Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative O'Donnell, George Senator _____

Represents Carroll County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 28 Sept 1870 Freeport Illinois in Stephenson County

2. Marriage (s) date place

Did not marry

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Carpenter; employe of Chicago and Northwestern Railroad

4. Church membership Catholic

5. Sessions served 43rd 44th General Assemblies 1929, 1931

6. Public Offices

A. Local Trustee of Nish River Township 6 years; superintendent of roads and road dragging 8 years

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 17 Aug 1953 Carroll, Iowa; buried Carroll Catholic Cemetery, Carroll, Iowa

8. Children Six children

9. Names of parents John and Mary O'Donnell

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O'Donnell, George

10. Education He was educated in the schools of Maple Grove Township and St. Joseph Catholic School, Carroll, Iowa

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information Democrat

He lived in Carroll County, Iowa since he was age five, coming with his parents from Freeport, Illinois

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O'Donnell George

Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

Source	Non Applicable	Applicable	Information obtained
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- Journal Official Register 1931-1932, p. 25 D			
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100-yard dash—boys 10 to 14—Richard Reever, first; Jerry Bender, second. Boys and men 15 and over—Darrell West, first; Paul Wernimont, second.

440-yard relay—Junior Heim, Joe Drees, James Schreck, and Denny Schleisman.

Broad jump — Ra[illegible] Pottebaum, first, Darrell West, second.

Softball game between Rural Young People and Rural Young Married group—won by RYP, 5 to 4.

Tug of war, east half of county vs. west half—won by team from west half composed of Jim Schreck, Dick Snyder, Paul Wernimont, Francis Zimmerman, Merlin Loew, Dennis Loew, Lawrence Heinrich, and Ed Staiert.

Improvements in Parks Discussed

Members of the Carroll Park Com sion met Monday morning and discussed plans for further improvements to city park facilities.

These include improving the tennis courts at Graham park so they can also be flooded in the winter to form a skating rink, and addition of a wing to the Southside park shelter house. Also on the agenda is a proposal for a new enclosed shelter house at Graham park.

A member of the commission said no action was taken on any of the plans because the park commission does not have enough money on hand.

TO ORGANIZE STATE MEET

Homer D. (Rusty) Gill returned Sunday night from Evanston, Ill., where he attended the National Institute of Chamber of Commerce executives at Northwestern University, August 9 through 15. Mr. Gill was named at the institute to serve on a committee to organize a state meeting of Chamber of Commerce executives to be held in Council Bluffs early in November.

broken glass left by anti-Shah demonstrators who stoned the monarch's portraits in shop windows Sunday night.

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Invite Children To Ride Bikes in Circus Procession

A free ticket on any kiddie ride at the Jay Gould Circus here, August 19 and 20, will be given to each youngster who will ride in the circus parade, Thursday at 1 p.m.

All children who would like to take part in the parade are asked to bring their bicycles, cleaned up and decorated, if possible. Costumes, too, will help to make the parade more interesting and colorful.

Youngsters wishing to take part are asked to meet in Graham Park at noon, Thursday.

Girl Scouts and Brownies, Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, and members of the Little League baseball team have been invited to join along with clowns, animals, acrobats, and other performers from the circus itself.

Local automobile and implement dealers are being contacted and asked to drive new cars and motorized farm equipment.

The parade will form in Graham Park and proceed up Highway 30 to circus headquarters on downtown streets.

The circus is being sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce and Retail Merchants Bureau. Members of the parade committee are Don Traner and Al Klocke.

Performances will take place Wednesday evening and Thursday afternoon and evening. Admission will be free. A small charge will be made for kiddie rides, except for free tickets given to those who take part in the parade.

a two-truck crash northeast of Sac City Saturday.

Edward Walker, 61, Mason City, drowned Sunday in the Winnebago River north of Mason City while fishing with a friend.

