

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Spaulding, Henry L. Senator
Represented Howard County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 17. Feb 1863 Lancaster, New Hampshire

2. Marriage (s) date place
① Lenora J. Hilcox 19 Oct 1896 Elma, Iowa
② Ada Letman 27 Feb 1924 Alhambra, California

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business He was president of the State Savings Bank, Elma, Iowa

B. Civic responsibilities Mason; Shiner; Eastern Star

C. Profession Lawyer; banker; farmer and land owner

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 30th, 31st General Assemblies 1904, 1906

6. Public Offices

A. Local President of the Elma school board 4 years

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 23 Aug 1929 Elma, Iowa; buried Howard Cemetery, Elma, Iowa

8. Children Edwin L.; Robert J. - both adopted

9. Names of parents John Pitch and Augusta Adelia (Rowell) Spaulding

Spaulding, Henry L.

10. Education He was educated in schools in his New Hampshire
neighborhood and in schools at Charles City Iowa.

11. Degrees He graduated from the Law Department of the University of
Iowa, Charles City Iowa on 19 June 1888 and MA degree in 1890.

12. Other applicable information Republican
In 1870, he moved with his parents from their New Hampshire home
to Charles City Iowa.

In 1890, after attending law school, he moved to Elwood Iowa and began
practicing law. He became partners with J. J. O'Donnell in a law
firm. This partnership lasted almost 40 years due to Mr. Spaulding's death.

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Obituary

H. L. Spaulding died at his home here Friday afternoon, after an illness of over a year's duration. With the passing of Mr. Spaulding Elma has lost a valuable citizen, the residents have lost a kind and benevolent friend, and the civic and political circles suffer the loss of an active and able leader. We all mourn for he was a true friend at all times.

Mr. Spaulding was born in New Hampshire, Feb. 17, 1863, and moved with his parents to Charles City in 1870. Here he finished the grade and high school courses and then went to Iowa City where he entered the State University and received his collegiate degree in 1887. He also received the law degree and the degree of Master of Arts from this institution.

In 1890 Mr. Spaulding came to Elma and began practicing law. He and D. J. O'Donnell formed a partnership at about this time, which was known as the Spaulding and O'Donnell Law and Real Estate firm. This partnership continued for almost forty years and up to the time of Mr. Spaulding's death.

Mr. Spaulding filled many offices of public trust; he was representative from this district to the state legislature during the thirtieth and thirty-first general assemblies. For twenty years he was president of the First State Savings bank of Elma, and was president of the Elma school board for about fourteen years.

Mr. Spaulding was married to Ada Lehman at Alhambra, California, Feb. 27, 1924. (His first wife Lena K. Wilcox, having died several years previous.) Besides Mrs. Spaulding and the two sons, Edwin of Elma, and Robert of Chicago, one sister, Miss Ella Spaulding of California and one brother, Charles Spaulding of Chicago survive.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon and were in charge of the Masonic Lodge of which he was a pioneer member. Burial was made in Howard cemetery.

To the Defendants above named
You are hereby notified that is now on file in the office of the of the District Court in and f County of Howard, State of Io petition of the Plaintiff above r claiming of you the right to par and asking that the following d ed real estate be partitioned, 1 Blocks 14 and 15 in the Vill. Florenceville. Howard County, I

Plaintiff asks that the inter each of the parties to this ac the above described real estate terminated and confirmed as sta the petition, and that the propo sold and the proceeds divided cordance with the shares of t spective owners after the paym all costs, except that the share cob Krammer is to be paid to t ministrator of the estate of J Bronner for the reasons set fo the petition, and for further ulars you are referred to the p filed herein.

And that unless you appear and defend before noon of the day of the next term of said appointed to be held at the house in said county, commenc the 9th day of September, 192 default will be entered and a ment rendered against you ther accordance with the prayer c petition.

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W. L. BAR
Attorney for P

ORIGINAL NOTICE.

In the District Court of Iowa, for Howard County.—September 1929.

Mae Swenson Schmidt, Plain Wesley O. Swenson, Wm. K. S Ole Swenson and wife Ella S Mable A. Stevens and husband Stevens, Winnie L. Bixler and h Ralph G. Bixler, Fred O. S George A. Swenson and wife Swenson, Emma Lou Palmer a band Arlo W. Palmer, Ph Schmidt, husband of Plaintiff and Anton Slifka, Lessee, Def To the Defendants above na

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years he conducted a grist and sawmill and, prospering in his undertakings, he made judicious investments in land, becoming the owner of several farms. In later life he held a position in the pension department at Washington, D. C., for a number of years. Joseph K. Tucker, father of Fred W. Tucker of this review, attained his majority in Chickasaw county and was here married. He then located on a farm in Chickasaw township and was actively engaged in general agricultural pursuits until about 1904, when he removed to Bassett, where he lived retired until the fall of 1916. He then established his home in Minneapolis, Minnesota, but in 1919 returned to Bassett, where he now resides. Almost his entire life has been passed in Chickasaw county and his many sterling traits of character are recognized by all among whom he has lived.

