

Sen Magnuson - Germaine @ Rev clergy
Sen Henry Scoop Jackson - Helen @ Frank Keller. Chr
@ Scott Wallace

REMARKS

VICE PRESIDENT HUBERT HUMPHREY

DEMOCRATIC DINNER

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

DECEMBER 4, 1965

① Dunmuck
④ Elroy McCaw
④ Nick Bez
(1 too to leave)

5 Cong - Brock Adams
Tom Foley
Hyd Nicks
Lloyd Meeds
Julia Hansen

My fellow Democrats . . . tonight we meet to
talk about tomorrow.

We meet to measure where we stand and to chart
the path to where we're going.

We meet to face tomorrow's realities, not yesterday's
delusions.

We meet to talk about the future of our country,
of the cause of mankind, in the world.

That
Phone!

① Choral group
The Dynamics - Mountlake Terrace Hi-School
20 Dist - Lloyd Meeds

across the Street - Vic Rosellini

L We meet to talk about the capacity for greatness and goodness in man, and not his meanness.

2 We meet to talk. -

There was a crusty old farm leader in Washington during the early days of the New Deal. His name was George Peek. George Peek said: "The common characteristic of all uplifters is an unquenchable thirst for conversation. They are all chain talkers."

So be it. Let us talk. Let us think. Let us agree and disagree. Then, my fellow Democrats, let us act.

L We Democrats are uplifters. We do talk. But we also know the value of ideas and of action. We are not, as Judge Learned Hand once said of our opposition, "Old Tories . . . intellectually moribund . . . emitting dreary sounds."

Tonight, I am honored to be with Democrats and to be in a state that has been twice blessed -- first by its own native-born people and secondly by all the people from Minnesota who have come out here to live.

2 yrs in state Senator Magnuson used to say -- when we disagreed in the Senate -- that he'd come back to Minnesota and run against me. With a name like Magnuson and a birthplace like Moorhead, Minnesota, he'd have had a head start on/ man named Humphrey born in South Dakota. I tried to keep our disagreements to a minimum.

Tonight may I pay tribute, too, to one of the ablest women in politics and one of the most successful campaigners in the 1964 election -- Congresswoman Julie Butler Hanson. I also want to give full recognition to Brock Adams, Floyd Hicks, Tom Foley and Lloyd Meeds.

2 yrs in state
Maggie
Cinderella
Trade
- Nat. Cancer
Institute -
- concern for
the consumer

30 yrs
Pub. Serv.
Fishes
for
Washington

Julie
Hanson

Congressman

1966 → 7 Congressmen - you have only 2 to go

- 4 -

Reelect
4
Congressmen

These new Congressmen are young, energetic
and fully in tune with the challenges of the Space Age.
They have the confidence of President Johnson. They
are effective. They represent you well. And each one of
them deserves full support for re-election next year.

and now ~~a word about~~ I want to pay tribute, also, to Senator Henry "Scoop"

Jackson, one of our nation's leaders in conserving our
natural resources and in shaping our foreign and national
security policies. - AEC -

25 yrs
Scoop
1964
Vote

But any tribute I could pay Scoop Jackson would
fall far short of the one given him by Washington voters
last fall. His re-election, by a margin of almost three-
to-one, was one of the most overwhelming expressions of
support given any United States Senator.

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I want to express to you my appreciation for your work in electing these outstanding Democrats. I want you to know, too, that the President and I are truly grateful for the 282,000-vote plurality you gave us in the national campaign.

Thanks
from
LBS

I regard the result of last fall's election as proof that we Americans know our history lessons.

Men have short memories. But mine is long enough to remember the Great Depression and how it literally turned dreams to dust in South Dakota, where I grew up.

Some of you can remember, too, what the Great Depression meant to Puget Sound and the state of Washington. There was a news photograph -- a famous photograph -- of a "Hooverville" in Seattle. It was the prototype of all the shantytowns in America during that time.

↳ To see that picture today is to ask: How did these things ever happen in our strong, rich country?

↳ The answer is this: They happened because we turned inward in this country. They happened because we were smug and self-indulgent . . . because we followed a policy of Me First . . . because we were going to keep that pot of gold all to ourselves.

1930

Depression

↳ We walked right straight into it. !

↳ We closed our eyes, we closed our hearts.

↳ It was: No more immigration, no more foreign trade,
no more involvement with our fellow man.

↳ And then we found ourselves closing not only our eyes, but our banks and businesses as well. We found ourselves in worldwide depression. And we discovered ourselves to be part of a world where hate was having a field day.

What a price we paid. — Depression + war!

But today we have indeed learned our lessons.

If nothing else, this nuclear age has taught us that
man cannot be separated from his fellow man, that we
cannot turn inward. So —

So What is the reality of our time?

