

SCHWABE COLL

Labor Leg

June 22, 1946

Mr. Chester V. Fleming
Secretary-Treasurer
Nowata Chamber of Commerce
Nowata, Oklahoma

Dear Friend:

I have your letter of the 12th instant, expressing appreciation of my efforts and votes on the anti-strike bill, by which I assume you mean the Case Bill. I voted for the Case Bill when it first went through the House, and then voted to override the President's veto.

I am convinced that the President has not played a ~~constructive~~ role on this subject. Apparently he doesn't want any permanent labor legislation passed until after the fall election, or until after we get a new Congress in. It may be that they think the PAC and the CIO will bring a new Congress in that they will be able to dictate to from the White House. But, I don't believe the people will tolerate sending such a Congress back to carry on this appeasement policy with the union bosses and labor racketeers.

It was certainly interesting to hear that you recently took a poll of your business men, and that they wanted me to continue my efforts at a solution of our strikes and curbing the power of unions, as you expressed it in your letter. This, coming from my old home town and the many friends I've had through the years in Nowata among its business men and citizens, is an inspiration for me to keep up the fight and struggle to the bitter end.

With kindest personal regards to all, I am

Sincerely yours,

George B. Schwabe, M.C.

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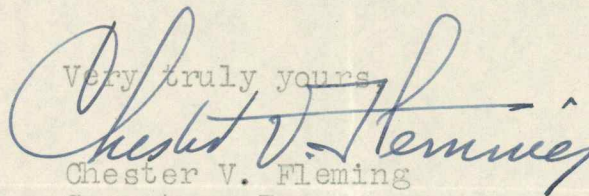
Congreeman George B. Schwabe,
New Office Building
Washington, D. C.

My dear Congressman Schwabe,

Our organization wants to express its appreciation
of your effort in behalf of the Anti-Strike Bill.

Upon a poll of our business men this morning, it
was their sincere desire that you continue to work for a reason-
able solution of strikes and curbing of the powers of the Labor
Unions.

Very truly yours,



Chester V. Fleming
Secretary-Treasurer

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