AS YOUR CONGRESSMAN

Stanton Ganders will work and fight for:

AN EFFECTIVE FARM PROGRAM to increase family farm income and to make food and feed more readily available to purchasers.

RESEARCH PROGRAM FOR AGRICULTURE. There are about 5 million U.S. farmers in the business of growing food and fiber for the nation and other areas of the world. Every American citizen has a stake in the farm program.

★ ABUNDANT, LOW-COST POWER...which means wealth and jobs for Washington, with development of public power at multi-purpose damsites for the general welfare of all.

★ IMPARTIAL LABOR LAWS. Stanton Ganders has always been opposed to so-called right-to-work laws.

SOCIAL SECURITY LIBERALIZATION. So that women may receive their benefits at 60 and totally disabled supporters of the home may receive benefits regardless of age.

★ BETTER HOUSING. To improve the conditions of the nearly 50 million Americans who now live in sub-standard or overcrowded homes.

★ PEACEFUL APPLICATIONS OF ATOMIC ENERGY. Speed up production of electrical energy through atomic reactors.

STRONGER UNITED NATIONS. Our best hope for lasting world peace.

* A SENSIBLE RECLAMATION POLICY.

★ STRONGER NATIONAL DEFENSE. We must remain the strongest military nation in the world until such time as a satisfactory world disarmament program can be worked out.

★ FEDERAL AID TO EDUCATION...under the general welfare clause of our Constitution.

★ TECHNICAL AID to underdeveloped countries to make a more stable world economy and win the friendship of the uncommitted peoples of the world.

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FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (SOUTHEASTERN WASHINGTON)





STANTON GANDERS

U.S. Representative, 4th District (Adams, Asotin, Benton, Columbia, Franklin, Garfield, Grant, Kittitas, Klickitat, Walla Walla, Whitman, and Yakima Counties)

THE MAN OF PROVEN INTEGRITY AND NINE YEARS' LEGISLATIVE EXPERIENCE

AS A SENIOR SENATOR ...

Stanton Ganders ably represented Skamania, Benton, Franklin, and Klickitat Counties (comprising the 200-mile-long 16th District) through nine legislative sessions.

STATE SEN. GANDERS brought a steadying, constructive influence to vital committees. His day-today performance earned for him and Southeastern Washington positions of power and prestige.

STANTON GANDERS served with distinction on these committees:



Chairman, Roads and Bridges Agriculture, Livestock, **Reclamation**, Irrigation Labor Education Higher Education and Libraries Chairman, Medicine and **Dentistry** Parks and Public Buildings Cities, Towns, and Counties Industrial Insurance Elections and Apportionment

Interim Committees:

Fact-finding Committee on Highways, Streets and Bridges Washington - Oregon Boundary Commission

What a Washington state editor said of Stanton Ganders' legislative record:

".... he remembered something that other legislators often forget – they are sent to the Legislature to get something done for their own districts and not to enhance their own egos."

- Tri - City Herald

Let Us Remember THE MAN WHO PROTECTS OUR INTERESTS



Stanton Ganders' family - Betty; Larry, 22 months; and Stan.

A native Washingtonian, 45-year-old Stanton Ganders was born September 28, 1912, near Bickleton. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Ganders, who came to Southeastern Washington in 1883, Stanton was reared by devout parents, and continues to apply basic religious principles in his everyday life. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church.

From Bickleton public schools, he went to the University of Washington and was graduated in 1934 with a B.A. in political science. He then majored in law at the University of Michigan.

In World War II, Stanton Ganders served three years and nine months, mostly overseas, and personally received six battle stars while a member of the Eighth Air Force, 467th Bomber Group.

LIFETIME DEMOCRAT

Stanton Ganders helped reorganize and revitalize the Democratic Party in his district; was one of the founders of the Fourth Congressional District Democratic Council, 1946; and was chairman of the Klickitat County Democratic Central Committee, 1940-41.

President Truman appointed him to represent his region in Washington, D.C., at the National Safety Conference in 1952.

An active member of the Grange, the Farm Bureau, and the Northwest Conservation League, Stanton Ganders is also a member of the Masonic Orders, 100F, and Elks Lodge.

His avid interest in foreign affairs prompted a personal inspection trip of 10 European countries in 1954, at his own expense. He came away confirmed in his belief that the United Nations is "our best hope for lasting peace."

NINE YEARS IN SENATE

From 1948 to 1957, he served as a State Senator, representing Benton, Franklin, Klickitat, and Skamania counties.

