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Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative King, James A. Senator _____
Represented Clay County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 13. Apr 1876 Clay County, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place
Effie Ann Anderson 28 Aug 1902 Gillett Grove, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business An original founder of the Clay County National Bank 1927 and director 1927 until death, chairman of the board 1959-1969, president of the bank 1956-1967; president of Farmers Elevator Company - 20 years

B. Civic responsibilities Nelson, Eastern Star; IOOF, Redpath Lodge

C. Profession Farmer

4. Church membership Congregational

5. Sessions served 45th, 41st, 47th and 43rd General Assemblies 1923, 1925, 1927, 1929

6. Public Offices

A. Local Member of Clay County Iowa Board 46 years;

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 4 Apr 1970 Spencer, Iowa; buried Riverside Cemetery, Spencer, Iowa

8. Children Russell; Leone (Mrs Melvin Johnson)

9. Names of parents A. H. and Mary (Janner) King

10. Education _____

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information *Republican*
- His wife, Effie Ann, died 11 Mar. 1966

Spencer high school music students returned from the state Class A music contest at Estherville the past weekend with a total of 47 division I ratings, 24 division II ratings and three division III's.

Of this number, the high school choral department received 11 division I ratings and eight division II's. The remainder of the ratings were earned by instrumental music students.

Following are the contest entries and the ratings earned:

Scott Nieman, baritone vocal solo, Div. 1; Bruce Adams, baritone vocal solo, Div. 1; Jean Van Vickle, treble voice high, Div. 2; Ann Fraseur, treble voice low, Div. 2; Janice Heine, treble voice low, Div. 2; Dan Gould, tenor,

Div. 1; Dan Tomlinson, tenor, Div. 1; Peter Lawrence, bass vocal solo, Division II; Fawn Darnell, treble voice medium, Division I; Linda Huston, treble voice medium, Division I; Rebecca Frad, treble voice medium, Division II; Jewell Rorah, treble voice medium, Division II.

Also Girls' Sextet, entry A, Division I; Girls' Sextet, entry B, Division I; Mixed Quartet, entry A, Division I; Mixed Quartet entry B, Division II; Mixed Double Quartet, entry A, Division I; Mixed Double Quartet, entry B, Division I; Brass Sextet, Division I; Saxophone Quartet, Division I; Bb Clarinet Quartet, Entry A, Division I; Bb Clarinet Quartet, Entry B, Division I; Mixed Clarinet Quartet, Entry A,

Division I; Mixed Clarinet Quartet, Entry B, Division I; Trumpet Trio, Division I; Trumpet Quartet, Division I; Brass Quartet, Division I; Brass Sextet, Division I; Snare Drum Ensemble, Division I; Percussion Ensemble, Division I; Flute Duet, Division I; Flute Trio, Division I; French Horn Quartet, Entry A, Division I; French Horn Quartet, Entry B, Division II; Grace Peterson, flute solo, Division II; Marcia Lemmons, flute solo, Division I; Susan Slater, flute solo, Division II; Cindy Norris, flute solo, division III.

Also Linday Redenbaugh, oboe solo, Division I; Debbie Martin, clarinet solo, Division I; Richard Holmberg, clarinet solo, Division I; Becky Gifford, clarinet solo,

Bank Founder and Lawmaker

King Rites Set Wednesday

Final rites for James A. King, 93, retired Spencer farmer, a former lawmaker and one of the original founders of the Clay County National Bank, are planned Wednesday, April 8, at 10:30 a.m. at the First Congregational Church.

The Rev. Gerald Hallauer will officiate and burial will be at Riverside Cemetery.

Masonic services are at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Warner Chapel.

Mr. King died Saturday at Spencer Municipal Hospital.

Mrs. Mabry Cornwall will sing "The Lord's Prayer" and "In My Father's House Are Many Mansions." Mrs. Lowell Hagedorn will be organist. Bearers are Frank Snider, Charlie Warren, Chester Seaton, Wilson Cornwall, Earl Keiser and Russell Hoberg.

Mr. King was a lifelong resident of the community. He was born in Clay County April 13, 1876, the son of D.H. and Mary Turner King. His wife, the former Effie Ann Anderson, whom he married Aug. 28, 1902, in Gillett Grove, preceded him in death March 11, 1966.

One son, Russell King of Spencer, and a daughter, Leone, Mrs. Melvin Johnson of Tulsa, Okla., survive. Surviving grandchildren are Dr. Lowell A. King of the U.S. Air Force Academy and Greg K. Johnson of Tulsa. He also had three great-grandchildren.

Mr. King became a director of the bank at the time he helped found it in 1927. He served as a director until his death. He became chairman of the board in January 1959, a post he retained until January, 1969. He was president of the board from January, 1956 until January, 1967. He was also a member of the Clay County Fair Board for 40 years, president of the Farmers Elevator Co. for 20 years, a member of the Masonic Temple Board and a Past Master of the Masons and also served as a Clay County representative in the Iowa State Legislature. He was also a past president of the Clay County Farm Bureau and a member of the First Congregational Church, the OES, IOOF and the Rebekah Lodge.

Members of the IOOF are being requested to attend the Mason-

ic service Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the Warner Chapel. All Masons will also meet for that service.

Mr. King was preceded in death by two brothers, Howard E. and Ray E., his parents and his wife.



JAMES A. KING