

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Shambaugh, John Senator \_\_\_\_\_  
Represented Madison County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 13 Oct 1848 Madison County, Ohio at  
Romney, Ohio

2. Marriage (s) date place

Elizabeth Gutschall 30 May 1879 Bornville, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business He was one of the owners of the Bornville Savings Bank, Bornville,  
Iowa as well as one of the bank directors

B. Civic responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

C. Profession Farmer; raised livestock

4. Church membership United Brethren

5. Sessions served 27<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> General Assemblies 1898, 1900

6. Public Offices

A. Local \_\_\_\_\_

B. State He served for 35 years as trustee of Leonard Clark College - a  
United Brethren Church Seminary located at Toledo Iowa; director of the Iowa  
Bonding and Casualty Company, and Iowa National Fire Insurance Company

C. National \_\_\_\_\_

7. Death 13 Aug 1919 near Bornville Iowa; buried Union Chapel Cemetery near St. Charles, Iowa

8. Children Ralph (died young); Virginia (Mrs. Evans); Lotta (died young)

John Jacobs

9. Names of parents Michael and Hester (Hazlett) Shambaugh

Shambaugh, John

10. Education He was educated in the public schools of Rambley,  
Ohio

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information

Republican

He came to Iowa in 1874 and bought a large farm in Madison County, Iowa  
where his brother, Adam Shambaugh had already settled. He was a  
former settler of Jefferson Township of Madison County, Iowa.  
He erected the Union Chapel Church and laid out the Union Chapel  
Cemetery at the corner of his farm.



### Country Club Entertains

Eight members and their wives of the Golf and Tennis Club of Des Moines were guests of the Winterset Country Club, at the club grounds on Sunday, the party spending the day here, driving home in the evening. A chicken dinner was served for the guests and about twenty others at two o'clock. The visitors were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Blahard, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Hulstzer, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. F. Kromer, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Wallen, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peck, of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Van Eyra, and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Harwood.

### Buys A Farm

Negotiations have been in process for some time past but it was only recently that the deal was closed wherein Gale Kirkland became owner of the Jessup farm southeast of town. There are 120 acres in the tract and "Wild" Kirkland bought the west forty. Gale has been offered a handsome profit for his place but states that he knows of no place wherein he can better himself and has concluded to stay right here in Grand River township, Macksburg Independent.

### Hotel Needed

Macksburg sorely needs a regular stopping place for transients and travelers, a place where they can find sleeping and eating accommodations. Just this week the need asserted itself very eloquently when some of the Chautauqua talent were seeking such accommodations.—Macksburg

### Births

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Read, Scott township, August 10, a son.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Silverthorne, Monroe township, August 7, a girl.  
Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hann, Winterset, August 20, a daughter.

### Marriage Licenses

The following is the list of marriage licenses issued by the county clerk for the past week:  
Edward V. Gardener  
Lila Turbett

### State Fair Special

train from Winterset to Des Moines for three days during the State Fair

in the city is occupied and the number of high school students from the country will be considerably larger than last year.

### St. Charles Old Settlers Day

The Old Settlers Reunion was held at St. Charles last Thursday as advertised. The Winterset band furnished the music for the day. The morning exercises began at 10:30 with band music, invocation by Chaplain J. G. Vanatta. Miss Truth Humbarger read Lincoln's Gettysburg address, then John Blahop gave the welcome address to the returned soldiers after which about sixty veterans of the Civil war and soldiers of the World war sat down to a feast prepared by the W. R. C. and W. C. T. U. organizations.

In the afternoon after a concert by the band, Prof. Bohumil Shimek of Iowa City gave the principal address of the day. After making a talk to the pioneers and reviewing pioneer days, he told about state parks, and stated that the next state park selected might be the Devil's Backbone in Madison county. Following his address Maxima Williams sang a song and gave a short recitation. Short talks were given by Prof. Geo. S. Dick, inspector of consolidated schools of Iowa; State Spul. P. E. McClenahan; Hon. C. C. Dowell; C. H. Erwin and County Supt. Carrie Ludlow.

