Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Mattes, Joseph Senator Mattes, Joseph
Represented Carroll, Greene and Sac Counties, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 1 Oct 1855 Comanche, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place
(1) Catherine Elizabeth Shelley May 1873 Lyons, Iowa
(2) Elizabeth Platt 3 Sept 1914

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business President of the First National Bank; one of the founders of the Kiron State Bank, Kiron, Iowa; director of the Iowa Mutual Hardware Insurance Association

B. Civic responsibilities Mason; Modern Woodmen of America; Eastern Star; Knights of Pythias

C. Profession Hardware merchant

4. Church membership Presbyterian

5. Sessions served 29th, 30th, 31st General Assemblies 1902, 1904, 1906 House of Representatives
6. Public Offices 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th General Assemblies 1907, 1909, 1911, 1913- Senate

A. Local School board member; one of the organizers of the Tuberculosis Association

B. State

C. National

7. Death 17 Apr 1925 Adelbert, Iowa; buried Adelbert Cemetery, Adelbert, Iowa
8. Children George (Mrs. Joseph A. Young); Howard; Ginger; Harriet (died in early childhood)
9. Names of parents

Mattes, Joseph

10. Education Educated in the public schools of Lyons, Iowa and later Clinton, Iowa High School

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information Republican

- At age 3 he moved with his parents to Lyons, Iowa
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- The hardware business grew into a prosperous and well developed business under his capable management.
- His first wife, Catherine, died in 1912
- In 1915 he turned the hardware store over to his son, George.

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Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

Source	Non Applicable	Applicable	Information obtained
Obituary - The Odebolt Chronicle, Odebolt, Ioa, Thurs. Apr. 23, 1925, p.1, col.6 and p.8, col 1 & 2			

GUESTS FROM TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson of Manor, Texas, were guests from Saturday noon until Tuesday morning in the homes of Mr. Anderson's brother, J. G. Anderson and sister, Mrs. Ida Reed.

They came to Odebolt from Rochester, Minn., Mr. Anderson having gone through the clinic at Rochester by advice of his physician in the south. He was given considerable encouragement concerning his conditon.

Mr. Anderson was a resident of this community in his youth and early manhood.

At one time he was employed in the Farmers Lumber yard, giving up that position to go to Texas.

He has made several visits here since he moved to Texas. His last visit was about thirteen years ago. He has many old friends in this vicinity who were indeed glad to meet him once more.

NEPHEW KILLED BY ACCIDENT

Mrs. E. E. Babcock was advised by wire Friday that a little nephew, Glenn Eldon, the six-year-old son of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Stoermer of Webb, had been killed.

The men were putting hay in the [illegible] with a hayfork and the little fellow playing nearby. The pulley which was carrying the rope, broke and fell to the ground, striking the child on the head. He lived but a very short time.

It was a sad accident and a severe shock to the family and friends.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at the Baptist churh in Webb.

There are three children left in the home. Glenn was the youngest.

Mr. and Mrs. Babcock, their sons Lloyd of Odebolt and Guy of Galva, and their daughters, Mrs. Clarence Hoaglund and Mrs. Lawrence Story drove to Webb on Monday to attend the funeral. They returned Monday evening.

DISTRICT CONVENTION

Next week, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 28 and 29, the annual meeting of the Home Missionary society of the Ida Grove district of the Methodist Episcopal church, will be held at Arthur.

The meeting opens at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and closes after the afternoon session Wednesday.

[illegible] served at six o'clock Tuesday evening.

The Home Guards and Mother's Jewels of Arthur will be on the program Tuesday afternoon and evening.

The convention speaker will be Mrs. S. S. Beggs of Des Moines.

Other speakers will be Mrs. C. H. Van Metre of Garner, Mrs. W. H. Welch of Lehigh, Mrs. R. F. Chipperfield of Estherville, Miss Josephine [illegible]

JOSEPH MATTES DEAD

Joseph Mattes is dead. His sun went down shortly after noon on Friday, April 17, and it sank amid the prophetic splendor of an eternal dawn. In the maturity of his powers, with unmeasured opportunities for achievement yet before him, with great designs unaccomplished, the pallid messenger with the inverted torch beckoned him to depart.

