

HUBERT HUMPHREY, a prime example of "cold war liberalism," comes to Stanford, not for an honest exchange of views between this academic community and the Administration he represents, but rather to continue the barrage of lies and propaganda that are an integral part of this government's war in Vietnam. We must not allow ourselves to be manipulated into thinking that Humphrey is in anyway interested in anything more than the hard sell. Let's not deceive ourselves into thinking that Humphrey's appearance here is anything more than window dressing in the Administration's attempt to make the world think that we, the people, have some meaningful influence on its policies in Vietnam.

HUMPHREY'S RECORD

HUMPHREY'S entire career shows that his support of the war in Vietnam is not accidental. Under a facade of liberalism at home and abroad, he has continually supported the most reactionary cold war policies:

1950--Humphrey sponsored the Detention Camp Bill for persons "reasonably suspected of espionage and sabotage," so loosely constructed as to include almost anyone.

1954--During the height of the McCarthy era, Humphrey never spoke up. Instead he sponsored a bill, the Communist Control Act, which outdid even McCarthy in its witch hunting provisions This bill was clearly unconstitutional, and has never led to any convictions.

1954--Five days after the CIA-backed invasion of Guatemala, Humphrey voted to support the invasion.

1957--Voted to restrict defendent's right to access of FBI files in trials; supported the Mid-East doctrine to "combat communism" in that area.

1953, '54, '55, '56, '59, '61; '62, '63--voted for over \$2 billion above and beyond budget requests for defense: B-52, B-58 bombers, etc.

1964--Ran on the Democratic Party platform which prided itself on achieving such things as:

200% increase in nuclear megatonnage, 800% increase in Special Forces trained in guerrilla warfare, 1000% increase in ICBM's and Polaris missiles, 1000% increase for development of counterinsurgency weapons.

AS ROBERT SCHEER has pointed out, Vietnam is the liberals! war. It is the logical extension of their commitment to a sterile anticommunism and their inability to understand the nature of the revolutionary pressure in the third world today. Although the liberal identifies rhetorically with these emerging forces, in reality he primarily sees them as threats to U.S. interests. The liberals would prefer to counter these threats by simple U.S. economic penetration. As Humphrey says:

The primary aim of aid should be to build a more stable and interdependent world. Promoting trade serves this purpose—and at the same time a good deal of American self-interest. The less developed countries are potentially vast markets for American goods and services. Foreign aid has had an increasingly beneficial effect on the American economy. Eighty percent of procurement comes from the U.S.

(The Cause is Mankind.)

Foreign aid is a program in which the actual beneficiaries are U.S. corporations, for nowhere does it meet the needs of the people in those countries. When this policy fails, the military is called in.

VIETNAM is the clearest example of the failure of American liberalism. Beginning with the support of the French colonial war (to the tune of \$2 billion), then of the dictator Diem, until today—when an unpopular and corrupt government rules for us, we have constantly opposed real social and economic reform in Vietnam. Liberals like Humphrey talk about supporting "freedom" and "democracy," but their actions speak louder than their words. U Thant has called the war one of the most barbaric in history. This is the true fruit of American liberalism; in the name of freedom, genocide is practiced.

DENY HUMPHREY A PLATFORM TO PEDDLE

HUBERT HUMPHREY IS A FRAUD--HIS LIBERALISM PHONEY. WE SHOULD NOT ALLOW HIM THE PRIVILEGE OF MAKING FOOLS OF US. LET'S MAKE IT CLEAR TO THE WORLD AND TO THIS GOVERNMENT THAT WE ARE SICK OF LIES. WE SHOULD REFUSE TO LISTEN TO ANY MORE OF THE SAME.

join us in WALKING OUT

WE WILL LEAVE THE AUDITORIUM WHILE HE IS SPEAKING.

join us in the teach-in

SUNDAY NIGHT WE WILL HOLD A TEACH-IN AT CUBBERLEY.

Ad Hoc Committee to Greet Humphrey