The list of settlers who have passed away since our last are in part as follows: John Barber, J. L. Armstrong, Rev. W. W. Williams, C. F. Clanton, John A. C. Fleck, Katharine Garman Nichols, Mrs. Laura Crawford, Mrs. George Putman, Dr. S. N. Sayre, Frances Cleland, Reuben A. Foster, James Faust, Calvert Reither, Ralph Shutt, John B. Martin, Robert Milton Young, Dora Dick, Plennie Williamson, Glenn Eppard, Harold Miller, Chas. Miller, J. W. Carman, D. C. Arnold, Fred Allen, Elsworth Lyon, W. W. Atkinson, Mahala Arnold, Louis Luke, P. D. Switzer, Burt Jones, James Laughlin, Ray Knott, Bonnie Irwin, Amanda Chronelle, Thos. Runkle, Mrs. Annie Hodges, R. D. Minard and Dana Woolery.

Officers chosen for 1920 are as follows: President, Peter Atig; Vice President for Madison county, John H. Blahop, Vice President for Warren county, J. L. Knott; Secretary, E. K. Anderson; Treasurer, W. A. Tris, Chaplin, S. W. Lea; executive

mor where he conducted an extensive grain business and established branch houses in Peru, Bovington and other southern Iowa towns. He was widely known throughout the southern part of the state and was one of its solid and substantial citizens.

### John Shambaugh

John Shambaugh, ex-representative of Madison county, and prominent stock man and farmer, died at his home near Boonsville. The funeral was held Sunday and attended by many Winterset people and by friends from all over the county and adjoining parts of the state. Mr. Shambaugh was one of the pioneer citizens of Jefferson township and has resided in the county many years. He was twice elected representative of Madison county and was one of its most successful farmers and stock raisers. He was one of the owners of the Booneville bank and had a wide acquaintance throughout the state. Over five hundred friends and neighbors were present at the funeral Sunday.

### Airplane Falls at Dexter

The Guthrie Center airplane which was being exhibited at Dexter last Saturday as a part of the opening demonstration for the canning factory, plunged to the ground much too abruptly for the comfort of its pilot a mechanic for Carl Duede and the passenger Frank Bissell. The plane made its nose dive just as it was landing after a flight, the pilot failing to figure on a bunch of telephone wires crossing the lower end of the field and swinging too low as he dipped for the landing. The result was that the machine tried to take the entire string of wires with it across the field and made a poor job of it. The fall was probably not over 20 feet, but that is sufficient to permit the law of gravity to get in its work. Mr. Bissell, who occupied the front seat, was flung forward with a good deal of force against the curved windshield in front when the machine's nose bored into the earth, and received a nasty cut above the nose. The pilot was merely well shaken. The propeller of the machine was smashed, of course, also several of the wing members and stays, but no injuries that were not readily repairable. Bert Tharp and P. W. Welch saw the "nose dive" and were among

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## JOHN SHAMBAUGH CALLED BY DEATH

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John Shambaugh, prominent farmer and early settler of Jefferson township, died at his home near Booneville on Thursday of last week after an illness of less than two weeks. He was injured by a fall from a horse some months ago and it is believed that the injury sustained at that time caused his collapse.

Mr. Shambaugh moved onto the farm, developed and beautified, by his efforts in 1873. In 1879 he was married to Elizabeth Gutshall Evans who with one daughter Vivian, Evans and one son, Jacob Shambaugh, survive him. Of the parental family, there remain two brothers, Adam Shambaugh of this county and Phillip Shambaugh of New Rumley, Ohio, where the subject of this sketch was born on October 13, 1848.

He took an active part in the affairs of his community, in the affairs of the United Brethren church in which he was an active worker, serving for thirty years as trustee of Leander Clark College. In the 27th and in the 28th General Assembly of Iowa, he ably represented Madison county, his legislative work being recognized by his colleagues and constituents as that prompted by high ideals and fidelity to his convictions.

The funeral services held at the home on Sunday, August 17th reflected the high esteem in which he was held. In the large assemblage were people from all walks of life, state officials, business men of state-wide prominence, friends and neighbors and from far and near. Among all was evidenced a feeling of profound respect and high esteem and a sense of personal loss.

