

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Hunt, Ralph Reid Senator \_\_\_\_\_  
Represented Louisa County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 16 Jan 1879 Cairo, Louisa County, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place  
① Mary Pearl Powers 10 Sept 1902  
② Sophie Kramer 22 Nov 1924 Oakville, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business No involvement in organizing the Oakville Consolidated School District

B. Civic responsibilities Mason

C. Profession Farmer; Lawyer

4. Church membership Methodist

5. Sessions served 42<sup>nd</sup>, 43<sup>rd</sup>, 44<sup>th</sup> General Assemblies 1927, 1929, 1931

6. Public Offices

A. Local Oakville, Iowa school board member for many years;

B. State \_\_\_\_\_

C. National \_\_\_\_\_

7. Death 29 Aug 1968 Vapello, Iowa; buried Vapello Cemetery, Vapello, Iowa

8. Children By 1<sup>st</sup> wife - Reid Lyttleton (died in 1956); Helen (Mrs. Thomas)

9. Names of parents Henry and Laura (Hornsbry) Hunt

10. Education Educated in schools of Kapella, Iowa  
graduating in 1895

11. Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

12. Other applicable information Republican

- His first wife, Mary Pearl, died 12 Dec 1913
- He taught school in rural Linn County; teacher and principal at Columbus City Iowa and served 6 years as Linn County Superintendent of Schools



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Miss Rose Ann Schwab, Columbus Junction, was the bridesmaid, wearing a lavender gown of taffeta with lighter shades of chiffon streamers. A lavender headpiece matched her dress and she carried a colonial bouquet of white feathered mums.

Miss Cheryl Howell, sister of the bridegroom, was the flower attendant. Her dress was white cotton styled similar to that of the bridesmaid and she wore a lavender headpiece. Dickie Wieland, Lone Tree, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. Willard Howell, Allmen, Ia. brother of the bridegroom, was best man, and ushers were Craig Howell, Lavon Rutt and Jon Bell, all from here.

Following the service, a reception for 100 guests was held in the church basement. Lavender flowers, candles and a three tier wedding cake decorated the serving table.

Mrs. Dewayne Wieland, Lone Tree, Mrs. Ceoil Bryant Morning Sun, and Mrs. Chas. Jenkins, Columbus Junction, all sisters of the bride, served at the reception. Mrs. Willard Howell, Allmen, was in charge of the guest book. Melodie Schweitzer, Muscatine, Sharon Hoben, Muscatine and Mrs. Farrel Gentzier, Columbus Junction, were in charge of the gifts.

For going away the bride wore a novelty knit sheath dress with black accessories. Her corsage was from the bridal bouquet. Following a short honeymoon, the couple will be at home in Columbus Junction in the Smith apartments.

The bride graduated from Columbus High school in 1960 and is employed at the Maidrite Cafe here. The bridegroom graduated from Columbus Community High school in 1958 and is associated with Richard Houseal in carpenter work.

## EX-SOLON RITES FRIDAY

Ralph Reid Hunt, 62, died at his home in Wapello Tuesday afternoon Aug. 29 at 1 P.M. after a lingering illness.

Mr. Hunt was a former state representative, school teacher and superintendent, and Louisa county farmer.

Born January 16, 1879, in Cairo, Louisa county, he was the son of Henry and Laura Hornsby Hunt. He graduated from high school at Wapello in 1906.

On Sept. 10, 1902 he was married to Mary Pearl Parsons who died Dec. 12, 1913. Two children were born Reid Lytleton, who died in 1956 at Tipton, and a daughter, Helen Hunt Thomas who lives in Menlo Park, Calif.

He was married Nov. 22, 1924, at Oakville, to Sophia Kramcr. He was a member of the Methodist church at Wapello, and the Masonic Lodge. The couple formerly lived in Oakville and moved to Wapello three years ago.

Mr. Hunt served three terms in the Iowa legislature a number of years ago. He taught schools in rural Louisa county, was a teacher and principal at Columbus City, and served six years as Louisa County Superintendent of Schools.

Mr. Hunt was a member of the Oakville school board for many years, and was instrumental in organizing the Oakville Consolidated School district.