In the long struggle against the advances of an insidious and mortal malady, he did not falter nor repine. With more than a hero's courage, with more than a martyr's fortitude he waited the approach of the inevitable hour and went to that undiscovered country from whose borne no traveler returns.

In this solemn hour all the kindly adjectives that might be used to pay fitting tribute to the life and achievement of Mr. Mattes become inadequate and no blaze born in all our eulogy can burn beside the sunlight of his useful life. Odebolt has lost a useful man, one who was honored because he was a true servant of mankind.

While it was quite generally known that he was in a critical condition and his death was expected, it nevertheless caused a deep sense of loss to settle over the town and county when it became known that he was dead and that his influence would no longer be directly felt in business circles and civic welfare.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the First Presbyterian church, conducted by the Rev. A. E. Abben. The Masonic fraternity of which Mr. Mattes was a member attended in a body, the members of the local lodge being greatly augmented by visiting Masons from surrounding towns.

Members of the Odebolt Fire company attended in a body. They wore black ribbon badges in memory of Mr. Mattes, who was a charter member of the company and assisted in its organization. He took great interest in the company and its affairs and for many years was chief.

The Modern Woodmen and the order of the Eastern Star also were present.

The church was more than filled with those who wished by their presence to testify to the esteem felt for this pioneer merchant and banker. Many were unable to gain admission into the church.

Never were more beautiful floral tributes seen in Odebolt, nor as great to find room for them on the platform and pulpit of the church. They were mute emblems of admiration, love and respect.

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The pall bearers were: Henry Hanson, W. A. Helsell, Dr. A. Groman [illegible]

SOUGHT AND SORTED

Sweet Brothers show will be in Odebolt on June 29 and 30 and July 1.

Mrs. M. C. Barkley of Sioux Falls who has been so seriously ill is so far improved that she is now able to sit up, relatives here are informed.

Mrs. Christina Wessling, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Anna Schmitz, has not been in her usual health for several weeks past.

George D. Wilkins was advised on Tuesday of the death of his brother-in-law, C. W. Colburn of Des Moines. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at Sibley. Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins will attend the funeral.

Mrs. Hector Currie, who has not recovered her health since having the flu some weeks ago, was taken to the Ida Grove hospital the last of the week for treatment. Mr. Currie has been with her the most of the time. He came home Tuesday afternoon.

About 12:25 Friday afternoon the fire siren again called out the fire department and citiens of Odebolt. On this occasion the fire was at the C. W. Kistler home on Second street. The blaze was on the roof and had gained but little headway, being easily put out with the chemical.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Long left by auto Tuesday morning for Spencer. Mr. Long and his partner having sold their barber ship, he is looking up a new location. They were uncertain as to their future plans. Mr. and Mrs. Long have been in Odebolt about two years and have gained many friends.

Mrs. Jennie Smith and her brother Ed Marsh reached Odebolt Sunday morning from their winter home at Port Orange, Fla. They will be at home here for the summer. They have been well during the winter. Their friends are glad to welcome them home.

P. O. Hedberg is having a new roof put on his building on Main street, that was injured by the fire last week. He is making all needed repairs to the building and will soon have it ready for business again. C. Medley has moved his shoe shop for the present over the J. S. Fisher harness shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Ecklund and daughter, who moved last month to Wall Lake, are moving from that place to Kiron. Mr. Ecklund has taken the Standard Oil work at Kiron, exchanging with the man at that place who goes to Wall Lake. Mr. Ecklund's mother resides in Kiron and he formerly resided in that locality.

Railroad carpenters were working at the depot Tuesday and yesterday. They have taken out the walls at the ends of the hallway leading to the ticket window leaving an opening as wide as the hall and reaching to the ceiling. This affords a much better light at the ticket window and the full length of the hall. Richard Anderson of Castana is with the carpen-

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[illegible]s is very convenient for Odebolt people and it is expected that many from the local Auxiliary will attend.

EIGHT GET AMES WRESTLING A'S

Ames, April 23.—Special: The Iowa State college athletic council has awarded eight major and two minor letters to members of the wrestling squad. Nine minor A awards were also made to members of the Iowa State swimming team.

