Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Jones, William G. Senator Jones, William G. – Represented Mahaska County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 22 Oct 1861 Mahaska County, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Jennie L. Wood 25 Sept. 1890 Denver, Colorado

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Mahaska Bar Association

B. Civic responsibilities Knights of Pythias

C. Profession Attorney

4. Church membership

5. Sessions served 28th, 29th General Assemblies 1900, 1902 House of Representatives

6. Public Offices 30th, 31st, 32nd General Assemblies 1904, 1906, 1907 – Senate

A. Local Past city attorney 2 years; city solicitor of Oskaloosa

B. State

C. National

7. Death 15 Jan 1912 ; buried Forest Abbey, Oskaloosa, Iowa

8. Children Byril M (Mrs. Harry Neas);

9. Names of parents John G. and Margaret G. Jones

Jones, William G.

10. Education Attended district area country schools in Mahaska County and in Beacon, Iowa where he graduated from high school

11. Degrees Graduate of Oskaloosa Colleges in 1882; graduate of Iowa State University law school in 1884

12. Other applicable information Republican

- His father came from Wales in 1850 and settled in PA, then went to CA gold mines in 1852, then came to Garfield Twp. Mahaska County settling on 100 A of land
- His is where William G was born
- Entered the practice of law in Feb 1885 in Oskaloosa

Jones, William G.

Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

Source	Non Applicable	Applicable	Information obtained
- Obituary - Oskaloosa Weekly Herald, Oskaloosa, Iowa, Thurs. Jan. 18, 1912, p. 6, col. 4-5			
- Past and Present of Mahaska County 1906, p. 466-468			
- Iowa Press Association of Their Home Iowa 1940, p. 797			
- Iowa Official Register 1907-1908, p. 597			
- Souvenir Album of the 32nd General Assembly of Iowa (1907), p. 31			
- Obituary - The Oskaloosa Herald, Oskaloosa, Iowa, Thurs. Jan. 12, 1912, p. 4, col. 3			

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"The city boy passes his plastic years among the wonderful works of man. So nothing surprises or inspires him. The country boy, in the 'wonderland of Nature,' longs for the wonders of the city. He dreams dreams and sees visions of a future, perhaps, when a mighty nation shall stop to listen to him with a great message for the people.

"So with the 'will to do' the country boy keeps agoing even in the face of defeat, while the city boy takes things as they come, settles into a rut and murmurs, 'What's the use?'"

A LATER DAY PARABLE.

"Once a farmer had eight thousand eight hundred bushels of wheat, says an exchange, which he sold, not to a single grain merchant, but to eight thousand eight hundred different dealers, a bushel each. A few of them paid him in cash, but far the greater number said it was not convenient then, but would pay later. A few months passed and the man's bank account ran low. 'How is this?' he said. 'My eight thousand eight hundred bushels of grain should have kept me in affluence until another crop is raised, but I have parted with the grain and have instead only a vast number of accounts, so small and scattered that I cannot get around and collect fast enough to d up a se who ut few only a d pay, g that, small, r they man. got to out of to his usand t still ream- t all. man paper

and said: 'Here, sir, is the pay for your paper; and when next year's subscription is due you can depend on me to pay it promptly. I stood in the position of an editor last night, and I know how it feels to have one's honestly earned money scattered all over the country in small amounts.'"

This is the only mention of Wm Jones funeral I could find

THE NEW STATE.

due the insurrection in the North, only to return two days later and meet his death on the 9th, near Agua Fria; here, on the succeeding day, Jose Gonzales, a Puebio Indian of Taos, was installed as governor of New Mexico, soon after to be executed by order of Armijo; here, in the principal reception room, on Aug. 12, 1846, Captain Cooke, the American envoy, was received by Governor Armijo and sent back with a message of defiance; and here, five days later, General Kearney formally took possession of the city, and slept, after his long and weary march, on the carpeted earthen floor of the palace.

When General Lew Wallace went to New Mexico in 1879 as territorial governor he found the history of the old building an unending source of delight. The stories of plots, of murders, of executions, of battles that had raged about its stout walls, were a constant source of inspiration, and he strongly advocated that Washington should not permit this building to pass from national control. The post of governor left the general sufficient leisure to write his now famous book, "Ben Hur," and he always declared that the romance of his surroundings did much to keep him in the right mood for a work of the kind.

BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES

JONES.—The funeral of the late William Jones of Rose Hill will be held at the McAuley Chapel in Forest cemetery, Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 17, at 2 o'clock. The funeral party will leave the McCurdy undertaking parlors at 1:30 p. m. Interment in Forest Abbey.

