REP. GEORGE OLSON 10th district—Jackson county

A two-term veteran of the 1930s coming back for the 60th legislature is Rep.

George W. Olson of Mountain Lake.

Olson was elected to the house from Jackson county first in 1932, serving in the 1933 session when the late Floyd B. Olson



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was serving his first term as governor. He skipped a couple of sessions and returned for the 1937 session.

Olson, 63, was born in Jackson county and has lived his life there. He attended local schools and a term of commercial college before settling down to farming just outside Mountain Lake.

He served in World War I with the 312th infantry's 78th division which played a hefty role in the famed Meuse-Argonne offensive. Olson then returned to pick up farming and has continued in it ever since.

He has held a variety of local offices, been a member of the Farmers Co-op elevator at Monterey for 27 years, the South Central Electric association, St. James, for 20 years, and 10 years with the Trimont Co-op Oil Co. and the Christiania Mercantile Co.

Olson and his wife, Esther, belong to the Mission Covenant church and are the parents of a grown daughter.

He again will caucus with the house liberal majority. Between Nov. 1956-Jan. 1967