Melvin Ploessel, 28, Cassville, Wis., drowned late Saturday night in backwaters of the Mississippi River at North Buena Vista. He and two companions were preparing to return home by boat when the mishap occurred.

Ervin Miller, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel B. Miller of Arcola, Ill., was injured fatally Saturday in a tractor accident on his uncle's farm southwest of Iowa City.

8 Others Injured

Eight persons were injured in the accident which took the life of the Hirsbrunner boy.

His parents and two sisters, Sharon, 5, and Carolyn, 6 months; Miss Irma Wardenburg, 22, and her mother, Mrs. Minnie Wardenburg, 47, also of Williamsburg, and Ruth Haas, 8, and Lorraine Haas, 7, both of Freeport, Ill., were taken to the Marengo hospital.

Two passing truckers used fire extinguishers to fight the flames while helping the injured from the burning car.

Mrs. Ward, 65, Dies in California

Mrs. Orval Ward, 65, of Escondido, Calif., formerly of Carroll, died unexpectedly of a heart attack at her home at 7 p.m. Sunday. She had been in ill health for some time.

Mrs. Ward was the mother of Mrs. Harry Rose of Carroll.

The body will arrive in Carroll Wednesday evening and will be taken to the Huffman Funeral Home.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward had lived in Escondido about four years.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Ward leaves a son and daughter by a former marriage, Estel Mays, Apple Valley, Calif., and Mrs. Rose (June), Carroll; and 10 grandchildren: Georgia Rose, Minneapolis, Minn.; Jack Rose, Carroll; Marilyn, Georgia and Betty Mays, San Diego, and Carol, Penny, Karen, Donna and Melody Mays, Apple Valley, Calif.

C OF C DIRECTORS TO MEET

The August meeting of the Chamber of Commerce board of directors, postponed from last Tuesday because of the absence from the city of Manager Homer D. (Rusty) Gill, will be held in the Driftwood Room of Hotel Burke, Tuesday of this week, at noon.

ENCAMPMENT SET

DES MOINES (AP) — The 103rd Army Reserve Division, commanded by Maj. Gen. George H. Olmstead, Des Moines, will hold its annual summer encampment at Camp McCoy, Wis., Aug. 28-Sept. 6.

George O'Donnell Succumbs; Former State Representative

George O'Donnell, 82, former state representative, died at his home, 215 North Carroll Street, at 5:15 a.m. Monday. He had been ill the past year and bedfast the last four weeks.

Funeral Wednesday

Funeral services will be at 9 a.m. Wednesday at St. Joseph's church. The Rt. Rev. Monsignor Frank Greteman will offer requiem mass. Burial will be in the Carroll Catholic Cemetery.

The body is resting at the Sharp Funeral Home, where the rosary will be prayed at 8 p.m. Monday and Tuesday. Msgr. Greteman will lead the recitation Tuesday evening.

Members of Charles Carroll Council No. 780, Knights of Columbus, are requested to meet at the funeral home Tuesday evening to recite the rosary in a group at 8:30.

Mr. O'Donnell, who was born Sept. 28, 1870, in Freeport, Ill., had lived in Carroll County since he was five years old. He came here in 1875 with his parents, John and Mary O'Donnell, who settled on a farm near Maple River.

As a young man he entered employment in the bridge and building department of the Chicago & North Western Railway Company. He continued this work for 20 years.

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BIRTHS

St. Anthony Hospital—

Mr. and Mrs. Paul N. Pickl, Route 3, Carroll, a son, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus H. Schrad, Wall Lake, a son, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen L. Cornelius, Glidden, a daughter, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin W. Klocke, Coon Rapids, a son, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Burrow, Carroll, a son August 16 at the Greene County Hospital, Jefferson. Mrs. Burrow is the former Rosemary Osborne.

Carroll Markets

(These markets furnished daily by local dealers and subject to normal changes. They are correct as of the time received, between 10 and 11 a. m.)

