

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Stoltenberg, Adolph H. Senator _____

Represented Scott County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 14. Sept 1863 Glace Grove, Iowa, Scott County, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Magdalena Hiese 24 Feb. 1896 Halcott, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

- A. Business Director of the Scott County Savings Bank; Director in the Union Savings Bank and Trust Company, Organized of the Lake Park, Iowa Bank and State Bank of Harrison, Iowa
- B. Civic responsibilities Mason

C. Profession Merch; manufacturer; Lumber business

4. Church membership Protestant

5. Sessions served 30th, 31st, 32nd General Assemblies 1904, 1906, 1907

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 6 Jul 1943 Grinnell, Iowa

8. Children Carol (Mrs. Chrysler)

9. Names of parents Heinrich and Katrina (Lanz) Stoltenberg

Stollenberg, Adolph H.

10. Education Educated in the rural schools of
Scott County, Iowa

11. Degrees Attended Advanced Business College in
Des Moines, Iowa

12. Other applicable information Republican

- After marriage they lived on his parents farm near Des Moines.
- They later moved into Des Moines.
- He was considered as one of the leading representatives of banking interests
in Iowa at the time
- He was raised on the family farm in Scott County, Iowa and in later years
took charge of the household. He farmed there for 15 years.
- In 1900 he moved to Des Moines and became interested in the lumber business.
- Later he became interested in banking and was connected with a number of
banks in Des Moines as a stockholder

Chamber of Commerce will be held at the Hotel Blackhawk Friday noon, it was announced Wednesday by Cable G. Von Maur. At the same time Von Maur also announced appointment of an executive committee and sub-committees as follows:

R. O. Byerrum, vice chairman; J. M. Hutchinson, chamber board representative; Warren Porter, chairman research committee; Walter L. Mueller, chairman action committee and J. Neff Wells, chairman public relations committee, on executive committee.

Membership of the three sub-committees consists of:
 Research committee: Mr. Porter, chairman, R. O. Byerrum, Walter Chadwick, Kirk A. Hills, Dr. Gordon F. Harkness, Blair A. Phillips, Thomas E. Whitlock, Herman Staak, and Don English.

Public relations committee: Mr. Wells, chairman, Mr. Hills, Warren Langwith, Martin F. McCarthy, Arno C. Naeckel, L. M. Turnbull, Mr. Phillips, George Kirby and Fred Schwengel.

Action committee: Mr. Mueller, chairman, Ben Comenitz, Mel Foster, Henry S. Lord, Thomas J. Frank, W. Parmele Peterson, Mr. Hutchinson, S. W. Sanford, E. H. Ohner, A. F. Uchtorff, Henry Wurser, Leo Capen, Weir Sears, Frank Lorency, Ed Voss, William E. Betendorf, Charles Johnson, F. C. Imberson, Charles Scherer, Sam Rose, John Spibey, Robert Sass and Harry D. Bloch.

R. I. RATION BOARD QUIZZES PRICE VIOLATORS

Fourteen Rock Island retail grocers were brought before the ration board Wednesday for questioning in regard to selling merchandise for an amount above the prevailing price ceiling.

The grocers were warned that if they continued to violate the OPA, more drastic measures would be taken to assure compliance with the ceiling price law.

In all cases the grocers said that they did not understand the ruling as handed down by the OPA.

married to Leonard F. Schmitt on Sept. 28, 1920, in Sacred Heart cathedral by the late Very Rev. J. T. A. Flannagan.

Surviving are her husband; two sisters, Mrs. Michael Ruefer of Davenport and Mrs. Raymond Wyman of Kewanee, Ill.

ADOLPH H. STOLTENBERG.

Adolph H. Stoltenberg, well known Scott county resident, died at 10 p. m. Tuesday in the Grinnell Community hospital, Grinnell, Ia., following an illness of one year. Mr. Stoltenberg, who would have been 80 years old on Sept. 14, was a member of the Iowa state legislature from 1904 thru 1908. He was also a director of the Scott County Savings bank, and later, a director in the Union Savings Bank & Trust Co. after the merger of the Scott County bank with the Union. He was a member of the Fraternal lodge No. 221, A. F. & A. M., and of Zarepath Consistory and Kaaba Temple of Davenport.

He was born Sept. 14, 1863, in Blue Grass township, the fifth child of the late Henry and Katrina Lamp Stoltenberg and was educated in the rural schools. He attended the old Duncan Business college in Davenport.

He was married to Magdalena Wiese in Walcott on Feb. 24, 1896, and took charge of the parental family home four miles northwest of Davenport. Fifteen years later the couple moved to their new home at 428 West Twelfth street, Davenport, where they have resided since except for summers spent at their cottage home at Alexandria, Minn., and 13 winters in San Antonio, Texas.

His parents and sisters, Mrs. Emelle Stahl and Mrs. Louise Brockmann, preceded him in death. Surviving are his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Clara Stoltenberg Chrysler of Grinnell; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

THE AHLERS FUNERAL.

Funeral services for John J. Ahlers, 85, who died in St. Luke's hospital Tuesday morning, will be held at 1 p. m. Thursday in the

sciers.