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# FARM BUREAU NEWS

Boys to Enter State Fair Contests.  
Big Picnic to be Held in Jackson.  
Other Activities

The eight members of the Baby Beef Club with twelve calves are off to the State Fair this week. The boys who are taking their calves are: Paul Walton, Walter Zellers, and Frank Hill, all of Earlham; Clair Burchfield, of Winterset; Richard O'Leary, Barney; Nelson Phillips, East Peru; George Marlon Smith and Doyle Schultz, of Macksburg.

The most serious disease of wheat in Iowa this season has been wheat scab. A fungus disease which attacks all parts of the head at flowering time. Its control is crop rotation and formaldehyde treatment the same as for smut in oats. On September 22d and 23d the expert on this disease will be in this country for two days to hold meetings to explain the methods of control. This is the earliest date possible that we could get for Madison county.

A nationwide drive is on at the present time to improve the live stock of the United States. The slogan of the United States is to banish the scrub sire from the United States.

The Madison County Farm Bureau picnic will be held in Jackson township on September 12th. Watch for the program and the place. This will be a big day for Madison county.

On August 30th the next meeting of the Farm Bureau of Directors will be held. This meeting is not for the directors alone, but any of the members of the Farm Bureau will be welcome at the meeting to hear the discussion on good roads.

The county agent will be at the State Fair until Saturday, the 30th, except Saturday, the 29d. The big event at the State Fair for Farm Bureau members is on Monday, August 25th. This is known as Farm Bureau Federation Day. A great num-

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## AN APPROPRIATE TRIBUTE TO A SPLENDID MAN.

**T**WO weeks ago there was published in The Iowa Homestead an article referring to the splendid life and the recent death of one of Iowa's highest type of farmers—Hon. John Shambaugh, of Booneville, Madison county. At that time I was minded to pay a more personal tribute to his memory at some future date, but my mail this week brings from California the most fitting testimonial to his character and achievements that I can possibly imagine, in the form of a letter from James Atkinson, for years editor-in-chief of The Homestead and now a contributing editor. It reads as follows:

The Stratford, 1735 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, Cal., September 5, 1919.—Dear Mr. Pierce:—In announcing the death of Mr. John Shambaugh in a recent issue of The Homestead you stated that he was a leader in his community and that his life was an inspiration to those who knew him best. This sentiment I desire to endorse most sincerely. Iowa should in some way pay special tribute and honor to the memory of this man, whose life so honored the calling of agriculture.

Through a period of nearly half a century Mr. Shambaugh saw his acres increase in productivity, while at the same time taking from the soil lavish wealth, much of which was used to bless humanity in free and bountiful gifts. He loved the soil and knew well the secrets of nature in dealing with it, so that some special effort should be made to spread far and wide his basic agricultural principles. Few knew better than Mr. Shambaugh the balance that should be maintained between crop growing and live stock production to prevent soil impoverishment.

Those who knew this splendid man whose death you announce, will honor his memory for the diligence he displayed in spreading the gospel of sensible stock raising and practical soil tillage. Truly with him "to give was more blessed than to receive" and to spread knowledge regarding sane and sensible agricultural practice was constantly his chief concern. Soil fertility with him was a sacred thing, to be utilized but never to be ruthlessly sacrificed. No selfish motive ever found lodgment in the heart of John Shambaugh and being blessed with a most attractive personality his influence was far-reaching, and always used to dignify the calling of agriculture, of which he was so proud.

I loved this man and because of that love I desire through the columns of The Homestead to pay a last respect to his memory by saying that Iowa, in the death of John Shambaugh, has, in my opinion, lost her leading farmer.

JAMES ATKINSON.