Those receiving major A awards for wrestling were Dwight Meyers of Odebolt, Harold Boyvey of Ames, Clell Kurtz of Marshalltown, Clair Grooms of Ottumwa, Gerald Woodhull of Des Moines, Ralph Prunty of Bondurant, Henry Pillard of Anamosa and Curtis Lawrence of Griswold. Verne Schmidt of Reinbeck and Russell Nelson of Boone, received the minor letters.

ATTEND PRESBYTERY

Rev. A. E. Abben went to Alta on Monday evening to attend the spring meeting of the Sioux City Presbytery held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Rev. A. M. McIntosh of Sioux C[illegible] was the moderator.

[illegible] Abben was to assist in the communion service.

Dr. W. B. Greenway of Philadelphia was to be the speaker Monday evening and Tuesday.

A visit to the Buena Vista college buildings at Storm Lake was to be made on Tuesday afternoon.

F. H. Meyer, John Fuchs and J. L. Jones of the local church attended part of the sessions.

PROGRAM WELL PRESENTED

A large audience gathered at St. Martin's hall Friday evening to hear the annual program given by the pupils of St. Martin's school under the direction of the Sisters.

The program of music, readings, dialogues and plays was carried out as published. The children carried their parts well and the entertainment was pleasing throughout.

The pastor, Rev. Father Schaefer, gave a good address at the conclusion of the program.

Horse Breeders, Attention

I have purchased a roan Belgian stallion, four year old, weight 2100. W[illegible] make the season in the vicinity o[illegible]ebolt. If interested, call at the farm.—Charles L. Davenport. 11tf

Experienced Marceller

For appointment call Mrs. Eugene Ellinger. Phone 261. On Saturdays and evenings from 6 to 10. 1[illegible]tf

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The Chronicle feels that it can not improve on the words read by the Rev. Mr. Abben at the funeral service, in bringing to its readers the life and character of Mr. Mattes:

"Joseph Mattes first saw the light of day at Camanche, Iowa, located in the beautiful Mississippi river section in the eastern part of the state, on October 1, 1855. When a lad of three years of age he moved with his parents to Lyons. Here he attended the public schools and later the Clinton high school.

"During his high school days he became interested in the hardware business and spent a year with a large wholesale hardware concern in Clinton.

"In January, 1879, he left the eastern part of the State for the newly settled, fertile stretches of western Iowa, which called so many of the more ambitious and energetic of the young men of the East to help in the making of the new country. He settled at Odebolt, where he became interested in a small hardware and tin shop, and where he remained all his life, an active leader in the building up of the community life, devoting himself whole-heartedly and unsparingly to the development of the new country which was to be home to him for the best part of his life.

In May of the same year he returned to Lyons and brought back with him his bride, who was Miss Catherine Elizabeth Shelly of Lyons.

Four children came to bless their home—Grace, Howard, Harriet and George, of whom three survive, Harriet having passed away in early childhood.

"The little hardware concern became a prosperous and well-developed business under the capable management and hard work of Mr. Mattes. His keen business judgment broadened out into other avenues of commerce and his influence became noticeably felt in this part of the state.

"In 1902 Mr. Mattes entered the State legislature as representative, serving two terms. Upon the expiration of his second term he was elected to the senate and served two four-year terms.

"His wisdom, experience and integrity brought him respect and recognition and last year, when Governor Kendall was searching the State [illegible] picked men, competent to serve on th[illegible] important budget board of the state, Mr. Mattes was selected as one of the three members and held this position until the day of his death.

"In 1912 Mrs. Catherine Mattes

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Herman Klus and son Joe were in Sioux City Sunday. They attended a get-together meeting of railroad men, who enjoyed a banguet at the Temple where all of their banquets are held.

Miss Vivian Miller of Spencer, who has been teaching the Fourth grade in the Storm Lake schools the last two years and was re-elected for that position, has now been elected as music supervisor of the schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bieser and son Richard of Riverside, Calif., drove to Odebolt on Thursday afternoon for an over night visit with Mr. Bieser's sister, Mrs. Ed Miller and his grandmother, Mrs. Amelia Jacobe. They reached Soux City on Tuesday, after a two weeks trip, driving through from Riverside. They are visiting Mrs. Bieser's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Hinkley at Morningside. They plan to spend the summer in Iowa and will visit here again. They are both former Odebolt young people.

