

Qualifications Of Candidate Are Told

SHERMAN McDONALD, Republican Candidate For Circuit Court Commissioner, Oakland County, Royal Oak, says: "The candidate for this job should have all the qualifications of a Circuit Judge as the commissioner has a wide jurisdiction. I believe I am qualified to execute the duties of this office faithfully and according to the oath of office."

Mr. McDonald graduated from Lewis Institute, Northwestern University in 1923 and has practiced law in Royal Oak for 3 years.

(Political Announcement)



Elect
SHERMAN

McDonald
FOR
**Circuit Court
Commissioner**

REPUBLICAN

Primary Election, Sept. 13.

Sheriff Candidate Is Efficient Organizer

Roland C. Koehler, a Republican Candidate for sheriff of Oakland County, is thirty-six years of age, married, and resides in Pontiac.

After resigning from the U. S. Army in 1921, Mr. Koehler became affiliated with the Nash Motor Company. He served as Superintendent of Service of that company at Chicago until 1925, when he joined the General Motors Truck Company. Successive promotions made him assistant director of service of that organization until his resignation in May 1932.

As head of an organization doing a business of more than five million dollars per year, he secured an enviable experience in finance and business administration. He has demonstrated his interest in the affairs of others by being an active leader and an aggressive organizer in War Veterans affairs. His former business associates recommend him highly as to his ability to handle men and finances.

He believes in Police Protection of the rural and Lake communities by constant patrol duty. He also believes in close co-operation with the present efficient city and township police officers, thereby eliminating duplication of effort. Mr. Koehler will as certain, if elected, why more protection cannot be secured for less than the amount spent during the past years.

His record as a business-man, a leader, and an organizer should warrant the support of the voters.

Wide Experience Helps Phillips In Land Cases

Friends of Earl L. Phillips, interested in his candidacy for Circuit Court Commissioner, are emphasizing the particular demand at this time for a commissioner of mature judgment and thorough experience in the law, as is Mr. Phillips.

The conditions of the past three years, they point out, have made the duties of the Circuit Court commissioner exceptionally difficult. The Circuit Court Commissioner handles cases having to do with the ownership and possession of land. The disposition of these cases with justice to all re-

quires the mature judgment that comes with years of experience in the practice of law and in the affairs of life, say Mr. Phillips' supporters, and they are proud of his record in handling these matters, making decisions with due regard for the law and the rights of all.

Mr. Phillips is particularly fitted for this work, by experience in both legal and real property affairs.

He has been a practicing attorney in Oakland County for 14 years, having received his legal training at the University of Michigan. He is also not only a substantial taxpayer in the county but an active member of the Real Estate Board, through which he has made himself conversant with tax matters. His first public office is that in which he is now serving, as Circuit Court Commissioner.

Fraternally, Mr. Phillips is a member of F & A. M., Pontiac Lodge No. 21, B. P. O. E. No. 819, Pontiac Lodge No. 19, K. of P., Lions Club of Pontiac, and Cook-Nelson Post of the American Legion. He is a member of Central Methodist Church of Pontiac. Mr. Phillips is married and lives on Cherokee Road, Pontiac.

DONDERO, NOTED LINCOLN STUDENT, DEFINES ISSUES

A group of friends, among whom are many prominent citizens, have joined in drafting George A. Dondero, prominent Oakland County Attorney, as a candidate for the United States Congress in the 17th District of the Republican ticket and hope to secure his nomination in the fall primaries.

"Unemployment of our people is the most serious problem of our government today," Mr. Dondero said in a recent interview. "I am in favor of legislation that will aid in giving every person an opportunity to earn an honest living."

"The cure for the economic ills that affect the great majority of our people should be the first consideration of a Congressman. When we solve this problem, the others will be easy."

"I am in favor of reducing the cost of government to meet the present standard of living thereby lowering the burden of taxation."

In Reference To Prohibition "I fully and heartily endorse the stand taken by President Hoover in his acceptance address, received with public approval throughout the country. I stand for a sound and sane solution of the liquor question, satisfactory to a majority of the thinking people of our country."