GRAIN

Soybeans, No. 2	$2.84
Corn, No. 2 yellow	1.42
Oats	.72

POULTRY

Hens, over 4½ lbs.	.19
Hens, under 4 lbs.	.17
Old Roosters	.11
Heavy Breed Springs	.19
Leghorn Springs	.17

RABBITS

The following rabbit prices are delivered. Two cents less on pick-up routes.

Dom. fryer, 4-5 lbs. (white)	.26
Dom. fryer, 4-5 lbs. (colored)	.24

EGGS

Graded	47, 38, 30

CREAM

Sweet Cream	.67
No. 1 Sour	.68
No. 2 Sour	.64

Chicago Grain

These Markets Are Furnished by the Humphrey Grain Company

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
WHEAT				
Sept.	188	186¼	186¼	188¼
	200	192¼	192¼	191¼
Mar.	205	197	197¼	196¼
May	206	198	198¼	197¼
			198¼	200
CORN				
Sept.	147¼	146	146¼	147¾
Dec.			141	141

75 Americans to be Freed in Tuesday Prisoner Exchange

PANMUNJOM (AP)—The Communists freed 400 Allied war prisoners Monday—31 of them Americans—and promised their biggest shipment of the Korean POW exchange for Tuesday—450 Allied captives including 75 Americans.

Monday's group brought the total Communist releases to 1,105, just over a third of the 3,313 the Reds have said they hold.

The Reds also freed 73 British, 290 South Koreans, 1 Japanese who had served with U. S. forces as a houseboy, and 4 Australians. A Korean who said he served with the South Korean army although he was a civilian.

The Americans and British jumped briskly from the Red trucks that rolled them down from the Red grouping center at Kaesong. They laughed as they moved into the Allied tents and appeared in good health.

A total of 3,177 Allied troops have been freed in 13 days of the exchange. The Reds have said they hold 12,761.

As the Allied prisoners were handed over, truckloads of Communist POWs, rolled north, singing loudly.

Maj. Gen. Lee Hak Koo, POW Command said the ships carrying 3,400 Red prisoners to the north of Inchon from Koje Island were forced back by typhoon winds.

The POW Command said the delay would not affect Tuesday's delivery but may reduce Wednesday's shipment to 600. The U.N.C. has been sending back about 1,400 Reds at Panmunjom daily.

The Communists said their big shipment Tuesday would include 75 British and 300 South Koreans. They usually have been sending back about 400 Allied POWs a day.

O'Donnell—

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ent home with his sister, Miss Nell O'Donnell.

Survivors

Surviving with his sister are two brothers, T. B. O'Donnell of Ashton and E. J. O'Donnell of Sioux City. His parents, two sisters and five brothers preceded him in death.

Mr. O'Donnell, a member of St. Joseph's parish, had served as treasurer of the church for the last 21 years. He was also a member of the Holy Name Society of the parish.

He was a charter member of Charles Carroll Council, Knights of Columbus. If he had lived until August 30 he would have been a 50-year member of the organization.

A lifelong Democrat, he had represented Carroll County in the state legislature two terms, from 1929 to 1933. He had also held numerous county offices in the Democratic party.

Goessling Wins Calcutta Crown

Jim Goessling fired a 69-84 — 73 with a seventeen handicap to win the low handicap division of the annual Calcutta golf tournament at the Carroll Country club Sunday.

The net 67 bested by one stroke the 78-11 — net 68 posted by Perry Knowlton for second place.

Tied for third were Bill Tyner (74-8 — 66); Barney Neary (78-8 — 70) and T. L. Throckmorton (78-11 — 67).

Tom Neary won the high handicap division with a 77-23 — 54. Second place went to Howard Douglas 90-35 — 55; and Third — Bill Montague (98-39 — 59).

