Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Jones, Jas H. Senator

Represented Cerro Gordo County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 28 Feb 1877 Boston, New York

2. Marriage (s) date place

Bertha Montgomery 1906

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Member of the Cerro Gordo County, Iowa and State of Iowa Bar associations.

B. Civic responsibilities Lions Club; IOOF; Knights of Pythias; Mason; Eastern Star

C. Profession Lawyer

4. Church membership Congregational

5. Sessions served 36th, 37th General Assemblies 1915, 1917

6. Public Offices

A. Local

B. State

C. National

7. Death 7 June 1949 Clear Lake, Iowa; buried Clear Lake Cemetery, Clear Lake Iowa

8. Children Laurence; Betty (died in 1930)

9. Names of parents Murray and Amelia Jones

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Jones, Ira W.

10. Education

11. Degrees Graduate of Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa 1903; took a law course at Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa; graduate of Yale University, New Haven, Ct in 1905

12. Other applicable information Republican

- Came with his parents from New York to Allison, Iowa at age 3.
- Came to Clear Lake, Iowa in 1905 to open a law office.

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Jones, Ira W.

Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

Source	Non Applicable	Applicable	Information obtained
- Obituary - The Clear Lake Reporter, Clear Lake, Iowa, Thurs. June 9, 1949, p.1, col. 6			

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tion with the coming , June 14, Mrs. L. E. ompanied at the piano ry Mason, sang "Land nd Ms. Richard Harry American's Creed."

ality committee, Mmes an, Arvig Nelson and on, were in charge of nent of the program.

Slocum ,president, pre- umed Mrs. James And- liss Crystal Ashland as nembers to the out-of onservation committee. ppoined Mmes. Lloyd ard Harry, R. A. Win- teplogle and Jack Dom- ommittee to officiate the at that will re- League in the ly parade.

. Phillips, chairman of al Building fund, re- ort $100 will be clear- recent rummage sale e purpose of building Mrs. Leonard Rodewald at the membership drive had reached 291 and ar had reached 291 and onal members are com- the time.

L. Harms, Mason City, who weighed in a 7 pound walleye at the police station earlier in that week. Mr. Harms won a master steel tackle box given by Petersen Hardware.

The prize for this week as far as the largest game fish is concerned is the choice of any tie the lucky fisherman wants at the Peterson Federated store.

In addition to the regular weekly prize, the prize for the heaviest string of 5 streakers which went unclaimed on opening day is up for this week The prize is being given by the Chamber of Commerce of Clear Lake and is a Hiawatha rod and reel and rod.

Catches weighed in this week include a string of 5 Streakers weighing 2¼ pounds registered Wednesday by Wilbur Holltaz, Ventura, at Satters. Gosh, the prize for the best string of these fellows is a honey, wonder who will be the next to register.

Top game fish as of Thursday morning is a 5 lb 14 oz northern registered by S. P. Paulson, Garner, at the Police station. Other catches registered there include a catfish weighing 9 pounds 12½ ounces by Leo Phillips, Mason City; a four pound, 7½ ounce walleye by Mrs N Kimball, Clear Lake; a 4 lb., 14½ ounce northern by Dick Sharp, Clear Lake; a 4 lb, 3 oz, walleye by George Baugous, Clear Lake, and a 3 pound, 13½ ounces northern by Leonard Benson, Mason City.

Queen Bayer of Mason City registered a 5 pound black bass at Clarks and M. H Smit registered a 3 pound, 12 ounces walleye at Satters.

Fish Score Board

LARGEST GAME FISH TO DATE—
7 lbs. 14¾ oz. Wall Eye Caught by Walter Edelan, Garner.

LARGEST GAME FISH CAUGHT BY GIRL OR BOY 15 yrs. of age or younger—
4 lb. 4½ oz. Northern Leslie Dean Dalk, Age 9, Clear Lake.

PRIZE CATCH WEEK May 29-June 4 Milton L. Harms, Mason City, 7 lbs. Walleye.

LARGEST FISH REPORTED FOR THIS WEEK'S PRIZE UP TO PRESS TIME—
S. P. Paulson, Garner, 5 lb. 14 oz. Northern.

LARGEST STRING OF FIVE STREAKERS —
Wilbur Hollatz, 2¼ lbs. total

BUSINESS DIRECTORY AT PRINTERS REPORT JAYCEES

Bob Gilliam, local manages of radio station KICM, was introduced as a new member of the Clear Lake Junior Chamber of Commerce at a regular dinner meeting of the organization Monday evening at Randys. Seventeen members were present.