Fred W. Tucker was educated in the town schools of Bassett and when a youth of seventeen years he became a wage earner, working out by the month as a farm hand. When he reached adult age he began farming on land of his own, which came to him as an inheritance from his grandmother. On the 16th of August, 1899, he was united in marriage to Miss Irene Sutherland, of Chickasaw township, a daughter of H. A. Sutherland, now a resident of Charles City, Iowa. Mrs. Tucker is a lady of many accomplishments and for some years prior to her marriage was successfully engaged in educational work. Mr. Tucker brought his bride to his home in Bassett and is now the owner of an excellent farm comprising two hundred acres adjoining the town, eighty acres of which lies within the corporate limits. He devotes his attention to general agricultural pursuits and has brought his fields under a very high state of cultivation and development, so that he annually harvests rich crops for which he finds a ready sale on the market. He was also one of the founders of the State Bank of Bassett in 1910 and was elected a member of its board of directors, in which capacity he has since served.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker have become the parents of three children, but Clifford K., their first-born, is now deceased. The others are: Neva, who is a junior in the high school; and Alice, who is also in school.

In his political views Mr. Tucker is a republican and for a number of years served as township trustee. He has also been town clerk, member of the town council, assessor and mayor. In fact he has filled every office save that of town marshal and has made a most excellent record by the prompt and faithful manner in which he has discharged his duties. He belongs to the Modern Woodmen of America and has many friends both within and outside of that organization. He has demonstrated his worth in business circles and in public office as well and Bassett presents him as one of her representative citizens.

HON. H. L. SPAULDING.

Hon. H. L. Spaulding, a leading attorney of the Howard county bar living at Elma, was born on the 17th of February, 1863, a son of John F. and Augusta A. (Rowell) Spaulding, both of whom were natives of the New England states and both representatives of old families of that section of the country. In both lines the family was represented in the Revolutionary war and also in the French and Indian war. In 1870 John F. Spaulding came to the west with his family, making his way to Charles City, Iowa, where he lived retired to the time of his death, which occurred in January, 1909, when he had reached the age of eighty years. His wife died in April, 1911, also at the age of eighty.

H. L. Spaulding was educated in the graded and high schools of Charles City and subsequently entered the Iowa State University, from which institution he received his collegiate degree in 1887. In 1888 he won his law degree and in 1890 the degree of Master of Arts was conferred upon him. Following the completion of his education he established his home in Elma and entered upon the practice of law. In the intervening period of thirty years he has been connected with some of the important litigation heard in the courts of the district. He is

also the president of the First State Savings Bank at Elma, having thus served since its reorganization and incorporation as a state bank. For the past few years he has likewise been extensively interested in farming and is a holder of farm lands in Howard county. In this connection he is in partnership with D. J. O'Donnell and together they own over two thousand acres of valuable land in Howard county.

Mr. Spaulding was married in 1896 to Miss Lena K. Wilcox, of Elma, a daughter of E. L. Wilcox, formerly a grain buyer of Howard county. They have two adopted sons, Edwin L. and Robert F.

Mr. Spaulding is a member of Maple Leaf Lodge, No. 528, A. F. & A. M., of Elma, also of Adelpia Chapter, R. A. M., and Eudora Commandery, No. 53, K. T. He has likewise crossed the sands of the desert with the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of El Kahir Temple of Cedar Rapids and he and his wife are members of Oakdale Chapter of the Eastern Star. In politics he has always been a stalwart republican and represented his district in the thirtieth and thirty-first general assemblies, proving a capable member of the state legislature by his strong and influential endorsement of many measures for the general good.

P. M. HEROLD.

P. M. Herold, one of the substantial and influential citizens of Cresco, where he has lived retired for the past decade, was long and actively identified with agricultural pursuits in Howard county and owns altogether five hundred and sixty acres of valuable land within its borders. His birth occurred in Erie county, New York, on the 12th of December, 1850, his parents being Michael and Margaret (Kellner) Herold, both of whom were natives of Prussia and were there reared and married. The father, who was in straitened financial circumstances, decided to attempt to better his condition on this side of the Atlantic and emigrated to the United States about 1846, leaving his family in Prussia until he could earn enough money to pay their passage to America. He sent first for his two older children, while later his wife and the two younger children of the family joined him in the new world. Michael Herold had followed cabinet making in his native country but after coming to the United States could find no work along that line and therefore turned his attention to carpentering. In 1853 he removed westward to Iowa and became one of the earliest pioneers of Winneshiek county, where he took up one hundred and twenty acres of government land, also securing a forty-acre timber tract near Protivin, in Howard county. The remainder of his life was devoted to general farming in Winneshiek county with excellent success and he there passed away in 1885, at the age of seventy-five years, the community thus losing one of its most respected and honored pioneer settlers. His wife died about eight years later, when she had attained the age of seventy-eight.