7th in Row for Carroll Juniors

The Carroll Juniors scored a 6-2 decision over Lake View here Sunday afternoon as Bob Short pitched a [illegible] and Larry Ro[illegible]

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A. C. HANSON, Speaker of the House

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Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-sixth General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Frank A. O'Connor, the people of Chickasaw County and the entire State of Iowa have sustained a great loss and the House expresses its appreciation of his character and public service and tenders, by this resolution, its sincere and heartfelt sympathy to his beloved family in their great sorrow and loss.

Be It Further Resolved: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

AMOS C. PETERSON,
CHAS. R. BURTCH,
MARTIN E. SAR,
Committee.

GEORGE O'DONNELL

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable George O'Donnell, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

George O'Donnell was born at Freeport, Illinois, on September 28, 1870. He passed away at Carroll, Iowa, on August 17, 1953.

He came with his parents to Carroll County as a young boy where he lived on a farm. His early education was received in the schools of Maple River Township and St. Joseph Catholic school, Carroll, Iowa. He was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church and charter member of Charles Carroll Council Knights of Columbus, Carroll, Iowa. He was a farmer and later was employed by the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad as superintendent of construction. He was a township trustee of Maple River Township for six years and was well known for his community service. He was elected State Representative from the fifty-fifth district of Iowa on the Democratic ticket from Carroll County to serve in the Forty-third and Forty-fourth General Assemblies.

Mr. O'Donnell is survived by two brothers, T. B. O'Donnell of Anthon, Iowa and E. J. O'Donnell of Sioux City, Iowa; also a sister, Nell O'Donnell of Carroll, Iowa.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-sixth General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable George E. O'Donnell, the state has lost an honored citizen, a hospitable friend and a faithful, useful public servant, and the House, by this resolution, would express its appreciation of his service, and tender its sympathy to the members of his family.

Be It Further Resolved: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon

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the Journal of the House and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

JOHN A. BAUMHOVER,
HENRY H. STEPHENS,
J. D. CURRIE,
Committee.

MILTON PEACO

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Milton Peaco, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Milton Peaco was born at Belle Plaine, Iowa, January 23, 1878. He passed away at Clinton, Iowa, March 17, 1954, the victims of an automobile accident.

His parents were Thomas C. and Mary E. Peaco, and when he was two years old he moved with them to Clinton County.

He was educated in the Clinton public schools, and at 15 years of age entered the employ of the Chicago Northwestern Railroad Company as a machinist, continuing in that capacity for 37 years.

He was married on October 18, 1899, at Urbana to Sadie E. Cook, daughter of Robert E. and Nancy M. Cook.

He was elected Representative from Clinton County in 1931 and served in the Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth, Forty-fifth Extra and Forty-sixth sessions of the General Assembly. He was a Democrat in politics.

He served as State Labor Commissioner from 1937 to 1939; served on the Land Commission which operated in connection with the Mississippi River Lock 13, and was a member of the Clinton Bridge Commission from its formation.

He was a member of the Christian Church, a member of the Masonic Order, and was to have received his 50-year pin the Monday following his death. He was a member of the Eastern Star, the Izaak Walton League and the Clinton Boat Club.

Mr. Peaco is survived by his wife, Sadie, and several nieces and nephews.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-sixth General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Milton Peaco, the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful, useful public servant, and the House, by this resolution, would express its appreciation of his service, and tender its sympathy to his wife and the members of his family.

Be It Further Resolved: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

CHARLES F. COVERDALE,
A. L. MENSING,
CHARLES F. HINCHLIFFE,
Committee.

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Iowa State Census Collection, 1836-1925

Name:	**George O Donnell** [*George O'Donnell*]
Birth Year:	**abt 1871**
Birth Place:	**Illinois**
Gender:	**Male**
Race:	**White**
Marital Status:	**Single**
Census Date:	**1915**
Residence State:	**Iowa**
Residence County:	**Carroll**
Locality:	**Maple River**
Mother's Birthplace:	**Ireland**
Father's Birthplace:	**Ireland**
Roll:	**IA1915_73**
Line:	**551**
Neighbors:	View others on page

Household Members:	Name	Age
	George O Donnell	44

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