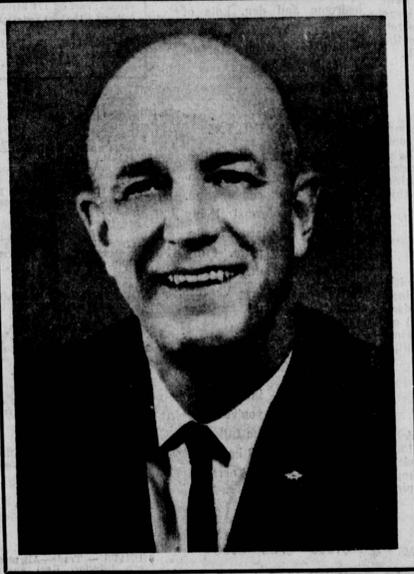


# RE-ELECT TO STATE LEGISLATURE

# CHARLES EDWARD CHAPEL

### ... KNOW YOUR STATE REPRESENTATIVE

Read about him and what he has accomplished for you . . .



**CHARLES EDWARD CHAPEL**

Assemblyman Chapel reads all his mail and personally dictates answers to all his constituents. In addition, he personally writes a weekly column which is published in newspapers throughout the District and solicits letters from you.

**CHARLES EDWARD CHAPEL**  
MEMBER OF THE ASSEMBLY, FORTY-SIXTH DISTRICT  
CALIFORNIA STATE LEGISLATURE  
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November 1, 1966

Dear Friends:

This is a critical year of decision for all of us. How we vote at the General Election on Tuesday, November 8, will, to a large extent, determine the amount of taxes we will pay, the cost of living, our property rights, and our personal liberties. Also, how we vote will affect our children and our children's children.

Among other things, for sixteen years I have voted against bills to create new taxes or increase existing taxes because the power to tax is also the power to control and destroy.

Air pollution, water pollution, filthy literature, narcotics, creeping communism, state socialism, and the "Great Leap Forward" of the New Society are only a few of the evils I have fought during the sixteen years that I have represented the Forty-sixth Assembly District.

In 1966, alone, I obtained the enactment into law of five of my bills dealing with molotov cocktails, attacks upon firemen, and increased penalties for certain arson crimes. I obtained the enactment of my bill providing for a fourth Municipal Court Judge in the South Bay Municipal Court. My Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 1 is now Proposition No. 8 on your November ballot.

The motto of my native State of Iowa, where I lived until I went to Annapolis when I was eighteen, is: "Our liberties we prize. Our rights we will maintain." That motto is worth remembering for all Californians when we vote in this year of decision.

Very respectfully and cordially yours,

*Charles Edward Chapel*  
Charles Edward Chapel

## WHO IS ASSEMBLYMAN CHAPEL? READ WHAT "WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA" SAYS ABOUT ASSEMBLYMAN CHAPEL!

The following is from the 1966 edition of WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA. A Biographical Dictionary of Notable Living Men and Women. (Published by Marquis-Who's Who, Inc.—A Non-Profit Corp., 210 East Ohio Street, Chicago 11, Illinois.)

"CHAPEL, Charles Edward, Aeronautical, ordnance engineer, author. Born Manchester, Iowa. Attended State University of Iowa, Missouri University, and U.S. Naval Academy. Degrees: A.B. and B.S. in Engineering.

Children: Joanne (Mrs. Leland I. Coontz, step-son, Richard Young. Wife: Dorothy Messner Chapel, Regular officer, U.S. Marine Corps, 1926 to 1937. Began writing professionally in 1925; author of more than 4,000 published magazine and newspaper articles on aviation, firearms, navigation, radio, electronics, exterior and interior ballistics, police science, space flight, etc. Sole author of 29 published texts on police science and weapons. Co-author two dictionaries, three encyclopedias, and one text on biology, Professor, Aeronautical and mechanical engineering, Polytechnic College of Engineering, 1941. Educational Director, U.S. Army Air Corps School of Motorless Flight (Gliders), Twentynine Palms, Calif., 1942. Senior Aeronautical Engineer and General Superintendent, Customer Relations, U.S. Navy and U.S. Air Force Schools, for Consolidated-Vultee Aircraft Corporation, 1942-1945. Motion Picture Producer, U.S. Air Force training films, B-32, 1944-1945. Chief Research and Development, Northrop Aircraft, Inc., 1945 to 1948. Consulting engineer for aircraft and space research corporations since 1948. Member, Republican Central Committee, Los Angeles County and 46th Assembly District, since 1948. Member, Republican State Central Committee since 1950.

