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Government Policy must be judged by how it affects people - Does it help ~~people~~ quality of life; Does it protect life; assure justice provide opportunity - With these standards in mind, I ask you to judge the Policies of the Republican Administration and the Record of my opponent.

First, is our economy healthy and growing - the answer is to be found in the facts - not the Campaign oratory - what are the facts.

- (1) The Cost of living is at an all time high - It continues to rise at over 6% a year It reduces the Purchasing Power of every Dollar
- (2) Unemployment continues to rise - over 1 1/2 million more people are out of work now than 20 months ago - The Prediction is for another million by next Summer
- (3) Interest rates ~~at~~ the highest in 100 years - Credit for Homes, Farms, small business - tight & costly -
- (4) Our economy is at a stand still - Costing the Nation a Billion a week in

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lost production and work - thereby Reducing  
Personal and business income - + losing  
Billions of Dollars to the Revenue to Fed + State + Local Govt

~~the~~ Housing Construction is the lowest in 10  
Years - Young Couples can't afford to buy,  
the elderly being denied housing.

With our Schools desperately needing  
funds, and the Property tax rate at an all  
time high having gone up 53% in many there  
last 3 years - much of which goes to Education -  
the Republican Administration Voted 2 Federal  
Aid to Education Measures - + my opponent  
Voted to Sustain the First Veto, + Reversed himself  
on the Second. He also Voted Against the  
original Federal Aid to Elementary + Secondary  
Schools.

A time when we need to expand our battle  
against disease, increase our medical schools  
so as to Train more doctors, increase the  
number of Hospital beds for children and  
Veterans, the Republican Administration  
Says no - + Veto. and my opponent  
Voted to Sustain the Veto - ~~He Voted No~~

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yes ~~NO~~ <sup>3</sup> ~~for~~ <sup>Vote</sup> ~~up~~ <sup>ted</sup> against funds for expansion of  
William R. Memorial  
Moorhead St. Ansgar Hospital  
Benson Hospital  
Alexandria - Douglas County Hosp  
Wadena Memorial Hosp.

This vote cost Minnesota ~~\$ 12,750,000~~  
\$ 11,275,000 —

Work Study Program for our Students  
ext -

Student Loans ext - + young people  
are having to quit right here  
in Alexandria Technical Institute  
are ~~at~~ Vocational School

(B) needed for the rehabilitation of our  
handicapped.

And why - to fight inflation! - what it  
did was hurt people

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Rural Minnesota has not escaped the  
crippling effects of these Republican  
policies

- In the month of August, the sharpest  
decline in farm prices in 22 years
- The parity ratio is now the lowest  
for any year since 1933

~~Farm Auction Sales continue to  
shrink  
Farm credit is practically  
unavailable except at usurious  
rates~~

my opponent  
voted for  
this

The Republican Administration seeks  
to pass a farm bill that is  
repudiated by 24 farm organizations  
+ the prediction for 1971 is "Farm income  
to dip still lower in 1971" - Midwest Agribusiness - 7th Sept 68  
Paul Hasbarger U of Minn farm extension economist

and has Government Protected  
life + assured Justice

Crime in Minnesota up  
over 17%

in Rural Minn nearly 30%

In Past 3 years over 50%

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(X) Repres. Gant - in Senate -

(X) Return man whose jud. Govt  
bad on the record.

(X) My opponent doesn't have connections  
- Mrs. Hughes called - Cuban Crisis

(X) Tax credit in Educ 1963 X

(X) Older People Tax Credit

Heinman Report

Tired Old Men on Welfare  
Program in Senate  
Don't want to improve

William Del

- Educ

- Law & Order

- Law & Justice

- Health



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