As I read the above I felt that Mr. Atkinson had left nothing to be said which could add anything to the perfect tribute which he had paid to Mr. Shambaugh. No man is better qualified to speak of Mr. Shambaugh's efforts, as a leader in all that is best in Iowa agriculture, than is Mr. Atkinson, and I know that his words come straight from the heart. As he has said, Mr. Shambaugh's life was one of service—service to the state, to his fellow farmers, to the cause of right living and clear thinking along many lines. To all who came in contact with him and to thousands who benefited by his activities only indirectly he left a rich heritage that will be an inspiration throughout their lives. He left the world better off for his having lived and typified the best in American agriculture. I am glad to be able to pass Mr. Atkinson's appropriate words along to my readers and to endorse them in a spirit of grateful remembrance for Mr. Shambaugh.

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## JOHN SHAMBAUGH, COE COLLEGE TRUSTEE, DEAD

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John Shambaugh, trustee of Coe college, member of the Twenty-seventh general assembly and prominent in public, educational and church affairs died at his home at Booneville, early today according to a message received this afternoon by the Rev. M. R. Drury. Mr. Shambaugh was 68 years old, and was elected a trustee of Coe following the union of Coe and Leander Clark college of Toledo of which latter school he was a prominent supporter. The funeral will be held Sunday at the home in Booneville. Prof. J. F. Yothers of the Coe college faculty will attend, from here representing the college.

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## NEW KIND OF RASPBERRY PROMISES TO BE POPULAR

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Linn county is interested in the discovery of a new raspberry which promises to be ideal for home use. It grows about twice as large a crop as other varieties grown with it, and seems to be less susceptible to crown gall than do the red varieties. Anthracnose which is destructive to the black sorts, hurts it relatively little. In reproduction and growing methods it is similar to the black cap. As a commercial berry it is not adapted however, as it is soft when ripe and will stand little handling.

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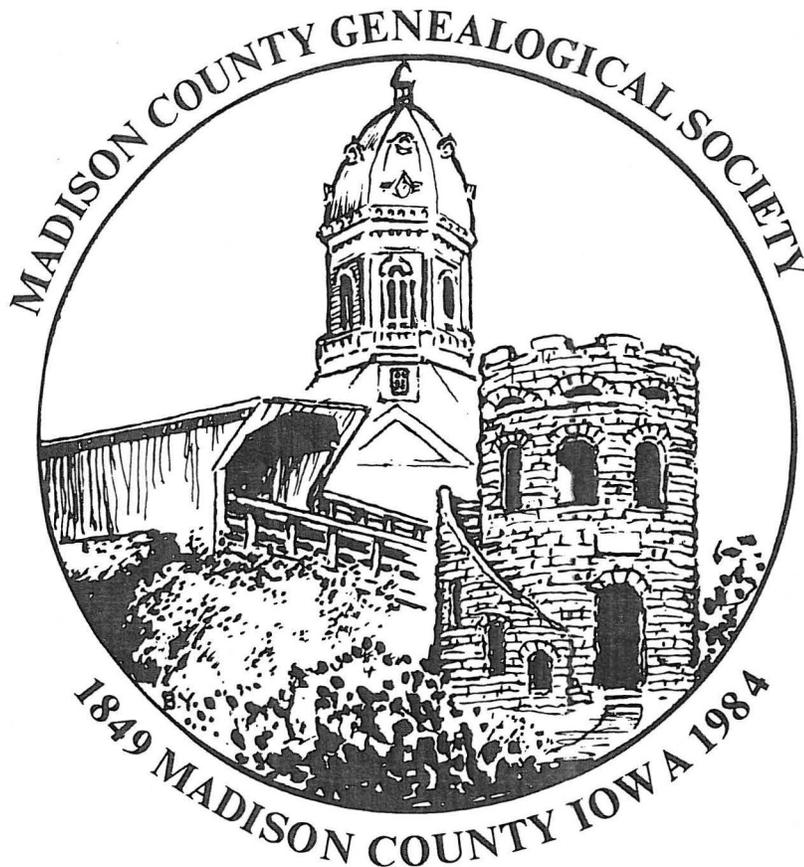
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# MADISON COUNTY IOWA



BY BLAIR YOUNG

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Des Moines, Iowa

After the war he met Ruth Evelyn Best at prayer meeting in the First Baptist Church in Des Moines, Iowa. She was the daughter of Viola Odelia (Nagel) Best and Ernest Best. She had one older sister, Odelia May, who is called Dee Dee.