It was decided that the names of members not attending regularly would be submitted to a member who attended as often as possible and that the regular attender would be responsible for urging the non-goer to be present more often, thereby increasing the regular attendance.

Doctor Donald Phillip reported that the tennis courts could not be put on the school house grounds and that the possiblity of putting them on the Lions field has not been fully

Street Signs Soon

LAST RITES SUNDAY FOR IRA W. JONES, 72

Funeral services for Ira W. Jones, 72, who died at his home 500 North Third street Tuesday morning, June 7, following a long period of failing health, will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 'clock at the Congregational Church. Rev. Warner M. Hubbard, Methodist pastor, will conduct the rites in the absence of Dr Edward Day. The Ward Funeral home is in charge of the arrangements and the internment will be in the Cear Lake cemetery.

Mr Jones was born Feb. 28, 1877, at Boston, N. Y., the son of Murray and Amelia Jones, and came to Allison, Iowa, at the age of 3. He was graduated from Iowa State College, Ames, in 1903, took a law course at Drake university, Des Moines, and was graduated from Yale university, New Haven, Conn., in 1905. He then came to Clear Lake and opened a law office. In 1906 he was married to Miss Bertha Montgomery and they have resided in Clear Lake since.

Mr. Jones has always been active and interested in civic welfare and was most instrumental in building of the present public library. He was appointed a member of the library board in 1915 and in 1922 he becames chairman of that board, which office he continued to hold up to the time of his death.

He was a charter member of the Lions club and served as district governor for that organization. He was also affiliated with the Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Eastern Star and Masonic orders and had served as president of the Masonic Building association since its formation in 1915.

Mr Jones was a member of the First Congregational church and of the Clear Lake Chamber of Commerce, the Cerro Gordo County Bar association and the Iowa Bar association.

Besides his wife, Mr. Jones is survived by a son, Dr. Lawrence M Jones, Baltimore, Md., a brother, Dr. P. H. Jones, Alva, Florida, and a sister, Mrs. C. M. Vestal, Lafayette, Ind.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his daughter Betty, who died in 1930, and a brother, Ward Jones, who died in 1944.

Jaycees, City Council, Rotary Cooperate In Project

Plans are now under the way whereby the City of Clear Lake will soon have new streets signs to match the new street names put into effect a year and a half ago.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce, with the cooperation of the City Council and the Clear Lake Rotary Club, has instituted a plan to get the new streets signs up in the city by selling house numbers to the residents. The profit from the sale of these house numbers will buy the signs for each corner.

Clarence A. Pease, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, has appointed the following committee to handle the project: Bob Gillman, chairman, Earl Sargent and Archie Larson. After the Jaycee meeting at Randy's Cafe last Monday evening, the committee met with a company representive and ordered an initial supply of the house numbers and 45 sets of corner markers to be put up in the business section of the city.

According to the plan set up, the entire profit from the sale of the house numbers to the residents of the city will go into purchasing the street markers. The numbers are made of heavy raised aluminium and will sell for 50c for each number, or $1.50 for a set of three.

The City Council and Mayor W. H Ward have assured the Jaycees that they would have the signs put in place when they arrive. The Rotary Club will act as a financing organization for the project.

The street signs are also made of heavy aluminium with the names of the streets in raised letters. The signs are easily read and can be repainted without much trouble when they become dull.

This method of financing the street signs will put the burden of responsbility on the residents of each block in the city. It is to their advantages to have their own street plainly marked and it is only through their cooperation that it will be possible to put them up.

With the heavy debt which faces the city in the future for the water plant, sewage disposal plant, and other civic improvements this project will take a heavy load off the indebtedness and accomplish the purpose in a much shorter period of time.

F. R. GRISWOLD TO OPEN WATCH REPAIR SHOP

F. R. Griswold, St. Ansgar, announced last Thursday afternoon that he had leased the building at 311¼ West Main, formerly occupied by the Owen Jewerly, from W. H. Ward. Mr. Griswold plans to operate a watch repair and gift shop business here and is planning to be open for business some time this week.

Mr. Griswold is married and has 3 children, Phyllis Ann, 9 years; Mary Alice, 18 months, and Linda, 2 weeks. The family will move to Clear Lake as soon as they have found a place to live here.

Reporter Want Ads reach every part of the county.

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