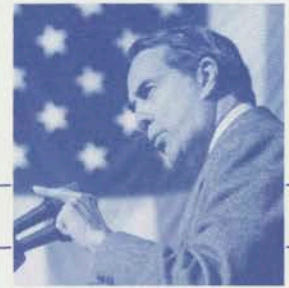


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UNEMPLOYMENT

DEMOCRATS REALLY DROPPED THE BALL ON THIS ONE. THEY LEFT AMERICA'S UNEMPLOYED IN THE LURCH FOR A YEAR AND A HALF, AND DIDN'T ATTEMPT TO ADDRESS THE ISSUE UNTIL THE LAST DAYS OF THE SESSION.

THEN THEY DEFEATED THE BILL THE PRESIDENT WOULD HAVE SIGNED, THE DOLE ALTERNATIVE THAT PAID FOR ITSELF INSTEAD OF JUST JACKING UP THE DEFICIT, AS THE DEMOCRAT'S BIG SPENDING "EMERGENCY" PLAN WOULD HAVE.

IT'S PRETTY OBVIOUS THE DEMOCRATS WANTED A POLITICAL ISSUE, NOT A BI-PARTISAN SOLUTION. IF THE DEMOCRATS ARE SERIOUS, THEY SHOULD TAKE A LOOK AT THE DOLE BILL WHEN THEY COME BACK TO CAPITOL HILL IN THE FALL.

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