

Mr. GOODELL. The comments I read were directed toward the efforts to get the CEP summer program coordinated and started before summer. I am well aware this is a long-term program but it does not justify falling all over yourself and causing all the confusion and chaos which has been evident from the testimony of these individuals.

Chairman PERKINS. Mr. Shriver.

Mr. SHRIVER. I don't think they were referring to the CEP program, were they? I think they were talking about the fact that, for example, we get our appropriations very late in the year, we are not able to give the communities advanced information they need to plan properly. We got the supplemental late in the year.

Mr. GOODELL. They all referred to the summer program and inclusion of CEP in the summer program.

Mr. SHRIVER. CEP is not a summer program.

Mr. GOODELL. CEP is being folded into the summer program.

Chairman PERKINS. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Illinois, Mr. Pucinski.

Mr. PUCINSKI. I would like to join my colleagues in congratulating Mr. Shriver for an excellent statement here. I do wish, Mr. Shriver, that you would accommodate Mr. Quie on his questions about representation in Chicago.

Mr. Quie and the minority have investigated Chicago now for 3 years. He has been there personally. Mr. Goodell has been there. They have had more minority committee investigation in Chicago than any part of the country. They have had auditors. They have been combing through their program hoping that in some way they can find something so that they can attack the Chicago program.

I challenge these men to put in this record the complete, unedited reports from their own investigators on the Chicago program. They have been in Chicago, and their Senators were in Chicago asking a lot of questions, but they all come back with one conclusion. They all come back with the conclusion that Chicago is the pace setter for the country in this war on poverty.

Every time we talk to them privately they say, "Well, not every city has a Dick Daley to manage the program." Publicly they make these statements about the great concern for the poor.

Let us not kid ourselves. Their only purpose has been and continues to be to drive a wedge into the effectiveness of the Chicago program.

We will put that program in Chicago against any test, any scrutiny, any investigation they want to make. I might say that the critics are talking big words with a Madison Avenue slogan—"Opportunity Crusade."

From 1952 to 1960 they had all the opportunity they wanted and took the country in three recessions. Since then we have had 7 years of continued economic prosperity.

Mr. PUCINSKI. I would like to ask you one question.

I maintain this program is now working well. I think the cities and the communities have found the formula. I would like to know, Mr. Shriver, what do you mean on page 40 of the bill when you say:

At least one-third of the membership of the Board shall be persons chosen in accordance with democratic selection procedures adequate to assure that they are representative of the poor in the community.