Men experienced in pro inspection of machinery, lamination of scrap metal leum, are also needed.

Economists and men ex in political science, in law and kindred subjects as occupation govern ministrators. These and lets are open to qualified

FILE WILL OF I. C. GELLMAN IN PROBATE COURT

Under the terms of the will of I. C. Gellman, Rock Island, of the Gellman Manufacturing Co., who died May 1935, the widow Mrs. Ann Gellman, Rock Island, is left with personal property and in addition cash and shares in a will, dated Feb. 9, 1935, for probate in Rock Island probate court Wednesday.

Personal property is "in excess of \$10,000" and "in excess of \$500."

The balance of the estate is in trust to the widow and Elmore A. Gripp, Rock Island, are named co-executors and trustees to serve with her. When the youngest of the children reaches 21 years of age the trust will be divided into three parts among the widow and children.

WARN EMPLOYERS ON VIOLATION OF CHILD LABOR LAWS

After an investigation by members of the Illinois department of labor several employers in Rock Island county have been found guilty of violating state child labor regulations, N. Sherman, county field investigator, whose office is at 421 First street, Rock Island, said Wednesday. "The employers have been warned, and in some cases legal action against them is necessary."

Most common among the violations uncovered by

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The Gilchrist home is among the most attractive in the city. This was purchased upon the removal of the family of Davenport in 1899 and it was originally the old Fulton home. It has been rebuilt and remodeled and is both handsome and picturesque, commanding as it does a fine view of the river.

Mr. Gilchrist attends the Presbyterian church and in his fraternal relations he is a Mason. Resolute, keen and upright, exhibiting in his life many of those traits characteristic of his Scotch ancestry, he constitutes in himself a valuable factor in the life of Davenport, both in its social and economic relations.

A. H. STOLTENBERG.

A. H. Stoltenberg, who, free from ostentation and display, is nevertheless by the consensus of public opinion accorded prominence in financial circles of Iowa and has come to be recognized as one of the leading representatives of banking interests in this state, was born in Blue Grass township, this county, on the 14th of September, 1863. His father, Heinrich Stoltenberg, was a native of Holstein, Germany, and a shipwright by trade. He sailed between Liverpool and New York for several years before finally taking up his abode in Blue Grass township with the other members of his father's family. Turning his attention to general agricultural pursuits, he became prosperous in his farming operations and was well known as one of the reliable and enterprising citizens of his community. He died April 28, 1893. His wife, who bore the maiden name of Trina Lamp, was a native of Germany and a member of one of the oldest families of this county, represented here since 1846. She survived her husband for several years and passed away December 4, 1899.

Reared on his father's farm, A. H. Stoltenberg pursued his education in the public schools of the county and afterward took charge of the old homestead, which he continued to cultivate for fifteen years, bringing the fields under a high state of development and carrying on his work along the most progressive lines. In 1900 he removed to Davenport and became interested in a number of business ventures. His sound judgment and keen discernment made his cooperation a valued factor in successful management. He is now largely interested in banking, being connected with a number of banks in Davenport as a stockholder. He was one of the organizers of the Lake Park (Iowa) Bank and the State Bank of Harris, Iowa.

Interested as all American citizens should be, in the political situation of the country, he has thoroughly informed himself concerning the questions and issues of the day and gives stalwart support to the republican party. He has no desire for office, but during his absence in California was nominated for the legislature, the party recognizing that he would be a strong candidate and feeling moreover that his sound business judgment and public-spirited citizenship would constitute important elements in the adoption of wise legislative measures. He served through the thirtieth, thirty-first and thirty-second general assemblies and an extraordinary session of the thirty-second, representing the thirty-fourth district. Each question that came up for settlement received his earnest and

thoughtful consideration and such is the regard entertained for his political wisdom and sagacity that his support of a measure also secured the endorsement of others. He has held a number of minor offices and yet he is by no means a politician, for his preference is to remain free from entangling alliances with political activity.

In 1886 Mr. Stoltenberg was married to Miss Magdeline Weise, a native of Scott county and a daughter of Peter Weise, one of the old settlers here. They now have one child, Clara. Mr. Stoltenberg is prominent in the Masonic fraternity, having attained the thirty-second degree of the Scottish Rite, while he has also crossed the sands of the desert with the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. He seeks no notoriety but belongs to that class of solid, substantial citizens whose genuine worth all recognize. He represents one of the old families of the county, is deeply interested in the welfare of the community and his endorsement of public measures usually secures them other followers.

JAMES GRELL.

James Grell, who is now practically living retired on his farm in Allens Grove township, formerly led a very active, busy and useful life and well deserves the rest which he now enjoys. He was born in Kiel, Holstein, Germany, March 10, 1839, a son of Frederick and Margaret (Reinhardt) Grell, who spent their entire lives in the fatherland. The father served seven years in the German army and was a farmer by occupation, being overseer of a large estate. His family numbered five sons and five daughters, but only four came to the United States, these being: John, who is now deceased; James, of this review; Claus, who makes his home in Nebraska; and Katherine, who became the wife of Henry Steen and has departed this life.