Stanton's friends say one of his greatest achievements occurred in 1954 when he won the lovely, gracious, and talented Miss Betty Fraunfelder, now Mrs. Stanton Ganders. They met at a Shrine Club meeting in Bingen, Wash., and renewed their acquaintance at a Governor's Conference in Seattle. They have one child, Larry, 22 months old.

A gifted soprano and chromatic accordionist, Swissborn Mrs. Ganders and the Fraunfelder family have brought to millions the fine traditions, love and enthusiasm of the Swiss people through their performance on stage, screen, radio and TV.

The Swiss Government wrote: "We have been informed of the wonderful work you have been doing in hospitals throughout the United States with your concerts and lectures on the International Red Cross. Your efforts in the interest of international understanding, world friendship and world peace have been greatly appreciated."

STANTON GANDERS served our state with proven ability & integrity

A Few Highlights from State Sen. Ganders' Legislative Record:

- Urged Federal Agencies to take more active role in helping farmers with finances.
- Substantially raised State aid to school districts.
- Opposed scheme to ''siphon'' Pacific Northwest power to California. Petitioned Congress and President Truman on this vital matter.
- Sponsored Act allowing Richland to incorporate.
- Mainspring in development of Lewis and Clark highway.
- Sponsored legislation placing ceiling on amusement tax.
- Fought to secure special division in office of Superintendent of Public Instruction for handicapped children.
- Aided many measures strengthening Public Utility Districts.
- Favored law setting maximum work hours for females at 8-hour day.
- Promoted various sanitary and safety acts beneficial to labor.

• Mended legislative stalemate: in state emergency, helped organize Senate with opposing party, achieved working coalition. Result: Became Chairman of powerful Senate Roads and Bridges Committee, to greater benefit of Southeastern Washington. "He put partisan politics below principle, and put power behind \$67 million highway bond issue."

- Champion of \$66,763,625 highway bond issue. Restored Washington state highways to place among nation's best. (\$6,500,000 for new Pasco-Kennewick highway bridge. Responsible for thousands of miles of new roads in Southeastern Washington and improved primary and secondary highways: \$49,250,000 for U.S. 99; \$4,250,000 for four-lane Snoqualmie Pass; \$5,000,000 farm-to-market roads in Columbia Basin; \$1,703,625 for Agate Pass Bridge bonds.)
- Sponsored successful act authorizing issuance of bonds for construction of a new state office building, new state library building, parking facilities.
- Supported The Dalles Dam, McNary and John Day Dams, and other Columbia River projects.
- A leading proponent for Agriculture Enabling Act of 1955, allowing farmers the opportunity to help themselves.
- Strengthened Savings & Loan laws in Washington. Placed on more equal operating basis with those chartered by Federal government.
- Sought establishment of a pilot plant for experimental research on gasification of Washington coal, to help develop state's natural resources.
- Voted for cash bonus to State's veterans of World War II, and Korean vets.

- Aided passage of Controlled Access Highway Act.
- Furthered state aid to agricultural fairs.
- Supported State Council for Children and Youth.
- Defender of Indians and Indian fishing rights.
- Urged President Truman and CAB to act promptly, thus providing air service between Tri-City and Seattle.
- Singlehandedly obtained legislation enabling counties, in absence of a commercial dealer, to sell crushed rock to farmers and others.
- Responsible for establishing several new state parks, and revenue measures to maintain these attractions.
- As Chairman of Medicine and Dentistry Committee, aided passage of bills important to practice of medicine and licensing of medical personnel.
- Advanced several bills concerning Industrial Insurance and Social Security.
- *Promoted measures improving standards of hospitals and rest homes.

JULIA BUTLER HANSEN

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STATE OF WASHINGTON

THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE 1951 OLYMPIA

April 1, 1951

Senator Stanton Ganders Chairman of Senate Roads and Bridges Committee Bickleton, Washington

Dear Stanton:

JBH:nh

With the session over, I would like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation for your magnificent work on behalf of our highway program.

Without your chairmanship in the Senate and the cooperation of yourself and the members of your committee, I doubt that the highway bond program and the other legislation so mandatory for the future of Washington highways would have passed.

Looking forward to continued work on behalf of our highway program in the legislature, I am

Yours most appreciatively and sincerely,

Julia Butter Hansen

g Julia Butler Hansen Chairman, Highways Committee House of Representatives

Stanton Ganders

from God - his conscience."

Stanton Ganders' Pledge to You:

"I will serve you in the U.S. House of Represen-

tatives as a free man — acting in the public inter-

est, protecting the dignity and freedom of the

individual, and obedient to man's supreme gift

An <u>Undefeated</u> Democrat Who Can <u>Win</u> in November!