Allen and Dondero, Rivals for Congress, Issue Statements

D. Allen Gives Cooperation Vow

Draper Allen, of 528 Westwood drive, Birmingham, the Democratic nominee for representative in Congress, has issued the following statement:

"In the next two years, the Seventeenth District, by the very tempo of the times, must move closer to our national Capital.

"National issues now enter into the every day routine of our lives. A program of national preparedness for any eventuality is leading the people of this community each day to anxiously scan the Washington news. The increased emphasis placed upon the actions of the Administration and of Congress is recognized by everyone.

Draper Allen

Won't Be Partisan

"It seems to me it clearly is the duty of this District, regardless of party politics, to fully cooperate in a national plan to guarantee the safety and future of our freedom of action. To that end, let me say, that if I am elected to Congress as your representative, I will cooperate fully with whatever Administration may be in power.

"I am a candidate to represent the Seventeenth Congressional District. My obligations to my party will be second to that. Now is NOT the time for obstructionist tactics. The danger of a democracy is its lack of directed, undivided effort and, in times of danger, I look upon the President of these United States as our Commander-in-chief, be he Republican or Democrat, and to refuse to cooperate with him on purely party lines would be jeopardizing the interests of my country.

"I believe the people of our Community are agreed on the avoidance of war at all costs within national honor and national safety. I was a soldier in France, and I know what war means. I am in accord with the individual who is determined to avoid war if possible, but who is just as determined not to be caught unarmed, untrained and helpless.

For National Solidarity

"As a people directing or employed in the highly skilled mass production industries, the part we are to play in arming and mobilizing America is a tremendous one. We can accomplish much for this country by combining our every united effort, in the interest of personal and national solidarity.

"Many people of this Community are acquainted with me in everyday life. I believe those who know me best, trust me. I know their problems, and I believe I know what they hope will be accomplished in Congress during the next two years.

"The business men of this District need a business representative in Congress. Those who are to labor in the production of our National armament needs are vitally interested in having a sympathetic representative in Congress. The Veterans of this district who know what war is like, will favor a man who has had a taste of it as their representative in Congress. Those are my confident hopes.

For Equitable Taxation

"If I am elected to Congress, I will lend every effort to co-ordinate our industry and resources with the defense program. I will endeavor to advance the interests of our people at the national Capital by conscientious study and hard work. I will stand squarely behind those of our youth who are undertaking the building of an efficient defense army by fighting for their every right and privilege. I will do my utmost to see that the expenses of our government's defense, of its security program, of its social guarantees, are borne equitably and justly by all of the people.

"It is my hope through this co-operative program to obtain for the Seventeenth Congressional District, in return, our just share of whatever national aid and benefits are available."

George Dondero's Record Reviewed

Rep. George A. Dondero, who has been highly and deservedly praised by the Republican leader of the U. S. House of Representatives, the Hon. Joseph Martin, Jr., and others, for his excellent record, seeks reelection on the Republican ticket. Following is a statement from the Dondero office:

Rep. Dondero has earned a reputation for continuously opposing unwise and extravagant appropriations; he saved the taxpayers of the nation more than fifty million dollars by striking unnecessary projects from the Rivers and

Rep. Dondero

Harbors bill; and he aided effectively in defeating the Florida Ship Canal, a project which would have cost taxpayers in excess of two hundred million dollars.

Aids Lake Levels

He also led the fight which prevented further diversion of water from the Great Lakes and for the passage of a bill to prevent further pollution of the lakes and rivers of the United States. As a member of the Committee on Rivers and Harbors, he has been able to render valuable service to the people of this district and the State of Michigan in important matters coming before this committee.

Congressman Dondero secured the passage of a law removing the duty on American-owned mills, containers being returned to the United States; this results in the saving of thousands of dollars annually to distributors of dairy products in the State of Michigan alone. He secured a right of way for Wayne county across Federal property for sewage purposes and introduced legislation to protect Michigan-made binder twine from ruinous foreign competition.