P. M. Herold, who was not yet three years old when the family home was established in Winneshiek county, Iowa, had but little opportunity to attend school in his youth but acquired a good practical education through reading and self-study. He was married when a young man of twenty-six and the same year began farming independently in Winneshiek county, at the same time undertaking the development of a tract of one hundred and sixty acres of unimproved land which his father had purchased for him in Howard county and for which he later reimbursed him. In 1877 Mr. Herold took up his abode on the Howard county property on section 34, New Oregon township, where he resided continuously and successfully carried on his farming operations until 1909. As the years passed and prosperity rewarded his careful economy and untiring industry, he extended the boundaries of his home farm by additional purchase until it embraced four hundred acres. He also acquired another tract of one hundred and fifty acres on sections 3 and 4, New Oregon township, and he likewise owns the ten-acre tract comprising his present home place in Cresco, where he has lived practically retired for the past ten years but still



You searched for **Henry L. Spaulding** in **Iowa**

1870 United States Federal Census

Name:	Henry L. Spaulding	
Birth Year:	abt 1863	
Age in 1870:	7	
Birthplace:	New Hampshire	
Home in 1870:	Charles City, Floyd, Iowa	
Race:	White	
Gender:	Male	
Value of real estate:	View image	
Post Office:	Charles City	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	John Spaulding	41
	Augusta Spaulding	39
	Alla C Spaulding	10
	Henry L. Spaulding	7
	George A Spaulding	2

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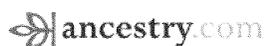
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Iowa State Census Collection, 1836-1925

Name:	Henry L Spaulding	
Birth Year:	abt 1863	
Birth Place:	NH	
Gender:	Male	
Marital Status:	Single	
Census Date:	1885	
Residence State:	Iowa	
Residence County:	Floyd	
Locality:	Charles City Ward 1	
Roll:	IA1885_186	
Line:	4	
Family Number:	47	
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	John F Spaulding	55
	Augusta Spaulding	53
	Alla C Spaulding	25
	Henry L Spaulding	22
	Ger A Spaulding	17
	Charlie Spaulding	14
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1900 United States Federal Census

Name:	L Henry Spaulding	
Home in 1900:	Afton, Howard, Iowa	
Age:	37	
Birth Date:	Feb 1863	
Birthplace:	New Hampshire	
Race:	White	
Gender:	Male	
Relationship to Head of House:	Head	
Father's Birthplace:	New Hampshire	
Mother's Birthplace:	Maine	
Spouse's name:	K Lena	
Marriage Year:	1897	
Marital Status:	Married	
Years Married:	3	
Occupation:	View on Image	
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	L Henry Spaulding	37
	K Lena Spaulding	27
	Jennie Stevens	23

Source Citation: Year: 1900; Census Place: Afton, Howard, Iowa; Roll T623_437; Page: 13A; Enumeration District: 101.

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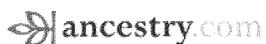
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Iowa State Census Collection, 1836-1925

Name:	Henry L Spaulding	
Census Date:	1905	
Residence State:	Iowa	
Residence County:	Howard	
Locality:	Elma	
Roll:	IA_90	
Line:	517	
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Henry L Spaulding	

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1920 United States Federal Census

Name:	Henry L Spaulding	
Home in 1920:	Afton, Howard, Iowa	
Age:	57	
Estimated birth year:	abt 1863	
Birthplace:	New Hampshire	
Relation to Head of House:	Self (Head) [Head]	
Spouse's name:	Lena K	
Father's Birth Place:	New Hampshire	
Mother's Birth Place:	New Hampshire	
Marital Status:	Married	
Race:	White	
Sex:	Male	
Home owned:	Own	
Able to read:	Yes	
Able to Write:	Yes	
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Henry L Spaulding	57
	Lena K Spaulding	46
	Edwin L Spaulding	17
	Robert T Spaulding	19
		[14]

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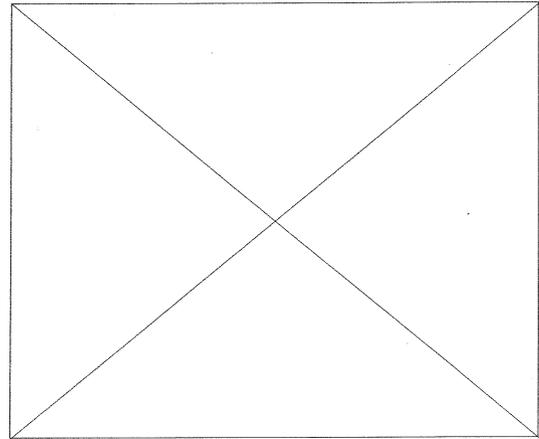
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- **ID:** 169428
- **Name:** Henry Lee Spaulding
- **Sex:** M
- **Birth:** 17 FEB 1863



Father: John Fitch Spaulding b: 28 MAY 1829 in Northumberland, Carroll, NH
Mother: Augusta Adelia Rowell b: 13 DEC 1831 in Waterford, Caledonia, VT

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