Survivors include the widow; one daughter, Mrs. Helen Thomas of Menlo Park, Calif.; one brother, Ed Hunt of Wapello; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday, Sept. 1 at 2 P. M. at the Wapello Methodist church with the Rev. Harland Gant officiating. Mrs. Phyllis McCulley was at the organ and the flowers were cared for by Mrs. Joe Berkhoff, Mrs. Harry Bailey, Mrs. Oscar Kemper, Mrs. Oran Hayes and Mrs. William Smith. Bearers were Harry Bailey, Ralph Brown, Bill Smith, Ludwig Johnson, Vernon Wiederrecht and Marion Schafer.

Honorary bearers were Ernst Lieberknecht, Rep. Fred Wier, Leroy Pierce and Sen. George Webb.

Masonic burial rites were held in Wapello Cemetery.

quest decorated the altar of the Western Springs Presbyterian church Saturday, Aug. 26 when Linda Klein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Klein of La Grange, Ill. and Howard Vardaman, son of Mrs. Lawrence Vardaman of Wapello, exchanged wedding vows. The Rev. Henry W. Andersen officiated at the 7:30 ceremony, with James Thompson at the organ and accompanist for soloist, Edward Robert of Libertyville, Ill.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a white taffeta gown with opalescent sequins and pearls trimming the scalloped neckline. Small buttons and bustle bow were back features, and her illusion veil was held by a crown of opalescent sequins and pearls. She carried a bridal bouquet of Glameila and stephanotis.

Karen Reed of Libertyville Ill. served as maid-of-honor and Therza Hull of Merriam, Kans. was bridesmaid. Their dresses were of olive green polished cotton with bouffant overskirts of silk organza. They carried bouquets of tan Fuji mums and pale tangerine roses, and wore roses in

from Calta or Omaha served as best man. Ushers were Stan Coffin, Fairmont Minn., Jeff Klein, brother the bride, and Phil Varman, Wapello, brother the groom.

Mother of the bride wore a pale blue lace and chiffon and the groom's mother chose a sheath gown of peacock blue. They both wore corsages of cymidium mums.

A reception was held at the church parlors immediately following the ceremony. Jean Whitcomb, Hamburg N.Y., cousin of the bride, was in charge of the guest book and Pam Nusen of Wapello, Ill. was at the punch bowl. Pourers were Robert Davis, Aurora, Ill., Mrs. Edward Roberts of Libertyville, Ill., Mrs. William Lewis, Brodfeld, Ill., Mrs. Winfield Lewis of Grange.

Following a honeymoon trip to Cass Lake, Minn., the couple will be at home in Ames, where the groom will attend Iowa State University. The bride also attended Iowa State University where she was a member of Alpha Gamma Delta sorority.

## JOHN BEANE RITES SATURDAY

John Isaac Beane, 58, a former Wapello resident, died suddenly at the home of his son, John Beane, Jr. in Delavan, Wis., where he had been visiting. Death occurred Tuesday, Aug. 29, at the Walworth County Hospital in Eikhorn, Wis.

He was born in Wapello January 5, 1903, the son of Frank and Blanche Delzell Beane, and graduated from the Wapello schools. His parents operated the Beane Hotel in Wapello for many years.

Mr. Beane is survived by his wife, Mae, and two sons, John Beane, Jr., and William Beane.

Funeral services were held at the Dudgeon-McCulley Funeral home Saturday morn-

ing at ten, with the Rev. Harland Gant of the Methodist church officiating. Mrs. Phyllis McCulley was at the organ and the flowers were cared for by Mrs. Aasa Williams and Mrs. Elizabeth Grasham. Bearers were Francis Bucher, Glen Nicholas, Earl Maine, Jack Beane, Lawrence Delzell, Dr. W. McWilliams, Stanley McWilliams and Bob Delzell.

Burial was in the Wapello Cemetery.

## NEW FABRICS FOR FALL DISCUSSED

Three new fabrics making their debut on retail counters all over the S. A. this fall. They stretch fabrics, laminated foams and a greater variety of pile and furlike yardage than was seen a year

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