Rev. William Bartz, pastor of the Cook Lutheran church went to Charter Oak on Monday afternoon to attend a conference of his church. The confe ence was held at a country charge between Charter Oak and Mapleton. Mr. Bartz was at Rochester a few days last week. He accompanied Rudolph, the eleven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Schramm to the clinic. The boy has taken a course of treatment for gland trouble and went up for examination. His condition is very satisfactory.

Miss Etta Buehler, who is teaching her second year in the public schools of Lake City, has signed for next years work. In addition to the fourth grade work which Miss Buehler teaches. She will also have the principalship of the grades. This is a deserved promotion for Miss Buehler. Miss Florence Buehler who has taught in Sac City for three years, did not accept the re-election. Her plans are not definite at this time, but she is planning to go west next year.

J. C. Ellis drove to Council Bluffs Saturday afternoon to meet Mrs. Ellis who was returning home from Kearney, Nebr., where she had been with her son Dee for two weeks. He met her in Omaha. They returned home Sunday. Mrs. Ellis states that Dee is getting along fine. Mr. Ellis visited in the J. A. Norton and the Cyril Eicherly home in Council Bluffs. Miss Catherine Potteiger accompanied him to Omaha, visiting her grandmother until Monday afternoon when she returned home by train. Miss Gladys [illegible]ler taught Miss Potteiger's school Monday.

Dr. L. E. Brittell of Well Lake gives consultation free.

JOSEPH MATTES DEAD

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who had with efficient hands and a brave heart, helped to make the home in the new country and bring prosperity and beauty to the naked prairie, passed away.

Mr. Mattes retained his active interest in the hardware business until 1915, when he was succeeded by his son George.

"Early in the history of the First National bank, Mr. Mattes became connected with its affairs and in the year 1907 was elected president, a position which he held until he died. This position Mr. Mattes invested with unusual dignity and honor, and through it served his community in a way long to be remembered. If ever it was true that the position does not make the man, but the man makes the position, it was true in this case.

"Mr. Mattes not only had convictions, but had the courage of his convictions. If, after careful thought and due consideration, an action seemed right and necessary, no obstacles were deemed too difficult to surmount. Genuine courage is a rare virtue and when combined with integrity and sincere motives of goodwill and desire for service, is an invaluable asset. It was one of the characteristics which made his services so outstanding and unusual, and of such peculiar value.

"Mr. Mattes was also one of the founders of the Kiron State bank. He was intimately connected with it throughout its existence, served as vice-president a number of years, and just recently was elected to the presiednсy.

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Hicks, Dave, Early, Boyer Valley.
Hillmer, A. J. Lytton, East Cedar.
Jones, Geo., Nemaha, Delaware.
Kruskop Sac City, East Cedar.
Lange, Fred, Lake View, Wall Lake
Lundblad, Ed, Kiron, Wheeler.
McDonald, Minnie, Sac City, fourth Ward.
Meier, H. L. W., Schaller, Eureka.
Nelson, Mrs. John W., Odebolt, Wheeler.
Nybe, Joe, Lake View, Wall Lake.
Peterson, Elmer, Odebolt, Richland.
Reddy, John, Early Boyer Valley.
Sanders, Helen, Odebolt, Richland.
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Sweiter, Rudolph, Lake View, Wall Lake.
Weitzel, August, Lake View, Clinton.
Wicker, John, Wall Lake, Levey.

POPULATION DECREASING

According to unofficial reports published in the Sac Sun last week the population of Sac county has decreased in the last five years.

The report as taken from the assessor's books follow, with a comparison of the official records of 1920.

	1920	1925
Sac City	2,630	2,670
Odebolt	1,445	1,290
Lake View	884	838
Early	568	543
Auburn	406	363
Lytton	278	316
Grant City	95	104
*Eureka Township	482	507
Eden Township	502	485
Cook Townsnip	595	560
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Willard Linden, Floyd Kallmer, Howard Level, Frances Kistler, Almer Noyd. After the formal initiation which was held in the kindergarten the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Lillian Brockman; secretary and treasurer, Edward Korneisel; advisor, Mr. Lynch. The informal initiation followed, which was held in the eighth grade room. Lovely refreshments were then served by the committee. Everyone reported a most enoyable evening.

