

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Ashtely, Marton E. Senator _____

Represented Humboldt and Pocahontas Counties Iowa

1. Birthday and place 23 Jul 1867 Cambria, Michigan

2. Marriage (s) date place _____

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Had been president of the Spencer Chick Hatchery

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Grain dealers; Bankers; farmers; hatchery business

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 27th General Assembly 1898

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State Speaker of the House

C. National _____

7. Death 7 Dec 1948 Spencer, Iowa; buried Riverside Cemetery, Spencer, Iowa

8. Children Hester; Mabel (Mrs. Oberholt)

9. Names of parents _____

10. Education Attended high school at Hillsdale, Michigan

11. Degrees Attended college at Hillsdale, Michigan

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He came to Iowa when he was associated with the bank at Rock
Valley, Iowa and later the bank at Marshall, Iowa
- He then went into the grain business at Laurens, Iowa around 1908.
At one time he had a string of 17 grain elevators throughout
northwest Iowa
- He sold these interests to Quaker Oats in 1932.

Memorial Dedication



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Millions Pour Millions in Rehabilitation

YUGOSLAVIA, Dec. 8 —(AP)— Millions are pouring into Yugoslavia to help shall Tito's program of "rehabilitation nation."

A report in the Yugoslav communist party newspaper Borba revealed that a huge majority of contributions of money and supplies reaching Yugoslavia still comes from residents and organizations in the United States.

American contributions in the last three years were listed at \$15,500,000. In addition, more than \$1,000,000 worth of medical supplies, mobile tuberculosis clinics, trucks and street sprinklers have come from America through the Yugoslav Red Cross.

The contributions from the United States do not include the huge collections sent to the Yugoslav government in exile in London in 1945. They also do not include the

M. DeWolf Dies At Age Of 81

M. E. DeWolf, 81, prominent Spencer republican and former grain dealer, died at his home of a heart attack early this morning. He had been ill several weeks from a heart condition. Mr. DeWolf was known throughout the state as a very active republican, and for his grain interests which at one time numbered 17 elevators. He had lived in Spencer for 40 years.

Sold Elevators in 1932

Born July 23, 1867, in Cambria, Mich., DeWolf attended high school and college at Hillsdale, Mich. Coming to Iowa he was first connected with the bank at Rock Valley, and later with the bank at Marathon. He went into the grain business at Laurens some 40 years ago, and at one time had a string of 17 grain elevators throughout northwest Iowa.

He sold these interests to Quaker Oats in 1932.

He was elected to the state legislature in 1895, at the age of 28, serving Humboldt and Pocahontas counties, combined, and was elected speaker of the house for that term, the 27th assembly. Mr. DeWolf had attended 56 consecutive state conventions. He had been nominated this year for presidential elector from Iowa.

Services at 2 o'clock Friday

DeWolf had been active in recent years as president of the Spencer Chick Hatchery, managed by his daughter, Hester DeWolf.

Survivors include two daughters, Hester of Spencer, and Mrs. Mabel Obrecht of Holstein; two grandchildren, Elizabeth Ann Obrecht and Norton DeWolf Obrecht; and one brother, Glenn DeWolf, Lansing, Mich.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday from the Cobb-Warner chapel with burial in Riverside mausoleum.

12th Arrives Red Encampment

Jackson Is Named To Plan Board

Mayor Charles Curtis announced this morning the appointment of R. R. Jackson to the city plan commission, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of John Flindt. The appointment is subject to the confirmation of the city council, and will be presented to them at their next regular meeting.

Jackson, who resigned from the city council in September of this year over a dispute concerning the official paper of Spencer, was appointed according to Curtis, because of his experience on the sewers committee of the council and his knowledge of Spencer and the vicinity.

Curtis said that he has been considering the appointment for some time, since Flindt's resignation became effective Dec. 1. Flindt resigned for business reasons.

Jackson has been living in Spencer for the past 12 years, and has been active in civic affairs. He has been a leader in the Scout movement in Spencer. He is business manager of the Spencer Daily Reporter at present.