TALBOT.—R. B. J. Ryan has received word from Kearney, Nebraska, of the sudden and unexpected death of a brother-in-law, Richard J. Talbot, well known here, a veteran of the civil war and a member of the Thirty-third Iowa, Company C., enlisted September 4, 1862, discharged at Helena, Arkansas, April 11, 1863, and was known as a veteran of the Army of the Cumberland. Deceased had enjoyed good health almost up to the time of his death. He complained of illness Sunday, Dec. 31st. The following day, New Years, he was seated in a chair in his home and death came almost on the instant, of heart trouble. He was 66 years, 1 month and 8 days of age at the time of

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JONES, RUFUS P: Ice Manufacturer; b Dowagiac, Mich July 10, 1877; s of Thomas P Jones-Catharine Cullinine; ed Notre Dame Ind HS; Notre Dame Coll 1907-09; m Anne M Penders Jan 12, 1921 Oskaloosa; 1909-39 secy Oskaloosa Ice Co, Oskaloosa, 1939- pres & gen mgr; 1940- dir Oskaloosa Clay Products Co; C of C; BPOE; Country Club; FOE; Cath Ch, trustee; Rep; hobbies: hunting, fishing; off 7th St & 9th Ave; res 418 East High Ave, Oskaloosa.

JONES, WILLIAM G: Attorney; b Mahaska Co, Iowa Oct 22, 1861; s of John G Jones-Margaret Jones; ed Beacon; Oskaloosa Coll, BPh 1882; U of Iowa, LLB 1884; m Jennie L Wood Sept 25, 1890 Denver Colo; d Byril M (Mrs Harry Neas); 1885- prac law, Oskaloosa; past city atty 2 years; 1900 for 2 terms Mahaska Co representative; past state sen 4 years; Mahaska Co Bar Assn; C of C; KP since 1887; Rep; hobbies: fishing, reading; off 116½ A Ave W; res 411 A Ave E, Oskaloosa.

KALBACH, WARREN: Lumber Dealer; b Oskaloosa, Iowa Mar 29, 1874; s of John A Kalbach-Mary Louise Patterson; ed Oskaloosa HS 1892; m Anna Huber June 1, 1899 Oskaloosa; s Huber; 1892-1906 emp by Kalbach Lbr Co, Oskaloosa, 1906- part owner, mgr, secy-treas; owner of farms & hes in various states; dir Oskaloosa C oducts Co; VP Rivola Corp; mgr K Realty Corp; chmn bd Iowa Trust & Savings Bank; during World War engaged in war work as pres C of C, Oskaloosa; pres bd Oskaloosa Armory Assn; C of C, Oskaloosa, VP 10 years, pres 1917-18, trustee C of C properties; Oskaloosa Country Club; hobbies: horses, promoting conservation projects; off 1st Ave & B; res 116 N 7th, Oskaloosa.

KILLIPS, HERBERT: Veterinarian; b Richmond Hill, Ontario, Canada May 18, 1876; s of William Killips-Anna Eliza Burner; ed London, Ontario Canada; prep nite sch London Ontario Veterinary Coll, VS 1900, Ontario Veterinary Coll, BVSC 1910; m Clara B Hobart May 28, 1906 Hinton; d Eliza Lucille; 1901-02 veterinarian, Ottumwa, 1902-09 Mount Pleasant, 1910- Oskaloosa; 1915 estab lab for diagnosis & treatment of diseases in poultry; 1932 given US patent on apparatus for testing blood for diagnosis of certain animal & poultry diseases; durjng Sp-Amer War enl in 3rd New York inf 1898, tsfrd to troop A squadron A N Y cavalry service in Porto Rico, disch Nov 17, 1898; Iowa St Veterinary Med Assn; Iowa Poultry Improvement Assn; YMCA; AF&AM; Shrine; Meth Ch, Rep; hobby: hand ball; off & res 213 High Ave E, Oskaloosa.

KNIGHT, EDGAR LEONARD: Clergyman; b Lexington, Ill Dec 18, 1893; s of Eugene E Knight-Sarah E Walker; ed Olathe Kas HS; Washburn Coll, Topeka Kas; Phillips U, Enid Okla; Culver Stockton Coll, BA 1927; U of Mo; U of Chicago; Theta Kappa Nu; m Marian Evarts Feb 5, 1921 Kansas City Mo; d Ruth Ann, Jean Louise; 1936-38 pastor, Kirksville Mo, 1938- Oskaloosa; mbr com & administration bd NYA; during Wor War enl in USN July 10, 1917 ensi am engineering dept 1917, admin- isti ofcr, Hoboken N J, disch June 23, 1919 ensign; Amer Legion; Kiwanis; chmn lay com WPA Recreational Project of Oskaloosa; mbr edni unit of PTA; mbr, Ministerial Assn; 1939-40 pres Co-op Concert Series; hobbies: children, fishing, outdoor life, woodwork, gardening, flowers; res 111 B Ave E, Oskaloosa.