James Grell spent the period of his boyhood and youth in his parents' home and when fifteen years of age began learning the wagonmaker's trade, which he followed until he attained the age of twenty-three years. Possessing strong and persevering characteristics, developed by his earlier environment, which, coupled with the livelier impulses of the Teutonic blood of his ancestors, made him at that time seek wider fields in which to give scope to his ambition and industry, and he accordingly emigrated to the new world. His brother John had preceded him to America and was located in Allens Grove township, Scott county. This fact led James Grell to this county, and he here worked at his trade for seventeen years on the farm which he now owns. In the meantime he had purchased small tracts of timber land and in addition to working at his trade of wagonmaker, he cleared and developed his land, putting it in condition for cultivation. When he had a sufficient amount ready to plant he abandoned his trade and gave his full time to the care of his fields. As he prospered he kept adding to his original purchase until he now owns a half section of good farming property, located on section 27, Allens Grove township, and in addition he owns one hundred acres of timber land. He has also given some of his land to his sons, for at one time he was the owner of six hundred acres. Mr. Grell



You searched for **Adolph H. Stoltenberg** in **Iowa**

1910 United States Federal Census

Name:	Adolph H Stoltenberg [Adolph H Stollenberg]	
Age in 1910:	46	
Estimated birth year:	abt 1864	
Birthplace:	Iowa	
Relation to Head of House:	Head	
Father's Birth Place:	Germany	
Mother's Birth Place:	Germany	
Spouse's name:	Magdalena	
Home in 1910:	Davenport Ward 4, Scott, Iowa	
Marital Status:	Married	
Race:	White	
Gender:	Male	
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Adolph H Stoltenberg	46
	Magdalena Stoltenberg	42

Source Citation: Year: 1910; Census Place: Davenport Ward 4, Scott, Iowa; Roll T624_423; Page: 18B; Enumeration District: 139; Image: 86.

Source Information: Ancestry.com. 1910 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006.



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:
This database is an index to the head of households enumerated in the 1910 United States Federal Census, the Thirteenth Census of the United States. In addition, each indexed name is linked to actual images of the 1910 Federal Census. The information recorded in the census includes: name, relationship to head of family, age at last birthday, sex, color or race, whether single, married, widowed, or divorced, birthplace, birthplace of father and mother, and more. [Learn more...](#)

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Iowa State Census Collection, 1836-1925

Name:	H Adolph Stoltenberg	
Birth Year:	abt 1865	
Birth Place:	Iowa	
Gender:	Male	
Race:	White	
Marital Status:	Married	
Census Date:	1 Jan 1925	
Residence State:	Iowa	
Residence County:	Scott	
Locality:	Davenport Ward 4	
Relation to Head:	Head	
Mother:	Trina Lamp	
Mother's Birthplace:	Germany	
Father:	Henry Stoltenberg	
Father's Birthplace:	Germany	
Marriage Place:	Iowa	
Spouse Name:	Magdalena Stoltenberg	
Roll:	IA1925_1936	
Line:	7	
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	H Adolph Stoltenberg	60
	Magdalena Stoltenberg	56
Source Information:		
Ancestry.com. <i>Iowa State Census Collection, 1836-1925</i> [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2007.		
Original data: Microfilm of Iowa State Censuses, 1856, 1885, 1895, 1905, 1915, 1925 as well various special censuses from 1836-1897 obtained from the State Historical Society of Iowa via Heritage Quest.		
Description:		
This database contains Iowa state censuses for the following years: 1856, 1885, 1895, 1905, 1915, and 1925. It also includes some head of household censuses and other special censuses from 1836-1897. Information available for an individual will vary according to the census year and the information requested on the census form. Some of the information contained in this database though includes: name, age, gender, race, birthplace, marital status, and place of enumeration.		
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You searched for **Adolph H. Stoltenberg** in Iowa

1930 United States Federal Census

Name:	Adolph H Stoltenberg	
Home in 1930:	Davenport, Scott, Iowa View Map	
Age:	66	
Estimated birth year:	abt 1864	
Birthplace:	Iowa	
Relation to Head of House:	Head	
Spouse's name:	Magdaline	
Race:	White	
Occupation:		
Education:		
Military service:	View image	
Rent/home value:		
Age at first marriage:		
Parents' birthplace:		
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Adolph H Stoltenberg	66
	Magdaline Stoltenberg	62

Source Citation: Year: 1930; Census Place: Davenport, Scott, Iowa; Roll 681; Page: 14A; Enumeration District: 34; Image: 1042.0.

Source Information:
 Ancestry.com. 1930 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2002.

Original data: United States of America, Bureau of the Census. *Fifteenth Census of the United States, 1930*. Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 1930. T626, 2,667 rolls.

Description:
 Containing records for approximately 123 million Americans, the 1930 United States Federal Census is the largest census released to date and is the most recent census available for public access. The census gives us a glimpse into the lives of Americans in 1930, and contains information about a household's family members and occupants including: birthplaces, occupations, immigration, citizenship, and military service. The names of those listed in the census are linked to actual images of the 1930 Census. [Learn more...](#)

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