	7,200.00
Reserve for the payment of any losses, if sustained. This reserve increases the safety and strength of the Association.	
Other Liabilities	75.66
TOTAL	\$145,011.25

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