KULLMER, JOHN JR: Manager Laundry & Cleaning Co; b Lee Center, Ill Feb 28, 1871; s of John Kullmer Sr-Theresa Mokert; ed Dysart HS; Northwestern U, Coll of Pharm 1891; U of Iowa, PhG 1893; m Stella M Camp Oct 20, 1915 Chicago Ill; d Jane Alice; 1893-97 in drug business, Dysart; 1897-1905 P M & druggist, Dysart; 1905-06 representative of Churchill Drug Co in NW Iowa; 1907-14 owner drug stores, Dysart & Reinbeck, mgr Reinbeck store; 1914-15 with Seymour Wet Laundry, Sioux City; 1915-28 owner & mgr Union Monarch Laundry & Dry Cleaners, Oskaloosa, 1928- joined 18 other plants at Mid-Continent Laundries, Inc, mgr Oskaloosa plant; 1930- opr as Iowa Laundries, Inc, mgr, Oskaloosa; past mbr city coun 2 terms; Natl Assn Dry Cleaners; Iowa St Laundry & Dry Cleaners Assn; Iowa St Druggist Assn; mbr SA bd; C of C, past bd mbr; hobby: reading; off 402-06 High Ave W; res 413 North Ave A, Oskaloosa.

LAMBERSON, DARE HOUGHTON: Ford Dealer; b Cattaraugus Co, N Y Jan 12, 1886; s of Clarence Lamberson-Ella Houghton; ed Silver Springs N Y HS 1903; Business Coll, Buffalo N Y 1905; m Francein Lacey Jan 1, 1916 Oskaloosa; s William, John, Nathaniel; 1903-05 watchmaker in Silver Springs N Y; 1906-08 engine assembly man H H Franklin Co, Syracuse N Y; 1908 emp in off Sibley-Lindsay & Kerr Dept Store, Rochester N Y; 1908-09 in off of King & Eislie Whol Jewelers, Buffalo N Y; 1909-10 retail salesman Ford Motor Co, Buffalo N Y; 1911-13 whol traveling representative Ford Motor Co, 1913-14 asst branch mgr, Buffalo N Y, 1914- opr Ford agcy, Oskaloosa; C of C; Country Club; BPOE; AF&AM; 32°; Episc Ch; Rep; hobby: riding horses; off 120 N 2nd; res Lacey Hotel, Oskaloosa.

LIFE, HOWARD S: Attorney; b Syracuse, Ohio July 18, 1893; s of J M Life-Luella Middleton; ed Kincaid Kas HS 1911; Ohio Northern U, Ada Ohio 1923-28; LaSalle Extn U; m Bertha Bane —, 1917 Eddyville; s John H, Patrick V, Frederick Michael; d Jean M. Mary Ann; 1912-13 station helper Ill div CRI&P RR, Wyoming Ill, 1913 teleg opr Ill div; 1914-28 agt telegrapher, yardmaster, relief train dispatcher KDM div; 1928 adm to Iowa bar; 1928- prac law, Oskaloosa; adm to prac before Interstate Commerce Commission, Fed, Interstate & State Tax Commissions; bd mbr SA; dir Mahaska Co Conservation Commission; Mahaska Co, Iowa St & Amer Bar Assns; Assn of Practitioners Before Interstate Commerce Commission; dir Iowa St Hist Soc; dir Natl Geographic Soc; C of C; IOOF; KP; AF&AM, past master; Meth Ch; Rep, 1928 Mahaska Co chmn Rep central com; hobbies: collecting old guns, old clocks & old books; off 101½ High Ave E; res 514 N Market, Oskaloosa.

LOFLAND, CHARLES EWING: Banker; b Oskaloosa, Iowa Jan 15, 1859; s of John Lofland-Sarah J Bartlett; ed Oskaloosa HS 1877; Oskaloosa Coll 1877-78; m Mary Elizabeth Little Dec 28, 1881 Oskaloosa; s John Henry, Charles Ewing Jr; d Helen Louise (Mrs F P Van Sickle); 1878-80 surveyor for CB&Q RR; 1880-86 clk in Natl Bank, Oskaloosa, 1886 asst cash, 1886-1919 cash, 1919-30 VP, 1900-30 dir; Iowa Bankers Assn, VP 1922; Comml Club; Country Club; orgn dir & pres of Fair Assn; AF&AM 50 years; RAM; Presby Ch, trustee; hobby: tennis; res 613 1st Ave E, Oskaloosa.