Ruth was born in Keokuk, Iowa, on March 16, 1921. When she was in the first grade her family moved to Ottumwa, Iowa. She later attended Ottumwa Heights Jr. College for two years.

Ruth graduated from Iowa State College in Ames, in June of 1944. She was the second woman to graduate from there in Civil Engineering; the first woman had graduated fifty years earlier!

After working in Chicago in the bridge department of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific Railroad, she came to Des Moines and worked for Nemmers, Clark and Spooner: Engineers and Architect, designing bridges. Ruth was the first woman member of the Iowa Engineering Society.

Charles and Ruth were married on July 27, 1946 in Des Moines. They first came to Winterset when Charles was contracted to replace Madison County bridges that had been washed out by spring flooding. Although Charles construction work meant some traveling, most of their married life was spent in Winterset.

Charles, a general contractor, has built culverts, swimming pools, and water and sewage treatment plants. In Winterset he has built six houses, three apartments, and sewage and water treatment plants. Ruth designed and Charles built the Winterset tennis court/ice skating rink.

Both Charles and Ruth are charter members of Grace Baptist Church in Winterset. Charles is also a trustee on the Iowa Regular Baptist Camp board at Ventura, Iowa, which is a fundamental Bible summer camp located on Clear Lake.

They have six children: Robert David (March 7, 1949), Debora Louise (February 19, 1951), Lydia Jane (now Lydia Jane Satterlee — January 12, 1953), Sarah Grace (now Sarah Grace Young — August 1, 1956), Peter Raymond (November 18, 1957), and John Charles (January 5, 1961). Lydia and Sarah were born here in Madison County, and the others were born in Des Moines, Iowa.

### DEBORAH LOUISE SHAFER

Deb was born February 19, 1951, at the Iowa Methodist Hospital in Polk County, Des Moines, Iowa, the daughter of Ruth Evelyn (Best) and Charles Maxon Shafer. She graduated from Winterset Community High School in 1969.



Deborah Shafer

In the fall of 1969, she attended Grand Rapids Baptist Bible College and Seminary in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where she majored in social science and minored in education. After two and one-half years, she became ill with mono and returned to

Winterset. Deb returned to Michigan in 1973 and attended one year at Parson's Business School in Kalamazoo.

After completing a one year Executive Secretarial Course, Debbie worked in the Des Moines area for approximately one year. In July of 1975 she was once again working in Michigan, and her neck was injured when she was thrown from a horse.

After having a cervical fusion performed, she remained in the Winterset area to work.

Presently, she is living in Des Moines, and has recently finished a month of training to become a Certified Nursing Assistant.

Debbie loves to spend time caring for and playing with her two nieces and eight nephews. Through her encouragement, they have learned to enjoy books and art.

### JOHN AND SONYA SHAFER

John Charles Shafer will wed Sonya Campbell on August 4, 1984, in Hagerman Baptist Church in Waterloo, Iowa.



Sonya and John Shafer

John was born February 5, 1961, in Iowa Methodist Hospital, Des Moines, Iowa, the last child of Charles and Ruth Shafer. John grew up in Winterset, graduating in 1979. He was in wrestling in both junior and senior high. He attended one semester at Des Moines Area Community College, and went to Faith Baptist Bible College in Ankeny, Iowa, in the fall of 1980. He has a Missions major, with a minor in Christian Education. He spent six weeks in Brazil with missionaries, and he enjoys working with youth. He was photographic editor of the Faith Yearbook in 1983-84, and does semi-professional photography as a hobby. He enjoys waterskiing.

Sonya was born in Waterloo, the daughter of Gary Lee Campbell and Daneen Lee (Hensley) Campbell, November 26, 1963. She has one older sister, Connie LeAnn (Campbell) Lambros of Des Moines.