We are very sorry that Mr. Welsch, who showed such interest in the D. D. D. organization, could not be with us.

The students in the beginning typewriting classes are gettng ready for the April company tests which will be given next week. The following awards were made during the month of March:

Underwood—Loyd Carlson, bronze pn, 43 net; Clarence Cornish, certificate, 33 net.

L. C. Smith.—Bronze pin: Lloyd Carlson, 46; Edward Korneisel, 43.

Certificates—Slater Brockman, 33; Lea Waggoner, 33; Manie Nunemaker, 33.

All students writing at a net speed of thirty words a minute are eligible for the company tests.

The Camp Fire girls, under guardianship of Miss Short held a food sale at the Krusenstjerna & Coy store Saturday, April 18. The money taken in is to pay expenses for a camping trip to be taken by the girls this summer. They have not yet decided where they will go. They were very well pleased as they cleared about $13.50.

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"Mr. Mattes reached the age of sixty-nine years, six months and six days. He is survived by his devoted wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Mattes; one daughter, Mrs. Grace Young of Bellevue; two sons—Howard of Reardon, Wash., and George of Odebolt; four grand-

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Dated April 21, 1925.

13t1 Mary E. Collenbaugh.

Notice of Probate of Will.

To Whom It May Concern:

You and each of you are hereby notified to appear at the Court House at Sac City, in Sac county, Iowa, on the 18th day of May, 1925, at 2 o'clock p. m., to attend the probate of an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament and codicil to same of Joseph Mattes, late of said county, deceased, at which time and place you will appear and show cause, if any, why said will and codicil should not be admitted to probate.

Dated April 22, 1925.

E. B. Long,

13t3] Clerk of the District Court.

Strawberry Plants.

Send to the Sac City Nursery for your strawberry plants. $1 per hundred; $3.75 for five hundred. Post paid.—Sac City Nursery. 7t7

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Mr. and Mrs. Harmon are former well known Odebolt folks. They were in the track of the terrific tornado in Minnesota last year, though not in the worst of it.

They are readers of The Chronicle and are considered as our good friends

Mr. Harmon will have the good wishes of his Odebolt friends for the success of his new venture.

NEPHEW MARRIES

Announcements have been received by Odeboit relatives of the marriage of Mr. Bernard Wessling and Miss Teresa Sevening, both of Danbury.

The wedding occurred at nine o'clock at St. Mary's church at Danbury on Tuesday morning, April 21, the pastor officiating.

A reception and dinner for the im-

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JOSEPH MATTES DEAD

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who had with efficient hands and a brave heart, helped to make the home in the new country and bring prosperity and beauty to the naked prairie, passed away.

Mr. Mattes retained his active interest in the hardware business until 1915, when he was succeeded by his son George.

"Early in the history of the First National bank, Mr. Mattes became connected with its affairs and in the year 1907 was elected president, a position which he held until he died. This position Mr. Mattes invested with unusual dignity and honor, and through it served his community in a way long to be remembered. If ever it was true that the position does not

children, and a host of friends.

"Verily, 'They do rest from their labors and their good works do follow them.'"

Relatives here from a distance for the funeral were the daughter, Mrs. Joseph A. Young of Bellvue, who has been with her father in his last illness, Mrs. A. N. Fisk of Oak Park, Ill., sister of Mrs. Mattes; L. C. Abbott of Marshalltown, president of the Iowa Hardware Mutual Insurance company; A. R. Sale of Mason City, secretary of the company; Cloid H. Smith and son Howard of Sioux City, and many friends from nearby towns.

The family have the sincere sympathy of the community in this burden of sorrow.

PETIT JURORS

The following petit jurors will report for duty on May 18, 1925 at 1:30 o'clock p. m., at the court house in Sac City.