Mr. Dondero is known nationally as an authority on the life of Abraham Lincoln. He was born in Greenfield Township, Wayne County, in 1883; graduated from the Royal Oak High School; taught school for four years; graduated from the Detroit College of Law; served as assistant prosecuting attorney of Oakland County; chairman of charter commission, Royal Oak; first mayor, Royal Oak; member of Royal Oak School Board for 18 years; vice-president Oakland County Bar Association; married and has three children.

MERRITT ASSISTS PEOPLE DEPRIVED OF THEIR HOMES

The friends of Harry J. Merritt, candidate for Circuit Court Commissioner for Oakland County, will be interested in knowing something of the effort he has made to alleviate the trying conditions under which he has had to conduct his office during the past two years since the economic situation has become so acute.

As a part of Mr. Merritt's duties it became necessary for him to witness in his court the eviction of many worthy people who were unable to pay their rent because of unemployment. Through the co-operation of the press and some of the larger property owners, Mr. Merritt was able to procure many houses in which he could give these worthy persons shelter at no cost to them. Many people were provided with a home with at least six months free rent.

Mr. Merritt desires to express his thanks to the property owners who have co-operated with him and thereby alleviated considerable suffering. Mr. Merritt has been doing this since early 1931 and it was recently that it was discovered. His friends feel that the people who are about to nominate two circuit court commissioners for the ensuing two years should know these facts in order that they may keep on the job an official who takes such an interest in the welfare of citizens.

Mr. Merritt was born in Pontiac and has lived in Birmingham and Royal Oak since his early youth. He enlisted in the United States Air Service in January of 1918, took ground school work at U. S. St. A., Urbana, Illinois and was transferred to Camp Dick, Texas and was finally discharged from Selfridge field as a fighting observer. He holds a

A Man Whom We May All Be Proud To Send To Congress!

**George A.
Dondero**

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR
Congress
Seventeenth District

Who He Is—

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What He Believes—

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"I am in favor of reducing the cost of government to meet the present standards of value, thereby lowering the burden of taxation."

"We must reverse our position of levying new taxes to meet the budget—by reducing the budget to meet our income."

PROHIBITION

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SOLDIERS' BONUS

"I am in favor of paying the soldiers' bonus and believe this can be done without affecting the financial stability of our government. I believe further that the interest charge should be eliminated on that part of the bonus already paid to the veterans."

NATIONAL DEFENSE

"I am opposed to the League of Nations."

"I am opposed to war. It is the greatest menace to mankind on earth today; but until it is outlawed by the nations we must maintain an army, navy and air force adequate for the protection of our country."

—PLEDGED TO THE MAJORITY—

(This advertisement inserted by residents of the 17th District who believe we need a man of Mr. Dondero's caliber to represent us in Congress)



TRUSTWORTHY — SINCERE
EXPERIENCED
Possessing
MATURE JUDGMENT
AND
THOROUGH KNOWLEDGE
Of The Law

Earl L. Phillips

FOR

Circuit Court Commissioner

One of the least-discussed but just at this time one of the most important offices in Oakland County. The times demand that the incumbent be fully experienced in handling the many intricate situations that develop in this office.

Mr. Phillips possesses every one of the qualifications needed for the office, plus the high character that every public official should have.

14 Years a Practising Attorney—

Serving In His First Public Office—

Active Member, Property Owners' Division,

Pontiac Real Estate Board—

Member, Cook-Nelson Post, American Legion—

A CANDIDATE YOU CAN CONSCIENTIOUSLY SUPPORT
Republican Primary, September 13
(Contributed by Friends)



RE-ELECT

Burton P.

Daugherty

County Clerk

OF OAKLAND COUNTY

Republican Ticket

Competent and Courteous

**Frank
Brinkworth**

DEMOCRAT

CANDIDATE FOR

United State Congress

17th Michigan District

Repeal Prohibition

PAY THE BONUS

YOUR SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED

Clayton H. Crissman

DEMOCRAT

Candidate For State

Representative

1st DISTRICT

ASK FOR A DEMOCRAT BALLOT



first lieutenant's commission in the Reserve Corps. He is a graduate of Albion College and the Detroit College of Law. He has been active in American Legion and Republican organizations for many years.

The 25-cent admission fee to the Michigan State Fair and Exposition Sept. 4 to 10 is expected to encourage more than 400,000.

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