the chief result of all their talk has been declarations employing such adjectives as "imaginative, bold, new programs." Neither from their side of the aisle in the Senate nor from anybody else. I side with Mr. Cooper; but the responsibility to be able to come up with any program—other than criticism and critical remarks—and you have had neither the support of your own party in the Congress or the support of the people of the United States. Again I say, I am in favor of debate upon all public issues. We have a perfect right to debate these questions—not only the right, but the responsibility. But these little personal remarks are irritating.

Mr. PROXMIRE. Mr. President, will the Senator yield?

Mr. COOPER. I yield to the Senator from Wisconsin.

Mr. PROXMIRE. Mr. President, since the Senator commented on an insertion I made in the Record, I should appreciate the opportunity of replying briefly.

The remarks of the Senator from Kentucky seem to me simply incredible. I have never engaged in any personal attack on the President. What I did was to read into the Record a summary from the New York Times, which is certainly a fair, dispassionate, objective, and competent newspaper.

Republicans have become so incredulous as to see Mr. Adenauer as the President that they cry out in protest against any recital of the facts. And, Mr. President, how could any Senator be more precisely factual than I have been. I have simply taken a factual summary from a newspaper that is internationally known for its absolute fidelity to the facts, and I have asked that it be printed—that is all. I read one item, and then I read the item immediately following, and I sat down. I made no comment on it whatsoever.

The New York Times pointed out that the Vice President of the United States asked for a 7.5 billion dollar surplus and printed right below the fact that the President was quizzing shooting. I did not draw any conclusion from that. This was in the New York Times, and was consistent with the facts, and was pertinent. I simply leave it to the American people and to all Senators to draw whatever conclusions they wish to draw from it.

TENDENCY OF STAND OF CHANCELLOR ADENAUER TO ENCOURAGE MOB VIOLENCE IN GERMANY

Mr. NEUBERGER. Mr. President, it is not my usual custom to speak about events in other countries, but I feel I must speak out on the issue of anti-Semitism in Germany. We all recall too vividly how Adolf Hitler rose to power using anti-Semitism as the opportunity of replying briefly.

The German nation must actively demonstrate a national purpose based upon the rule of law and the right to life for all people. No other route will save them as an accomplished fact. From experience I know accurate budget estimates 18 months in advance are extremely rare.

A surplus was also estimated originally for last fiscal year—ended June 30; and the Government closed the year with a deficit of $12.5 billion—the biggest peace-time deficit in history. During the 18-month period involved the Federal debt limit was raised three times.

Following the recent state of the Union message, there are already some who are planning to reduce taxes, increase spending, and do both in anticipation of surplus which is by no means