Barthman, J. A., Sac City, Jackson.
Bell, Ed, Sac City, first ward..
Blewit, Geo., Schaller, Cook.
Brown, Frank, Sac City East Cedar.
Brownell, F. R., Sac City, third ward.
Bruns, H. C., Auburn, East Sac.
Collamore, Ed, Odebolt, Richland.
Carlson, Anna, Odebolt, Richland.
Cline, Rufus, Auburn, East Sac.
Collins, F. H., Schaller, Eureka.
Cooley, Cliff, Wall Lake, Levey.
Cooper, Harry, Sac City, Coon Valley.
Currie, M. E., Schaller, Eureka.
Davis, W. G., Nemaha, Delaware.
Dettman, H. F., Lytton, West Cedar.
Dick, John, Schaller, Cook.
Fickus, Jennie, Sac City, Fourth ward.
Fischer, Geo., Lake View, Wall Lake.
Fisher, H. F., Nemaha, Delaware.
Freeman, R. D., Sac City, Douglas.
Goldsmith, Emily, Sac City, fourth ward.
Goodwin, Grover, Lytton, East Cedar.
Haasch, Ben, Early, Clinton.
Hahne, Walter, Schaller, Eureka.
Hamilton, R. F., Sac City, third ward.
Heinley, Foster, Sac City, Jackson.
Hicks, Dave, Early, Boyer Valley.
Hillmer, A. J. Lytton, East Cedar.
Jones, Geo., Nemaha, Delaware.
Kruskop Sac City, East Cedar.
Lange, Fred, Lake View, Wall Lake
Lundblad, Ed, Kiron, Wheeler.
McDonald, Minnie, Sac City, fourth Ward.
Meier, H. L. W., Schaller, Eureka.
Nelson, Mrs. John W., Odebolt, Wheeler.
Nybe, Joe, Lake View, Wall Lake.
Peterson, Elmer, Odebolt, Richland.
Reddy, John, Early Boyer Valley.
Sanders, Helen, Odebolt, Richland.
Sawyer A. E., Sac City, fourth ward
Scott, F. W., Early, Boyer Valley.
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SCHOOL AND CAMPUS

The Sophomore class, under the sponsorship of Misses Lemke and Lange enjoyed a party in the basement of the Presbyterian church Saturday evening. The evening was spent in games, after which a delightful lunch was served by the refreshment committee, Alice Wagner, Florence Kellogg and Marjorie Caine.

We are glad to welcome William Adams back. He has spent the winter in Florida with his parents.

Several of our Junior high girls and some of our high school people appeared in Mrs. Ambler's recital at the First Presbyterian church last Friday night.

Next Saturday, April 25, the county spelling contest will be held at Nemaha. Our high representatives will be Evelyn Roose and Helen Down who successfully proved themselves the champion spellers of Odebolt high.

This week ends the practice teaching for the twelve senior Normal trainers. All twelve of these people have taught in three different grades during the past semester and we cannot help but feel that their practice work was very much worth while under such a well trained and efficient grade force. The Seniors in the Normal Training work will take the Normal State examinations in Methods on May 13 and 14.

Our baseball boys and their coach Mr. Dickinson, journeyed to Wall Lake last Friday afternoon to play on the Wall Lake field. The final score was 13 to 12 in favor of Wall Lake. Our boys will play the Early nine on our field next Friday afternoon. Come out to see a good game.

The annual D. D. D. initiation was held at the school building on Saturday, April 16, at 8 o'clock. Thirteen new members were initiated, namely: Clarence Cornish, Lillian Brockman, Edward Korneisel, Kenneth Engstrom, Hazel Ahlberg, Myrtle Paul, Marcella Schmitz, Arnold Schrooten, Willard Linden, Floyd Kallmer, Howard Level, Frances Kistler, Almer Noyd. After the formal initiation which was held in the kindergarten the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Lillian Brockman; secretary and treasurer, Edward Korneisel; advisor, Mr. Lynch. The informal initiation followed, which was held in the eighth grade room. Lovely refreshments were then served by the committee. Everyone reported a most enoyable evening.

We are very sorry that Mr. Welsch, who showed such interest in the D. D. D. organization, could not be with us.

The students in the beginning typewriting classes are gettng ready for the April company tests which will be given next week. The following awards were made during the month

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