LOGAN, MRS VIRGINIA KNIGHT HAMPTON: Homemaker; b Washington Co, Penn; d of Oliver Hampton-Rachel Rudd Welch; ed Female Seminary, Washington Penn; Ziegfeld Coll of Music, Chicago Ill; Del Sarte Sch of Expression, New York City, special student piano, voice, harmony, math & French; m — — —; s Frederick Knight Logan; introduced music courses in Oskaloosa schs, voice tchr in schs & priv piano tchr many years; supvr of pub sch music, South Bend Ind, tchr, & conductor chorus of 3750 sch children who sang for GAR natl meeting; understudy & prin Natl Amer Opera Co; under late Theodore Thomas, writes poems, song lyrics & instr of song composition; May 23, 1940 on son's birthday DAR dedicated bronze tablet marking Frederick Knight Logan's birthplace & honoring Virginia Logan by a ceremonial recorded by movie cameras; an authority on parliamentary law; past pres 4 terms Womans Club, pres emeritus; Amer Soc of Composers, Authors; publisher of N Y Amer Geographic; Music Tchrs of Iowa; Oskaloosa Armory Assn; GFWC; IFWC, chmn advisory coun of legislative dept; orgr OES 146, past worthy matron, past mbr election bd, awarded ch certificate for proficiency in off; city & co chmn Better Homes; Ladies Aux of Church Aid; Rep, past chmn & registrar Rep com, past del from Iowa to natl conv 1924, state del Mahaska Co Rep conv; s Frederick Knight known as Waltz King of Amer, eminent composer & pianist; res 416 B Ave E, Oskaloosa.

LOOS, GEORGE J: Florist; b Oskaloosa, Iowa May 14, 1899; s of Fred G Loos-Katie D Seitz; ed Oskaloosa HS 1914; Penn Sch of Commerce, Oskaloosa 1914-15; m Marie Schullz Nov 16, 1921 Oskaloosa; d Dorothy Mae, Darlene Marie; 1916-20 off mgr Kemble Floral Co, Oskaloosa, 1920-39 gen off mgr Kemble Floral Co Inc, 6 stores, 1939 corp dissolved, 1939- half owner & mgr Kemble Floral Stores & Greenhouses, Oskaloosa & Centerville; 1923- half owner Loos Seed Co, Oskaloosa; 1932-36 mbr city coun, Oskaloosa, instrumental in obtaining 2 modern municipal sewerage disposal plants, leader in choosing site for & developing Edmundson Park, near Oskaloosa; 1935- mbr Oskaloosa Park Commission; 1935-36 secy-treas Oskaloosa Kittenball Assn; past pres "Y" Mens Club; C of C; Kiwanis, VP, 1940 del to internatl conv, Minneapolis Minn; pres Band & Orchestra Parents Club; mbr BSA exec coun; Luth Ch; hobbies: promoting community sports & recreation; off 209 High Ave E; res 412 N 9th, Oskaloosa.

LYNCH, JOHN IRVIN: County Superintendent of Schools; b Mercersburg, Penn May 17, 1879; s of John T Lynch-Mary E Bohrer; ed Cedar Co; Clarence HS; ISTC, BDi; U of Iowa, BA, also grad work; U of Wis; mbr glee club & Orio Literary Socs; m Margaretta Kelly Aug 29, 1905 Ida Grove; d Dorothy E (Mrs J F Temple); 1907-09 supt of schs, Sanborn; 1909-18 prin, Davenport; 1918-21 supt of schs, Macomb Ill, 1921-23 Oskaloosa, 1923-24 Johnston City Ill, 1924-30 Mason City Ill; 1933- Mahaska Co supt of schs, Oskaloosa; Mahaska Co Schoolmasters Club; ISTA; Mahaska Co Central Nursing Com; ARC bd; First Presby Ch, elder, active in SS work 40 years; hobbies: farm life, reading, church work; off Courthouse; res 802 1st Ave E, Oskaloosa.

McBURNEY, HARRY EDGAR: Merchant; b Mahaska Co, Iowa Sept 9, 1885; s of Hugh McBurney-Sarah Moore; ed rural schs, near Wright; m Bernice Yanney Feb 1, 1911 Cedar; s Roy E; d Bernice Maxine; 1903-08 farm hand, Mahaska Co; 1906-14 opr grain farm, Mahaska Co; 1914- owner & opr grain elevator, Cedar, 1930- owner & opr feed mill, Cedar; 1935- owner & opr elevator, Fremont; 1939- owner & opr farm, near Cedar specializer in swine