Sonya graduated from Walnut Ridge Baptist Academy in 1981, valedictorian of her class. She was in National Honor Society, Who's Who in Music, basketball, volleyball, cheerleading, and was accompanist for the junior and senior high choirs. Sonya is an excellent pianist, and she won the state Talent's For Christ contest in 1981.

Sonya attended Faith Baptist Bible College in 1981, majoring in Christian School Elementary Education. She has been on numerous music tours with the college Chorale as an accompanist. She enjoys horses, and she knows sign language fluently, and has been an interpreter on many occasions.

After their marriage, John and Sonya will be attending their final year at Faith Baptist Bible College.

### THE SHAMBAUGH HISTORY

The family came from Alsace-Lorraine area between France and Germany to Philadelphia, in 1749. In 1817 our ancestors moved West to the New Rumley, Ohio area. It was here that the family home was meeting place for United Brethern members. By 1856 the James Shambaugh family started migrating to Iowa, over 800 tedious miles of trail. They ended up settling in the area Southwest of Boonevills, where Simon Shambaugh later donated the land for Union Chapel United Brethern Church and cemetery. The families were located South of this and their relatives and neighbors in Ohio, the Jacob Gutshall family were North. The church was completed in September 1873. Two families lived here a few years and due to ill health and deaths gave up and went back to Ohio. It was then that Adam Shambaugh bought Simon's farm in 1867 for \$13,000.00. This was 200 acres of land with new house, a big barn, 1250 sheep, 2 teams, riding horse and equipment. When Adam was 20 years old, in 1860, he had brought 2500 head of sheep by boat to Keokuk, and there, with only his dog for helper, drove them safely the 180 miles across the prairie to Simon's farm. Simon's sheep farm had two floors, having a ramp to the top floor. Adam and Mary Jane Shambaugh took possession in 1867, the year the railroad came and Booneville and Van Meter became villages. To this union seven children were born. The home was always open to circuit riders and friends. Adam's brother John came to Iowa in 1874. He bought a large farm adjoining the church. In 1879 he married Elizabeth (Gutshall) a neighbor. As time went on these farmers prospered and became heavy contributors to U.B. Church Seminary and Leander Clark College in Toledo, Iowa. They were trustees of the college for many years. Later Will, Orin and Lloyd and their families resided in the area. Marion Brooker, a nephew, lived North of the Lutheran Church. Today The Dr. Gordon Shambaugh, the Rex Shambaugh, and Robert Petersen families live in the area.

### ADAM HETZLER SHAMBAUGH

Adam Hetzler Shambaugh was born September 11, 1840.

He came to Iowa from eastern Ohio in 1867.

Adam married Mary Jane Scott on September 11, 1862. She was born January 30, 1844. They had nine children: Lida (Brooker), Louie (Jones), Rena Shambaugh, William Edward, Orin Charles, Mary Lois (Castleberry), Scott and Lloyd.

He was on the building committee when the Union Chapel Church was built. This church still stands but is now a home.

On a trip to Ohio in 1894 he found a Grandfather's Clock at a relative's sale. He bought it for \$25. They took it apart, the glass door was put in a trunk of clothes, the works were carried in a heavy basket, the lower case was wrapped and freighted, and the top section was packed in a large box with dried peaches. The clock is still ticking in the home of a granddaughter.

Adam died April 4, 1927, and Mary Jane died May 25, 1915. (See Carrie Newlon Shambaugh)

### CARRIE NEWLON SHAMBAUGH

Carrie Newlon Shambaugh, the last of 10 children of William Clark Newlon and Lydia Ann Philbrick Newlon, was born on March 4, 1875, in Madison County, Iowa.

Mrs. Shambaugh was descendant of two pioneer families to this area, her father migrating here from Ohio and her mother from Indiana in 1853. In addition to her parents, the brothers and sisters who preceded her in death were: Fred, who died in infancy, Charles, Frank, Edgar, Milo, George, Lida, Will and Mary.

