

Chicago GOP Deserts Own Jew-Baiter Names Candidate To Run Against 'Mama's Boy' Anderson

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CHICAGO, July 25. Charles J. Anderson, Jr., GOP nominee for Congress who once said "us anti-Semites will soon have our day" is getting his now.

Seventeen Republican township committeemen from the Sixth Illinois Congressional District have repudiated him and indorsed Iva J. Henderson for Party support in the general election. The belated action, however, still leaves Anderson the official Party nominee.

Strangely, Henderson is a political unknown, a public accountant in the Second precinct of the 29th Ward. He was silent on his appointment other than to promise he would wage a vigorous campaign "on the principles indorsed by the Republican Party."

'We Condemn . . .'

A minimum of 13,577 signers

will be necessary to place the newcomer on the ballot for the Fall election. His petition must be filed between Aug. 22 and 29.

In addition to Anderson, Henderson faces the incumbent, Rep. Thomas J. O'Brien, a Democrat.

The Republican leaders in reading Anderson out said: "... we condemn anyone who advocates intolerance or hostility against any individual or group or race, or religion and consider him (Anderson) unworthy of public support, trust and confidence."

The push that shoved the Sixth District GOP leaders into disclaiming Anderson, however, was a recent reading of a list of anti-Semitic, anti-Negro, anti-alien and anti-war statements replete with place names and dates by Edward J. Clamage, chairman of the anti-subversion committee of the Illinois Dept. of the American Legion.

Woos Fascists

Anderson once urged all fascist groups in Chicago to get into the Republican Party. The 36-year-old nationalist was an original "Bricker man" and today squawks loudly for the Dewey-Bricker combine. He is a close friend of Gerald L. K. Smith, the American First leader.

When told of his nomination last Spring, Anderson admitted, "I don't know how I was nominated . . . perhaps it was because I was a member of Father Coughlin's National Union for Social Justice eight years ago."

Those who know Anderson's background call him "Mama's Boy" because of the influence his mother, Elizabeth, has had upon his political thinking. She is an official of We, the Mothers Mobilize for America, Inc., and publicly proud of Charley's philosophy.