Petit Jurors

Names on the list for the court announced in office today.

They are as follows:

- Martin Starr Goetz
- Jespersen, John
- colin; Hervey O. Quist, Ed Tree; Wilmit; Mary and Elmer

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The senator-elect was sobered by the fact that people are watching the newspapers every day to see if war is around the corner and sobered by what he termed a stupendous debt that is growing by leaps and bounds. How far can we stretch our resources to help the whole world? he asked. That's the responsibility that's ahead for those who were elected, he pointed out.

He's facing this responsibility, not dodging it, he said, for he sought and fought for election. He believes the victory was an endorsement not of individuals, but of a record. His party's going back into control "on the hill" again, after a lapse of two years, is a second chance, which he says is something few parties in the past have been given.

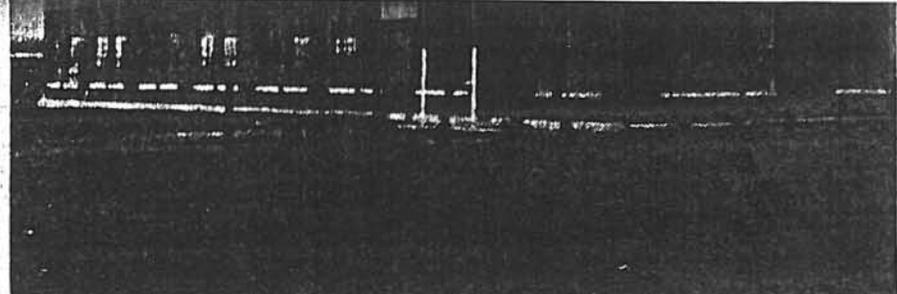
He was introduced by another Gillette, Lester Gillette of Fostoria, who is no relation, but who has served the people himself in several capacities: in the state senate, on the state board of education, and on the faculty at Iowa State.

Kenneth Herbster, presided at the meeting and introduced several guests including Hugh McGuire of Holstein and Larry McGivern of Marcus.

Baum Named to Inspectors' Board

J. L. Baum, building inspector in Spencer, has been honored by the election to the Board of Directors of the Iowa Inspectors' Association. This is the first time a man from Spencer has served on this board.

After being named to the office of building inspector here a year ago, he was also appointed building and zoning inspector for the city in April.



The machinery is being installed now in the big New the north edge of Spencer pictured here. It is hoped that the ation shortly after the first of the year.

The employment office in Spencer has interviewed anu ture employees. Many of them are women. Three employees at structions at the home plant. Fishing rods will be the main equipment is also expected to be manufactured at th local plant there is contemplation of its enlargement in the future.

M. E. DeWolf Rites Friday

Funeral rites are being held this Friday afternoon at the Cobb-Warner Funeral Home for M E. DeWolf, 81, a prominent resident of Spencer for the last forty years. He died Wednesday morning at his home at 919 Grand Avenue.

He had been in the hospital awhile after being taken ill, but upon his request had been moved to his own home and had been cared for there during the last of his illness.

He is survived by his daughter Hester and a daughter, Mrs. Mable Obrecht of Holstein. The DeWolfs came to Spencer from Laurens. He engaged during his life in grain and elevator business, banking and farming, and in the chick hatchery business.

The Rev. F. W. Ortmeyer will officiate at the service.

Postoffice Window To Open Evening

The postoffice window in Spencer will be open from to 8 p.m. beginning nex Monday, December 13. Rus sel B. Mann has announced

The postoffice here normally cancels an average of 8,500 pieces of mail daily the postmaster reports. Cancellations are now running about 10,000 per day, and at the peak of the Christmas season they are expected to reach 25,000.

Funeral Tuesday For R. MacDuff

Funeral services were h Tuesday for Roy Earl MacD fie, 63, who died Friday at M son City after a heart atta He is survived by his wife a son John of Spencer and daug ter, Mrs. Don Gourley of Dak City, Nebraska.

The Rev. Ogradowski offic ted at the service which was h at the Cobb-Warner fune home. Interment was made North Lawn Memorial Cen tery.

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