As the ranking Republican member of the Committee on Education, Rep. Dondero is in line for the chairmanship of that important committee. His attention to duty and his fair and impartial consideration of all pending legislation stand out in his service in the U.S. House of Representatives.

Against Provocation to War

Rep. Dondero is an advocate of adequate national defense but is opposed to any foreign policy which will provide a provocation to war; he favors old age assistance to those in need; he stands for keeping the home market for American producers; he believes in providing jobs through private enterprise and advocates team-work between labor and capital; above all, he stands for the preservation of the American way of life and the Republican form of government established under the Constitution, a form of government which has given the American people a standard of living which is the envy of the entire world.

Dondero On Radio

Congressman George A. Dondero, who is seeking re-election from the 17th Michigan district on the Republican ticket, will speak over Station WEXL, Royal Oak, Thursday evening, Oct. 31, from 6:30 to 6:45 p. m., and over Station WCAR, Pontiac, Friday afternoon, Nov. 1, from 4:15 to 4:30 p. m. Congressman Dondero will devote his time to a discussion of current national issues.

News Forecaster On Cass Series

Frederic Snyder, journalist and world traveler, returns by popular request, with his amazing and accurate prophesies, "Keeping Ahead of The Headlines," for The Detroit Town Hall, at the Cass Theatre, on Friday morning, Nov. 1, at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Snyder, called "the platform publisher," is the creator of the "verbal newspaper" and he predicts with telling accuracy what is going on beneath the surface in this mad scramble of the nations of the world for supremacy.

Recreation Report Shows Balance Of $2.75 on Hand

A financial statement for the Birmingham Recreation Commission for 1940 has been issued by William Cole, treasurer, showing that the summer recreation program was carried on within income, and with a $2.75 balance left.

Last year, when the Board of Education contributed $200 instead of $150, as this year, there was a balance of $110.19. The school board, of course, permits use of the Barnum pool, school buildings and playgrounds.

Following is a list of receipts and expenditures:

Report of Receipts and Expenditures of Birmingham Recreation Commission for 1940

RECEIPTS

Balance in bank on January 1, 1940	$ 110.19
Birmingham Business Women	10.00
Birmingham Rotary Anns	10.00
Birmingham Women's Club	10.00
Birmingham Mirade	10.00
St. James Church, General Guild Auxiliary	10.00
Ladies Missionary Society, Redeemer Lutheran Church	5.00
Order of Eastern Star	15.00
Birmingham Lions Club	15.00
Birmingham Girl Scouts	25.00
A. A. U. W.	10.00
Birmingham Teachers Club	25.00
Birmingham Boy Scouts	25.00
Present Day Club	5.00
T. W. W. Auxiliary	10.00
League of Women Voters	10.00
Community House	500.00
Soroptimist Club	10.00
Polygon Club	5.00
Methodist Society of M. E. Church	15.00
P. T. A. Council	500.00
D. A. R.	10.00
American Legion	10.00
Kiwanis Club	25.00
Presbyterian Women's Union	15.00
Pharm Garden Club	5.00
Birmingham Rotary Club	25.00
Y. M. C. A. Men's Club	10.00
Softball (Registration Fee	48.75
City of Birmingham	300.00
Farm Board of Educat'on	150.00
Y. M. C. A.	246.00
Village Players	10.00
Donkey Softball profits	116.66
Unknown donor	25
Transfer balance of fund for Sec'y Treasurer	2.75
	$1,975.36

EXPENSES

Salaries

Director	$ 270.00
Music supervisor	200.00
Girls supervisor	200.00
Two playground supervisors	200.00
Engineer at pool	150.00
Other help secured on an hourly basis	158.24
	$1,178.24

Swimming Pool

Cell	$ 51.99
Salt	22.00
Rust remover	14.16
Alum	18.65
Coal	143.00
Electric Power	140.51
	$446.31
Publication of 1939 report	15.38

