

Will YOUR Name Be On The McCarthy-Mundt BLACKLIST ?

Do you know what's in the Mundt-Nixon bill, now before Congress?

THIS BILL would make Senator McCarthy's "loyalty test" the law of the land.

It would smear the reputations and destroy the livelihoods of millions of members or contributors to scores of organizations by forcing them to place their names on a public "subversive" list or go to jail.

This bill, in violation of our Constitutional guarantees of freedom of expression, would apply to any organization that, in the language of the bill, fails to "deviate" from the Communist position "on matters of policy."

A politically appointed three-man board in Washington would have the power to silence: Labor's demand for higher wages . . . the farmer's demand for crop subsidies . . . the Negro's demand for civil rights . . . the housewife's demand for rent and price control . . . the people's demand for peace . . . on the ground that each of these demands parallels the program to which the Communist Party is committed.

Who is against the Mundt-Nixon bill?

Scores of organizations of the most varied political persuasions including:

All organized labor: A. F. L. "The bill would permit the setting of precedents which might result disastrously to labor organizations"—unanimously adopted, 1949 convention. C. I. O. "The definitions of the bill would make it possible for the Attorney General to proceed against labor organizations."—Testimony April 4, 1950, on Mundt-Nixon Bill. Opposition also expressed by leading independent unions.

Leading Negro and Jewish organizations: N. A. A. C. P. "Would . . . replace the supposed menace of Communism with a concentration camp atmosphere in which all persons who seek to promote social change would be suspected of activities against the best interests of the United States."

Opposition also expressed by National Association of Colored Women; American Jewish Congress; American Jewish Committee; Anti-Defamation League (B'nai B'rith); Jewish Labor Committee; Jewish War Veterans; National Association of Jewish Center Workers; National Community Relations Advisory Council; National Council of Jewish Women.

Lawyers, educators, and church groups: "This bill should not be enacted"—Association of the Bar, City of New York. "A dangerous and far-reaching encroachment on the fundamental liberties of the American people"—National Lawyers Guild. "The Mundt-Nixon bill is foolish, stupid, and dangerous"—Chancellor ROBERT M. HUTCHINS, University of Chicago.

Opposition also expressed by American Civil Liberties Union; American Association of University Professors; Fraternal Council of Churches in America; Baptist Ministers Conference; Congregational Christian Churches Council for Social Action; Friends Committee on National Legislation; National Religion and Labor Foundation.

Newspapers: Among the leading papers which have recently expressed opposition to the bill are: Akron Beacon-Journal, Baltimore Sun,

Birmingham News, Chicago Sun-Times, Christian Science Monitor, Denver Post, New York Compass, New York Post, San Francisco Chronicle, St. Louis Post-Dispatch, Washington Afro-American, Washington Post.

If you believe in civil rights, defend them!

To help defeat the bill, you should:

- Pass resolutions in your organizations.
- Send letters to your newspaper.
- Distribute literature among your friends.

Write or wire!

Senator SCOTT LUCAS, Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C. As Majority Leader, he controls the order in which bills are called to the floor. Tell him the people insist on legislation to extend civil rights, not to curtail them.

Senator _____ and Senator _____, Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C. Urge them to speak against the Mundt-Nixon Bill if it comes to the floor.

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