Mrs. Shambaugh was a lifetime resident of Madison County. She attended the public schools, graduating as a member of a class of 13, receiving their high school diplomas in 1893, having attended

STATE OF IOWA  
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A. W. McFARLANE, Speaker of the House  
JOHN HAMMILL, President of the Senate

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F. Linnan the state laments the passing of a valuable and honored citizen who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid, to give voice in the counsels of his fellows, and to offer sympathy to the needy. That in the long and active residence in Pocahontas county, being identified with its educational, commercial and political activities, he enjoyed a large acquaintanceship through county and state which he deeply appreciated and profoundly respected.

*Resolved.* That it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in regretting his removal we mourn for one who was worthy of our respect and regard.

*Resolved.* That we sincerely condone with the family of the deceased on the dispensation with which it has pleased Divine Providence to afflict them, and commend them for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best and Whose chastisements are meant in mercy.

*Resolved.* That this testimonial of sympathy and respect of the state and of the sorrow of the home city, be forwarded to the family of our departed friend by the chief clerk of the House of Representatives.

C. L. GUNDERSON,  
T. E. MOEN,  
G. A. JUSTICE.

*Committee.*

Adopted March 23, 1921.

HON. JOHN SHAMBAUGH

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions and befitting memorial on the life, character and public services of the Honorable John Shambaugh, a member of the 27th and 28th General Assemblies, beg leave to report as follows:

John Shambaugh was born in New Rumley, Ohio, October 13, 1848. He attended the public schools of that place, where he grew to manhood. His occupation was farming and stock raising, and it was there that he formed habits of industry and frugality which contributed to his eminent success and achievement, and gave him the reputation of being one of the foremost and most progressive farmers of Iowa. He emigrated to Iowa in 1873, where he came into possession of a quarter section of the best land in Madison county. He was married to Miss Ellen Evans in 1879.

There was added to his small farm acre upon acre until his possessions extended to Dallas county. Long before his death, he had one of the largest and best equipped farms in Madison county. An imposing and spacious mansion was erected and comfortable sheds and barns were built. It was a model home in every respect, where entertainment was furnished and lavish hospitality dispensed to his friends, and especially to such as were engaged in the same occupation as himself.

In conjunction with his brother and other enterprising neighbors, he erected a beautiful church building and laid out a cemetery at the corner of his home farm. This was a United Brethern church, of which he was a life long member and official. He was first and always interested in this church of his choice, which was frequently called Mr. Shambaugh's chapel. He gave liberally of his time and money in helping to sustain Leander Clark College at Toledo, Iowa, which was the state school of the United Brethern church, and he was a trustee of that institution for thirty years.

He assisted in organizing the Booneville Savings Bank, and was a director of the same until the time of his death. He was a life long member of the Republican party, and stood high in the councils of the organization, both county and state. He was a member of the Grand Club of the capital city, and rarely was absent from its meetings. He found time for travel and visited all parts of the United States, and journeyed throughout Europe.

He left but one son and heir, Jacob Shambaugh, who, with his mother, are still operating the farm.

*Resolved*, That this memorial be spread upon the pages of the House journal, and an engrossed copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

W. H. VANCE,  
JAMES PETERS,  
JNO. A. STOREY,

*Committee.*

Adopted March 23, 1921.

HON. GEORGE R. STRUBLE

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life and work of the Honorable George R. Struble, late of Tama county, Iowa, beg leave to report the following memorial:

Judge Struble departed this life at his home in Toledo, Iowa, December 15th, 1918. He was born July 25, 1836, in Sussex county, New Jersey. His parents, Isaac and Emma (Cox) Struble, removed to Fredericksburg, Virginia, when he was quite young. They afterwards removed to Chesterville, Ohio, in 1847. In 1856, Mr. Struble came to Iowa, locating first at Iowa City and remaining there until the following spring. He then located in Toledo, Iowa, where on April 19th, 1860, he was married to Miss Sophia J. Nelson.

He was admitted to the bar in 1860. His first law partnership was with Albert Stoddard which lasted four years and was succeeded by the firm of Allen & Strubble.