Special Projects

Community Sing	$ 20.00
Band Concert	20.00
Street Dances	62.85
	$102.85

Miscellaneous

Car expenses for Chas. Deary maintenance man	$ 4.00
Office supplies, stamps	5.00
Refreshments on Field day	3.85
Stencils and paper for reports and publicity	1.22
	$13.07
Playground and equipment and supplies	$ 158.06
Sheet music	44.64
Total Expenses	$1,972.85
Total Receipts	1,975.30
BALANCE	$ 2.75

MINOR AUTO CRASH

A minor auto mishap occurred Saturday morning on North Woodward avenue near The Eccentric office. According to the police report, Mrs. Bert Webele, 852 Yarmouth road, was backing from a curb when her car collided with one driven by O. B. Harper, 512 Rivenoak. Damage was negligible.

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Berkshire Hills Group to Meet

The annual meeting of the members of the Berkshire Hills Protective Association will be held at the Birmingham Community House, on Monday evening, Nov. 4 at 8 p. m.

In addition to brief reports on the year's activities of the Association and the election of members of the executive committee, the winners of the awards offered for the most attractive and pleasing landscape effect on a completed home, for similar progress on vacant property and for the most progressive and interesting provisions for the betterment and protection of birds and other wild life will be announced and the trophies presented. There will also be a showing of colored pictures, including views of homes and gardens in the district.

Numerous attractive country homes on sites of ample size are being built in the district embraced by the Berkshire Hills Protective Association at this time and the members feel that their activities in preventing violations of building and zoning restrictions and keeping a generally watchful eye over the welfare of the community is in no small measure responsible for this growth.

The officers of the Association are John W. Baillie, president; Carman Adams, vice president; Adolph Jacobson, treasurer; J. E. White, 30007 Lahser road, secretary.

Man Is Arrested As Reckless Driver

Ross Hamburger, of 851 Humphrey street, is to be arraigned Saturday in municipal court on a charge of reckless driving. He was arrested Saturday night after his machine, going east in Lincoln, struck the parked car of Edward Kurth, 192 East Lincoln. He was held in jail over night.

Knew His Riots

Hollywood—They tell this story about William Tibbett, famous western sheriff and father of Lawrence Tibbett, singing star.

A riot broke out in a small town called Kern City and the local constable wired Tibbett to send aid. In a short time Tibbett arrived.

"What's" said the constable, "just you, only one man?"

"Well," answered Tibbett, "there's only one riot, isn't there?"

2 Autos Crash At Davis-Purdy

Davis and Purdy street intersection was the scene of an auto mishap Saturday at 11:30 a. m.

William H. Meadow, 25 years old, of 54 East Square Lake road, Troy, driving west on Davis and intending to make a left turn, collided with a second car driven by Alpheus G. Brown, 819 Purdy street, Birmingham, going south on Purdy. Running boards and doors were smashed.

Nivver a Worry

"Yes," said Paddy, "the last time you saw me I was just about finished. Hadn't even any coal in the house."

"Poor old Paddy! And are you all right for coal now?"

"Sure I've sold the stove."

He Failed to Look Before He Leaped

HASTINGS—Conservation department game men cruising in the vicinity of Barry county state game areas came upon an incensed hunter who was tearing a sign from a post.

It was a department sign and the deputized officers went into action. The sputtering hunter said, "Sure I'm tearing down these blankety-blank signs; the blankety-blank conservation department keeps on buying land and won't let anyone hunt on it."

"Did you read the sign?", one questioner asked.

The sign read, "Hunting permitted."

NO HUNTING-NO TRESPASSING signs for sale at Eccentric office. —adv. 28-34

OLD BILL says "Here's what I think—"

"I think that Senator Vandenberg should be returned to the United States Senate on his great record as the most useful Senator in Washington.

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"Honestly, folks, Michigan is fortunate in having Vandenberg on the Foreign Relations Committee, Committee on Finance and Committee on Commerce—he is the only Michigan Senator ever to achieve such leadership.