Received Gold Medal, Sons of American Revolution, for Good Citizenship, Awarded Honorary Life Membership, National Rifle Association of America, 1924. State Director of Marksmanship, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Department of Virginia, 1936 and 1937. . . .

(Lists of books and affiliations with fraternal, professional, and veterans' organizations omitted from above quotation to save space.)



Your Assemblyman and Mrs. Chapel in front of Capitol in Sacramento.

## Here Are Only a Few of the Facts from the Dynamic Effective Record of Assemblyman Chapel!

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| <b>BIRTH</b><br>Born in Manchester, Iowa.  | <b>SCOUTS</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel organized the first Cub Pack in the United States in Iowa City, Iowa, in 1921, while he was a freshman, State University of Iowa. When Chapel entered the U.S. Naval Academy, in June, 1922, he left two large Cub Packs which became the nucleus for the present Cub Scouts of America.   | <b>CAVALRY</b><br>Chapel served as Trooper (private), Troop A, 131st Iowa National Guard Regiment (horse cavalry), and was given an Excellent Character Discharge upon his appointment to U.S. Naval Academy, June, 1922.   | <b>EDUCATION</b><br>Educated in public schools of Iowa; at State University of Iowa, Missouri University, U.S. Naval Academy; and Polytechnic College of Engineering. Degrees: A.B. and B.S. in Engineering.  | <b>MARINE</b><br>Commissioned officer of regular U.S. Marine Corps, 1926, and so served for more than eleven years until honorable retirement in 1937. Served in Fifth Regiment in Nicaragua; Fourth Regiment in China; aboard U.S.S. California on staff of one Major General and two Rear Admirals; Judge Advocate, 5th U.S. Naval District, and retired with honor in 1937, with overseas medals.   | <b>ENGINEER</b><br>Served as aeronautical engineer, ordnance engineer, and marine surveyor. Licensed by the State of California as a Professional Mechanical Engineer, Certificate No. 1952, and as Class "A" Tech and Ship Broker, License No. 760.   |
| <b>AUTHOR</b><br>Chapel is the author of twenty-nine major scientific and technical books on firearms, aviation, electronics, and police science. He is a co-author of a text on biology; one of the authors of ENCYCLOPEDIA BRITANNICA; and a co-author of THE AIR SPACE DICTIONARY. More than four thousand of his non-fiction articles have been published in magazines and newspapers.   | <b>ANTI-COMMUNIST</b><br>Chapel fought communism by removing the Communist Party from the ballot in California by means of his A.B. 52, introduced and enacted in 1953, cited as Chapter 1217, Statutes of 1953, a law which remains in the California Elections Code.   | <b>CONSTITUTION</b><br>Chapel also fought communism by authoring and obtaining the enactment into law of his A.B. 2040, Chapter 283, Statutes of 1951, cited as Sections 10051, 10052, and 10053, Education Code, which required the teaching of courses in the principles of State and local government, and American deeds, in all schools of California.   | <b>HOME RULE FOR FREEWAYS</b><br>Chapel was responsible for including the San Diego Freeway in the State Highway System, but amended a major bill so that the San Diego Freeway was routed adjacent to, but not inside, the 46th Assembly District, which Chapel has represented for sixteen years.   | <b>ANTI-LOAN SHARKS</b><br>As a member, Assembly Committee on Transportation and Commerce for sixteen years, Chapel legislative action in 1965 and 1966 prevented the building of any freeway on or near State Route No. 1, formerly called 101-Altamira, known locally as Sepulveda Blvd. and Pacific Coast Highway.  | <b>NO TAX INCREASE</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel, as a Member of the Revenue and Taxation Committee on Revenue and Taxation for sixteen years, has saved you money by casting decisive votes against new tax levies and the increase of old taxes. In 1965 and 1966 Chapel's own bills enacted into law saved more money for you in the tax field.   |
| <b>ATOMIC ENERGY</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel, as Chairman of the Sub-Committee on Atomic Energy, was the author of the first California Statute enacted in the history of the State regarding atomic energy. This law protects you and your family from the hazards of nuclear fission in its peaceful applications.   | <b>TEACHERS</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel for sixteen years has received letters of commendation and thanks from parents, teachers, and students for his active support of legislation regarding public education in kindergarten, elementary schools, high schools, junior colleges, state colleges, and the University of California in all its branches.  | <b>VETERAN</b><br>Chapel is a member of Manhattan Beach Post No. 5631, Veterans of the Foreign Wars of the United States; and a member of five other national organizations of veterans. As a member of the Assembly Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, he has continued his long fight to obtain justice for veterans without shifting a tax load to homeowners, many of whom are veterans. | <b>GOOD CITIZEN</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel was awarded the Sons of the American Revolution Gold Medal for Good Citizenship. Chapel was the author of two anti-communist laws and two anti-narcotics laws, all four of which are still in force.  | <b>ANTI-LOAN SHARKS</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel was the pioneer in enacting laws regulating "loan sharks" (ten-percenters). He was the author of the first two laws on this subject in California, which proved so effective that many loan sharks in Los Angeles County went out of business. Naturally, the loan sharks and their lawyers have no love for Assemblyman Chapel. Judge a man by his enemies!   | <b>PROTECT BEACHES</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel's amendment to the Shell-Cummins Act of 1955 prohibits oil drilling from the Ventura County line to Point Vicente, near San Pedro, except where cities own their own tideland oil grants with the right to vote on whether or not they wish to permit oil drilling, such as Hermosa Beach. This Chapel law protects the beaches and harbors along the coastline of the 46th Assembly District against exploitation and maintains home rule. |
| <b>REDONDO BEACH</b><br>Chapel obtained an emergency appropriation of \$20,000 in 1952 to protect Redondo Beach against ocean storms. In 1954, Chapel obtained a second appropriation for Redondo Beach in the amount of \$150,000. He then obtained the creation of the Governor's Commission to study the feasibility of building a modern harbor at Redondo Beach. The Commission's report caused the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to support Federal legislation which resulted in the construction of the present harbor at Redondo Beach. There would be no small-craft harbor at Redondo Beach except for the continuing accomplishments of Assemblyman Chapel! | <b>APPROPRIATIONS</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel's Assembly Bill No. 3 of 1963, introduced by him again in 1965, although not passed into law, has been repeatedly copied, widely filed, and read by other Assemblymen and State Senators, and remains today a model bill for stopping the flood of indecent literature and pictures. Chapel will introduce his bill again in January, 1967, assuming that that is the desire of you and others in the 46th District. | <b>CHAPEL HARBOR LAWS</b><br>Chapel was Vice Chairman, Joint Committee on Marine Affairs, for four years; and was Chairman, Assembly Committee on Marine Affairs, for two years. During his sixteen years in the Legislature, Chapel has written, with the help of experts, many of the existing State laws on harbors, marinas, sailing, boating, and related subjects.                              | <b>SALT-WATER INTRUSION</b><br>Chapel obtained an appropriation of \$750,000 for a pilot study at Manhattan Beach to combat salt-water intrusion by injecting fresh water into underground streams. The project was so successful that this method of combating salt-water intrusion has been extensively used all over America for many years. | <b>TIDELAND GRANTS</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel has obtained State Tideland Wild Grants for Manhattan Beach, Palos Verdes Estates, and Avalon, the romantic city on Santa Catalina Island. These tideland grants give cities power to regulate swimming, boating, and other water recreation, together with home rule regarding law-enforcement, health and safety. Assemblyman Chapel, for sixteen years in the Legislature has been the champion of home-rule by cities and counties. | <b>PIERS FOR SOUTH BAY</b><br>Chapel obtained an appropriation of \$240,000 for the State to rebuild the pier at Manhattan Beach. Chapel, in cooperation with the City of Hermosa Beach, obtained a grant of \$750,000 from the California Wildlife Conservation Board for the construction of the new pier at Hermosa Beach. Assemblyman Chapel "gets things done" for the communities of the 46th Assembly District!   |
| <b>NO BEACH POLLUTION</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel is the author of major laws in the State Water Code and the State Health and Safety Code protecting our beaches and harbors against contamination and pollution from all sources.  | <b>NO SMUT BOOKS</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel's Assembly Bill No. 3 of 1963, introduced by him again in 1965, although not passed into law, has been repeatedly copied, widely filed, and read by other Assemblymen and State Senators, and remains today a model bill for stopping the flood of indecent literature and pictures. Chapel will introduce his bill again in January, 1967, assuming that that is the desire of you and others in the 46th District.  | <b>NO NARCOTICS</b><br>Assemblyman Chapel's A. B. 2378, known as the "Nal-line Test Law," has been described by law-enforcement officers and judges as one of the most practical, most effective of all anti-narcotic laws in California.   | <b>NATIONAL GUARD</b><br>Chapel has been the author or co-author of numerous laws for the California National Guard and its Military Reserve.   | <b>46TH DISTRICT</b><br>The above are only a few of the many bills and laws of which Chapel was the author, co-author, or floor leader. Every community in the 46th Assembly District, including Venice, Playa del Rey, Westchester, El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Palos Verdes Estates, Portiques Bend, Rolling Hills, and Rolling Hills Estates, is protected by Chapel's laws. He gets things done!  |  |

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46th District, California State Legislature