It is this: For the first time in human history,
man possesses the power to totally destroy himself.

It is equally this: For the first time in human
history, man possesses the wealth and knowledge to extend
mankind's benefits to all mankind.

What a crossroads we face. Which route shall we
take? The answer lies within ourselves — and we

~~WANT~~ Seek to build an America
which can preserve — endure —
and lead —

Text - 7 DR

the only limits to our tomorrow
are our doubts of today -

We must move forward -
with a strong and Active
Faith."

⑩ So today our nation stirs to tasks
undone, to wrongs unrighted,
to dreams too long postponed -

Our Prosperity - Our Power -

Our Conscience, Concern, Compassion

Voting RAS - Educ - Health - Cities
& Housing - Medicare - Space

Opportunity - Resources

Today our nation starts to tasks undone.
to wrongs unrighted, to dreams too long
postponed.
89th Congress + S-BJ

The Bill says Immigration, but it means "You shall be judged by your skill and talent, not by your last name or national origin."

The Bill says Education, but it means "You shall receive the tools with which to make the most of your future."

The Bill says Poverty, but it means "You shall have hope where there has been no hope, you shall have a chance to break the cycle of ignorance and unemployment . . . to be a full and productive member of society."

The Bill says Medicare, but it means "You shall have adequate care in your older years, you are not forgotten by your children."

The Bill says Housing and Urban Development, but it means "You can live in something more than concrete and carbon monoxide, you can walk the streets in safety and health."

The Bill says Arts and Humanities, but it means
"You can find more in life than material satisfaction,
you can touch new fountains of creativity and expression."

Welfare state
But
We are ^{not} creating in America ~~not~~ a welfare state, ~~we are~~
but a state of opportunity -- a society in which each
child will have an equal chance to make something better
for himself, for his children after him, and for all
mankind.

For the fact is that as rich as we ~~can become~~ ^{are}, as
powerful as we ~~can become~~ ^{are}, that richness and power
will count for nothing if we fail in our responsibility to
our fellow man.

We cannot live secure within the walls of our *Rich America*
our glittering city while two-thirds of the world festers in
poverty, injustice and ignorance outside.

and L We cannot turn our backs to raw aggression in other places.

and L We will not sacrifice small nations in the hope we may buy our own security. - (Protests on Viet) -

L Today young Americans are dying in Vietnam not for the safety of strangers, but for the safety of all free men.

L We are not in Vietnam to establish any American colony or base. We are not there to enrich ourselves or to subjugate others to our will.

L We are there because, once again in history, it must be proved to aggressors that the price of their aggression comes far too high.

L The aggression we face in Vietnam is not one in which massed armies attack across national frontiers.

↳ Stop the Killing
Stop the Killing
Stop the Killing
Stop the Killing

It is one in which the battlefield is often the homes
of men. It is one in which the innocent suffer to
the pain of all of us.

The aggression in Vietnam is one which deals
in organized assassination and terrorism yet masks
itself as a "war of liberation." It is waged by hard
and callous men who seek to prove that force and
Communist militancy can win the future -- by men
convinced that democratic societies are soft and weak
and unable to meet their form of warfare.

To these, we say: Do not be misled. Do not
misunderstand the processes of a free society. Do
not mistake our respect for the right of dissent for
internal division or lack of resolve. *or weakness!*

We will remain in Vietnam until a just and
lasting peace can be established there. *+ we seek peace*
the threat to peace is not in war -
it is in Hanoi - Peking

At the same time we shall now -- and after
establishment of that peace -- dedicate ourselves to
creating conditions which will enable all the people of
Vietnam, North and South, and all of Southeast Asia
to look forward to a tomorrow without danger of attack,
without hunger, and with social justice and security.

*Our
Promise*

There are times when American power must be
used -- when there is no alternative in face of determined
aggression.

But military power alone will not provide stability
and security unless it is accompanied by political, social
and economic effort -- and the promise to the people of
a better life. And thus we work with the Vietnamese
people toward that goal.

*Military
Power
alone -
no -*

⌞ No, peace will not come through military victory
alone. Nor will peace come by good intention. Peace
comes to those who earn it . . . work for it . . .
sacrifice for it.

Peace

⌞ Peace will be won only through the untiring
practical efforts of this generation and others to follow
-- efforts to improve the conditions of man's life.

⌞ It will be won only when all men realize that
they share a common destiny on this planet.

⌞ Peace will be won when starvation, ignorance and
injustice are eradicated from a world which has the
resources to defeat them. *yes 2/3 of mankind*

⌞ There is no alternative to peace. Let us pursue it
with perseverance and patience. -- *we do*

Stgh U.N. - Defense - for Aid -
Peace Corps - food for Peace - Educ.
Build -

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President Johnson has made his commitment
to the peace. I join him in that commitment. We
ask your help.

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