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"You know that when his party controls the Senate he will be President pro tem of the Senate.

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"He believes in the American way and never ever wavered in his allegiance to the Constitution and its Bill of Rights.

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"I would vote for him on his record of being the father of Bank Deposit Insurance alone.

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"I like his fight, particularly for the American farmer, where his greatest work was in championing the sugar beet industry.

"Being a member of the International Printing Pressmen's Union for many years has brought him many endorsements by organized labor, for he has always stood for collective bargaining—and chiefly thanks to him, every worker in the land was spared a 50% increase in Social Security taxes last January,

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"How he has been able as a member of a minority party to accomplish so much is really remarkable.

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"I agree with Tom Dewey that it would be a calamity if Michigan and the nation were to lose the statesmanship of Vandenberg.

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"Every Michigan mother should be happy to have the privilege of voting against war by marking her ballot on November 5 for Willkie in the White House and Vandenberg in the Senate. That is really an All-American pair to me.

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"Let's finish the job on Nov. 5!"

Political advertisement contributed by friends of Arthur H. Vandenberg

Must Have

Miss Emily Post says potato chips must be eaten with the fingers. Something tells us Miss Post must have tried to spear one with a fork.—Macon Telegram.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the seventeenth day of October, A. D. 1940.

Present, Hon. Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ella Swarick, Deceased.

Bessie N. Faddis, daughter of said deceased, having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Thomas M. Faddis or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 18th day of November A. D. 1940, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR E. MOORE, Judge of Probate.

(A true Copy.)
FLORENCE DOTY,
Register of Probate.
JOHN E. MARTZ,
Attorney for Petitioner.
215 Penobscot Building,
Detroit, Michigan.
30-31-32

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1. **Profit to County largest in history of office** $20,537.11 in 1939.
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5. **Service.** Reduced time for recording and returning documents from 3 weeks to 9 days.
6. **Courtesy.** Anyone who has used the office will tell you that no service is too large or too small to receive courteous, prompt and able attention.

X REGISTER OF DEEDS ORRIN McQUAID

FOR YOUR CHILDREN'S SAKE!

Vote Yes on the PARKWAY PLAYGROUND PROPOSAL (STATE PROPOSAL NUMBER 5)

What the Parkway-Playground Proposal Means to You!

YOUR "YES" VOTE means the setting up of a joint Commission, or Authority, for the Metropolitan Counties of Wayne, Washtenaw, Oakland, Livingston and Macomb . . . representing *you* in the planning, developing and operating of *adequate* parks, playgrounds, bathing beaches, and of *safe, fast, convenient* express highways to take you to your destination without delay or danger due to traffic jams!

AN ANNUAL COST of less than 15 cents a person . . . the mere price of a nut sundae! . . . will get this *vitally-needed* program well under way throughout the five-county area!

YOUR "YES" VOTE means children of this crowded area will have an abundance of *safe* places to go and play! Actually, your "Yes" can *save the lives* of many children who otherwise are destined to meet sudden tragedy on our motor-jammed streets and highways! (Seven years of parkway-playground progress in Greater New York has reduced traffic accidents to children 42 per cent! And juvenile delinquency 20 per cent!) Let's give *our own* children a chance for happiness! On Tuesday, let's *all* vote "Yes" on *our own* Parkway-Playground Proposal!

YOUR "YES" VOTE means *manifold other benefits* to be shared by *every one* of the three million people living in the five counties centering about Detroit! "Yes" means *greater employment*, for it takes men to build parkways, playgrounds, bathing beaches! "Yes" means *millions more tourist dollars*, because playlands attract visitors! "Yes" means *a more gracious home environment!* "Yes" means a *healthier, happier, more prosperous* people! For *all our sakes* . . . let's *all* be sure to vote "Yes!"

PARKS, PARKWAYS PREVENT ACCIDENTS