He also was later in partnership with C. B. Bradshaw, C. M. Good-

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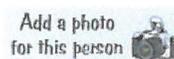


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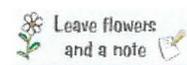


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**John Shambaugh**  
**Born:** 13 Oct 1848  
 Harrison, Ohio, USA  
**Died:** 13 Aug 1919  
 Booneville, Iowa, USA  
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### Iowa State Census Collection, 1836-1925

Name:	<b>John Shambaugh</b>	
Birth Year:	<b>abt 1848</b>	
Birth Place:	<b>Ohio</b>	
Gender:	<b>Male</b>	
Marital Status:	<b>Married</b>	
Census Date:	<b>1885</b>	
Residence State:	<b>Iowa</b>	
Residence County:	<b>Madison</b>	
Locality:	<b>Jefferson</b>	
Roll:	<b>IA1885_226</b>	
Line:	<b>16</b>	
Family Number:	<b>151</b>	
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Household Members:	<b>Name</b>	<b>Age</b>
	<b>John Shambaugh</b>	<b>37</b>
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	<b>Jacob Shambaugh</b>	<b>2</b>

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You searched for **John Shambaugh** in **Iowa**

### 1900 United States Federal Census

Name: **John Shambaugh**

Home in 1900: **Jefferson, Madison, Iowa**

Age: **51**

Birth Date: **Oct 1848**

Birthplace: **Ohio**

Race: **White**

Gender: **Male**

Relationship to Head of House: **Head**

Father's Birthplace: **Pennsylvania**

Mother's Birthplace: **Pennsylvania**

Spouse's name: **Elizabeth**

Marriage Year: **1879**

Marital Status: **Married**

Years Married: **21**

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Household Name	Age
Members: <b>John Shambaugh</b>	<b>51</b>
<b>Elizabeth Shambaugh</b>	<b>50</b>
<b>Jacob Shambaugh</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>Vivian Evans</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>William Cutshall</b>	<b>28</b>

**Source Citation:** Year: 1900; Census Place: *Jefferson, Madison, Iowa*; Roll T623\_445; Page: 4A; Enumeration District: 26.

#### Source Information:

Ancestry.com. 1900 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004.



Original data: United States of America, Bureau of the Census. *Twelfth Census of the United States, 1900*. Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 1900. T623. 1854 rolls.

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You searched for **John Shambaugh** in **Iowa**

## 1910 United States Federal Census

Name:	<b>John Shambaugh</b>	
Age in 1910:	<b>62</b>	
Estimated birth year:	<b>abt 1848</b>	
Birthplace:	<b>Ohio</b>	
Relation to Head of House:	<b>Head</b>	
Father's Birth Place:	<b>Ohio</b>	
Mother's Birth Place:	<b>Ohio</b>	
Spouse's name:	<b>Elizabeth</b>	
Home in 1910:	<b>Jefferson, Madison, Iowa</b>	
Marital Status:	<b>Married</b>	
Race:	<b>White</b>	
Gender:	<b>Male</b>	
Neighbors:	<a href="#">View others on page</a>	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	<b>John Shambaugh</b>	<b>62</b>
	<b>Elizabeth Shambaugh</b>	<b>62</b>

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Original data: Thirteenth Census of the United States, 1910 (NARA microfilm publication T624, 1,178 rolls). Records of the Bureau of the Census, Record Group 29, National Archives, Washington, D.C. For details on the contents of the film numbers, visit the following NARA web page: [NARA](#)

#### Description:

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### Iowa Cemetery Records

Name: **John Shambaugh**

Death Date: **1919**

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Birth Date: **1849**

Cemetery: **Union Chapel**

Town: **Jefferson**

Level Info: *Old Penn Center Cemetery Earlham, Iowa*

**Source Information:**

Ancestry.com. *Iowa Cemetery Records* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2000.

Original data: Works Project Administration. *Graves Registration Project*. Washington, D.C.: n.p., n.d.

**Description:**

These cemetery records represent seventy-six counties and Graceland Cemetery of Sioux City, Iowa, in the United States, that were transcribed by the Works Project Administration. Records in this database generally include the page number where the record can be found in the WPA index, the name of the deceased, birth date, death date, age, cemetery name, town name, and additional comments if any. [Learn more...](#)

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